

## Shannon A. Smith

*Curriculum Vitae*

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### EDUCATION

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- 2024-2029\*                    **Doctor of Philosophy**, Public Health Sciences  
Concentration: Health Behavior Research  
University of North Texas Health Science Center, Fort Worth, TX
- 2022-2024                    **Master of Science**, Interdisciplinary Studies,  
Concentrations: Psychology, Rehabilitation Counseling, &  
Biology  
University of North Texas, Denton, TX
- 2018-2022                    **Bachelor of Science**, Psychology, *Cum Laude*  
University of North Texas, Denton, TX  
Minor: Drug Abuse and Addiction

### MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION

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Note: \*Graduate student co-author/mentee \*\*Undergraduate student/post-Bacc co-author/mentee

1. **Smith, S.A.\***, Thompson, L.\*, Cloutier, R., & Blumenthal, H. (2024). Rejection concern and cannabis coping motives: the moderating role of insomnia among adolescents. Manuscript in preparation.

### PEER-REVIEWED POSTER PRESENTATIONS

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7. **Smith, S.A.\***, Thompson, L.\*, Ash Wilkins. \*\*, & Blumenthal, H. (May 2024). *Investigating the Role of Positive Urgency on Social Anxiety and Alcohol use Motives among Adolescents*. Poster accepted to the 58<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies - General Poster Sessions, Philadelphia, PA, United States.
6. Watson, M. K.\*, Tazi, K. Y.\*, Thompson, L.\*, Doyle, S. M.\*\*, **Smith, S. A.\***, & Blumenthal, H. (April 2023). *Investigating the Link Between Parenting Styles, Social Anxiety, and Adolescents' Desire to Drink Alcohol*. Poster submitted to the annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology
5. Tazi, K. Y.\*, Watson, M. K.\*, Thompson, L.\*, **Smith, S. A.\***, Doyle, S. M.\*\*, & Blumenthal, H. (April 2023). *Examining the relationship between parenting and adolescent psychopathology using a cluster-analytic approach*. Poster submitted to the annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology.

4. Tazi, K. Y.\*, Watson, M. K.\*, Thompson, L.\*, Doyle, S. M.\*\*, **Smith, S. A.\***, & Blumenthal, H. (April 2023). *Trauma exposure and psychopathology as factors influencing adolescents' perceived parenting quality: A cluster analysis*. Poster submitted to the annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology.
3. **Smith, S.A.\*** Watson, M. K.\*, Tazi, K. Y.\*, Thompson, L.\*, Doyle, S. M.\*\*, & Blumenthal, H. (November 2023) *Investigating the Link Between Adolescents' Happiness with Parenting and the Desire to Drink Alcohol*. Poster submitted for presentation at the 57<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies - General Poster Sessions, Seattle, WA, United States.
2. Tazi, K. Y.\*, Watson, M. K.\*, Thompson, L.\*, **Smith, S. A.\***, Doyle, S. M.\*\*, & Blumenthal, H. (May 2023) *Teens and their parents: A cluster-analytic approach to understanding perceived parenting quality, psychopathology, and risk-taking*. Poster accepted to the 57<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies - General Poster Sessions, Seattle, WA, United States.
1. **Smith, S.A.\***, Thompson, L.\*, Doyle, S.M.\*\*, Cloutier, R., & Blumenthal, H. (May 2023). *Rejection Concern and Cannabis Coping Motives: The Moderating Role of Insomnia Among Adolescents*. Poster accepted to the 57<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies - General Poster Sessions, Seattle, WA, United States.

## **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

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### **Graduate Research Assistant**

August 2024 - Present

University of North Texas Health Science Center, Fort Worth TX

#### **Efficacy of a Smartphone-Based Just-In-Time Adaptive Intervention to Reduce Drinking Among Adults Experiencing Homelessness (R01AA030276):**

*Principal Investigators:* Michael Businelle, PhD, Jason Oliver, PhD, & Scott Walters, PhD

University of North Texas Health Science Center, Fort Worth TX

### **Teen Stress and Alcohol Research Lab (Teen StAR),**

June 2022 – July 2024

*Principal Investigator:* Heidemarie Blumenthal, PhD

University of North Texas, Denton TX

Role: Student Research Assistant

#### **A Controlled Test of Interpersonal Rejection, Social Anxiety, and Alcohol Use among Female Adolescents (R15 AA026079-01)**

### **Collaborative Work**

*Principal Investigator:* Ateka Contractor, PhD

Study of Traumatic Experiences, Signs and Symptoms Lab (S.T.R.E.S.S.)

University of North Texas, Denton Texas

December 2022 – October 2023

**Examination and Refinement of a Novel Treatment for Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Processing of Positive Memories Technique (PPMT) (R15 MH129773-A1)**

**Translational Addictions Research Consortium (TARC),** October 2022 – April 2024  
*Principal Investigator:* Donald Dougherty, PhD  
University of North Texas, Denton, TX  
Role: Student Research Assistant

**Piloting Deposit Contracts to Increase Accessibility of a Contingency Management Intervention to Reduce Problematic Drinking (1R21AA029659-01)**

**Improving Remote Breathalyzer Procedures used by Clinicians and Researchers to Remotely Monitor Alcohol Use (1R21AA029641-01A1)**

**Validation of a Novel Wearable Alcohol Detection Device**

**PROFESSIONAL AND ACADEMIC MEMBERSHIPS**

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2024	<b>American Public Health Association</b> Student Affiliate
2023	<b>NAADAC, The Association for Addiction Professionals</b> Student Affiliate
2023	<b>Texas Association for Addiction Professionals</b> <i>Wichita Falls/North Texas</i> Student Affiliate
2022	<b>Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies</b> Student Affiliate <i>Addictive Behaviors Special Interest Group</i>
2022	<b>Psi Chi, International Honor Society in Psychology</b> Member
2019	<b>American Psychological Association</b> Student Affiliate

## **ACADEMIC AWARDS & HONORS**

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- 2023-2024                      **Dr. Betty Berkeley Graduate Award (\$2,000)**  
University of North Texas
- FA 2023                              **Toulouse Graduate Student Travel Grant (\$1,000)**  
University of North Texas
- 2018-2019                      **UNT Scholarship (\$1,000)**  
University of North Texas

## **ACADEMIC & COMMUNITY SERVICE**

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- October 2022                      **Community Advocacy and Prevention Education Training**  
Abigail's Arms, Cooke County, TX  
Family Crisis Center, Community Education Presentation
- SP 2018-2020                      **The Big Event**  
University of North Texas, Denton TX  
Environmental cleanup at local Denton Country parks
- March 2019                              **Eaglethon**  
University of North Texas, Denton TX  
Raising awareness and funds for families of Cooks Children's  
Hospital
- FA 2018-2019                      **Make a Difference Day**  
University of North Texas, Denton TX  
Environmental cleanup at local Denton County Parks