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BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

1992 to 1995	Undergraduate Student, University of Texas at San Antonio <i>Major:</i> Honors Psychology; <i>Minor:</i> Research Methods
1995 to 1996	Graduate Student, Department of Psychology University of Texas at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX Masters of Science program in experimental psychology
1996 to 2002	Graduate Student, Department of Psychology University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL APA-accredited doctoral program in adult clinical psychology
2001 to 2002	Psychology Intern, Clinical Psychology Training Consortium Brown Medical School, Providence, RI APA-accredited internship program in clinical psychology

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2002 to 2004	Postdoctoral Research Fellow Department of Psychiatry and Human Behavior, Brown University and Psychosocial Research Program, Butler Hospital, Providence, RI
January 2005	Assistant Professor, Dept. of Psychology, University of Texas at Austin Director, Mood Disorders Laboratory, University of Texas at Austin Faculty Member, Imaging Research Center, University of Texas at Austin

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Etiology, maintenance, and treatment of major unipolar depression in adults. Genetic associations with vulnerability to depression; information processing biases and maintenance of depression; mood reactivity and persistence; dual process models of negative cognition.

CURRENT GRANT SUPPORT

Title: Genetic Associations with Biased Processing of Emotion Cues in MDD

Role: Principal Investigator

Agency: National Institute of Mental Health (R01 MH076897, 9/19/07-9/19/10; \$900,000)

Study will test whether polymorphisms of the 5-HTTLPR, COMT, and TPH-2 are associated with negatively biased processing of emotional information among healthy controls, adults induced into a dysphoric mood, and adults with major depression. A state-of-the-art eye tracking system will assess biased processing of emotion cues.

COMPLETED GRANT SUPPORT

Title: A Prospective Risk Assessment of PTSD and other Indices of Psychosocial Dysfunction Among Soldiers Deployed in Iraq

Role: Co-Investigator (PI: Michael Telch)

Agency: Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA, W911QY-07-C-0002), DoD (8/1/06-8/31/08; \$696,655)

Soldiers ($N = 200$) scheduled for deployment to Iraq will undergo a comprehensive battery of risk indices for PTSD, including imaging, genetic, cognitive, and stress challenge assessments. Soldiers were followed prospectively and exposure to combat stress in Iraq will be assessed. Risk indices will be used to predict onset of PTSD.

Title: Risk and Maintenance Factors for Bulimic Pathology

Role: Co-Investigator (PI: Eric Stice)

Agency: National Institute of Mental Health (R01 MH064560, 8/1/02-7/31/08; \$1,750,000)

Longitudinal study testing risk and protective factors for bulimic and depression pathologies among a large cohort of adolescent girls ($N = 496$) recruited from the Austin community.

Title: Combined Treatment for Depressed Inpatients

Role: Postdoctoral fellow, Consultant (PI: Ivan Miller)

Agency: National Institutes of Health (R01 MH58866, 2/15/00-12/12/07; \$1,600,000)

The major goal of this study is to investigate the efficacy of combined pharmacotherapy, individual psychotherapy and family therapy for depressed inpatients.

Title: Efficacy of a Family Telephone Intervention for Stroke

Role: Postdoctoral fellow (PI: Ivan Miller)

Agency: National Institutes of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (R01 NS37840, 9/1/99-8/30/05; \$1,500,000)

The goal of this project is to investigate the efficacy of a telephone-administered intervention for stroke patients.

SELECTED HONORS AND AWARDS

August 2001 Kirk Danhour Award, University of Miami

2003 to 2004 Senior Fellow, Department of Psychiatry and Human Behavior, Brown

- University. Elected by peers to represent hospital-based postdoctoral fellows.
- June 2004 Fellowship, Advanced Training Institute in fMRI, Charlestown, MA: Sponsored by the American Psychological Association. This was a one-week course reviewing the application, design, and analysis of functional MRI research. The APA covered all expenses for my participation.
- July 2004 Fellowship, Summer Research Institute for Suicide Prevention, Rochester, NY: Sponsored by the NIMH. This was a one-week conference for young investigators with interests in suicide-related research. The NIMH covered all expenses for my participation.
- December 2004 Grant reviewer, National Institute of Mental Health, Scientific Review Group, BST-I02
- November 2005 Grant reviewer, Ontario Mental Health Foundation
- December 2005 Grant reviewer, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada
- November 2006 Grant reviewer, National Institute for Health Research (NIHR), United Kingdom Department of Health
- November 2006 Grant reviewer, Netherlands Organization for Scientific Research, Social Sciences (gebied voor Maatschappij- en Gedragwetenschappen)
- November 2006 President's New Researcher Award, Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT; formerly AABT)
- January 2007 Recipient, Research Internship Program award, Graduate School, University of Texas; Awarded \$22,000 fellowship to use to recruit a doctoral student into my laboratory.
- September 2007 Scientific Advisory Board Member, Deprexis Depression Treatment, Gaia Consulting Group, Hamburg, Germany
- November 2008 Grant reviewer, Swiss National Science Foundation

EDITORIAL ACTIVITIES

Editorial Board: Cognitive Therapy and Research, Behavior Therapy

Consulting reviewer: Journal of Abnormal Psychology, Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology, Psychological Science, Journal of Personality and Social Psychology, Psychological Bulletin, Cognitive Therapy and Research, Clinical Psychology Review, Cognition and Emotion, Psychology of Addictive Behaviors, British Journal of Psychology, Health Psychology,

Emotion, Behavior Therapy, Behavior Research and Therapy, Journal of Social and Clinical Psychology, Depression and Anxiety, Psychiatry Research, Journal of Affective Disorders, Archives of General Psychiatry, Behavior Modification, Psychological Bulletin, The International Journal of Neuropsychopharmacology, Proceedings of the Royal Society: Biological, Journal of Personality Research

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

1994 to 2004	American Psychological Association
1995 to present	American Psychological Society
1996 to present	Association for the Advancement of Behavioral Therapy
1997 to present	Society for a Scientific Clinical Psychology

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS (* indicates student advisee)

1. Wenzlaff, R. M., & Beevers, C. G. (1998). Depression and interpersonal responses to others' moods: The solicitation of negative information about happy people. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, *24*, 386-398.
2. Beevers, C. G., Wenzlaff, R. M., Hayes, A. M., & Scott, W. D. (1999). Depression and the ironic effects of thought suppression: Therapeutic strategies for improving mental control. *Clinical Psychology: Science and Practice*, *6*, 133-148.
3. Beevers, C. G., & Scott, W. D. (2001). Ignorance may be bliss, but thought suppression promotes superficial cognitive processing. *Journal of Research in Personality*, *35*, 546-553.
4. Beevers, C. G., & Meyer, B. (2002). Lack of positive experiences and positive expectancies mediate the relationship between BAS responsiveness and depression. *Cognition and Emotion*, *16*, 549-564.
5. Beevers, C. G., & Carver, C. S. (2003). Attentional bias and mood persistence as prospective predictors of dysphoria. *Cognitive Therapy and Research*, *27*, 619-637.
6. Beevers, C. G., Keitner, G. I., Ryan, C. E. & Miller, I. W. (2003). Cognitive predictors of symptom return following depression treatment. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*, *112*, 488-496.
7. Meyer, B., Pilkonis, P., & Beevers, C. G. (2004). What's in a (neutral) face? Personality disorders, attachment styles, and the appraisal of ambiguous social cues. *Journal of Personality Disorders*, *18*, 320-336.
8. Beevers, C. G., & Meyer, B. (2004). Thought suppression and depression risk. *Cognition and Emotion*, *18*, 859-867.

9. Meyer, B., Beevers, C. G., & Johnson, S. L. (2004). Goal appraisals and vulnerability to bipolar disorder: A personal projects analysis. *Cognitive Therapy and Research, 28*, 173-182.
10. Beevers, C. G., & Miller, I. W. (2004). Depression-related negative cognition: Mood-state and trait dependent properties. *Cognitive Therapy and Research, 28*, 293-307.
11. Beevers, C. G., & Miller, I. W. (2004). Perfectionism, cognitive bias, and hopelessness as prospective predictors of suicidal ideation. *Suicide and Life-Threatening Behavior, 34*, 126-137.
12. Gibb, B. E., Alloy, L. B., Abramson, L. Y., Beevers, C. G., & Miller, I. W. (2004). Cognitive vulnerability to depression: A taxometric analysis. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology, 113*, 81-89.
13. Beevers, C. G. (2005). Cognitive vulnerability to depression: A dual process model. *Clinical Psychology Review, 25*, 975-1002.
14. Miller, I. W., Keitner, G. I., Ryan, C. E., Solomon, D. A., Cardemil, E. V., & Beevers, C. G. (2005). Treatment matching in the post-hospital care of depressed patients. *American Journal of Psychiatry, 162*, 2131-2138.
15. Guadiano, B., Beevers, C. G., & Miller, I. W. (2005). Differential response to combined treatment in patients with psychotic versus nonpsychotic major depression. *Journal of Nervous and Mental Disease, 193*, 625-628.
16. Friedman, M. A., Cardemil, E. V., Uebelacker, L. A., Beevers, C. G., Chestnut, C. & Miller, I. W. (2005). The GIFT program for major depression: Integrating group, individual, and family treatment. *Journal of Psychotherapy Integration, 15*, 147-168.
17. Hayes, A. H., Beevers, C. G., Feldman, G. C., Laurenceau, J. P. & Perlman, C. (2005). Avoidance and processing as predictors of symptom change and positive growth in an integrative therapy for depression. *International Journal of Behavioral Medicine, 12*, 111-122.
18. Beevers, C. G. & Miller, I. W. (2005). Unlinking negative cognition from symptoms of depression: Evidence of a specific treatment effect for cognitive therapy. *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology, 73*, 68-77.
19. Uebelacker, L.A., Beevers, C.G., Battle, C., Strong, D., & Miller, I. W. (2006). Family functioning in Bipolar I Disorder. *Journal of Family Psychology, 20*, 701-704.
20. Gibb, B.E., Beevers, C.G., Andover, M.S., & Holleran, K. (2006). The hopelessness theory of depression: A prospective multi-wave test of the vulnerability-stress hypothesis. *Cognitive Therapy and Research, 30*, 763-772.
21. Gibb, B. E., McGeary, J. E., Beevers, C. G., & Miller, I. W. (2006). Serotonin transporter (5-HTTLPR) genotype, childhood abuse, and suicide attempts in adult psychiatric inpatients. *Suicide and Life Threatening Behavior, 36*, 687-693.

22. Cardemil, E. V., Reivich, K. J., Beevers, C. G., Seligman, M. E. P., & James, J. (2007). The prevention of depressive symptoms in low-income, minority children: Two-year follow-up. *Behavior Research and Therapy*, *45*, 313-327.
23. Meyer, B., Enström, M.K., Harstveit, M., Bowles, D. P., & Beevers, C. G. (2007). Happiness and despair on the catwalk: Need satisfaction, well-being, and personality adjustment among fashion models. *The Journal of Positive Psychology*, *2*, 2-17.
24. Beevers, C. G., Gibb, B. E., McGeary, J. E., & Miller, I. W. (2007). Serotonin transporter genetic variation and attentional biases for emotional word stimuli among psychiatric inpatients. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*, *116*, 208-212.
25. Beevers, C. G., Strong, D., Meyer, B., Pilkonis, P., & Miller, I. W. (2007). Efficiently assessing negative cognition in depression: An item response theory analysis of the Dysfunctional Attitude Scale. *Psychological Assessment*, *19*, 199-209.
26. Hayes, A. H., Feldman, G. C., Beevers, C. G., Laurenceau, J.P., Cardaciato, L., Lewis Smith, J. (2007). Two patterns of change in the treatment of depression: The rapid response and the depression spike. *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology*, *75*, 409-421.
27. Beevers, C. G., *Wells, T. T., & Miller, I. W. (2007). Predicting response to depression treatment: The role of negative cognition. *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology*, *75*, 422-431.
28. Meyer, B., Beevers, C. G., & Johnson, S. L., & Simmons, E. (2007). Approach motivation and vulnerability to mania and depression: Shared and unique associations. *Cognition and Emotion*, *21*, 1647-1668.
29. Beevers, C. G., Rohde, P., Stice, E., & Nolen-Hoeksema, S. (2007). Recovery from major depressive disorder among female adolescents: A prospective test of the scar hypothesis. *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology*, *75*, 888-900.
30. Uebelacker, L. A., Battle, C. G., Friedman, M. A., Cardemil, E. V., Beevers, C. G., Miller, I. W. (2008). The importance of interpersonal treatment goals for depressed inpatients. *Journal of Nervous and Mental Disease*, *196*, 217-222.
31. Scott, W. D., Beevers, C.G., & Mermelstein, R.J. (2008). Depression vulnerable and non-vulnerable smokers after a failure experience: Examining cognitive self-regulation and motivation. *Behavior Modification*, *32*, 519-539.
32. Beevers, C. G. & Meyer, B. (2008). I feel fine but the glass is still half empty: Thought suppression biases information processing despite recovery from a dysphoric mood. *Cognitive Therapy and Research*, *32*, 323-332.
33. Beevers, C.G., Scott, W. D., McGeary, C., & McGeary, J. (in press). Cognitive response to a negative mood induction: Associations with polymorphisms of the serotonin transporter gene. *Cognition and Emotion*

34. *Kellough, J., Beevers, C. G., *Ellis, A., & *Wells, T. T. (in press). Time course of selective attention in depressed young adults: An eye tracking study. *Behavior Research and Therapy*
35. Beevers, C. G., *Wells, T. T., *Fischer, K., & *Ellis, A. (in press). Identification of emotionally ambiguous interpersonal stimuli among dysphoric and nondysphoric individuals. *Cognitive Therapy and Research*
36. Epstein-Lubow, G. P., Beevers, C.G., Bishop, D.S., & Miller, I.W. (in press). Depressive symptoms and family functioning in caregivers of acute stroke patients. *Archives of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation*
37. *Wells, T. T., & Beevers, C. G. (in press). Attention training reduces depressive symptoms. *Cognition and Emotion*
38. Beevers, C. G., *Wells, T.T., *Ellis, A. J., & McGeary, J. (accepted, pending revision). Polymorphisms of the serotonin transporter (5-HTTLPR) gene are associated with difficulty disengaging attention from emotional stimuli. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*

NON-PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

39. Scott, W. D., Winters, R. & Beevers, C. G. (2000). Affective distress as a central and organizing symptom in depression: Psychological mechanisms. In S. Johnson, A. Hayes, T. Field, P. McCabe, & N. Schneiderman (Eds.), *Stress, coping, and depression* (pp. 145-176). Hillsdale, NJ: Lawrence Earlbaum.
40. Winters, R., Scott, W. D., & Beevers, C. G. (2000). Affective distress as a central and organizing symptom in depression: Neurobiological mechanisms. In S. Johnson, A. Hayes, T. Field, P. McCabe, & N. Schneiderman (Eds.), *Stress, coping, and depression* (pp. 177-222). Hillsdale, NJ: Lawrence Earlbaum.
41. Beevers, C. G. (2006). High risk cognitive style predicts onset of depression. *Evidence-Based Mental Health*, 9, 108.
42. Beevers, C. G. & *Wells, T. T. (in press). Genetic associations with cognitive vulnerability to depression. In R. Ingram, (Ed.), *The International Encyclopedia of Depression*. New York: Springer Publishing Company.

MANUSCRIPTS SUBMITTED FOR PUBLICATION

1. Beevers, C. G., Rhode, P., Stice, E., & *O'Neil, K. (2007). Major and minor depression in female adolescents: Onset, course, symptom presentation, and demographic associations.

2. Meyer, B., Berger, T., Caspar, F., Beevers, C.G., & Weiss, M. (2007). Integrative online treatment for depression: A field trial of the Deprexis program. (revise and resubmit)
3. *Ellis, A. J., Beevers, C. G., *Wells, T. T. (2008). Emotion dysregulation in depression: Support for emotion context insensitivity in response to performance-based feedback. (revise and resubmit)
4. *Pacheco, J., Beevers, C. G., *Benavides, C., McGeary, J. E., Stice, E., Schnyer, D. M. (2008). Frontal-limbic white matter pathway differences associated with a polymorphism of the serotonin transporter (5-HTTLPR) gene.
5. Battle, C. L., Uebelacker, L.A., Freidman, M. A, Cardemil, E. V., Beevers, C. G., Lewis, A. W., & Miller, I. W. (2008). Treatment goals of depressed outpatients.
6. *Ellis, A. J., *Fischer, K. M., Beevers, C. G. (2008). Is dysphoria about being red and blue? Potentiation of anger and reduced distress tolerance among dysphoric individuals. (revise and resubmit)
7. Beevers, C.G., *Wells, T.T., & McGeary, J. E. (2008). The BDNF Val66Met polymorphism, but not the 5-HTTLPR polymorphism of the SLC6A4 gene, is associated with rumination in healthy adults. (revise and resubmit)
8. Beevers, C.G., *Ellis, A. J., & *Reid, R. (2008). Heart rate variability predicts cognitive reactivity to a sad mood provocation. (revise and resubmit)

INVITED COLLOQUIA

1. Beevers, C.G., (November, 2003). Cognitive vulnerability to depression. Department of Psychology, University of Virginia.
2. Beevers, C.G., (January, 2004). Cognitive vulnerability to depression. Department of Psychiatry and Human Behavior, Brown Medical School.
3. Beevers, C.G., (February 2004). Cognitive vulnerability to depression. Department of Psychology, Harvard University.
4. Beevers, C.G., (February, 2004). Cognitive vulnerability to depression. Department of Psychology, University of Texas at Austin.
5. Beevers, C.G., (April 2007). Cognitive vulnerability to depression: Links with the serotonin transporter gene. Department of Psychology and the Honors College, University of Texas at San Antonio.
6. Beevers, C.G. (November, 2007). Biased information processing: Links with the serotonin transporter gene. Department of Psychology, University of Miami.

CONFERENCE PAPER PRESENTATIONS (* indicates student advisee)

1. Beevers, C. G., & Wenzlaff, R. M. (1995, September). Depression and the paradoxical effects of thought suppression. Paper presented at the annual convention of the Southwestern Psychological Association, San Antonio, Texas.
2. Beevers, C. G., Wenzlaff, R. M., & Hayes, A. M. (1999, November). Self-regulation gone awry: Thought suppression and rumination in depression. In A.H. Hayes (Chair), *Self-regulation principles and depression: Implications for treatment development*. Symposium conducted at the annual convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
3. Hayes, A. H., Beevers, C. G., Kumar, S., & Winett, C. (2000, June). What dynamic systems theory can teach us about the study of change in psychotherapies for depression. In M. Friedman and J. Gollan (Chairs), *New approaches to the study of patient predictors of treatment outcome for major depression*. Symposium conducted at the meeting of the Society for Psychotherapy Research, Chicago, Illinois.
4. Hayes, A. H., Beevers, C. G., Laurenceau, J. P., & Greenawalt, D (2001, July). The role of variability in change: Lessons from dynamic systems theory. In M. Whisman (Chair), *Expanding frontiers in cognitive therapy of depression*. Symposium conducted at the World Congress of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
5. Beevers, C. G., Hayes, A. H., & Greenawalt, D. (2001, July). Cognitive processing and affective expression as predictors of change in depression. In D. Hope (Chair), *Mechanisms of change in cognitive-behavior therapy*. Symposium conducted at the World Congress of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
6. Miller, I. W., Beevers, C. G., Keitner, G. I., & Ryan, C. E. (2002, November). Depressive cognitions predict relapse in severely depressed patients. In M. A. Friedman (Chair), *Predicting relapse in major depression*. Symposium conducted at the annual convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Reno, Nevada.
7. Beevers, C. G., Carver, C. S., & Miller, I. W. (2003, May). *Attentional bias and mood persistence as prospective predictors of dysphoria*. "Hot topic" paper presented at the annual convention of the American Psychological Society, Atlanta, Georgia.
8. Miller, I. W., Beevers, C. G., Keitner, G. I., & Ryan, C. E. (2003, November). Predictors of response in the acute treatment of major depression. In M. A. Friedman (Chair), *Mechanisms of change in cognitive and behavioral treatments for major depression*. Symposium conducted at the annual convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Boston, Massachusetts.
9. Hayes, A. H., Laurenceau, J. P., Feldman, G. & Beevers, C. G. (2003, November). The role of variability and periods of symptom exacerbation in the process of change. In A. H. Hayes (Chair), *Challenging the assumptions of*

linearity: Discontinuities and nonlinear patterns of change in therapy. Symposium conducted at the annual convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Boston, Massachusetts.

10. Friedman, M. A., Cardemil, E. V., Uebelacker, L. A., Beevers, C. G., Chestnut, C., & Miller, I. W. (2003, November). Mechanisms of change in the GIFT program for major depression. In M. A. Friedman (Chair), *Mechanisms of change in cognitive and behavioral treatments for major depression*. Symposium conducted at the annual convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Boston, Massachusetts.
11. Beevers, C. G., & Miller, I. W. (2003, November). Cognitive reactivity and depression: Evidence for specific treatment effects of cognitive therapy. In C. G. Beevers (Chair), *Addressing anxiety and depression in psychotherapy: Innovative assessment and treatment strategies*. Symposium conducted at the annual convention of the North American Society for Psychotherapy Research, Newport, Rhode Island.
12. Hayes, A. H., Laurenceau, J. P., Feldman, G., Beevers, C. G., Perlman, C., & Galyardt, W. (2004, November). Do the Principles of Exposure Apply to the Treatment of Depression? In S. Hayes (Chair), *New Advances in Emotional Processing and Exposure-based Treatments*. Symposium to be conducted at the annual meeting of the Association for Advancement of Behavior Therapy, New Orleans, LA.
13. Uebelacker, L.A., Beevers, C. G., Battle, C., Strong, D., & Miller, I. W. (2004, November). Family functioning and the course of symptoms in bipolar disorder. In M. Whisman (Chair), *Psychopathology and marital distress*. Symposium to be conducted at the annual meeting of the Association for Advancement of Behavior Therapy, New Orleans, LA.
14. Gibb, B.E., Beevers, C. G., Andover, M.A., Holleran, K., Keene, S., & Orrico, E. (2004, November). Cognitive vulnerability-stress models of depression: Inferential styles and attentional biases. In J.R.Z. Abela & B.L. Hankin (Chairs), *Methodological advances in the study of cognitive vulnerability to depression*. Symposium to be conducted at the annual meeting of the Association for Advancement of Behavior Therapy, New Orleans, LA.
15. Hayes, A. M., Beevers, C. G., Feldman, G. C., Smith, J. and Laurenceau, J-P. (2006, November). Cognitive changes associated with two patterns of symptom change in an Integrative Therapy for Depression: The rapid response and transient symptom exacerbation. In D. Fresco (Chair), *Translating mechanism into practice in the cognitive behavioral therapies for depression*. Symposium to be conducted at the annual meeting of the Association for Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Chicago, IL.
16. Beevers, C. G., *Wells, T. T., and Miller, I. W. (2006, November). Predicting response to depression treatment: The role of cognitive sensitization. In D. Fresco (Chair), *Translating mechanism into practice in the cognitive behavioral therapies for depression*. Symposium to be conducted at the annual meeting of the Association for Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Chicago, IL.

17. Beevers, C. G., *Ellis, A. J., *Wells, T. T., and *Kellough, J. (2007, May). Bias is in the eye of the beholder: Information processing and clinical depression. In R. Miranda (Chair), *Assessing cognitive biases in depression and suicidality using laboratory-based measures*. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Society, Washington, D.C.
18. Miller, I. W. & Beevers, C. G. (2007, May). Combined cognitive therapy and family therapy for severely depressed patients. Paper presented at the World Congress of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Barcelona, Spain.
19. Beevers, C. G. (2008, September). Neurobiological associations with biased processing of emotional stimuli: Genetic and neural factors. Paper presented at the European Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Helsinki, Finland.
20. Beevers, C.G, *Wells, T. T., *Ellis, A.J., & McGeary, J.E. (2008, November). Polymorphisms of the serotonin transporter (5-HTTLPR) gene and biased attention for emotional stimuli. In B. Gibb (Chair), *Recent Advances in Research Examining Depressive Information Processing Biases*. Symposium conducted at the annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Orlando, FL.
21. Beevers, C.G., *Ellis, A.J., *Wells, T.T., Hariri, A., Telch, M. J. (2008, November). Genetic associations with biased processing of emotional information among soldiers deployed to Iraq: An eye tracking study. In M.J. Telch (Chair), *Preliminary Findings from the Texas Combat-Related PTSD Risk Project*. Symposium conducted at the annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Orlando, FL.
22. Telch, M.J., Stote, D., Hariri, A., Beevers, C., & Baldwin, B. (2008, November). Texas combat-related PTSD project: Overview of aims, design, and assessment methods. In M.J. Telch (Chair), *Preliminary Findings from the Texas Combat-Related PTSD Risk Project*. Symposium conducted at the annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Orlando, FL.

CONFERENCE POSTER PRESENTATIONS

1. Beevers, C. G. (1997, August). *Exercising mental control: The influence of positive and negative thought suppression on subsequent mood*. Poster presented at the annual convention of the American Psychological Association, Chicago, Illinois.
2. Beevers, C. G., & Scott, W. D. (1998, May). *Self-regulatory cognition, motivation and affective responses of depression-vulnerable individuals to failure*. Poster presented at the annual convention of the American Psychological Society, Washington, D.C.
3. Beevers, C. G., & Scott, W. D. (1998, August). *The impact of thought suppression on emotional disclosure*. Poster presented at the annual convention of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.
4. Meyer, B., Carver, C. S., & Johnson, S., & Beevers, C. G. (1998, November). *Personality dimensions of appetitive and aversive orientation interact in the prospective*

prediction of anxiety and depression symptoms. Poster presented at the annual convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Washington, DC.

5. Beevers, C. G., & Scott., W. D. (1999, November). *Impact of affect regulation on the information processing of remitted dysphoric and never dysphoric individuals.* Poster presented at the annual convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
6. Beevers, C. G., & Meyer, B. (2000, June). *Positive expectancies and positive experiences mediate the relationship between BAS and depression.* Poster presented at the annual convention of the American Psychological Society, Miami, Florida.
7. Beevers, C. G., & Carver, C. S. (2000, November). *Generalization is associated with biased information processing following a negative mood prime.* Poster presented at the annual convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, New Orleans, Louisiana.
8. Beevers, C. G., & Laurenceau, J. P. (2001, June). *Negative affect and generalization: A daily diary study.* Poster presented at the annual convention of the American Psychological Society, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
9. Beevers, C. G., Neal, A. R., & Carver, C. S. (2001, November). *Relationship among depression vulnerability, avoidance strategies, gender, and current depression.* Poster presented at the annual convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
10. Meyer, B. & Beevers, C. G. (2002, June). *Vulnerability to bipolar disorder: A personal projects analysis.* Poster presented at the annual convention of the Association Psychological Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.
11. Meyer, B., Carney, C., & Beevers, C.G. (2002, November). *Lifetime bipolar vulnerability, emotional responsiveness, and social functioning predict current depression and hypomania symptoms.* Poster presented at the annual convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Reno, Nevada.
12. Carney, C., Beevers, C.G., & Meyer, B. (2002, November). *Thought suppression and depression risk.* Poster presented at the annual convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Reno, Nevada.
13. Feldman, G. C., Hayes, A. H., Laurenceau, J. P., Beevers, C. G., & Perlman, C. (2004, November). *Productive and unproductive cognitive emotional processing in an exposure based therapy for depression.* Poster presented at the annual convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, New Orleans, Louisiana.
14. Jost, D., Beevers, C. G., & Scott, W. D. (2004, November). *Cognitive processes, self-esteem, and life satisfaction after a negative mood induction: A test of the priming hypothesis for cognitive theories of depression.* Poster presented at the annual

convention of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, New Orleans, Louisiana.

15. Gaudiano, B.A., Beevers, C.G., & Miller, I.W. (2005, March). *Response to combined pharmacotherapy and psychotherapy in patients with psychotic depression*. Poster presented at the 9th Annual Research Symposium on Mental Health Sciences, Brown Medical School, Providence, RI.
23. Gibb, B.E., McGeary, J., Beevers, C.G., & Miller, I.W. (2005, November). *Polymorphism in the serotonin transporter gene moderates the link between inpatients' reports of childhood abuse and their histories of suicide attempts*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Washington, DC.
24. *Ellis, A.J., *Fischer, K. M., & Beevers, C. G. (2007, November) Is depression about being blue and red? Potentiation of negative emotion following stressful tasks. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Philadelphia, PA.
25. *Fischer, K. M. & Beevers, C. G. (2007). Who's up for the challenge? The role of low distress tolerance in depression. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Philadelphia, PA.
26. *Kellough, J. L., Beevers, C.G., *Ellis, A. J, & *Wells, T. T. (2007, November). Not looking on the bright side: Attentional avoidance in clinical depression. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Philadelphia, PA.
27. *Wells, T. T. & Beevers, C. G. (2007, November). Effects of attention training on depressive symptoms and rumination in a college student sample. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Philadelphia, PA.
28. *Benevides, C. Beevers, C.G., Schyner, D (2008, February). Neural substrates of emotion regulation among young adults. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Cognitive Neuroscience Society, San Francisco, CA.
29. Meyer, B., Beevers, C. G., Weiss, M. (2008, April). Effective online depression treatment with Deprexis: Results from a first randomized trial. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the European Congress of Psychiatry, Nice, France.
30. *Pacheco, J., Beevers, C.G., *Benevides, C., McGeary, J.E., & Schnyer, D.M. (2008, June). Frontal-limbic white matter pathway differences associated with genetic risk for major depressive disorder. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Organization for Human Brain Mapping, Melbourne, Australia.
31. *Wells, T. T., Beevers, C. G., & McGeary, J. E. (2008, November). The serotonin transporter gene (5-HTTLPR) and its association with cognitive reactivity to a sad mood. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Orlando, FL.

32. *Ellis, A. J., & Beevers, C. G. (2008, November). Emotion dysregulation in depression: Support for Emotion Context Insensitivity in response to performance based feedback. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Orlando, FL.

MEDIA COVERAGE OF RESEARCH

April 2002. Brown Alumni Magazine (Providence, RI), What me? Denial?

May 2007. The Australian, The Sydney Morning Herald, The New York Sun, Foxnews.com, The Washington Times, The Toronto Sun, The Times of India, The Independent, Daily Telegraph, Daily Star, Daily Express, Guardian Online, Sky News Online and The Morning Star along with many regional newspapers including the Yorkshire Post and Western Mail. Authors were interviewed by BBC Breakfast, BBC 94.9 TV, BBC Radio Cambridge, BBC Radio Five Live, BBC Asian Network and BBC Radio Leeds. Fashion models and maladjustment.

July 2007. Self magazine, Texas Monthly, University of Texas homepage. Depressed individuals more likely to look at distressing images.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Doctoral Students Supervised, University of Texas at Austin:

Alissa Ellis, Fall 2005 to present
Tony Wells, Fall 2005 to present
Jenna Baddeley, Fall 2006 to present
Peter Clasen, Fall 2008 to present

I have also supervised a number of undergraduate research assistants (approximately 5 - 10 per semester). Many have subsequently been accepted into clinical psychology doctoral programs, such as Vanderbilt University, University of Kansas, and University of Southern California. Others have been accepted into graduate programs at Columbia University and the University of Texas at Austin in the School of Social Work.

Dissertation Committee Member: *indicates chair of committee

Jesse Cogle, Fall 2005; Hanjoo Lee, Spring 2006; Kate Wolinsky, Spring 2006; Jonathan Horowitz, Fall 2006; Ameer Patel, Fall 2006; Annie Bradford, Spring 2007; Brooke Seal, Spring 2007; Reagan Wetherill, Fall 2007; Marc Kruse, Fall 2008; Christopher Harte, Fall 2008; *Janice Ritch, Fall 2008; *Tony Wells, Fall 2008; Cindy Chung, Fall 2008; Eimeria Padilla, Fall 2008; *Alissa Ellis, Fall 2008, Christine Chang-Schneider, Fall 2008; Hani Freeman, Fall 2008; Fabian Aguirre, Fall 2008

Masters Committee Member: * indicates chair of committee

Kate Wolinsky, Fall 2005; Jonathan Horowitz, Spring 2006; *Alissa Ellis, Fall 2007; Anushka Pai, Fall 2008

Undergraduate Honors Thesis Supervisor:

Kathryn Fischer, Fall 2005 - Spring 2006. Kathryn was awarded \$1000 (Undergraduate Research Fellowship) from the University of Texas to conduct a study under my supervision.

Barrie Berkson, Fall 2006 – Spring 2007. Barrie was awarded \$750 (Undergraduate Research Fellowship) from the University of Texas to conduct a study under my supervision.

Rebecca Bridges, Spring 2007 – Fall 2007

Adrienne Cherny – Fall 2007 – Fall 2008. Adrienne was awarded \$850 (Undergraduate Research Fellowship) from the University of Texas to conduct a study under my supervision.

Ashley Greene, Spring 2007 – Fall 2008

Elanore Knox, Spring 2009 – Fall 2009

Hannah Janssen, Spring 2009 (Supervisor for Capstone seminar, part of Texas IP program)

Instructor

Summer 1996 Experimental Psychology Laboratory, PSY 3414 – Companion laboratory course offered in conjunction with experimental psychology lecture course. University of Texas at San Antonio

Summer 1997 Introduction to Psychology – Introductory course offered to freshman and sophomore students that provided broad coverage of the field of psychology. University of Miami.

Fall 2005, Spring 2006, Fall 2006, Fall 2007, Fall 2008 Abnormal Psychology– Large section (average 125 students) of upper division course covering the psychopathology and treatment of major psychiatric disorders. University of Texas at Austin.

Spring 2005, Spring 2006, Fall 2006, Fall 2007, Fall 2008 Research Methods in Clinical Psychology (Co-Instructor) – Graduate level course for doctoral students in clinical psychology that covered research methods specific to clinical psychology. University of Texas at Austin.

Spring 2007, Spring 2008 Advanced Practicum – Supervised graduate students who provided individual cognitive behavioral therapy to depressed adults from the community. University of Texas at Austin.

SERVICE CONTRIBUTIONS

July 2003 to July 2004 Senior Fellow, Brown Medical School. Elected by peers to represent hospital-based postdoctoral fellows.

2005 to present Co-Chair, Admissions committee for the clinical area, Department of Psychology, University of Texas at Austin

2005 to present Committee Member, Lee Willerman Award for Excellence in Research, Department of Psychology, University of Texas at Austin

ADDITIONAL EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCES

- November, 1999 Hierarchical linear modeling, multilevel modeling, and growth curve modeling. Judith Singer, Ph.D., Harvard University. Full-day workshop conducted at the University of Miami, Coral Gables.
- April, 2003 Experience sampling using palm pilots to capture day-to-day life in numbers: A quantitative approach to person-centered analysis. Lisa Feldman Barrett, PhD & Jean-Philippe Laurenceau, PhD. Full-day workshop conducted at Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts.
- June 2004 Selected to attend an Advanced Training Institute in fMRI, Charlestown, MA: Sponsored by the American Psychological Association. This was a one-week course reviewing the application, design, and analysis of functional MRI research. The APA covered all expenses for my participation.
- July 2004 Selected to attend the Summer Research Institute for Suicide Prevention, Rochester, NY: Sponsored by the NIMH. This was a one-week conference for young investigators with interests in suicide-related research. The NIMH covered all expenses for my participation.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

August 1997 Therapist/Co-Therapist/Psychological Examiner to July 1999 Community Outpatient Psychological Services Center
University of Miami; Coral Gables, FL
Supervisors: Adele Hayes, Ph.D.; Ron Durán, Ph.D.

Site: University-based clinic offering psychological services including psychological assessment and outpatient psychotherapy for individuals, families, and groups. Practicum students provide services under the supervision of clinical faculty.

Duties: Provided outpatient psychotherapy to individuals and couples from a multiethnic population. Individual case issues included dysthymia, anger management, sexual dysfunction, relationship difficulties, social skill deficits, and major depression. Treatment orientation for individual clients was primarily cognitive-behavioral. Couples therapy issues emphasized improving communication skills and conflict resolution. Individual supervision occurred weekly and included the review of audio and videotape from therapy sessions. Group supervision occurred every two weeks with rotating case presentations. Psychoeducational assessments were conducted with adults and adolescents who were referred for learning, attention, and emotional difficulties. Responsibilities included conducting intake assessments, administration of the assessment batteries, scoring and interpreting report data, writing reports, and providing feedback to the client. Duties also included periodic on call crisis intervention during evening hours.

August, 1998 *Therapist*

to July, 1999 Mood Disorders Clinic
Community Outpatient Psychological Services Center
University of Miami; Coral Gables, FL
Supervisor: Adele Hayes, Ph.D.

Site: University-based clinic offering psychological services to clinically depressed individuals.

Duties: Provided outpatient psychotherapy to clinically depressed individuals as part of an outcome study. Responsibilities included recruiting clients, conducting intake interviews, obtaining diagnostic information via a structured clinical interview for the DSM-IV (SCID), assessing depression severity with a semi-structured interview (Modified Hamilton Rating Scale for Depression), and adhering to a manualized treatment. Treatment orientation was a blend of cognitive-behavioral, interpersonal, and acceptance-based approaches. This practicum involved weekly group and individual supervision.

August, 1999 *Therapist*
to October, 2000 Anxiety Clinic (Social Phobia and Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder)
Department of Psychiatry and Department of Psychology
University of Miami
Supervisor: Blanche Freund, Ph.D.

Site: University-based clinic offering psychological services to a multiethnic community population with either social anxiety/phobia or post-traumatic stress disorder.

Duties: *Social phobia/anxiety.* Was co-leader of three psychotherapy groups for socially anxious people. Each group intervention was a 12-week manualized, cognitive-behavioral treatment. This treatment is empirically supported (see Hiemberg et al., 1998). The intervention emphasized restructuring of cognition followed by in-session and in-vivo exposures to feared situations. Responsibilities included recruiting patients, conducting intake interviews, obtaining diagnostic information via a structured clinical interview for the DSM-IV (SCID), determining appropriateness for treatment based on diagnostic information, and adhering to a manualized treatment. I also conducted individual therapy based on the same treatment manual with several socially anxious people who could not attend the group sessions. Supervision was weekly.

Post-traumatic stress disorder. Provided individual therapy for people with post-traumatic stress disorder. This practicum is an outcome study comparing the efficacy of prolonged exposure (PE) to eye-movement desensitization and reprocessing (EMDR). As part of the practicum experience, I received training in PE. In addition to treatment, therapists are responsible for both the assessment of PTSD symptoms via a semi-structured clinical interview, and the recruitment of participants.

May, 2000 *Diagnostic Assessor*
to August 2000 Stress Management and Relax Training (SMART) Study
Miami Veterans Hospital
Supervisors: Michael Antoni, Ph.D.; Ron Durán, Ph.D.

Site: Veterans hospital located in downtown Miami. Population served: homosexual, heterosexual, and bisexual women with HIV; homosexual men with HIV. Most patients had low socioeconomic status. Although research site was located at a Veterans hospital, the

population was recruited from the general community. The SMART program is funded by the National Institute for Mental Health.

Duties: Performed psychosocial assessments to determine eligibility for a cognitive-behavioral stress management and relaxation training groups for women and homosexual men with HIV. Assessments performed include: semi-structured interview for DSM-IV (SCID) assessing for substance abuse and dependence, panic attacks, post-traumatic stress disorder, and bereavement; semi-structured interview for depression and anxiety (SIGH-D); neuropsychological screener for HIV-related dementia; structured interview assessing sexual behavior; assessment of general psychosocial functioning.

May, 2000
to May, 2001

Triage Assessment/Therapist

Intake Clinic

Community Outpatient Psychological Services Center
University of Miami; Coral Gables, FL

Supervisor: Kim Fuller, Ph.D.; Ketty Gonzalez, Ph.D.

Site: University-based clinic offering psychological services to a multiethnic community population.

Duties: Conducted clinical interviews to determine patient suitability for clinic services and eligibility for specialty programs within the clinic. Completed written case conceptualization for each assessment. Supervised intake interviews of junior practicum students. This involved modeling intake interviews, observing their intake interviews, and providing feedback regarding their case conceptualization report. Provided individual outpatient therapy. Supervision was held weekly.

July 2001
to October, 2001

Psychology Intern

Psychiatric Inpatient Unit

Rhode Island Hospital

Brown University Clinical Psychology Training Consortium

Supervisors: Gabor Keitner, M.D., Ivan Miller, Ph.D.

Site: 25-bed medical psychiatric inpatient unit located within a not-for profit private hospital.

Duties: Full time clinical placement where I worked as part of a multidisciplinary team (physicians, nursing staff, social workers, medical students) to provide psychiatric treatment to involuntarily and voluntarily hospitalized psychiatric inpatients. Conducted diagnostic clinical assessments, performed brief individual psychotherapy, co-led coping skills groups, arranged placement following discharge, and completed discharge summaries. Individual supervision was twice weekly.

October 2001
to February 2002

Psychology Intern

Post Traumatic Stress Disorder Unit

Providence Veterans Administration Hospital

Brown University Clinical Psychology Training Consortium

Supervisors: Bill Unger, Ph.D., John Parsons, Ph.D.

Site: Specialty mental health service located within a large veterans hospital.

Duties: Full time clinical placement where I worked as part of a multidisciplinary team (physicians, social workers, psychologists) to provide outpatient psychiatric treatment to veterans with PTSD. Conducted diagnostic intake assessments, performed outpatient individual psychotherapy, led stress management and relaxation coping skills group, led dual diagnosis (substance dependence and PTSD) process oriented groups, arranged placement following treatment termination, and provided interim care for veterans in crisis. Weekly supervision as well as on an as-needed basis.

March 2002
to June 2002

Psychology Intern

Developmental Disabilities Unit

Bradley Children's Psychiatric Hospital, East Providence, RI

Brown University Clinical Psychology Training Consortium

Supervisors: Barbara Tylenda, PhD, Lori Thompson, PhD, Suzanne Hurst, PsyD

Site: Outpatient and inpatient specialty clinic located with a private psychiatric children's hospital.

Duties: Full time clinical placement where I worked as part of a multidisciplinary team (physicians, nursing staff, social workers, milieu therapists) to provide psychiatric treatment to residential and day treatment to children and adolescents with developmental disabilities. Treatment emphasized the application of empirically supported treatments. I conducted diagnostic clinical assessments of Asperger's Disorder, performed brief individual and dyadic psychotherapy, co-led individual therapy and group therapy with immediate supervisors, and attended crisis clinic. Individual supervision was held three times weekly.

July 2001
to Dec. 2004

Psychology Intern/Postdoctoral Research Fellow

Mood Disorders Program, Rhode Island Hospital

Psychosocial Research Program, Butler Hospital

Brown University Clinical Psychology Training Consortium

Supervisors: Ivan Miller, PhD, Marjorie Weishaar, PhD

Site: Outpatient specialty clinic located within a large, not-for profit, private hospital.

Duties: Conducted individual cognitive-behavioral psychotherapy and co-led cognitive-behavioral psychotherapy groups for depressed outpatients. Group psychotherapy training was part of a clinical trial studying combined treatments for depression. Although the treatment was primarily cognitive behavioral in orientation, it also involved family and individual meetings in addition to the group sessions. Separate weekly supervision for individual and group treatments.

CLINICAL WORKSHOP EXPERIENCES

October, 2000

Mindfulness-Based Stress Reduction (MBSR) Program. Valerie York. Based upon MBSR Program taught by Jon Kabat-Zinn, Ph.D. Eight-week curriculum covered training in meditation, gentle yoga, and the practice of mindfulness.

- Sept., 1999 Prolonged Exposure for Post Traumatic Stress Disorder. Blanche Freund, Ph.D. Mount Sinai Medical Center, Miami Beach, FL
- October, 1997 Understanding Depression: Diagnosis, Treatment, and Prevention. Susan Nolen-Hoeksema, Ph.D. Biltmore Hotel, Coral Gables, FL
- August, 1997 The Clinical Importance of Emotion Theory. Robert Plutchick, Ph.D. Workshop presented at the Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Chicago, IL