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### **EDUCATION**

Ph.D., December 1992, Department of Communication Studies,

Northwestern University, Evanston, IL.

Dissertation: Conflict avoidance in personal relationships: An examination of motives

M.A., June 1990, Department of Communication Studies,

Northwestern University, Evanston, IL.

Thesis: Relational effects of interpersonal conflict: The role of cognition, satisfaction, and anticipated communication

B.A., June 1987, Department of Communication and Department of Business,

Lewis & Clark College, Portland, OR.

Honors Thesis: Gender differences in goal attainment styles: An extension of Gilligan's theory

#### **FACULTY POSITIONS**

2022-present	Distinguished Professor, Penn State University
2013-2021	Liberal Arts Professor, Penn State University
2004-2013	Professor, Penn State University
2003-2004	Professor, University of Wisconsin-Madison
1998-2003	Associate Professor, University of Wisconsin-Madison
1992-1998	Assistant Professor, University of Wisconsin-Madison

### **ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS**

2016-2022	Head, Department of Communication Arts & Sciences, Penn State University
2010-2013	Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Studies, College of the Liberal Arts, Penn State University
2008-2010	Associate Dean for Graduate Studies, College of the Liberal Arts, Penn State University
2003-2004	Chair of the College of Letters and Science Curriculum Committee, University of Wisconsin
2003-2004	Associate Chair, Department of Communication Arts, University of Wisconsin-Madison
2002-2003	Co-chair of the University Assessment Council, University of Wisconsin-Madison
2001-2003	Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Communication, Arts University of Wisconsin-Madison
1997-2004	Chair of the University Verbal Assessment Committee, University of Wisconsin-Madison

### RESEARCH

## **External Grants Awarded**

National Science Foundation (#2140402), June 1, 2022 – November 30, 2023, \$160,000: *Using Intensive Longitudinal Methods to Study Conversations as Dynamic Dyadic Systems*. Role: Principal Investigator.

National Science Foundation (#1749454), May 15, 2018 – April 30, 2022, \$241,121: Collaborative research: A dyadic and dynamic model of supportive conversations as interpersonal emotion regulation. Role: Principal Investigator.

National Communication Association, January 1, 2018 – December 31, 2018, \$5,000: *Undergraduate symposium on graduate education in communication studies*. Role: Co-principal Investigator.

## **University Research Support**

Penn State Social Science Research Institute. Penn State / Communication Arts & Sciences Summer Symposium: Dynamic Dynamic Dynamic Systems Analysis of Conversation Data. June 28-30, 2022. Direct costs: \$20,000. Role: Principal Investigator.

Penn State Social Science Research Institute, Level 2 funding. *Decision Making in Cancer*. Direct costs: \$17,809. Awarded December 2009. Role: Co-investigator.

Penn State Social Science Research Institute, Level 2 funding. Family-focused Support and Prevention for Military Families. Direct costs: \$18,000. Awarded May 2009. Role: Co-investigator.

Penn State Social Science Research Institute, Level 1 funding. *Helping Spouses Support Marines and Themselves Following Redeployment from Combat: A Feasibility Study*. Direct costs: \$3,950. Awarded June 2009. Role: Coinvestigator.

Cancer Control and Population Sciences, Penn State Hershey Cancer Institute. *Understanding Breast Cancer Patients' Decisions to Participate in Clinical Trials*. Direct Costs: \$7,853. Role: Co-investigator.

Penn State Social Science Research Institute, Level 1 funding. *Collaborative Information Behavior During Breast Cancer Treatment Decisions*. Direct costs: \$4,000. Awarded September 2007. Role: Principal Investigator.

Penn State Social Science Research Institute – Children, Youth and Families Consortium, Level 1 Funding. *Breast Cancer and Couple Communication*. Direct costs: \$3,892. Awarded January 2005. Role: Principal Investigator.

University of Wisconsin-Madison Graduate School Research Committee Research Award (\$21,870), July 2002 to June 2003.

1999-01 University of Wisconsin Vilas Associate Award: Two months of summer salary and \$10,000 in research funds in each year of the award.

University of Wisconsin-Madison Graduate School Research Committee Research Award (\$18,053), July 1994 to June 1995.

# **Honors and Awards**

Penn State University Distinguished Professor, as of January 2022. This honor recognizes significant achievement and contributions through scholarship, teaching, and service.

National Communication Association Distinguished Scholar, as of November 2019. This award honors careers contributions to the communication discipline.

National Communication Association, 2018 Mark L. Knapp Award in Interpersonal Communication. This award honors career contributions to the study of interpersonal communication.

National Communication Association, 2018 Charles Woolbert Award. This award is given to a journal article or book chapter than as stood the test of time and has become a stimulus for new conceptualizations of communication phenomena. The award was conferred for: Solomon, D. H., & Knobloch, L. K. (2004). A model of relational turbulence: The role of intimacy, relational uncertainty, and interference from partners in appraisals of irritations. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 21, 795-816.

*International Association for Relationship Research Fellow, as of May 2018.* This award honors careers contributions to the study of social and personal relationships.

International Communication Association Fellow, as of May 2017. This award honors careers contributions to the communication discipline.

National Communication Association, Interpersonal Communication Division, 2017 Franklin H. Knower Article Award (with Lindsey Aloia). This award honors a journal article representing "scholarship of exceptional quality and influence."

National Communication Association, Interpersonal Communication Division, 2016 Franklin H. Knower Article Award (with Jennifer Priem). This award honors a journal article representing "scholarship of exceptional quality and influence."

College of the Liberal Arts, 2015 Raymond Lombra Award for Distinction in the Social or Life Sciences. This award recognizes a tenured faculty member in the College of the Liberal Arts who, by his or her outstanding work in the field of social or life sciences, has demonstrated excellence in research and scholarship.

*International Association for Relationship Research, 2012, Mentor Award.* This award, which is conferred at the biennial meeting of the International Association for Relationship Research, recognizes a scholar who has made a significant contribution to the study of relationships through mentorship.

14 Top 3 or Top 4 Paper Awards from the Interpersonal Communication Division of the National Communication Association, the Intrapersonal Communication Division of the National Communication, and the Interpersonal Communication Division of the International Communication Association.

2007 Distinguished Article Award, Communication and Social Cognition Division, National Communication Association: Knobloch, L. K., & Solomon, D. H. (2005). Relational uncertainty and relational information processing: Questions without answers? *Communication Research*, *32*, 349-388.

*University of Wisconsin Vilas Associate Award, 1999-2001.* Vilas Associates are selected based on a review of the candidate's record and research proposal. The award includes two months of summer salary and \$10,000 in research funds in each year of the award.

1995-96 University of Wisconsin Graduate School Research-Service Grant. Awards are granted on the basis of a research proposal and to recognize service to the university. The award includes two months of summer salary.

1993 Graduate Dissertation Award in Communication Studies, Northwestern University.

### **Books**

Solomon, D. H., & Theiss, J. A. (2022). *Interpersonal communication: Putting theory into practice* (2<sup>nd</sup> edition). New York, NY: Routledge.

- Berger, C. R., & Roloff, M. E., (Eds.) and Wilson, S. R., Dillard, J. P., Caughlin, J., & Solomon, D. H. (Associate Eds.). (2016). *International encyclopedia of interpersonal communication*. Hoboken, NJ: Wiley-Blackwell.
- Solomon, D. H., & Theiss, J. A. (2013). *Interpersonal communication: Putting theory into practice*. New York, NY: Routledge.

## **Peer Reviewed Publications**

- Brinberg, M. I., Bodie, G. D., Solomon, D. H., Jones, S., & Ram, N. (accepted). Examining individual differences in how interaction behaviors change over time: A dyadic multinomial logistic growth modeling approach. *Psychological Methods*.
- Brisini, K., & Solomon, D. H. (in press). A repeated-measures study of relational turbulence and transition processing communication during the summer of COVID-19 (summer 2020). *Communication Research*.
- Brisini, K., Tian, X., & Solomon, D. H. (2022). Marital experiences and parental "highs" and "lows" when a child with autism starts school. *Journal of Autism and Developmental Disorders*. https://doi.org/10.1007/s10803-022-05697-7
- Li, Y., & Solomon, D. H. (2022). Operationalizing relational construal level to test relational turbulence theory: Linking relational turbulence in romantic relationships to interpersonal processes. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 40(1), 102-129. https://doi.org/10.1177/02654075221113360
- Brisini, K., & Solomon, D. H. (2022). Relational turbulence and social network engagement during the summer of COVID-19: A repeated measures, dyadic analysis. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 39(8), 2435-2453. https://doi.org/10.1177/02654075221080760
- Kim, Y., Tian, X., & Solomon, D. H. (2022). Coping with COVID-19 at the community level: Testing the predictors and outcomes of communal coping. *Journal of Community Psychology*, *50*, 2790-2807. https://doi.org/10.1002/jcop.22797
- Solomon, D. H., Jones, S., Brinberg, M. I., Bodie, G. D., & Ram, N. (2022). Using sequence analysis to identify conversational motifs in supportive interactions. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 39(10), 3155-3179. https://doi.org/10.1177/02654075211066618
- Vanderbilt, R., & Solomon, D. H. (2022). The role of perceived responsibility in serial arguments across the lifespan. *Personal Relationships*, 29, 236-257. https://doi.org/10.1111/pere.12415
- Brisini, K., Solomon, D. H., & Tian, X. (2022). Relational turbulence and openness to social network support for marital conflicts. *Western Journal of Communication*, 86, 83-102. https://doi.org/10.1080/10570314.2021.1994638
- Tian, X., Kim, Y., & Solomon, D. H. (2021). The effects of type of pronouns and hope appeals in supportive messages. *Journal of Language and Social Psychology*, 40, 589-601. https://doi.org/10.1177%2F0261927X211044721
- Solomon, D. H., Brinberg, M. I., Bodie, G. D., Jones, S., & Ram, N. (2021). A dynamic dyadic systems approach to interpersonal communication. *Journal of Communication*, 71, 1001-1026.
- Brinberg, M. I., Vanderbilt, R. R., Solomon, D. H., Brinberg, D., & Ram, N. (2021). Using technology to unobtrusively observe relationship development. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, *38*, 3429-3450.
- Goodboy, A., Bolkan, S., Brisini, K., & Solomon, D. H. (2021). Relational uncertainty within relational turbulence theory: The bifactor exploratory structural equation model. *Journal of Communication*, 71, 403-430.

- Bodie, G., Jones, S., Brinberg, M., Joyer, A. M., Solomon, D. H., & Ram, N. (2021). Discovering the fabric of supportive conversations: A typology of speaking turns and their contingencies. *Journal of Language and Social Psychology*, 40, 214-237. https://doi.org/10.1177/0261927X20953604
- Brisini, K., & Solomon, D. H. (2021). Distinguishing relational turbulence, marital satisfaction, and parenting stress as predictors of ineffective arguing among parents of children with autism. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 38, 65-83. https://doi.org/10.1177/0265407520958197
- Brisini, K., & Solomon, D. H. (2020). Relational uncertainty and taking conflict personally: Comparing parents of children with and without Autism Spectrum Disorder. *Journal of Autism and Developmental Disorders*, *50*, 4401-4411. https://doi.org/10.1007/s10803-020-04492-6
- Brisini, K., & Solomon, D. H. (2020). Relational turbulence and perceptions of social network support for parents of children with Autism Spectrum Disorder. *Southern Journal of Communication*, 85, 279-289. https://doi.org/10.1080/1041794X.2020.1816608
- Tian, X., & Solomon, D. H. (2020). A relational turbulence theory perspective on women's grief following miscarriage. *Journal of Personal and Social Relationships*, *37*, 1852-1872
- Brisini, K., & Solomon, D. H. (2020). Building expertise: Effects of experience claims on responses to advice. *Journal of Language and Social Psychology*, *39*, 375-396.
- Tian, X., Solomon, D. H., & Smith, R. A. (2020). A stress buffering perspective on the progression of alpha-1 antitrypsin deficiency. *Health Communication*, *35*, 747-755.
- Tian, X., Solomon, D. H., & Brisini, K. (2020). How the comforting process fails: Psychological reactance to support messages. *Journal of Communication*, 70, 13-34.
- Brisini, K., & Solomon, D. H. (2020). Relational turbulence and marital communication when children with autism start school: A longitudinal dyadic diary study. *Health Communication*, *35*, 483-493.
- Tian, X., & Solomon, D. H. (2020). Grief and post-traumatic growth following miscarriage: The role of meaning reconstruction and partner supportive communication. *Death Studies*, 44, 237-247.
- Brisini, K., & Solomon, D. H. (2020). Children's transitions and relational turbulence in marriage: Can transition procession communication help? *Journal of Family Communication*, 20, 82-96.
- Solomon, D. H., & Brisini, K. (2019). Relational uncertainty and interdependence processes in marriage: A test of relational turbulence theory. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, *36*, 2416-2436.
- Brisini, K., & Solomon, D. H. (2019). Relational turbulence in college dating relationships: Measurement, construct validity, and comparison to marriage. *Communication Quarterly*, 67, 424-443.
- Brisini, K., & Solomon, D. H. (2018). Relationship transitions for parents of children with Autism Spectrum Disorder: Types, turbulence, and transition processing communication. *Journal of Applied Communication Research*, 46, 447-468.
- Priem, J. S. & Solomon, D. H. (2018). What is supportive about supportive conversation? Qualities of interaction that predict emotional and physiological outcomes. *Communication Research*, 45, 443-473.
- Brisini, K., Solomon, D. H., Nussbaum, J. F. (2018). Transitions in marriage: Types, turbulence, and transition processing activities. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, *35*, 831-853.
- Solomon, D. H., & Brisini, K. (2017). Operationalizing relational turbulence theory: Measurement and construct validation. *Personal Relationships*, 24, 768-789.

- Aloia, L. S., & Solomon, D. H. (2017). Sex differences in the perceived appropriateness of receiving verbal aggression. *Communication Research Reports*, *34*, 1-10.
- Solomon, D. H., Knobloch, L. K., Theiss, J. A., McLaren, R. M. (2016). Relational turbulence theory: Explaining variation in subjective experiences and communication within romantic relationships. *Human Communication Research*, 42, 507-532.
- Solomon, D. H., & Priem, J. S. (2016). Outcomes of emotional support in dating relationships: Relational turbulence or sentiment override? *Personal Relationships*, 23, 698-722.
- High, A. C., & Solomon, D. H. (2016). Explaining the durable effects of verbal person-centered supportive communication: Indirect effects or invisible support? *Human Communication Research*, 42, 200-220.
- Aloia, L. S., & Solomon, D. H. (2016). Emotions associated with verbal aggression expression and suppression. *Western Journal of Communication*, 80, 3-20.
- Dillard, J. P., Meyer, B. J., Solomon, D. H., & Manni, A. (2015). Factors associated with participation in a prevention trial aimed at reducing biomarkers of breast cancer risk. *Patient Education and Counseling*, *98*, 640-644.
- Aloia, L. S., & Solomon, D. H. (2015). The physiology of argumentative skill deficiency: Cognitive ability, emotional competence, communication qualities, and responses to conflict. *Communication Monographs*, 82, 315-338.
- Aloia, L. S., & Solomon, D. H. (2015). Conflict intensity, family history, and physiological stress reactions to conflict within romantic relationships. *Human Communication Research*, *41*, 367-389.
- Aloia, L. S., & Solomon, D. H. (2015). Attachment, mental health, and verbal aggressiveness in personal relationships. *Journal of Aggression, Maltreatment, and Trauma*, 24, 169-184.
- Priem, J. S., & Solomon, D. H. (2015). Emotional support and physiological stress recovery: The role of support matching, adequacy, and invisibility. *Communication Monographs*, 82, 88-112.
- McLaren, R. M., Dillard, J. P., Tusing, K. J., & Solomon, D. H. (2014). Relational framing theory: Utterance form and relational context as antecedents of frame salience. *Communication Quarterly*, 62, 518-535.
- High, A. C., & Solomon, D. H. (2014). Communication channel, sex, and the immediate and longitudinal outcomes of verbal person-centered support. *Communication Monographs*, 84, 439-468.
- McLaren, R. M., & Solomon, D. H. (2014). Victim and perpetrator accounts of hurtful messages: An actor-partner interdependence model. *Human Communication Research*, 40, 291-308.
- High, A. C., & Solomon, D. H. (2014). Motivational systems and preferences for social support strategies. *Motivation and Emotion*, 38, 463-474.
- McLaren, R. M., & Solomon, D. H. (2014). Contextualizing experiences of hurt within close relationships. *Communication Quarterly*, 62, 323-341.
- Aloia, L. S, & Solomon, D. H. (2013). Perceptions of verbal aggression in romantic relationships: The role of family history and motivational systems. *Western Journal of Communication*, 77, 411-423.
- Weber, K. M., Solomon, D. H., & Meyer, B. (2013). A qualitative study of breast cancer treatment decisions: Evidence for five decision-making styles. *Health Communication*, 28, 408-421.
- Jennings-Kelsall, V. J., Aloia, L. S., Solomon, D. H., Marshall, A., & Leifker, F. (2012). Stressors experienced by women within Marine Corps families: A qualitative study of discourse within an online forum. *Military Psychology*, 24, 363-381.

- McLaren, R. M, Solomon, D. H., & Priem, J. P. (2012). The effect of relationship characteristics and relational communication on experiences of hurtful messages from romantic partners. *Journal of Communication*, 62, 950-971.
- Steuber, K. R., & Solomon, D. H. (2012). Relational uncertainty, partner interference, and privacy boundary turbulence: Explaining spousal discrepancies in infertility disclosures. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 29, 3-27.
- Priem, J. S., & Solomon, D. H. (2011). Relational uncertainty and cortisol responses to hurtful and supportive messages. *Personal Relationships*, 18, 198-223.
- Steuber, K. R., & Solomon, D. H. (2011). Factors that predict married partners' disclosures about infertility to social network members. *Journal of Applied Communication Research*, *39*, 250-270.
- McLaren, R. M., Solomon, D. H., & Priem, J. S. (2011). Explaining variation in contemporaneous responses to hurt in premarital romantic relationships: A relational turbulence model perspective. *Communication Research*, *38*, 543-564.
- McLaren, R. M., & Solomon, D. H. (2010). Applying appraisal theories of emotion to the experience of hurt, II: A diary study of dating partners and friends. *Communication Research Reports*, 27, 193-206.
- Priem, J. S., McLaren, R. M., & Solomon, D. H. (2010). Relational messages, perceptions of hurt, and biological stress reactions to a disconfirming interaction. *Communication Research*, *37*, 48-72.
- Priem, J. S., Solomon, D. H., & Steuber, K. R. (2009). Accuracy and bias in perceptions of emotionally supportive communication in marriage. *Personal Relationships*, *16*, 531-552.
- Priem, J. S., & Solomon, D. H. (2009). Comforting apprehensive communicators: The effects of reappraisal and distraction on cortisol levels among students in a public speaking class. *Communication Studies*, *57*, 259-281.
- Steuber, K. R., & Solomon, D. H. (2008). Relational uncertainty, partner interference, and infertility: A qualitative study of discourse within online forums. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 25, 831-855.
- Weber, K. M., & Solomon, D. H. (2008). Locating relationship and communication issues among stressors associated with breast cancer. *Health Communication*, 23, 548-559.
- Theiss, J. T., & Solomon, D. H. (2008). Parsing the mechanisms that increase relational intimacy: The effects of uncertainty amount, open communication about uncertainty, and the reduction of uncertainty. *Human Communication Research*, *34*, 625-654.
- Solomon, D. H., & Theiss, J. A. (2008). A longitudinal test of the relational turbulence model of romantic relationship development. *Personal Relationships*, *15*, 339-357.
- McLaren, R. M., & Solomon, D. H. (2008). Appraisals and distancing responses to hurtful messages. *Communication Research*, *35*, 339-357.
- Theiss, J. A., & Solomon, D. H. (2007). Communication and the emotional, cognitive, and relational consequences of first sexual encounters in heterosexual dyads. *Communication Quarterly*, 55, 179-206.
- Theiss, J. A., & Solomon, D. H. (2006). Coupling longitudinal data and multi-level modeling to examine the antecedents and consequences of jealousy experiences in romantic relationships: A test of the relational turbulence model. *Human Communication Research*, 32, 469-503.
- Theiss, J. A., & Solomon, D. H. (2006). A relational turbulence model of communication about irritations in romantic relationships. *Communication Research*, *33*, 391-418.

- Knobloch, L. K., Solomon, D. H., & Theiss, J. A. (2006). The role of intimacy in the production and perception of relationship talk within courtship. *Communication Research*, *33*, 211-241.
- Samp, J. A., & Solomon, D. H. (2005). Toward a theoretical account of goal characteristics in micro-level message features. *Communication Monographs*, 72, 22-45.
- Knobloch, L. K., & Solomon, D. H. (2005). Relational uncertainty and relational information processing: Questions without answers? *Communication Research*, *32*, 349-388.
- Solomon, D. H., & Knobloch, L. K. (2004). A model of relational turbulence: The role of intimacy, relational uncertainty, and interference from partners in appraisals of irritations. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 21, 795-816.
- Solomon, D. H., Knobloch, L. K., & Fitzpatrick, M. A. (2004). Relational power, marital schema, and decisions to withhold complaints: An investigation of the chilling effect on confrontation in marriage. *Communication Studies*, 55, 146-167.
- Knobloch, L. K., & Solomon, D. H. (2004). Interference and facilitation from partners in the development of interdependence within romantic relationships. *Personal Relationships*, 11, 115-130.
- Knobloch, L., K., & Solomon, D. H. (2003). Manifestations of relationship conceptualizations in conversation. *Human Communication Research*, 29, 482-515.
- Knobloch, L. K., & Solomon, D. H. (2003). Responses to changes in relational uncertainty within dating relationships: Emotions and communication strategies. *Communication Studies*, *54*, 282-305.
- Solomon, D. H., Dillard, J. P., & Anderson, J. W. (2002). Episode type, attachment orientation, and frame salience: Evidence for a theory of relational framing. *Human Communication Research*, 28, 136-152.
- Roloff, M. E., & Solomon, D. H. (2002). Conditions under which relational commitment leads to expressing or withholding relational complaints. *International Journal of Conflict Management*, 13, 276-291.
- Knobloch, L. K., & Solomon, D. H. (2002). Intimacy and the magnitude and experience of episodic relational uncertainty within romantic relationships. *Personal Relationships*, *9*, 457-478.
- Knobloch, L. K., & Solomon, D. H. (2002). Information-seeking beyond initial interaction: Managing relational uncertainty within close relationships. *Human Communication Research*, 28, 243-257.
- Solomon, D. H., & Knobloch, L. K. (2001). Relationship uncertainty, partner interference, and intimacy within dating relationships. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, *18*, 804-820.
- Knobloch, L. K., Solomon, D. H, & Cruz, M. G. (2001). The role of relationship development and attachment in the experience of romantic jealousy. *Personal Relationships*, 8, 205-224.
- Samp, J. A., & Solomon, D. H. (2001). The influence of dependence power on severity appraisals and decisions to withhold communication about problematic events in dating relationships. *Western Journal of Communication*, 65, 138-160.
- Knobloch, L. K., & Solomon, D. H. (1999). Measuring the sources and content of relational uncertainty. *Communication Studies*, *50*, 261-278.
- Dillard, J. P., Solomon, D. H., & Palmer, M.T. (1999). Structuring the concept of relational communication, *Communication Monographs*, 66, 49-65.

- Samp, J. A. & Solomon, D. H. (1999). Communicative responses to problematic events in close relationships: The influence of five features of goals on message structure. *Communication Research*, 26, 193-239.
- Solomon, D. H., & Samp, J. A. (1998). Power and problem appraisal: Perceptual foundations of the chilling effect in dating relationships. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 15, 191-209.
- Samp, J. A., & Solomon, D. H. (1998). Communicative responses to problematic events in close relationships I: The variety and facets of goals. *Communication Research*, 25, 66-95.
- Solomon, D. H., & Williams, M. L. M. (1997). Perceptions of social-sexual communication at work as sexually harassing. *Management Communication Quarterly*, 11, 147-184.
- Solomon, D. H., & Williams, M. L. M. (1997). Perceptions of social-sexual communication at work: The effects of message, situation, and observer characteristics on judgments of sexual harassment. *Journal of Applied Communication Research*, 25, 196-216.
- Solomon, D. H. (1997). A developmental model of intimacy and date request explicitness. *Communication Monographs*, 64, 99-118.
- Dillard, J. P., Solomon, D. H., & Samp, J. A. (1996). Framing social reality: The relevance of relational judgments. *Communication Research*, 23, 703-723.
- Cloven\*, D. H., & Roloff, M. E. (1995). Cognitive tuning effects of anticipating communication on thought about an interpersonal conflict. *Communication Reports*, *8*, 1-10.
- Cloven, D. H., & Roloff, M. E. (1994). A developmental model of decisions to withhold relational irritations in romantic relationships. *Personal Relationships*, *1*, 143-164.
- Cloven, D. H., & Roloff, M. E. (1993). The chilling effect of aggressive potential on the expression of complaints in intimate relationships. *Communication Monographs*, 60, 199-219.
- Cloven, D. H., & Roloff, M. E. (1993). Sense-making activities and interpersonal conflict, II: The effects of communicative intentions on internal dialogue. *Western Journal of Communication*, *57*, 309-329.
- Cloven, D. H., & Roloff, M. E. (1991). Sense-making activities and interpersonal conflict: Communicative cures for the mulling blues. *Western Journal of Speech Communication*, *55*, 134-158.

### **Invited Publications**

- Knobloch, L. K., Solomon, D. H., Theiss, J. A., & McLaren, R. M. (2021). Relational turbulence theory: Interpersonal communication during times of transition. In D. O. Braithwaite & P. Schrodt (Eds.), *Engaging theories in interpersonal communication*. (3rd ed.). Routledge.
- McLaren, R. M., & Solomon, D. H. (2021). Relational framing theory: Drawing inferences about relationships from interpersonal interactions. In D. O. Braithwaite & P. Schrodt (Eds.), *Engaging theories in interpersonal communication*. (3rd ed). Routledge.
- Brisini, K. S. C., & Solomon, D. H. (2020). Relational transitions and stress: Turbulence over the lifespan of marriage. In L. S. Aloia, A. Denes, & J. P. Crowley (Eds.), *The Oxford handbook of the physiology of interpersonal communication*. Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press. http://doi.org/10.1093/oxfordhb/9780190679446.013.10

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- Solomon, D. H., Theiss, J. A., Knobloch, L. K., & McLaren, R. M. (2019). Reflections on the development of relational turbulence theory. In S. R. Wilson & S. W. Smith (Eds.), *Reflections on interpersonal communication* (pp. 315-336). San Diego, CA: Cognella Academic Publishing
- Solomon, D. H., & Roloff, M. E. (2019). Power and interpersonal communication. In C. R. Agnew & J. J. Harman (Eds.) *Power in close relationships* (pp. 241-260). Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press.
- Knobloch, L. K., Solomon, D. H., Theiss, J. A., & McLaren, R. M. (2018). Relational turbulence theory: Understanding family communication during times of change. In D. O. Braithwaite, E. Suter, & K. Floyd (Eds.), *Engaging theories in family communication: Multiple perspectives* (2<sup>nd</sup> ed., pp. 255-266). New York, NY: Routledge.
- Solomon, D. H., & Roloff, M. E. (2018). Relationship initiation and growth. In A. L. Vangelisti & D. Perlman (Eds.), *The Cambridge handbook of personal relationships* (2<sup>nd</sup> ed., pp. 79-89). Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press.
- Aloia, L. S., & Solomon, D. H. (2016). Cognitive and physiological systems linking childhood exposure to family verbal aggression and reactions to conflict in adulthood. In J. A. Samp (Ed.), *Communicating interpersonal conflict in close relationships: Contexts, challenges, and opportunities* (pp. 11-27). New York, NY: Routledge.
- High, A. C., Jennings-Kelsall, V. S., Solomon, D. H., & Marshall, A. D. (2015). Military families online: Seeking and providing support through Internet discussion boards. In E. Sahlstein & L. M. Webb (Eds.), *A communicative perspective on the military: Messages, strategies, meanings* (pp. 101-120). New York, NY: Peter Lang.
- Solomon, D. H., & Vangelisti, A. (2014). Relationship development. In P. J. Schultz and P. Cobley (Series Eds.) & C. R. Berger (Vol. Ed.), *Handbooks of communication science: Vol. 6. Interpersonal communication.* (pp. 347-370) Berlin, Germany: de Gruyter Mouton.
- McLaren, R. M., & Solomon, D. H. (2014). Relational framing theory: Drawing inferences about relationships from interpersonal interactions. In L. A. Baxter & D. O. Braithwaite (Eds.), *Engaging theories in interpersonal communication*. (2nd ed., pp. 115-128). Newbury Park, CA: Sage.
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A dynamic dyadic systems perspective on interpersonal communication. The 18<sup>th</sup> annual James J. Bradac Memorial Lecture, University of California – Santa Barbara, Department of Communication and SAGE Publications, Santa Barbara, CA. October 21, 2022.

Developing a dynamic systems approach for supportive conversations (with Miriam Brinberg, Nilam Ram, Graham Bodie, and Susanne Jones). University of Minnesota, Interpersonal Relationships Research program, Minneapolis, MN. February 6, 2020.

Relational turbulence theory: Past, present, and future. Michigan State University, Department of Communication, East Lansing, MI. March 30, 2018.

Relational turbulence theory: Explaining variation in subjective experiences within romantic relationships. University of Minnesota, Interpersonal Relationships Research program, Minneapolis, MN. March 25, 2016.

*Turbulence in relational transitions*. Spotlight Scholar, University of Georgia, Department of Communication Studies, Athens, GA. March 30, 2012.

*Turbulence in relational transitions.* Rutgers University, Department of Communication, New Brunswick, NJ. December 5, 2011.

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Rethinking the role of communication in relationship development. Keynote Speaker, Sooner Communication Conference, University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK. February, 2005.

A relational framing perspective on the problem of sexual harassment. University of Arizona Conference on Successful Relating, Tucson, AZ. March 21, 1998.

Conflict avoidance in personal relationships. Piersol Lecture (Keynote Speaker, Communication Week), Southwest Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. February 6, 1995.

<u>Conference Presentations</u> [225+ papers selected based on competitive review; papers since 2018 are listed.]

- Brinberg, M., Jones, S., Birnbaum, M., Bodie, G., Ram, N., & Solomon, D. H. (2023, May, 2023). *How are conversations via an on-demand peer-to-peer emotional well-being app associated with emotional improvement?* Paper to be presented at the annual meeting of the International Communication Association, Toronto, Canada.
- Li, Y., & Solomon, D. H. (2022, May). *Operationalizing relational construal level to test relational turbulence theory: Linking relational turbulence in romantic relationships to interpersonal processes.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Communication Association, Paris, France.
- Goodboy, A. K., Bolkan, S., Brisini, K. S., & Solomon, D. H. (2021, November). *Relational uncertainty within relational turbulence theory: The bifactor exploratory structural equation model.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Seattle, WA.

- Brisini, K. S., & Solomon, D. H. (2021, November). A longitudinal study of relational turbulence and transition processing communication during the summer of COVID-19. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Seattle, WA.
- Tian, X., Kim, Y., & Solomon, D. H. (2021, November). *The effects of type of pronouns and hope appeals in supportive messages about COVID-19*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Seattle, WA.
- Li, Y., & Solomon, D. H. (2021, November). *Operationalizing relational construal level within relational turbulence theory*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Seattle, WA.
- Solomon, D. H., Brinberg, M., Bodie, G., Jones, S., & Ram, N. (2021, May). *A dynamic dyadic systems approach to interpersonal communication*. Paper presented at the virtual meeting of the International Communication Association.
- Bodie, G. D., Jones, S. M., Brinberg, M., Joyer, A. C. M., Solomon, D. H., & Ram, N. (2020, November). Discovering the fabric of supportive conversations: A typology of speaking turns and their contingencies. Paper presented at the virtual meeting of the National Communication Association. Top 4 Paper Award, Interpersonal Communication Division.
- Brinberg, M., Vanderbilt, R. R., Solomon, D. H., Brinberg, D., & Ram, N. (2020, November). *Changes in text messaging usage patterns in new romantic couples*. Paper presented at the virtual meeting of the National Communication Association.
- De La Cruz, J. J., & Solomon, D. H. (2020, November). *Reconfiguring identity gaps: Explicating and measuring identity integration*. Paper presented at the virtual meeting of the National Communication Association.
- Vanderbilt, R. R., & Solomon, D. H. (2020, November). *The role of perceived resolvability in serial arguments across the lifespan*. Paper presented at the virtual meeting of the National Communication Association.
- Tian, X., & Solomon, D. H. (2020, November). Features of supportive messages that influence people's coping with the death of a parent. Paper presented at the virtual meeting of the National Communication Association.
- Tian, X., Solomon, D. H., & Brisini, K. (2019, November). *How the comforting process fails: Psychological reactance to support messages*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Baltimore, MD.
- Brisini, K., Tian, X., & Solomon, D. H. (2019, November). *Relational turbulence and openness to social network support for marital conflicts*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Baltimore, MD.
- Tian, X., Solomon, D. H., & Smith, R. A. (2019, May). A stress buffering perspective on the progression of alpha-1 antitrypsin deficiency. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Communication Association, Washington D.C.
- Tian, X., & Solomon, D. H. (2018, November). *Grief and post-traumatic growth following miscarriage: The role of meaning reconstruction and partner supportive communication.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Bodie, G. D., Solomon, D. H., Brinberg, M., & Ram, N. (2018, November). *A turn-by-turn analysis of enacted support in interaction between strangers*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Salt Lake City, UT

- Brisini, K. S. & Solomon, D. H. (2018). Facets of marital conflict among parents of children with Autism Spectrum Disorder: A relational turbulence perspective. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Associations for Relationship Research, Fort Collins, CO.
- Tian, X., & Solomon, D. H. (2018, July). *Relational turbulence and bereaved mothers' experiences of supportive communication following a miscarriage*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Association Relationship Research, Fort Collins, CO.
- Solomon, D. H., & Brisini, K.S. (2018, May). *Outcomes of relational uncertainty and interference and facilitation in marriage: Tests of relational turbulence theory.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Communication Association, Prague, Czech Republic.
- Brisini, K. S., & Solomon, D. H. (2018, May). *Relationship transitions for parents of children with Autism Spectrum Disorder: Types, turbulence, and transition processing.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Communication Association, Prague, Czech Republic.

### **TEACHING**

## **Honors and Awards for Teaching**

Selected as a Fellow in the University of Wisconsin-Madison Teaching Academy, March, 1999. Fellows are selected based on a peer review of nominated candidates; the title of Teaching Academy Fellow is held indefinitely.

1997 Wisconsin Power and Light Underkofler Excellence in Teaching Award. This is University of Wisconsin System award honoring educators who demonstrate extraordinary dedication and innovation in their teaching. Four recipients were selected from the pool of nominees advanced by schools in the UW System.

1996-97 University of Wisconsin Lilly Teaching Fellow Award. Fellows are selected for teaching excellence and an innovative plan for designing an undergraduate course.

1997 & 1998 UW-Madison/UW Centers Collaborative Grants. Professor Greg Lampe of UW Rock Center received this award in two subsequent years to support his research on managing conflict in the university classroom. I served as his collaborator in both years.

1994-1995 University of Wisconsin-Madison Honors Program Award. This award is based on a university wide competition focusing on proposals for new undergraduate honors courses.

# **Awards for Research with Undergraduates**

2007-08 President's Fund for Research, Penn State University (with Carolina Better). \$1000 for research expenses.

2006-07 President's Fund for Research, Penn State University (with Jennifer Owlett). \$1500 for research expenses.

2002 University of Wisconsin / College of Letters & Science Experience in Research (with MacKenzie Lucas). Students receive a summer stipend to complete a research project under the direction of a faculty mentor.

1996-1997 University of Wisconsin Mark Mensink Honors Award (with Erika Mundinger). Recipients are selected for a proposed senior honors thesis and the student's record. Two awards are made in a university-wide competition. The student receives two semester's tuition; the thesis advisor receives the equivalent of one semester tuition.

1993 and 1994 University of Wisconsin-Madison Summer Honors Program Awards (3 students total; \$3,600). These awards are based on a competitive review of project proposals in combination with student qualifications.

# **Graduate Student Advising**

1999	Jennifer Samp, MA/Ph.D. (first job: University of Oklahoma)
2000	Mary Lynn Miller, Ph.D. (first tenure-line job: Northern Illinois University)
2001	Leanne Knobloch, MA/Ph.D. (first job: University of Illinois)
2001	Erika Mundinger, MA
2003	Kendra Stuber, MA
2004	Joshua Morrill, Ph.D. (self-employed communication research consultant)
2005	Jennifer Theiss, MA/Ph.D. (first tenure-line job: Rutgers University)
2008	Rachel McLaren, Ph.D. (first job: University of Iowa)
2009	Kirsten Weber, MA/Ph.D. (first job: University of Georgia)
2009	Jennifer Priem, Ph.D. (first tenure-line job: Wake Forest University)
2009	Amanda Goodwin, Ph.D. (associate teaching professor at Penn State University)
2009	Keli Steuber, Ph.D. (first job: University of Iowa)
2010	Andrew High, Ph.D. (first tenure-line job: University of Iowa)
2013	Lindsey Aloia, Ph.D. (first tenure-line job: University of Arkansas)
2017	Victoria Jennings-Kelsall, Ph.D. (first job: Department of Defense)
2018	Kellie Brisini, Ph.D. (first tenure-line job: Louisiana State University)
2020	Claire Strutzenberg, Ph.D. student (left without degree)
2020	Rachel Reymann Vanderbilt, Ph.D. (first job: senior research analyst, Ashley Furniture)
2021	XiXi Tian, Ph.D. (first tenure-line job: University of Delaware)
Current	Jorge De La Cruz, Ph.D. student
Current	Yuwei Li, Ph.D. student
Current	DJ Barger, MA/PhD student
Current	Shaochun Li, MA/Ph.D.student
Current	Madison Jupina, MA student

# **Undergraduate Honors Advising at Penn State**

2009 Jennifer Bevan2019 Afrah AlrsheidiCurrent Jake Lemler

# **Classroom Instruction**

(evaluations are on a 7-point scale, with higher numbers reflecting more favorable evaluations; a range, when provided, encompasses all scores received across all instances of the particular course)

COURSE TITLE & BRIEF DESCRIPTION (CAS = Penn State; CA = UW-Madison)	TYPICAL ENROLLMENT	TIMES TAUGHT	STUDENTS' RATING OF INSTRUCTION
CAS 083: First-year Seminar – This honors course offers an introduction to "The Dark Side of Interpersonal Communication" to first year students.	19	1	6.29
CAS 203: Interpersonal Communication – This course offers an introduction to interpersonal communication theory and research.	24	>10	6.14-6.83
CA 260: Communication and Human Behavior – This course serves a core requirement for majors to introduce them to social scientific theory and research on communication.	160	>10	6.00-6.57
CA 371/ CAS 404: Communication and Conflict Resolution – This course offers insight into the theory and practice of conflict resolution in interpersonal, task, and professional settings.	70/26	>10	5.95-6.64

CA 572: Interpersonal Communication – This course serves as a capstone experience for undergraduates offering insight into the dynamics of interpersonal communication.	2	>10	6.20-6.87
CAS 555/CA 772: Interpersonal Communication – This graduate seminar reviews theories of interpersonal communication, as well as the programs of research evaluating them.	14	8	6.29-7.00
CAS 556/CA 972: Relational Communication – This graduate seminar reviews research on communication in personal relationship featuring eight theoretical perspectives.	5	11	6.53-7.00
CAS 560: Communication Theory – This graduate seminar examines the principles of theory construction spanning epistemologies in the communication discipline.	11	2	6.67-7.00
CAS 597: Preliminary Analyses of Quantitative Data – This graduate course reviewed the steps involved in evaluating data in advance of performing substantive statistical analyses.	12	1	6.92
CAS 597: Interpersonal Communication and Well-being  – This graduate course reviewed empirical research linking communication experiences, particularly support and conflict, to indices of psychological, social, and physical well-being.	10	2	6.89-7.00
CA 671: Communication and Social Conflict – This graduate seminar examines theory and research on the dynamics of conflict in personal relationships.	15	1	6.71

## SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY

## **Honors and Awards for Service to the University**

2020 Welch Alumni Relations Award, Penn State Liberal Arts Alumni Society Board. This award is given to a member of the university who has made a significant contribution to promoting alumni relations.

2014 Service to the College Award, College of the Liberal Arts, Penn State University. This award is given by the Dean to a member of the faculty who has made a significant contribution to advancing the mission of the college.

# College/University Committees at Penn State, prior or subsequent to service as Associate Dean

University Task Force on Evaluation of Teaching, Penn State University (Member and co-Chair of the Student Assessment of Teaching Subcommittee, April 2022-present).

COVID-19 Teaching Accommodations Review Committee, Penn State University (Member, July 2021-January 2022).

Curricular Process Reform Task Force, Penn State University (Member, 2019). This task force was charged by the Faculty Senate with recommending both short-term and long-term changes to curricular process

Search Committee, Dean of the College of the Liberal Arts, Penn State University (Member December 2017-December 2018)

SSRI Steering Committee, Social Science Research Institute, Penn State University (Member, 2015-2018)

Enterprise Risk Management Council, Penn State University (Member, 2014-2018)

Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Studies Search Committee, College of the Liberal Arts, Penn State University (Chair, 2016-17)

Faculty Scholars Medal Selection Committee (Social Sciences), Penn State University (Member, 2016-2020)

Ad hoc Subcommittee on the Revision of Graduate Faculty Appointment Guidelines, The Graduate School (Chair, 2013-14)

College of the Liberal Arts, Dissertation Award Review Committee (Member, 2006-2008)

College of the Liberal Arts Advisory Committee (Member, 2005-2008)

## **University Committees at Penn State in the role of Associate Dean**

Academic Committee on Graduate Education (Member, 2008-2013; elected Chair, 2011-2012)

University Research Committee (Member, 2010-2013)

Information Technology Strategic Planning Committee, Subcommittee on Research (Member, 2012-2013)

Research Budget Planning Subcommittee of the Budget Planning Task Force (Member, 2012-2013)

Social Science Research Institute Associate Dean Advisory Committee (Member, 2010-2013)

Institute for Art and Humanities, Advisory Committee (ex-officio, 2010-2013)

Office of Research Protections Advisory Committee (Member, 2011-2013)

## College/University Committees at UW-Madison

College of Letters and Science Academic Planning Council (Member, 2003-2004)

University Assessment Council (Member, 1997-2002; Chair, 2002-2003)

College of Letters & Science General Education Committee (Member, 1997-2004)

University Verbal Assessment Committee (Chair, 1997-2004)

University of Wisconsin Survey Center Steering Committee (Member, 2003 to 2004)

Cluster Hiring Initiative Round 5, Faculty Advisory Committee (Member, 2001-2002)

University Research Committee (Member, 1999-2001)

University Distinguished Teaching Awards Committee (Member, 1999-2003; Chair, 2001-2002)

College of Letters & Science Curriculum Committee (Member, 1998-2000 and 2002-2003; Chair, 2003-2004)

College of Letters and Science Faculty Appeals Committee (Member, 1998-1999)

University Faculty Senate (Department Representative, 1995-1997)

## **Department Committees at Penn State**

Technology Committee (Chair, 2015-16)

Undergraduate Studies Committee (Member, 2004-2005, 2015-2016)

Future Faculty Hiring Committee (Member, 2013-2015)

Faculty Search Committee, Communication Science Position (Chair, 2013-2014; Co-Chair, 2014-15)

Faculty Search Committee, Rhetoric Position (Member, 2014-15)

Promotion & Tenure Committee (Member, 2005-2007; 2013-present; elected Chair, 2007-2008)

Faculty Advisory Committee (elected Member, 2005-2007; 2008; 2014-present)

Graduate Committee (Member, 2006-2009; 2014-present)

## **Department Committees at UW-Madison**

Instructional Space Committee (Member, 2002-2004)

Faculty Awards and Honors Committee (Member, 2002-2004)

Graduate Committee (Member, 1993-1996 and 1999-2000; Director, 2001-2003)

Undergraduate Committee (Member, 2001-2003)

Speakers Committee (Member, 1996-1999)

Human Subjects Committee (Member, 1992-2000)

### **Public Lectures or Appearances**

College of Liberal Arts / Department of Communication Arts & Sciences, Board of Visitors, November 4, 2005: *Breast cancer and couples' communication*.

Day On Campus, UW Alumni Association, May 7, 1999: Men, women, and (mis)communication.

Madison Chamber of Commerce Greater Leadership Madison Program, March 16, 1999: *Core abilities and skills as goals for post-secondary education.* 

Founder's Day, UW Alumni Club of Detroit, May 3, 1998: Men and women (mis)communicating.

Wisconsin Department of Justice, Madison, Wisconsin, October 9, 1997: Gender and communication.

Lake Country Founders' Day Dinner, Lake Country University of Wisconsin Alumni Club, February 29, 1996: *Men are from Mars, women are from Venus, or maybe not.* 

Peer Mediation Brown Bag Series, University of Wisconsin, March 22, 1996: Conflict avoidance and escalation in personal relationships.

Society of Women Engineers, Heartland Regional Conference, October 7-9, 1994: Conflict and gender in work environments.

## SERVICE TO THE DISCIPLINE

## **Positions within Professional Organizations**

Awards Committee, International Association for Relationship Research (Member 2018-2022)

Membership Committee, International Association for Relationship Research (Member 2016-2018)

Publications Committee Chair, International Association for Relationship Research (an elected position; 2014-2016)

Mentoring Committee, International Association for Relationship Research (Member, 2014-2016)

Task Force on Interdisciplinary Scholarship, International Association for Relationship Research (Chair, 2008-2010)

Awards Committee, International Association for Relationship Research (Chair, 2006-2008)

Dissertation Award Committee, Interpersonal Communication Division, National Communication Association (Member, 2008)

Dissertation Award Committee, Interpersonal Communication Division, International Communication Association (Member, 2003; Chair, 1997)

Legislative Council, National Communication Association (Member, 2000-2002)

Interpersonal and Small Group Interaction Division, National Communication Association (Vice-chair Elect, 1998-1999; Vice-chair, 1999-2000; Chair, 2000-2001)

Golden Monograph Awards Committee, National Communication Association (Member, 1998-2000)

Awards Committee, Interpersonal and Small Group Interaction Division, National Communication Association (Member, 1997-2000)

Awards Committee, International Network on Personal Relationships (Member, 1997-2000)

Nominations Committee, Interpersonal and Small Group Interaction Division, Speech Communication Association (Member, 1995-1996)

# **Conference Planning**

Symposium Co-planner, Penn State/Communication Arts & Sciences Summer Symposium: A Dyadic Dynamic Systems Perspective on Interpersonal Communication. 2022

Symposium Co-planner, Penn State/Communication Arts & Sciences Summer Symposium: *Graduate Education in Communication Studies*. 2018

Symposium Co-planner, Penn State/Communication Arts & Sciences Summer Symposium: *Theorizing Communication in a Digitally Networked Age.* 2017

Local Arrangements Co-Chair, 2004 Biennial Convention of the International Association for Relationship Research. Selection of Madison, Wisconsin, as the conference site was based on a competitive review of proposals.

Conference Planner for the Interpersonal and Small Group Interaction Division of the National Communication Association for the annual meeting held in Seattle, Washington, November 2000.

Interpersonal/Organizational Communication Planning Committee, 1998 Doctoral Honors Seminars, National Communication Association.

# **Editorial Service**

Special Issue Editor: Communication Methods and Measures, 2022-2023

Associate Editor: Personal Relationships, 2005 to 2009.

Board Member: Communication Research (current); Journal of Social and Personal Relationships; Human Communication Research; Journal of Communication; Personal Relationships (current); Western Journal of Communication