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## EDUCATION

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2022                    **Bachelor of Arts in Psychology**  
Minors in Spanish, Statistics, and Education as a Social Science  
Overall GPA: 3.86 | Psychology GPA: 4.00  
School of Arts and Sciences Honors Program  
Rutgers University, the State University of New Jersey  
New Brunswick, NJ

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## AWARDS & HONORS

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2022                    **Aresty Undergraduate Research Fellowship (\$615)**  
Aresty Research Center  
Rutgers University, The State University of New Jersey

2021                    **The Dorothy and David Cooper Scholarship Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship (\$4000)**  
Department of Psychology  
Rutgers University, The State University of New Jersey

2020                    **Aresty Undergraduate Research Fellowship (\$585)**  
Aresty Research Center  
Rutgers University, The State University of New Jersey

Spring 2019 – Fall 2021   **Rutgers University Dean’s List**

Fall 2018 - Spring 2022   **Rutgers University SAS Honors Program**

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## PRESENTATIONS

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**Philip, J. S.**, Maimon, M. R., & Sanchez, D. T. (2022, March). *Interpersonal identity cues: The effect of therapist identity/personality on the therapeutic relationship*. Poster presented at the Annual Eastern Psychological Association Conference, New York, NY.

**Philip, J. S.**, Maimon, M. R., & Sanchez, D. T. (2022, February). *Interpersonal identity cues: The perceived link between identity, personality, and prejudice*. Poster presented at the Annual Convention of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, San Francisco, CA.

**Philip, J. S.**, Maimon, M. R., & Sanchez, D. T. (2021, November). *Interpersonal identity cues: Client’s preferences for therapist identity and personality*. Poster presented at the Annual Harvard Women in Psychology Trends in Psychology Summit, online.

**Philip, J. S.**, Maimon, M. R., & Sanchez, D. T. (2021, April). *Interpersonal identity cues: The perceived link between identity, personality, and prejudice*. Poster presented at the Annual Aresty Undergraduate Research Symposium at Rutgers University, online.

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## UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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Sep. 2021 – May 2022   **Aresty Rutgers Undergraduate Research Journal Peer Reviewer**  
Rutgers University, the State University of New Jersey  
New Brunswick, NJ

- Peer reviewed articles submitted to the Aresty Rutgers Undergraduate Research Journal

Sep. 2019 – May 2022 **Close Relationships, Identity, & Stigma Laboratory**

Department of Psychology

Rutgers University, the State University of New Jersey

New Brunswick, NJ

Advisor: Diana Sanchez, Ph.D.

- **Honors Thesis:** For this study, I am examining how parental racial socialization techniques differ based on race and am developing a path model for how these different parental racial socialization messages relate to the racial identity centrality and race-related vigilance of the child, which is then related to the psychological health outcomes of the child. I will complete an honors thesis paper and will present a poster.
- **Cooper Fellowship Research:** For this study, I examined how a therapist's identity and level of agreeableness impacts perceptions of prejudice and anticipated outcomes of a potential therapeutic relationship among ethnic/racial minority women. I completed a research paper and presented a poster.
- **Aresty-Funded Study:** For this study, I examined how a target's identity and level of agreeableness impacts perceptions of prejudice among ethnic/racial minority women. I presented a poster at the virtual symposium.
- **Research Assistant:** Independently ran participants in a complex study with a confederate to examine how they would react to the disclosures of concealable identities. This study included obtaining consent from participants and debriefing them once the study concluded.

Sep. 2020 – May 2022 **LifeSPAN Laboratory**

Rutgers University, the State University of New Jersey

New Brunswick, NJ

PI: Vanessa Bal, Ph.D.

- Created questionnaires and data dictionaries on RedCap
- Conducted literature reviews for experiments run on autistic individuals to inform interventions and supports to improve their quality of life
- Attended supervision trainings on Group Behavioral Activation Therapy (GBAT) implementation in the autistic adult population
- Watched and transcribed GBAT sessions
- Recruited and consented participants with autism

Jan. 2019 - May 2019 **Learning and Memory Laboratory**

Department of Psychology

Rutgers University, the State University of New Jersey

New Brunswick, NJ

PI: Arnold Glass, Ph.D.

- Performed data analysis using Excel VBA to examine how the pattern of repetition of trigrams affect memory and recall abilities

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**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Sep. 2020 – Dec. 2020 **Intern**

Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital

New Brunswick, NJ

- Virtually shadowed psychiatric clinical faculty, Dr. Tobia and Dr. Trenton at Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital
- Managed the Instagram account for didactics on psychiatric evaluations of characters in movies and television shows for medical school students

- Jan. 2020 – May 2020 **Preschool Assistant**  
 Rutgers Psychology Child Development Center  
 New Brunswick, NJ
- Assisted teachers by supervising preschool children at all times to ensure safety and enjoyment
  - Led small group activities to promote social, emotional, and cognitive development
  - Completed trainings and received credit hours at the ChildCare Education Institute
- Sep. 2019 – May 2022 **Peer Mentor**  
 College Support Program (CSP)  
 Rutgers University, the State University of New Jersey  
 New Brunswick, NJ
- Volunteered as a peer mentor for autistic students at Rutgers University
  - Received training on autism and working with the autistic population
  - Organized social events and held study sessions for the autistic student body
- June 2019 – Aug. 2019 **Intern**  
 Dr. Kaduson's Play Therapy Private Practice  
 Monroe Township, NJ
- Observed clinicians administering play therapy to children with a variety of psychological disorders
  - Helped prepare materials for and attended seminars and webinars conducted by the Play Therapy Training Institute
- June 2019 – Aug. 2019 **Intern**  
 NAMI Mercer  
 Hamilton, NJ
- Used empathetic listening skills to take calls from mentally ill patients and their family members for the NAMI helpline
  - Connected patients and family members with resources such as housing, counseling, and other services that best fit their needs
  - Promoted various NAMI events through phone calls and creating flyers
- Summer 2018 **Summer Camp Aftercare Counselor**  
 Monroe Sports Center  
 Monroe Township, NJ
- Planned, coordinated, and lead small group activities for children aged 5-14
  - Provided assistance to coaches by supervising campers at all times to ensure safety and enjoyment

## **LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE**

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- June 2021 – May 2022 **Secretary**  
 College Support Program (CSP)  
 Rutgers University, the State University of New Jersey  
 New Brunswick, NJ
- Assisted with running monthly trainings for peer mentors
  - Ran the CSP Instagram account
  - Maintained records of weekly peer mentor reports
  - Detailed the minutes of peer mentor trainings and e-Board meetings

- Sept. 2020 – May 2020 **School of Arts and Sciences Honors Program Student Advisory Board**  
Rutgers School of Arts and Sciences Honors Program  
Rutgers University, the State University of New Jersey  
New Brunswick, NJ
- Selected to serve as a student leader on a board with fellow honors program students and deans to implement programs and changes to build and strengthen the honors program community
- Aug. 2020 – May 2022 **Virtual Peer Leader/Honors Peer Leader in Residence**  
Rutgers School of Arts and Sciences Honors Program  
Rutgers University, the State University of New Jersey  
New Brunswick, NJ
- Planned, advertised, and hosted events for incoming freshmen to help them build a sense of community and become accustomed to the Honors Program
  - Served as a mentor and resource for freshmen in the Honors Program
- Sept. 2020 – May 2022 **Secretary**  
Rutgers Psychological Alliance  
Rutgers University, the State University of New Jersey  
New Brunswick, NJ
- Worked in a team to plan events for club members
  - Served as a contact point for Rutgers Psychological Alliance
  - Collaborated with other organizations and faculty for advertising
- Sept. 2019 – May 2020 **Community Outreach Officer**  
Rutgers Psychological Alliance  
Rutgers University, the State University of New Jersey  
New Brunswick, NJ
- Led a team to organize mental health outreach events for club members and the general student body

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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- Jan. 2019 – July 2019 **Online Math Tutor**  
Yup Homework Help  
Online
- Helped students in elementary school through college with their math homework and test preparations
- Sept. 2014 – Mar. 2018 **Volunteer Tutor**  
Monroe Township Public Library  
Monroe Township, NJ
- Tutored children from kindergarten to grade 5 in math and reading comprehension

## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

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- Psi Chi National Honor Society

## **RELEVANT SKILLS**

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- Data Analysis: R, SPSS, SAS, Excel VBA
- Survey Platforms: Qualtrics, RedCap
- Microsoft Office, Photoshop, Illustrator, Canva