

# Angelo Cusimano

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## POSITIONS HELD

**John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY** 2026  
Adjunct Lecturer, Intermediate Statistics

**Hostos Community College, CUNY** 2025-2026  
Graduate Fellow-Affiliated with the Hostos Research Center (HRC)

**Baruch College, CUNY**  
Adjunct Lecturer, Diversity in the Workplace 2025-2026  
Graduate Teaching Assistant, Research Methods 2022-2025

**The Graduate Center, CUNY** 2021-2026  
Graduate Research Assistant-Affiliated with John Jay College, CUNY  
Junior Scholar-Affiliated with the Stone Center on Socio-Economic Inequality (2025)

**Yale University, CT (remote)** 2021  
Research Assistant-Affiliated with the School of Management

**University of Virginia, VA** 2019-2021  
Lab Manager-Affiliated with the School of Leadership & Public Policy

**Cornell University, NY** 2019  
Research Assistant-Affiliated with the Survey Research Institute

**SUNY Stony Brook University, NY** 2016-2019  
Research Assistant-Affiliated with the College of Business

## SELECTED RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

**Research Consultant** October 2025 – Present  
Zebra Strategies, Harlem, NY (remote)

- Lead public-facing research and strategy UX and public health projects (under NDA)
- Partner with cross-sector stakeholders to design outreach strategies for underserved populations
- Translate complex research findings into accessible reports and campaign-ready materials
- Produce 20+ case studies informing community engagement and public communication strategies

**Research Manager** August 2021 – Present  
CUNY Graduate Center - Stone Center Affiliate

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- Design and lead mixed-methods research on health disparities, identity, and structural inequality, including healthcare access among U.S. Multiracial populations and women
- Translate academic findings into policy-relevant insights for institutional and public audiences
- Secure competitive funding (\$12K) and contribute to grant proposals focused on equity and impact
- Manage research dissemination, IRB compliance, and stakeholder coordination across projects

**Instructor**

August 2022 – Present

CUNY Baruch College & John Jay College of Criminal Justice

- Teach undergraduate and graduate courses on research methods, statistics (SPSS, R), and workplace diversity (online, asynchronous) with a focus on real-world application and social impact
- Mentor 100+ students, supporting projects on inequality, education, and public policy issues
- Facilitate workshops on communicating research to non-technical and public audiences
- Support course administration including grading, curriculum organization, and student coordination

**Lab Manager & Research Assistant**

August 2019 – 2021

University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA

- Managed multi-site behavioral and policy-relevant research projects examining policy attitudes
- Supervised and coordinated 30+ research assistants, including training, scheduling, and workflow
- Oversaw participant recruitment, engagement, and compliance with IRB and institutional protocols
- Managed \$30K annual research budget, including participant payments and reimbursements
- Supported collaboration between faculty, students, and external stakeholders across research initiatives
- Maintained organization of research documentation, datasets, and dissemination materials

**EDUCATION**

**The Graduate Center, CUNY**

2021-2026

PhD, Basic and Applied Social Psychology

Master of Philosophy, Basic and Applied Social Psychology

MA, Basic and Applied Social Psychology

\*Advanced Certificate in LGBTQ Studies, The Graduate Center, CUNY (2025)

**Stony Brook University, SUNY**

BA, Psychology and Political Science, **Summa Cum Laude**

2016-2019

\*Study Abroad Program - Rome, Italy (2017)

**HONORS & AWARDS**

CUNY Psychology Research and Travel Award (\$480)

2025

CUNY Academy Travel Award (\$500)

2025

CUNY Psychology Research and Travel Award (\$600)

2025

CUNY Stone Center on Socio-Economic Inequality Award (\$5,000)

2024

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CUNY University Fellowship (\$900)	2024
CUNY Psychology Research and Travel Award (\$900)	2024
CUNY John Jay College Psychology Travel Award (\$605)	2024
CUNY Doctoral Student Research Grant (\$1,000)	2023
CUNY Amie James Science Travel Award (\$1,000)	2023
CUNY Fifth Annual Psychology Student Travel Award (\$250)	2021
CUNY Graduate Center Fellowship (approx. \$100,000)	2021-2026
SPSP Graduate Travel Award (\$500)	2021
Point Foundation Scholarship Semi-Finalist	2021, 2022
Yale University Organizational-Behavior Internship (\$5,000)	2020
Cornell University Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship	2019
SPSP Undergraduate Registration Award (\$100)	2019
SUNY Stony Brook University Phi Beta Kappa	2019
SUNY Stony Brook University Psi Chi Honor Society	2018-2019
SUNY Stony Brook University Outstanding Academic Achievement Award	2017, 2019
SUNY Stony Brook University Dean's List (awarded every semester)	2016-2019

## GRANTS

CUNY Doctoral Student Research Grant (\$800)	2025
Multidisciplinary Multiracial Research Small Research Grant (\$600)	2024
SPSP Community Catalyst Grant-Intersectionality Working Group (\$1,000)	2023
CUNY Futures Initiative Equity & Social Justice Grant (\$500)	2023
CUNY Doctoral Student Research Grant (\$1,000)	2023
SPSP Community Catalyst Grant-Here and Queer (\$1,000)	2021
CUNY Student Emergency Grant (\$1,000)	2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025
SPSP Community Catalyst Grant-Network for Multiracial Scholars (\$1,100)	2020

## SELECTED PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

**Cusimano, A.** (in prep). Invisibility at the Intersections: Toward a New Model of Multiracial Women's Identity Threat and Belonging.

**Myer, A., & Wout, D. A.** (in prep). Shifting Concerns: How Contextual Cues Shape White People's Interactions with Black-White Biracial People.

\*Hudson, S. K. T. J., **Myer, A.**, & Berney, E. C. (2024). Stereotyping, prejudice, and discrimination at the intersection of race and gender: An intersectional theory primer. *Social and Personality Psychology Compass*, 18(2), e12939.

**\*Recognized as one of the 10 most-cited papers published by the journal (2024)**

Azevedo, F., Pavlović, T., Rêgo, G. G., Ay, F. C., Gjoneska, B., Etienne, T. W., **Myer, A.**, ... & Huang, G. (2023). Social and moral psychology of COVID-19 across 69 countries. *Scientific Data*, 10(1), 272.

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Pavlović, T., Azevedo, F., De, K., Riaño-Moreno, J. C., Maglić, M., Gkinopoulos, T., ... **Myer, A.**, ... & Keudel, O. (2022). Predicting attitudinal and behavioral responses to the COVID-19 pandemic using machine learning. *PNAS nexus*, 1(3), pgac093.

Van Bavel, J. J., **Myer, A.**, ... & Boggio, P. S. (2021). National identity predicts public health support during a global pandemic. *Nature Communications*, 13(1), 1-14.

Tierney, W., Hardy III, J., Ebersole, C. R., Viganola, D., Clemente, E. G., Gordon, M., ... & **Culture & Work Morality Forecasting Collaboration.** (2021). A creative destruction approach to replication: Implicit work and sex morality across cultures. *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology*, 93, 104060.

## **PUBLIC WRITING**

From the Board: SPSP Members Advocate for Social Science Research on Capitol Hill. [Blog](#).

LaFlamme, M., **Cusimano, A.**, & Wang, S. (2025). Because If We Don't Advocate for the Future of our Field, Who Will?: Reflections from COSSA's 2025 Social Science Advocacy Day. Available online at Why Social Science? [Blog](#).

**Cusimano, A.** (2023). No Policia, Mas Comida! Nourishing Minds, Not Policing Spaces. Available online at Spark: Elevating Scholarship on Social Issues. [Blog](#).

**Myer, A.** (2020). White Women, What You Doing (WYD)? Available online at the Social Science Research Network (SSRN). [https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract\\_id=3602000](https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=3602000)

**Myer, A.** (2020). Understanding Same-Sex Marriage in the U.S. Available online at the SSRN. [https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract\\_id=3601935](https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=3601935)

## **SELECTED TALKS**

**Cusimano, A.** (2026). Reimagining Identity: Intersectional Frameworks for an Inclusive Psychological Science. Talk presented at the Hostos Community College HRC.

**Cusimano, A.** (2025). Reimagining Identity: Intersectional Frameworks for an Inclusive Psychological Science. Keynote address presented at the European Association of Social Psychology (EASP) Small Group Meeting on Intersectionality and Multiple Group Categorization, Germany.

**Myer, A.** (2022). On Intersectionality: Integrating Critical Theories and Methods as a PhD Student. Talk presented online at the RIOT Science Club, Rotterdam (remote). **\*Available on Youtube**

**Myer, A.** (2022). The Politics of Identity. Talk presented online at St. Norbert College (remote).

**Myer, A.** (2021). Wealth as Responsibility: Examining Cross-Cultural Differences in Behavioral Tax Response.

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Talk presented online at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln (remote).

### **SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

**Cusimano, A.** (2025). Interwoven Identities: Examining U.S. Multiracial Women's Experiences. Poster presented at the CUNY Psychology Research Day Conference, New York, NY.

**Myer, A., Valen, B., & Adams, A.** (2025). Intersectionality Working Group Roundtable. Roundtable unconference session presented at the SPSP Conference, Denver, CO.

**Myer, A., & Kearse, T. A.** (2025). Bridging the Rainbow: Queering Generations for Collective Empowerment. Roundtable unconference session presented at the SPSP Conference, Denver, CO.

**Myer, A.** (2024). Intersectionality Working Group. Roundtable session presented at the SPSP Conference, San Diego, CA.

**Myer, A.** (2023). Crushing PhD applications! Professional development session presented at the Midwestern Psychological Association Conference, Chicago, IL.

**Myer, A.** (2023). Et tu, Biracials? Examining perceptions of Biracial people via interracial interactions. Poster presented at the SPSP Conference, Atlanta, GA.

**Myer, A.** (2022). On Intersectionality and Scientific Rigor: Addressing the Grand Challenges of Psychological Science. Talk presented at the CUNY Psychology Research Day Conference, New York, NY (remote).

**Myer, A.** (2022). Et tu, Biracials? Examining U.S. Black-White Biracials' Racial Neighborhood Preferences. Flash talk presented at the 6CC Conference, New York, NY (remote).

**Myer, A.** (2022). On Intersectionality and Scientific Rigor: Addressing the Grand Challenges Facing Psychological Science. Talk presented at the University of Virginia Diversifying Scholarship Conference, Charlottesville, VA (remote).

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

#### **John Jay College, CUNY**

2026

Instructor on Record: Intermediate Statistics (PSY 769)

\*Affiliated with the Psychology MA program

#### **Baruch College, CUNY**

2022-Present

Instructor on Record: Diversity in the Workplace (PSY 4010)

Graduate Teaching Assistant: Research Methods in Psychology (PSY 3001)

#### **Stony Brook University, SUNY**

2019

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant: Introduction to American Politics (POL 102)

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant: Introduction to Stony Brook University (SBU 101)

**Stony Brook University, SUNY**

2017-2019

Peer Academic Success Coach Tutor: Academic Success and Tutoring Center

### **RECENT PROJECTS**

- **Trans Health HQ (2025):** Served as a consultant for an online transgender health resource hub; developed Instagram Reels highlighting lived experiences with hormone replacement therapy, gender-affirming care, and healthcare system navigation
- **Community Health Needs Assessment (2025):** Participated in focus groups in collaboration with the Brooklyn Community Pride Center and New York Academy of Medicine; contributed to informing NewYork-Presbyterian's LGBTQ+ engagement and outreach strategies
- **Gen Z Voter Perspectives (2024):** Designed and facilitated focus groups; synthesized qualitative findings on political and cultural attitudes among Gen Z voters for a small research and consulting firm
- **Health Risk Surveys (2019):** Conducted telephone-based health screenings assessing cancer and cardiovascular risk in Brooklyn residents in partnership with NewYork-Presbyterian

### **SERVICE TO THE FIELD**

#### **Consortium of Social Science Associations (COSSA)**

- Member, Advocate, Social Science Advocacy Day (2024, 2025), sponsored by SPSP

#### **Society for Personality and Social Psychology (SPSP)**

- Chair, Student Member Network Committee (2025-2028)
- Reviewer, Awards Committee (2023-2026)
- Co-Chair, NOMS Accessibility Awards Committee (2021), Distributed \$800 to offset conference attendance costs during the COVID-19 pandemic
- Co-Founder of the Network for Multiracial Scholars (NOMS), Here and Queer (HQ), and the Intersectionality Working Group (2020-2026)
- Co-Moderator of the Student Writing Groups (2020-2023)

#### **CUNY Graduate Center**

- Mentor/Fellow, Hostos Research Center (HRC) Junior Scholars Program (2025)
- Judge, Winter and Summer Research Symposium (2022)
- Social Media Coordinator, Basic and Applied Social Psychology PhD program (2021)

### **ADDITIONAL SKILLS**

- Foundational knowledge of governmental regulations and compliance standards
- Strong accounting and financial tracking skills
- Proficiency in project management and laboratory coordination
- Experience with research and data analysis software, as well as creating, managing, and interpreting statistical reports (SPSS, R)