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### Education

Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, TX (Ph.D., 2011)  
Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, TX (M.S., 2009)  
Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX (M.S., 2005)  
Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX (B.A., 2004)

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### Employment

Associate Professor, Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX (2017 – current)  
Assistant Professor, Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX (2011 – 2017)  
Teaching Assistant, Texas Christian University, San Angelo, TX (2007 – 2011)  
Academic Advisor, Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX (2006 – 2007)  
Graduate Student Assistant, Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX (2004 – 2006)  
Student Assistant, President's Office, Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX (2002-2004)

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### Teaching

Courses Taught at Angelo State University

#### *Undergraduate*

General Psychology  
Seminar in Psychological Research  
Statistical Analysis and Research Methods  
Cognition  
General Studies  
Critical Thinking

#### *Graduate*

Social Psychology  
Research Development  
Statistical Design and Analysis  
Cognitive Neuroscience  
Experimental Research  
Behavioral Science Lab Course

Courses Taught at Texas Christian University  
*Teaching Assistant*  
Cognition and Emotion  
Ethics  
Research

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### **Current Research Interests**

Ethical decision-making and cognitive problem solving  
Vulnerable children, teens and college students

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### **Fellowships, Grants and Awards**

2021	Gary and Pat Rodgers Distinguished Faculty Award
2020	A little goes a long way: Adapting a Responsible Conduct of training program to work for smaller universities (Co-PI; not awarded). Department of Health and Human Services Grant. \$82,000. This proposal <u>met the cut off for award</u> and we received excellent comments but the funding source expired due to Covid.
2020	Texas Tech System <i>Above and Beyond Service</i> Coin
2019	Angelo GOES: Graduate Outreach for Equity and Success (PI; not awarded) Department of Education HSI Grant. \$2.3m.
2018	Cultivating an Ethical Culture in Experimental Psychology (PI; not awarded) National Science Foundation, \$278,000.
2018	Texas Academic Leadership Academy Fellow, a year-long, intensive leadership experience aimed at developing aspiring academic leaders' leadership skills. With a focus on the specific issues Texas higher education institutions face, TALA also addresses many of the goals laid out by the 60x30TX Strategic Plan and individual institutions. TALA Fellows are guided by senior academic leaders, leadership experts, and mentors through an intensive, catered experience.
2018	Friends of Student Government Association Rammy Award
2017	Pain and Memory (PI). Awarded Angelo State University Faculty Enhancement Research Grant. \$15,000
2017	Emerging Scholar Nominee
2016	Presidential Semifinalist for the Faculty Excellence in Research Award
2015	Self-perception and Ethical Cognition (Co-PI; not awarded). \$122,000. This was an interdisciplinary research project between psychology and philosophy.
2014	Wonderful Woman of the Year among Faculty Award

2013-2019	Gary and Pat Rodgers Distinguished Faculty Nominee
2013	Best Faculty Advisor Award
2013	Advisor of the Year Rammy Award Nominee
2012	Strategies for Ethical Decision Making (PI). Awarded Angelo State University Faculty Enhancement Research Grant. \$14,267.
2012-2022	Awarded Faculty Mentor Grant to supervise undergraduate students research (two per year): Each of my grant students were awarded \$1500 in the following years: Academic year 2012-2013; Academic year 2013-2014; Academic year 2014-2015; Academic year 2015-2016; Academic year 2016-2017; Academic year 2017-2018; Academic year 2021-2022.
2007-2010	<i>Grow Your Own Fellow</i> , Texas State University System.

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## Service

### Service to University

Foster Care Liaison, 2022  
 Fundraising team, All-star weekend for Fostering Ram Success, Raised over 100k  
 ASU Values Committee for the Values Summit, 2021  
 Chair, Values Engagement Committee, 2021- 2022  
 Search Committee for Angelo State University President, 2020  
 President, Faculty Senate, 2019-2020  
 Chair, ASU Former Foster Care Faculty Committee, 2019-2022  
 Chair, Fundraising Committee for Fostering Ram Success BBQ, 2021, Raised over 20k  
 Education Reach Conference Steering Committee, 2019-2020  
 Chair, Gary and Pat Rodgers Award Selection Committee for Administrator Award, 2020  
 Rams Reload Fundraising Committee, 2017-2020  
 Retention Committee, 2019-2021  
 Graduate Council, 2017-2022  
 IACUC committee, 2018-2021  
 Ad Hoc OP 6.28 Review Committee, 2018-2019  
 Tenure Advisory Committee, 2018-2020  
 ASU Foundation Faculty Representative, 2018-2019  
 Gender Studies committee, 2018-2019  
 Chair, University Affairs Committee, 2017-2018  
 Co-director, Study Abroad (Unique Europe), 2018  
 Co-chair, General Studies/Signature Course Review Committee, 2017-2018  
 University Representative, Texas Association of Chicanos in Higher Education, 2018-2019  
 Academic Excellence Committee, 2016-2017  
 Student Code of Conduct Committee, 2016-2017  
 Host Parent, ASU First-generation College Student Host Program, 2016-2020  
 Faculty Advisor, ASU Sigma Phi Lambda, 2016-2017  
 ASU Health Services Committee, 2015-current  
 University Center Program Council Committee, 2014  
 Faculty Advisor, ASU Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, 2012- 2015

### Service to College

Chair, College Tenure and Promotion Committee, 2017-2018  
Faculty Representative, Academic Review Committee, 2016-2018  
Marshal for College, ASU Commencement, 2017-2018

### Service to Department

Director, Master of Science in Experimental Psychology: Behavioral Neuroscience Emphasis.  
Graduate program developed by Drs. Kreidler and Brewer in 2017-2022.

Director, Psychology Teaching Assistant Program, 2011-2019  
Elected Chair, Department Peer Review Committee, 2017-2018  
Chair, Faculty Search Committee, Experimental Psychology, 2017  
Advisor and Founder, Psychology Ambassador Club, (recruitment initiative) 2017-2019  
Journal Creator/Manager, ASU Social Science Research Journal, 2014-2018  
Coordinator, Undergraduate Student Excellence, 2012-2017  
Research Publicist, 2012-2019  
ASU Social Work Faculty Search Committee, 2015-2016  
Chief Editor, Psychology Newsletter, 2012-2016  
Faculty Advisor, ASU Psychology Club, 2012- 2016  
ASU Psychology Faculty Search Committee, 2014  
ASU I/O Psychology Faculty Search Committee, 2015

### Service to Profession

Rodent and STEM lab training at TCU neuroscience vivarium, 2018, 2019  
International Human Services Training in Netherlands, Austria and Vienna, 2018  
Finance Committee, Southwestern Psychological Association, 2017-2019

#### Reviewer for Journals

Reviewer, Educator Perspectives, 2020-2022  
Reviewer, Affective Science, 2020  
Reviewer, Ethics and Behavior, 2020  
Associate Editor, American Journal of Psychological Research, 2016-2019 appointment  
Reviewer, Journal of Latinos and Education, 2018  
Reviewer, Journal of Psychological Inquiry, 2016  
Reviewer, Alpha Chi Journal of Undergraduate Scholarship, 2015-2016

#### Reviewer for Books

Reviewer, Social Psychology and Politics, (author: Jost), SAGE Publications, 2017  
Author, Supplemental materials for learning chapter in Pomerantz textbook, 2017  
Reviewer, Introduction to Social Psychology, 2016, (author: Clayton), 2016  
Reviewer, Moral Panics, Fear Campaigns, and Need for Critical Thinking, 2016

## Service to Community

Board Member, Children's Advocacy Center of Greater West Texas, 2020-current  
Member, West Texas Academic Collaborative for Child Trafficking, Office of the Governor, 2020-2022  
Member, Texas Children's Commission Higher Education Professionals Workgroup, 2019-2022  
Member, TX State DFPS Commissioner's Human Trafficking and Foster Care Task Force, 2017-2020  
Coalition Member, Children's Advocacy Center for Greater West Texas's Child and Family Wellbeing Initiative, 2019- 2020  
Faculty Representative, Concho Valley Foster Care Consortium, 2017-2021  
Board Member, Give More Hugs Non-profit organization, 2013-2017  
Volunteer Instructor, STEM Girl Scouts (2014-2019)  
Board Member, San Angelo Boys and Girls Club, 2007-2008  
Assistant Coordinator, Ethical Decision-Making Workshop for DFW city employees, 2010  
Co-Director, San Angelo Mother-Daughter Program, 2006-2007

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## **Professional Associations**

Member, Society for Neuroscience  
Member, Association of Psychological Science  
Member, Psi Chi National Honor Society  
Former Member, Southwestern Psychological Association  
Former Member, National Academic Advising Association

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## **Mentor, Student Research**

All my research projects have involved undergraduate and/or graduate students, which is a hallmark of productive research faculty, and serves the mission of the American Psychological Foundation by training the next generation of researchers.

Eight of my research mentees in the last 7 years have been accepted into PhD programs with full stipends. Many of them earning regional research awards.

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## **Peer-Reviewed Publications**

Howard, A., Lippi, S. & Kreitler, C.M. (in progress). The Effects of Postnatal Maternal Ethanol Consumption and Cross Fostering in Young Mice.

Draper, B., Thompson, M. & **Kreitler, C.M.** (In press). The Exploration of Stress, Coping Strategies, and Problem-Solving Skills among College Students. *Inquires Journal*.

Thompson, M.D., Lippi, S., & **Kreitler, C.M.** (2021). The Examination of Cross-Fostering with ICR Mice as a Model for Foster Care. *Texas Tech Journal of Foster Care*.

Tasker, T. J., & **Kreitler, C. M.** (2021). Online faculty community: Support and resources for teaching online. In C. M. Crawford (Ed.). *Shifting to online learning through faculty collaborative support* (pp. 103-121). IGI Global. DOI: 10.4018/978-1-7998-6944-3

Stenmark, C.K., Miller, R.A, **Kreitler, C.M.** (2021). Self-Efficacy and Ethical Decision-making. *Ethics and Behavior*, 31, 5, 301-320. DOI: 10.1080/10508422.2020.1776617.

**Textbook:** Bonds-Raacke, J., Raacke, J. & **Kreitler, C. M.** (2020). Research Methods: Are you Equipped? Second Edition. Kendall Hunt Publishing.

Stenmark, C.K., **Kreitler, C.M.**, & Miller, R.A. (2019). Moral credentialing and ethical decision-making. *Journal of Psychology and Education*, 56, 1-20.

Stenmark, C. & **Kreitler, C. M.** (2019). Pressure and ethical decision-making. *International Journal of Information Decision Sciences*, 11, 1-19.

Ocker, M. & **Kreitler, C. M.** (2018). Context-dependent memory and chewing gum. *American Journal of Psychological Research*, 1, 1-10, [www.mcneese.edu/ajpr/](http://www.mcneese.edu/ajpr/)

Sparks-Pariset, A. & **Kreitler, C. M.** (2018). Retrospective Reports of Childhood Relationships and Associations with Adult Anxiety and Depression. *Journal of Basic and Applied Research*.

**Kreitler, C. M.**, Stenmark, C., Serrate, J., & Winn, N. (2016). The role of individual differences and emotion in Facebook activity. *Journal of Psychology and Behavioral Science*, 4, 1-10. doi: 10.15640/jpbs.v4n1a1

Stenmark, C. & **Kreitler, C. M.** (2016). A cognitive tool for ethical decision-making: A case for ACED IT. *Ethics and Behavior*, 27, 221-239. doi: 10.1080/10508422.2016.1176566

**Kreitler, C. M.**, & Dyson, K. (2016). Cultural frame switching among Hispanic students. *Journal of Latinos and Education*, 1-6. doi:10.1080/15348431.2015.1066251

**Kreitler, C. M.**, Stenmark, C., Rodarte, A., & DuMond, R. (2014). ACED IT: A tool for improved ethical and moral decision-making. *Journal of Moral Decision Making*, 1-21.

**Kreitler, C. M.**, Repasky, G., Dansereau, D. F., Barth, T. M., & Travis, K. (2012). An exploratory study utilizing expressive writing and a novel cognitive tool as strategies for enhanced moral perception. *International Journal of Business, Humanities and Technology*, 2, 112-118.

**Kreitler, C. M.**, Dansereau, D. F., Barth, T. M., Repasky, G., Miller, J. (2012). Evaluation of a cognitive tool for enhanced decision-making and personal change among college students. *National Academic Advising Journal*, 32, 18-29.

**Kreitler, C. M.** & Dansereau, D. F., Barth, T. M., Ito, S. (2009). Enhancing the Decision-Making of Extraverted College Students. *College Student Journal*, 31, 46-52.

**Kreitler, C. M.**, (2006). Be an exceptional academic advisor: share yourself, become a mentor. *Academic Advising Today*, 29, 15-20.

**Other scholarly works and publications** (all first authors are my former students)

Rodriguez, M. & **Kreitler, C. M.** (2022). Human trafficking awareness among college students. Manuscript submitted to the Texas Office of the Governor, July, 2022.

Walker, J. & **Kreitler, C. M.** (2018). Attachment styles and perceptions of alcohol consumption among college students. *Psychology and Behavioral Science International Journal*, 8, DOI: 10.19080/PBSIJ.2018.08.555743

Trubenstein, B. P. & **Kreitler, C. M.** (2016). Overconfidence and personality traits. *Crius Journal (online)*.

Ocker, M. & **Kreitler, C. M.** (2015). Facial symmetry in college students. *Crius Journal (online)*.

Hansen, J. & **Kreitler, C. M.** (2014). Idealism, relativism and moral priorities. *Crius Journal*, 95-104.

Hansen, J., Smith, B., **Kreitler, C. M.** (2013). Calculating morality and decision making. *Crius Journal*, 1, 23-28.

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**Student Capstone Events**

Thesis Projects (Chair): 9

Thesis Committees: 14

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**Measurement Development**

Cognitive tool developer/assessment, (2009-current) ACED IT, Copyright 2009.

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**Over 20 Invited Addresses. Below are a selected few that are most recent:**

2022 – Invited Speaker, Junior Leadership Conference. I presented to hundreds of local high school students on the topic of leadership

2021 – Presenter, ASU Values Summit. I collected survey data and presented those results at the summit

2021–Invited Speaker, Mental Health Event for City of San Angelo, TX. I discussed importance of mental health and needs for San Angelo.

2020 – Invited Speaker, Connecting Community. Presented Former Foster Care Navigating Higher Education

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**Over 30 Conference Presentations/Papers** (furnished upon request)