

## Peng “Katie” Wang

### Curriculum Vitae

#### **Contact Information**

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#### **Employment**

**Postdoctoral Fellow**     Yale University  
Center for Interdisciplinary Research on AIDS, 09/2014-Present

#### **Education**

**Ph.D.**     Yale University  
Social Psychology, 2014  
Dissertation: “Coping with Social Disadvantage in an Ambiguous World:  
Perceiving and Responding to Prejudice and Discrimination”  
Advisor: Dr. John Dovidio

**M.S.**     Yale University  
Social Psychology, 2012

**B.A.**     Rice University  
Psychology and Statistics, Summa Cum Laude, 2009

#### **Research Interests**

- Individual differences in perceiving and responding to discrimination
- Behaviors in intergroup interactions
- Stigma as a psychosocial determinant of health disparities and health risk behaviors
- Coping, emotion regulation, and mental health

#### **Fellowships and Grants**

**NIMH Interdisciplinary HIV Prevention Training Program(T32-MH020031-16A1; PI: Trace Kershaw)**

Awarded for postdoctoral training in health psychology at Yale School of Public Health, 2014-present

**NIDA Mentored Research Scientist (K01) Career Development Award(submitted in June, 2015)**

Proposal title: Mental Illness Stigma as a Risk Factor for Substance Use among Adults with Depression

**Publications**

Dovidio, J. F., & Wang, K. (in press). Intergroup behavior. In H. L. Miller (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Theory in Psychology*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

Stroebe, K., Wang, K., & Wright, S. C. (in press). Broadening perspectives on achieving social change. *Journal of Social Issues*.

Wang, K., Silverman, A., Gwinn, J. D., & Dovidio, J. F. (2015). Independent or ungrateful? Consequences of confronting patronizing help for people with disabilities. *Group Processes & Intergroup Relations*, 18, 489-503.

Burke, S. E., Wang, K., & Dovidio, J. F. (2014). Witnessing disclosure of depression: Gender and attachment avoidance moderate interpersonal evaluations. *Journal of Social and Clinical Psychology*, 33, 536-559.

Wang, K., Stroebe, K., & Dovidio, J. F. (2012). Stigma consciousness and prejudice ambiguity: Can it be adaptive to perceive the world as biased? *Personality and Individual Differences*, 53, 241-245.

Wang, K., & Dovidio, J. F. (2011). Disability and autonomy: Priming alternative identities. *Rehabilitation Psychology*, 56, 123-127.

Wang, K., Barron, L. G., & Hebl, M. R. (2010). Making those who cannot see look best: Effects of visual resume formatting on ratings of job applicants with blindness. *Rehabilitation Psychology*, 55, 68-73.

**Manuscripts Submitted for Publication**

Chaudoir, S. R., Wang, K., & Pachankis, J. E. (under review). What reduces sexual minority stress? A review of the intervention “toolkit”.

Wang, K., & Dovidio, J. F. (under review). Perceiving and confronting sexism: The causal role of gender identity salience.

Wang, K., Merin, A., Rendina, H. J., & Pachankis, J. E. (under review). Genital herpes stigma: Towards the measurement and validation of a highly prevalent yet hidden public health problem.

Wang, K., & Pachankis, J. E. (revision in progress). Gay-related rejection sensitivity as a risk factor for condomless sex.

Wang, K., Rendina, H. J., & Pachankis, J. E. (under review). Looking on the bright side of stigma: How stress-related growth facilitates adaptive coping among gay and bisexual men.

**Manuscripts In Preparation**

Millar, B., Wang, K., & Pachankis, J. E. (in prep). The moderating role of internalized homonegativity on the efficacy of LGB-affirmative therapy: Results from a randomized controlled trial with young adult gay and bisexual men.

Wang, K., Weiss, N. H., Pachankis, J. E., & Link, B. G. (in prep). Emotional clarity as a buffer in the relationship between mental illness stigma and suicide risk.

### **Conference Presentations**

Wang, K., Silverman, A., Gwinn, J. D., & Dovidio, J. F. (to be presented in January, 2016). Independent or ungrateful? Consequences of confronting patronizing help for people with disabilities. Talk accepted at the 17<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of Society for Personality and Social Psychology, San Diego, CA.

Wang, K., Rendina, H. J., & Pachankis, J. E. (February, 2015). *Looking on the bright side of stigma: How stress-related growth facilitates adaptive coping among gay and bisexual men*. Data blitz presented at the Social, Personality, and Health pre-conference of the 16<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Long Beach, CA.

Wang, K., Dovidio, J. F., & Mayville, E. W. (February, 2014). *Emotion regulation and coping with gender discrimination: The roles of rumination and cognitive reappraisal*. Poster presented at the 15<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Austin, TX.

Wang, K., Silverman, A., Gwinn, J. D., & Dovidio, J. F. (January, 2013). *If I need help, I will ask for it: Consequences of confronting patronizing treatment for people with disabilities*. Poster presented at the 14<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, LA.

Wang, K., Dovidio, J. F., & Mayville, E. W. (November, 2012). *Two types of cognitive reappraisal?: The implementation of adaptive versus maladaptive emotion regulation strategies in the context of gender discrimination*. Talk presented at the 46th annual convention of Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, National Harbor, MD.

Wang, K., Stroebe, K., & Dovidio, J. F. (January, 2012). *Stigma consciousness and prejudice ambiguity: Can it be adaptive to perceive the world as biased?* Poster presented at the 13<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, San Diego, CA.

Wang, K., & Dovidio, J. F. (January, 2011). *Disability and autonomy: Priming alternative identities*. Poster presented at the 12th annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, San Antonio, TX.

Wang, K., Barron, L. G., & Hebl, M. R. (May, 2009). *Visually appealing resumes are helpful to those who can not see*. Poster presented at the 21st annual convention of the Association of Psychological Science, San Francisco, CA.

### **Educational Workshops**

#### **Summer Institute for Social Psychology (Princeton University, Princeton, NJ)**

Social Psychological Interventions workshop with Drs. Deborah Prentice and Hart Blanton. July, 2011.

### **Teaching Experience**

#### **Guest Lecturer, Fall 2014**

Stigma and Health Instructor: John Pachankis, Ph.D.

Was invited to give a lecture entitled “Coping with Stigma”

#### **Teaching Assistant, Fall 2013**

Introduction to Cognitive Science Instructor: Brian Scholl, Ph.D.

**Teaching Assistant, Spring 2013**

Psychology, Biology, and Politics of Food Instructor: Kelly Brownell, Ph.D.

**Teaching Assistant, Spring 2012**

Attraction and Relationships Instructor: Margaret Clark, Ph.D.

**Teaching Assistant and Discussion Section Leader, Fall 2011**

Moralities of Everyday Life Instructor: Paul Bloom, Ph.D.

**Teaching Assistant, Spring 2011**

Introduction to Psychology Instructor: Marvin Chung, Ph.D.

**Teaching Assistant, Fall 2010**

Introduction to Psychology Instructor: Paul Bloom, Ph.D.

**Honors and Awards**

**Society for Personality and Social Psychology 2013 Diversity Fund Graduate Travel Award**

Received \$500 to cover travel expenses to present at the SPSP 2013 conference

**John W. Brelsford Award, 2009**

Recognition from Rice University for superior scholarship, leadership, or service in the Psychology Department.

**Rice Undergraduate Scholars Program, 2008**

Received internal support from Rice University (\$2500) to conduct research on the perception of job applicants with disabilities.

**Phi Beta Kappa Honor Society, 2009-present**

**Ad Hoc Reviewing**

- *British Journal of Social Psychology*
- *Journal of Affective Disorders*
- *Journal of Applied Social Psychology*
- *Journal of Health Politics, Policy, and Law*
- *Journal of Research on Adolescence*
- *Journal of Sex Research*
- *Sex Roles*
- *Translational Issues in Psychological Science*

**Professional Affiliations**

- Society for Personality and Social Psychology, 2009-present
- Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues, 2013-present
- Association of Psychological Science, 2013-present

**Service**

- Peer reviewer, Graduate Students Conference Travel Award, Society for Personality and Social Psychology, 2015
- Coordinator, Yale Social Psychology Lunch Speaker Series, 2010-2011.
- Colloquium committee member, Yale Psychology Speaker Series, 2010-2012.