

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

PGDip	Consciousness and Transpersonal psychology	Liverpool John Moore's University	2009
PhD	Psychology	University of Northampton/University of Leicester	2003
Mphil	Cognitive Science	University of Dundee	1999
BA (Hons)	Psychology	University of Wales, Swansea	1993

Employment

2011	Assistant professor of psychology	University of West Georgia
2010-2011	Visiting Assistant Professor of Psychiatry	University of Virginia
2010-2011	Senior Research Fellow	Rhine Research Center, Durham, NC
2001-2010	Senior Lecturer in Psychology	Liverpool Hope University, Liverpool, UK
1998-2001	Part time Lecturer in Psychology	University of Northampton/University of Leicester
1995-1997	Teaching Assistant	University of Wales, Bangor, Wales, UK.
1994	Research Associate (Health Psychology)	General Practice Research Unit, Gorseinon, Wales, UK (affiliated with Cardiff University)

Classes taught at UWG

Parapsychology PSYCH 4200

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Research Interests

Altered states of consciousness, in particular those related to sleep; synaesthesia and consciousness, mental health and the personality dimension schizotypy (and related measures), the psychology of anomalous and paranormal experiences; the psychology of paranormal belief and disbelief; transpersonal psychology.

Publications

- Holt, N., Simmonds-Moore, C., Luke, D. & French, C. (in press). *Anomalistic Psychology* (Palgrave Insights in Psychology series). Palgrave MacMillan.
- Simmonds-Moore, C.A. (in press). Overview and exploration of the state of play regarding health and exceptional experiences. Chapter to appear in C. Simmonds-Moore (Ed.). *Exceptional experience and health: Essays on mind, body and human potential*. Jefferson, NC: McFarland Press.
- Simmonds-Moore, C.A. (in press). Exploring ways of manipulating anomalous experiences for mental health and transcendence. Chapter to appear in C. Simmonds-Moore (Ed.). *Exceptional experience and health: Essays on mind, body and human potential*. Jefferson, NC: McFarland Press.
- Simmonds-Moore, C.A. (2009-2010). Sleep patterns, personality, and subjective anomalous experiences. *Imagination, Cognition and Personality*, 29(1), 71-86.
- Simmonds-Moore, C.A. (2010). A review of the relationship between anomalous and paranormal experiences and boundary thinness in the mind and brain. In M. D. Smith (Ed). *Anomalous Experiences: Essays from psychological and parapsychological perspectives*. Jefferson, NC: McFarland Press.
- Simmonds-Moore, C.A. (2010). Personality variables in spontaneous psi research: Contextualising the boundary construct in its relationship to spontaneous psi phenomena. (pp.151-215). In C.A. Roe, W. Kramer and L. Coly (Eds). *Proceedings of an International Conference Utrecht II: Charting the future of parapsychology*. New York: Parapsychology Foundation.
- Simmonds-Moore, C.A. & Moore, S. L. (2009). Exploring how gender role and boundary thinness relate to paranormal experiences, beliefs and performance on a forced choice clairvoyance task. *Journal of the Society For Psychical Research*, 73, 129-149.
- Simmonds-Moore, C. A & Holt, N, (2007). Trait, state and psi: An exploration of the interaction between individual differences, state preference and psi performance in the ganzfeld and waking ESP control. *Journal of the Society for Psychical Research*, 71, 197-215.
- Palmer, J. Simmonds-Moore, C. & Baumann, S. (2006). Geomagnetic fields and the relationship between human intentionality and the hemolysis of red blood cells. *Journal of Parapsychology*, 70, 275-302.
- Simmonds, C. A. & Fox, J. (2004). Note: A pilot investigation into sensory noise, schizotypy and extrasensory perception. *Journal of the Society for Psychical Research*, 68, 253-261.
- Murray, C.D., Howard, T., Fox, J., Caillette, F., Simmonds-Moore, C., & Wilde, D. (2002-2004). The design and implementation of the telepathic immersive virtual reality system. *International Journal of Parapsychology*, 13.
- Roe, C.A., Holt, N.J., & Simmonds C.A. (2003). Considering the sender as a PK agent in ganzfeld ESP studies. *Journal of Parapsychology*, 67, 129-145.

Sherwood, S.J., Roe, C.A., Simmonds, C.A., & Biles, C. (2001). An exploratory Investigation of dream precognition using consensus judging and static targets. *Journal of the Society for Psychical Research*, 66, 22-28.

Simmonds, C. A & Roe, C. A. (2000). Personality correlates of anomalous experiences, perceived ability and beliefs: Schizotypy, temporal lobe signs and gender. *Journal of Parapsychology*, 64 (3), 252-253.

Recent Conference Presentations

Simmonds-Moore, C. (June 2010). The relationship between anomaly-proneness and dreaming: Sleep Interjection Theory and beyond. Paper presented at the International Association for the Study of Dreams, Asheville, NC.

Simmonds-Moore, C. (September 2009). Exploring ways of manipulating anomalous experiences for mental health and transcendence. Paper presented at the meeting of the conference on Health, mental health and exceptional human experiences, Liverpool.

Simmonds-Moore, C. (August 2008). Benign Schizotypy: Investigating differences between clusters of schizotypy on paranormal belief, creativity, intelligence and mental health. Paper presented at the meeting of the Parapsychology Association and Society for Psychical Research, Winchester.

Simmonds-Moore, C. (August 2008). A qualitative investigation of spontaneous psychokinetic phenomena. Paper presented at the meeting of the Parapsychology Association and Society for Psychical Research, Winchester.

Invited Talks

Individual differences, pattern detection and the perception of weak and paranormal stimuli in random backdrops, Division of Perceptual Studies, University of Virginia, March, 2010.

Happy schizotypy and its relationship to believing in the paranormal, creativity and mental health, University of Central Lancashire, November 2008.

Personality variables in spontaneous psi research: Contextualising the boundary construct in its relationship to spontaneous psi phenomena, Utrecht, Holland, November, 2008.

Parapsychology and psychophysiology, Manchester Metropolitan University, Manchester, 2005.

Clinical psychology and parapsychology, Psychology Department, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC, 2004.

Of psi and mad men: An exploration of the overlap between psychopathology and psi, Parapsychology Association, 2003.

Recent Research Funding

Synaesthesia and anomalous experiences, Bial Foundation, 2010 (in progress).

Schizotypy, paranormal belief, and the perception of signals in randomness, Bial Foundation, 2009-2010

Schizotypy, latent inhibition, anomalous experiences and mental health (co PI: Dr. Nicola Holt, University of West of England), Bial Foundation, 2005.

Exploration of gender role, personality and paranormal belief and experiences, Perrott Warrick fund, 2004.

Professional Memberships

British Psychological Society
Parapsychology Association

Special Awards

Recipient of the 2007 D. Scott Rogo Award to write a book on a topic in Parapsychology (from the Parapsychology Foundation)

Recipient of the 2004 Frances P. Bolton post-doctoral fellowship (from the Parapsychology Foundation)

Recipient of the 2002 Gertrude Schmeidler Award for Outstanding Student contribution to Parapsychology (from the Parapsychology Association)

Editorial or Reviewing experience

Reviewer for *Qualitative Research in Psychology; Imagination, Cognition and Personality; European Journal of Parapsychology; Journal of Parapsychology* and the *Journal for Scientific Exploration*.

Program Chair for an international conference, including the coordination of a peer review process, and publication of a booklet of presented papers.

Editor of a collection of essays on Exceptional Experiences and Health (to be published by McFarland in 2011).

Other academic experience

Presented a research seminar to the psychology department at Liverpool Hope University titled "Challenging the cognitive deficits hypothesis: Healthy schizotypy, creativity, ESP and paranormal belief", November, 2008.

Organized an international conference on "Health, Mental Health and Exceptional Human Experiences", September, 2009.

Member of grant committee of two grant awards for the Parapsychology Association, 2009 onward.

Board Member of the Parapsychology Association, from July 2010.

External expert for a PhD student at University of Coventry, UK, from 2006.
External supervisor for a PhD student at Liverpool John Moores University,
(transpersonal psychology), UK, from 2009.
Currently organizing a conference on Clinical approaches to Exceptional
Experiences to take place in March, 2012

References

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