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Education

- 2020 PhD Social Work | Virginia Commonwealth University (VCU) | Richmond, VA
[Dissertation](#): “*Children’s Participation Rights in Child Welfare: Identifying Opportunities for Implementation*”
- 2012 MS applied Social Research | CUNY Hunter College | New York, NY
- Specialization: Research and Policy Analysis in the Public and Non-Profit Sector
 - Supplementary Training: GIS Practicum, Introduction to GIS Using Open Source Software
- 2005 BA Art History | Virginia Commonwealth University | Richmond, VA
- Concentration: Museum Studies
 - Honors: Cum Laude

Research Positions

- 2021 - Present *Assistant Research Scientist, African Programming and Research Institute to End Slavery, Center on Human Trafficking Research & Outreach, School of Social Work, University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia*
- 2017 - 2018 *Policy and Data Specialist, Office of Family Violence, Linking Systems of Care for Children and Youth (LSC) Demonstration Project, Virginia Department of Social Services, Richmond, VA*
- 2017 - 2015 *Graduate Research Assistant, School of Social Work, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA*
- 2013 - 2015 *Research Associate II, Department of Family Medicine and Population Health, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA*
- 2011-2012 *Research Intern, Sex Workers Project, Urban Justice Center, New York, NY*

Research Consultancies

- November 2019 & February 2020 *Focus Group Facilitator, Office of Family Violence, Linking Systems of Care for Children and Youth (LSC) Demonstration Project, Virginia Department of Social Services, Richmond, VA*
- October 2019 *Qualitative Training Consultation - Team-based coding in Atlas.ti, School of Social Work, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA*
- June 2014 - September 2014 *GIS Consultant, Coalition to Abolish Slavery and Trafficking (CAST), Los Angeles, CA (Remote)*
- June 2012 - September 2012 *GIS Consultant, Sex Workers Project, Urban Justice Center, New York, NY (Remote)*

Education Positions

- 2007 - 2011 *Museum Education Coordinator, Weeksville Heritage Center, Brooklyn, NY*
- 2007 - 2009 *Per Diem Museum Educator, Wyckoff Farmhouse, Brooklyn, NY*
- 2006 *Lead Teaching Assistant, Pre-School Team, The Faison Center for Children with Autism, Richmond, VA*
- 2005 - 2006 *After School Teacher, PreK-2nd Grade, St. Joseph's Villa for Children, Richmond, VA*
- 2004 - 2006 *History Center Teacher, The Valentine Richmond History Center Museum, Richmond, VA*

Publications

- Cuba, M. J., Massaro, V. R., Waters, C., Watson, S., **Cody, A. M.**, & Stemhagen, K. (2018). Beyond the label: Using a multilevel model of intersectionality to explore the educational experiences of Latino English learners. *Journal of Latinos and Education*. Advance Online Publication. <https://doi.org/10.1080/15348431.2018.1540351>

- McDonald, S. E., **Cody, A. M.**, Booth L. J. , Peers, J.R., Luce, C., Ascione, F.R., & Williams, J. H. (2018). Animal cruelty among children in violent households: Children's explanations of their behavior. *Journal of Family Violence*, 33(7), 469-480. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10896-018-9970-7>.
- Collins, E. A., **Cody, A. M.**, McDonald, S. E., Nicotera, N., Ascione, F. R., & Williams, J. H. (2017). A template analysis of intimate partner violence survivors' experiences of animal maltreatment: Implications for safety planning and intervention. *Violence Against Women*. Advance Online Publication. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1077801217697266>
- McDonald, S. E., **Cody, A.**, Collins, E., Stim, H., Nicotera, N., Ascione, F. R., & Williams, J.H. (2017). Concomitant exposure to animal abuse and socioemotional adjustment among children exposed to intimate partner violence: A mixed methods study. *Journal of Child & Adolescent Trauma*. Advance online publication. doi:10.1007/s40653-017-0176-6
- McDonald, S. E., Ma, L., Green, K. E., Hitti, S. A., **Cody, A.**, Donovan, C., Ascione, F. R., & Williams, J. H. (2017). Evaluation of the parent-report version of the Inventory of Callous-Unemotional Traits in a sample of children recruited from intimate partner violence services: A multidimensional Rasch analysis. *Journal of Clinical Psychology*. Advance online publication. doi: 10.1002/jclp.22497
- McDonald, S. E., Collins, E. A., **Maternick, A.**, Nicotera, N., Graham-Bermann, S., Ascione, F. R., & Williams, J. H. (2017). Intimate partner violence survivors' reports of their children's exposure to companion animal maltreatment: A qualitative study. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*, Advance Online Publication. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0886260516689775>
- McDonald, S. E., Corona, R., **Maternick, A.**, Ascione, F., Williams, J. H., & Graham-Bermann, S. (2016). Children's exposure to intimate partner violence and their social, school, and activities competence: Latent profiles and correlates. *Journal of Family Violence*, 31(7), 1-16. doi: 10.1007/s10896-016-9846-7
- McDonald, S. E., Graham-Bermann, S., **Maternick, A.**, Ascione, F., & Williams, J. H. (2016). Patterns of adjustment among children exposed to intimate partner violence: A person-centered approach. *Journal of Child & Adolescent Trauma*, 9(2), 1-16. doi: 10.1007/s40653-016-0079-y
- Etz, R. S., Keith, R. E., **Maternick, A. M.**, Stein, K. L., Sabo, R. T., Hayes, M. S., Sevak, P., ...Crosson, J. C. (2015). Supporting practices to adopt registry-based care (SPARC): protocol for a randomized controlled trial. *Implementation Science: Is*, 10. doi: 10.1186/s13012-015-0232-2

Maternick, A. & Ditmore, M. (2012). Sex, violence and the border: Trafficking for sex work from Mexico to the United States. In Molly Dragiewicz Ed., *Global human trafficking: Critical issues and contexts*, New York, NY: Routledge.

Reports

Cody, A.M. & Barbarji, K. (2018). *Perspectives about service access and quality in the Commonwealth. A report on the Linking Systems of Care for Children and Youth Listening Tour*. Richmond, Virginia: Virginia Department of Social Services. Accessible online at: www.virginiaheals.com.

Ditmore, M., **Maternick, A.**, and Zapert, K. (2012). *The road north: The role of gender, poverty and violence in trafficking from Mexico to the US*. New York, NY: Sex Workers Project at the Urban Justice Center. Accessible online at: <http://www.sexworkersproject.org/publications/reports/the-road-north/>

Presentations

Cody, A.M. (2019, April). *Building capacity for children's participation in child welfare care and safety planning*. Poster presentation at ResilienceCon, Nashville, TN.

Cody, A.M., & Shin, S. (2018, January). *Prevention resources, community capacity and child maltreatment: A hierarchical linear modeling analysis*. Presentation at the Society for Social Work Research Annual Conference, Washington, D.C.

Compton, K., & **Cody, A.M.** (2017, May). *Mapping the possibilities*. Presentation at the Thirteenth International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry in Champaign-Urbana, IL.

Maternick, A., & Shin, S. (2017, January). *Identifying communities which may benefit from targeted resources for child maltreatment prevention: A spatial and temporal analysis*. Poster session presentation at the Society for Social Work Research Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA.

Maternick, A., Stim, H.T., McDonald, S. E., Williams, J. H., & Ascione, F. R. (2016, July). *Understanding the impact of animal maltreatment exposure on children in households experiencing intimate partner violence: A mixed methods approach*. Poster session presentation at the international family violence and childhood victimization conference, Portsmouth, NH.

Maternick, A., Collins, E., McDonald, S.E., Nicotera, N., Williams, J.H., & Ascione, F. (2016, April). *Using qualitative template analysis to examine women's experiences of animal maltreatment in the context of intimate partner violence*. Poster session presented at the Virginia Commonwealth University graduate student association 19th annual research symposium and exhibit, Richmond, VA.

Maternick, A., McDonald, S. E., Williams, J.H., & Ascione, F. R. (2016, February). *Family violence and concomitant animal abuse: Creating a coordinated response through collaborative interprofessional education and practice*. Poster session presented at the 4th annual Emswiller interprofessional symposium: Leading interprofessional innovations in a changing world, Henrico, VA.

Collins, E., **Maternick, A.,** McDonald, S.E., Nicotera, N., Williams, J. H., & Ascione, F. (2016, January). *Women's experiences of companion animal maltreatment in the context of intimate partner violence: A qualitative study with implications for safety planning and intervention*. Poster session presented at the 20th annual program meeting of the Society for Social Work & Research, Washington DC.

Maternick, A., & Ditmore, M. (2012, December). *Stories of Escape: Findings from The Road North Study, an SWP project*. Presentation at the critical perspectives on Canadian anti-trafficking policy workshop, Ryerson University, Toronto, Canada.

Community Presentations

Baskin, S. & **Maternick, A.M.,** (2012, September). *The road north: The role of gender, poverty and violence in trafficking from Mexico to the US*. Press conference hosted by El Instituto para las Mujeres en la Migracin, AC (IMUMI), Mexico City, Mexico.

Baskin, S. & **Maternick, A.M.,** (2012, September). *The road north: The role of gender, poverty and violence in trafficking from Mexico to the US*. Meeting hosted by Centro Fray Julin Garcs, Derechos Humanos y Desarrollo Local A.C., City of Tlaxcala, Tlaxcala, Mexico.

Community Service

2017 - Present Reviewer: Children and Youth Services Review

2017 Circle Preschool Volunteer, Greater Richmond Stop Child Abuse Now, Richmond VA

2017 - 2018 Vice President, Doctoral Student Association, Virginia Commonwealth University, School of Social Work, Richmond, VA

Awards

2018 Hans Falck Doctoral Scholarship, Virginia Commonwealth University, School of Social Work, Richmond, VA

- 2018 Just Research Scholarship, 1st place poster award, School of Social Work, Richmond, VA
- 2017 School of Social Work Phi Kappa Phi Scholarship, Virginia Commonwealth University, Graduate School, Richmond, VA
- 2017 Just Research Scholarship, 3rd place poster award, School of Social Work Student Research Symposium, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA
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- 2016 Just Research Scholarship, 3rd place poster award, School of Social Work Student Research Symposium, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA
- 2016 School of Social Work Phi Kappa Phi Scholarship, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA

Research Software Proficiencies

- Proficient in qualitative software: Atlas.ti, MaxQDA, NVivo and Dedoose
- Proficient in quantitative/GIS software: SPSS, QGIS and GeoDA. Also, have experience with SAS and STATA.