


## CURRICULUM VITAE

**LIA NOWER**

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

Work Address: Center for Gambling Studies  
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### EDUCATION

2000	Ph.D., Social Work George Warren Brown School, Washington University
1999	M.A., Communication, St. Louis University
1996	M.S.W., George Warren Brown School, Washington University
1985	J.D., Law, St. Louis University Law School
1982	B.A. (Honors), English and Communication, Summa Cum Laude, St. Louis University

### ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2014-present	Professor, School of Social Work, Rutgers University
2013-present	Co-Director, Addiction Counselor Training (ACT) Certificate Program
2011-present	Department Chair, Reappointment, Promotion, and Tenure, School of Social Work, Rutgers University
2007-present	Director, Center for Gambling Studies
2006-present	Associate Professor, School of Social Work, Rutgers University (tenure effective 1/1/2007)

Joint Appointment, Center on Alcohol Studies, ongoing since 2006

- 2006 Associate Professor (with tenure), School of Social Work, University of Missouri–St. Louis
- 2000-2005 Assistant Professor, School of Social Work, University of Missouri–St. Louis
- 2000-2005 Faculty Fellow, Center for International Studies, University of Missouri–St. Louis

**OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIVITIES:**

Chair, Peer Review Committee, 2013 (to chair 6 committees, author 6 reports); 2012 (chaired 4 committees, authored 7 reports), 2010 (chaired 1 committee, authored 1 report)

Lead teacher, MSW Addictions faculty (New Brunswick, Camden and Newark campuses), 2006-present

Chair, Rules of Procedure Committee, 2008-present

Director, Law-Social Work Joint Degree Program, 2008-2012

Visiting Scholar and Research Consultant, Gambling Research Unit, University of Sydney, Summer (2001, 2004, 2007-2009); December 2003-January 2004

Co-Editor, *International Gambling Studies*, 2005-present

Consulting Editor, *Social Work Research*, 2008-present

Editorial Board, *Journal of Gambling Issues*, 2003–2011

International Advisory Board, *Gaming Research and Review Journal*, 2008-present

Editorial Board, *Journal of Activities, Assignments & Handouts in Psychotherapy Practice*, 2001-2003

## PUBLICATIONS

\* indicates publication with undergraduate, graduate or post-doctoral student

### A. EDITED BOOKS

Richard, D.C.S., Blaszczynski, A., & Nower, L. (Eds). *The Wiley-Blackwell handbook of disordered gambling*. (in press) NY: Wiley-Blackwell. 504 pages.

### B. ARTICLES IN REFEREED JOURNALS

Nower, L., Eyrich-Garg, K. M., Pollio, D. E., & North, C. S. (2014). Problem gambling and homelessness: Results from an epidemiologic study. *Journal of Gambling Studies*, 1-13.

\*Gupta, R., Nower, L., Derevensky, J., Blaszczynski, A., Faregh, M. & Temcheff, C. (In Press). Problem gambling in adolescents: An examination of the Pathways Model. *Journal of Gambling Studies*, 29, 575-588.

\*Nower, L., Martins, S.S., Lin, K-H, & Blanco, C. (2013). Subtypes of disordered gamblers: Results from the National Epidemiologic Survey on Alcohol and Related Conditions (NESARC). *Addiction*, 108, 789-798.  
**Featured in:** Division on Addiction, Harvard Medical School (March 6, 2013). Three roads to pain: Testing the pathways model for problem gambling. *The WAGER*, 18(3). Retrieved from <http://www.basionline.org/2013/03/the-wager-vol-183-three-roads-to-pain-testing-the-pathways-model-for-problem-gambling.html>

Clark, C. Nower, L., & Walker, D.M. (2013). The relationship of ADHD symptoms to gambling behavior in the USA: Results from the National Longitudinal Study of Adolescent Health. *International Gambling Studies*, 13, 37-51.

Blaszczynski, A., Collins, P., Fong, D., Ladouceur, R., Nower, L., Shaffer, H. J., Tavares, H., Venisse, J-L (2011). Responsible gambling: General principles and minimal requirements. *Journal of Gambling Studies*, 27, 565-573. [Authorship alphabetical]

Blaszczynski, A. & Nower, L. (2010). Instrumental tool or drug: Relationship between attitudes to money and problem gambling. *Addiction Research and Theory*, 18, 681-691.

Nower, L. & Blaszczynski, A. (2010). Gambling motivations, money-limiting strategies, and precommitment preferences of problem versus non-problem gamblers. *Journal of Gambling Studies*, 26, 361-372.  
**Featured in:** Division on Addiction, Harvard Medical School (April 7, 2010). Problem gambling associations: Gambling motivations and perceptions of money-limiting strategies. *The WAGER*, 15(3). Retrieved from <http://www.basionline.org/2010/04/>

- Wiggins, L., Nower, L., Sanchez-Mayers, R., & Peterson, N.A. (2010). A geospatial statistical analysis of the density of lottery outlets within ethnically concentrated neighborhoods. *Journal of Community Psychology, 38*, 486-496.
- \*Monaghan, S., Blaszczynski, A., & Nower, L. (2009). Do warning signs on electronic gaming machines influence cognitions? *Psychological Reports, 105*, 173-187.
- \*Monaghan, S., Blaszczynski, A., & Nower, L. (2009). Consequences of winning: The role of gambling outcomes in the development of irrational beliefs. *Behavioral and Cognitive Psychotherapy, 37*, 49-59.
- Nower, L. & Blaszczynski, A. (2008). Recovery in pathological gambling: An imprecise concept. *Substance Use and Misuse, 43*, 1844-64.
- Blaszczynski, A., Walker, M., Sharpe, L., & Nower, L. (2008). Withdrawal and tolerance phenomenon in gambling. *International Gambling Studies, 8*, 179-192.
- Nower, L. & Blaszczynski, A. (2008) Characteristics of gamblers ages 56 and older: A statewide study of casino gamblers who self-exclude. *Psychology and Aging, 23*, 577-584.  
**Featured in:** *APA Monitor* (November 2008), 39(10) 12.  
 Subject of a press release from the American Psychological Association
- Blaszczynski, A., Ladouceur, R., Nower, L., & Shaffer, H.J. (2008). Informed choice and gambling: Principles for consumer protection. *Journal of Gaming Business and Economics, 2*, 103-108. [Authorship alphabetical]
- Maccallum, F., Blaszczynski, A., Ladouceur, R. & Nower, L. (2007). Functional and dysfunctional impulsivity in pathological gambling. *Journal of Personality and Individual Differences, 43*, 1829-38.
- Blaszczynski, A., Ladouceur, R., & Nower, L. (2007). Self-exclusion: A proposed gateway to treatment model. *International Gambling Studies, 7*, 59-71. [Authorship alphabetical]
- Nower, L. & Blaszczynski, A. (2006). Impulsivity and gambling: A descriptive model. *International Gambling Studies, 6*, 61-75.
- Nower, L. & Blaszczynski, A. (2006). Characteristics and gender differences in casino self-excluders: Missouri data. *Journal of Gambling Studies, 22*, 82-99.
- Nower, L., Derevensky, J.L., & Gupta, R. (2004). The relationship of impulsivity, sensation seeking, coping, & substance use in youth gamblers. *Psychology of Addictive Behaviors, 18*, 49-55.  
**Featured in:** Division on Addiction, Harvard Medical School (November 10, 2004). Coping – Does style matter? *The WAGER, 9(45)*. Retrieved from <http://www.basionline.org/2004/11/10/>

- Nower, L., Gupta, R., Blaszczynski, A., & Derevensky, J.L.** (2004). Suicidal ideation among youth problem gamblers. *International Gambling Studies, 4*, 69-80.
- Nower, L. & Blaszczynski, A.** (2004). The Pathways Model as harm minimization for youth gamblers in educational settings. *Child & Adolescent Social Work Journal, 21*, 25-45.
- Nower, L.** (2003). Pathological gambling in the workplace: A primer for employers. *Employee Assistance Quarterly (now Journal of Workplace Behavioral Health), 18*, 55-72.
- Nower, L. & Blaszczynski, A.** (2003). Binge gambling: A neglected concept. *International Gambling Studies, 3*, 25-35.
- Blaszczynski, A. & Nower, L.** (2002). A Pathways Model of problem and pathological gambling. *Addiction, 97*, 487-500.  
**Featured in:** Division on Addiction, Harvard Medical School (January 8, 2003). Psychological profiling: classification and the problem gambler. *The WAGER, 8*(2). Retrieved from <http://www.basisonline.org/2003/01/the-wager-vol-3.html>
- Blaszczynski, A. & Nower, L.** (2002). Imaginal desensitisation: A relaxation-based technique for impulse control disorders. *Journal of Clinical Activities, Assignments & Handouts in Psychotherapy Practice, 2*, 1-14.
- Howard, M.O., McMillen, C., Nower, L., Elze, D., Edmond, T., & Bricout, J.** (2002) Denial in addiction: Toward an integrative stage and process model. *Journal of Psychoactive Drugs, 34*, 371-382.
- McMillen, C., Howard, M.O., Nower, L., & Chung, S.** (2001). Positive by-products of the struggle with chemical dependency. *Journal of Substance Abuse Treatment, 20*, 69-79.

### C. BOOK CHAPTERS

- Blaszczynski, A. & Nower, L.** (2013). Cognitive-behavioural therapy: Translating research into clinical practice (In Press). In D.C.S. Richard, A. Blaszczynski, & L. Nower (Eds.), *The Wiley-Blackwell Handbook of Disordered Gambling* (pp. 204-224). NY: Wiley-Blackwell.
- \***Lister, J.J. & Nower, L.** (2013). Gambling and older adults. In D.C.S. Richard, A. Blaszczynski, & L. Nower (Eds.), *The Wiley-Blackwell Handbook of Disordered Gambling*, (pp. 347-360). NY: Wiley-Blackwell.
- Nower, L. & Blaszczynski, A.** (2013). Legal and financial issues and disordered gambling. In D.C.S. Richard, A. Blaszczynski, & L. Nower (Eds.), *The Wiley-Blackwell Handbook of Disordered Gambling*, (pp. 386-399). NY: Wiley-Blackwell.

- Nower, L.** (2013). Research directions and unanswered questions in the treatment of disordered gambling: Results of an empirical study. In D.C.S. Richard, A. Blaszczynski, & L. Nower (Eds.), *The Wiley-Blackwell Handbook of Disordered Gambling*, (pp. 427-444). NY: Wiley-Blackwell.
- Nower, L.** (2010). Imaginal desentization for problem gamblers. In H.R. Rosenthal (Ed.), *Favorite counseling and therapy techniques* (pp. 245-249). New York: Taylor-Francis.
- Nower, L.** (2010). Digging out of the hole: Self-sabotage and the problem gambler. In H.R. Rosenthal (Ed.), *Favorite counseling and therapy homework assignments, classic anniversary edition* (pp. 269-273). New York: Taylor-Francis.
- \*Nower, L. & Lister, J.J.** (2009). Problem gambling: Then and now. In I. Posner & B.R. Tyrrell (Eds.), *Casino gambling in Atlantic City: A 30-year retrospective* (pp. 64-77). New Jersey: Comteq Publishing.
- Blaszczynski, A. & Nower, L.** (2007). Research and measurement issues in gambling studies: Etiological models. In G.J. Smith, D. Hodgins, & R. Williams (Eds.), *Research and measurement issues in gambling studies* (pp. 323-339). San Diego: Elsevier.
- Blaszczynski, A. & Nower, L.** (2005). Gambling and impulse disorders. In F. Andrasik (Ed.), *Comprehensive handbook of personality and psychopathology – Volume Two: Adult Psychopathology* (pp. 370-388). New York: John Wiley & Sons.
- Nower, L. & Blaszczynski, A.** (2004). A pathways approach to treating youth gamblers. In J. Derevensky & R. Gupta (Eds.), *Gambling problems in youth: Theoretical and applied perspectives* (pp. 189-209). New York: Kluwer Academic.
- National Research Council.** (2003). Primary research contributor to Chapter 5, “Social and Economic Effects” in: *Pathological gambling: A critical review* (pp. 156-191). Washington, D.C.: National Academies Press.

#### D. TECHNICAL REPORTS

- Nower, L.** (2009). *National priorities for problem gambling research: Future directions*. A report to the National Council on Problem Gambling.
- Nower, L. & Blaszczynski, A.** (2009). *Final Report*. A report to gaming regulators in South Australia.
- Blaszczynski, A., Ladouceur, R., & Nower, L.** (2006). *Informed choice: Issues in effective information dissemination*. A report to the Australian Gaming Council.
- Blaszczynski, A., Ladouceur, R., & Nower, L.** (2004). *Current issues: Self-exclusion – a gateway to treatment*. A report to the Australian Gaming Council.

#### E. COLUMNS IN REFEREED JOURNALS

- Nower, L.** (2001). Practitioners in the trenches: Advice and adage. An interview with Dr. Alex Blaszczynski. *Journal of Clinical Activities, Assignments & Handouts in Psychotherapy Practice, 1(1)*, 109-114.
- Nower, L.** (2001). Practitioners in the trenches: Advice and adage. An interview with Dr. Wade Luquet. *Journal of Clinical Activities, Assignments & Handouts in Psychotherapy Practice, 1(2)*, 79-86.

#### F. PUBLIC POLICY REPORTS

- Nower, L.** (2001). Legal implications of decisions to self-ban: Access versus privacy. *The Gambling Report, 1(3)*, 35, 38.
- Nower, L.** (2000). Criminal acts committed by compulsive gamblers affect families. *The Gambling Report, 1(2)*, 19-20.
- Nower, L.** (2000). Legal implications for spouses and children of compulsive gamblers. *The Gambling Report, 1(1)*, 5-6.
- Blaszczynski, A. & **Nower, L.** (2000). Problem gambling as a risk factor for suicide. *The Gambling Report, 1(1)*, 13-14.

#### G. BOOK AND OTHER REVIEWS

- Nower, L.** (2007). Cognitive behavioral treatment for problem gambling. *PsycCRITIQUES, 52(33)*.
- Nower, L.** (2006). Two for the show. *PsycCRITIQUES, 51(24)*.
- Nower, L.** (2005). The facets of problem gambling: Evaluating treatment-related research. *PsycCRITIQUES, 50(41)*.
- Nower, L.** (2005). The fool and the thief: One man's take on the economics of gambling. *PsycCRITIQUES, 50 (1)*.
- Nower, L.** (2005). Who's really owning Mahowny? *PsycCRITIQUES, 50 (15)*.

#### H. CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

- Nower, L.** & Blaszczynski, A. (2001). *A Pathways approach to treating problem gamblers*. Proceedings from the National Association for Gambling Studies, Conference 2001: Culture and Gambling Phenomenon, Sydney, Australia.

Anderson, C.W. & Nower, L. (1997). *Spirituality and gambling*. Proceedings from the 10<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Gambling and Risk Taking. Institute for the Study of Gambling and Commercial Gaming, University of Nevada, Reno.

WORK UNDER REVIEW

Nower, L., Eyrich-Garg, K., Pollio, D., & North, C. Problem gambling and homelessness: An epidemiologic study. Manuscript submitted for publication.

## FUNDED GRANTS

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| 2012-2014 | Co-Principal Investigator: <i>A Comparative Study of Men and Women Gamblers in Victoria: Product Preferences, Styles of Play, and Risk and Protective Factors</i> . Victorian Department of Justice, (N. Hing (PI), T. Tolchard & E. Nuske (Co-PIs), \$109,985.  |
| 2011-2014 | Principal Investigator: <i>The Relationship of Goal Setting, Emotional State, and Decision Making Under Risk in Electronic Gaming Machine Players</i> . Canadian Ministry of Health through the Ontario Problem Gambling Research Centre, (with M. Wohl, co-PI), \$165,840.                                |
| 2008-2015 | Principal Investigator: <i>Pathways Model Questionnaire: Development and Validation</i> . Canadian Ministry of Health through the Ontario Problem Gambling Research Centre, \$536,772.   |
| 2008      | Principal Investigator, <i>Pathways Model Questionnaire: Preparation for Development and Validation</i> . Canadian Ministry of Health through the Ontario Problem Gambling Research Centre, \$36,233.  |
| 2007-2009 | Co-Principal Investigator, <i>Differences in Attitudes Toward Money Between Sub-Groups of Gamblers: Implications for Smart-Card Technologies and an Exploration of the Tool and Drug Theories of Money in Gambling</i> , Department of Treasury, Queensland Government, (with A. Blaszczyński), \$174,000. |
| 2006-2009 | Co-Principal Investigator, <i>Problem Gambling in Adolescents: An Examination of the Pathways Model</i> . Canadian Ministry of Health through the Ontario Problem Gambling Research Centre, (with R. Gupta, J.L. Derevensky, A. Blaszczyński), \$180,000.  |



- 2006-2008 Principal Investigator, *Examining the Pathways Model in Adults: From Theory to Evaluation*. Canadian Ministry of Health through the Ontario Problem Gambling Research Centre, \$180,000.
- 2005-2008 Co-Principal Investigator, *Binging Behavior in Youth: An exploratory Study Across Addictions*. Canadian Ministry of Health through the Ontario Problem Gambling Research Centre, (with L.M. Pratt, J.L. Derevensky, R.Gupta), \$174,000.
- 2004-2005 Principal Investigator, *Innovations in Teaching Practice (Addictions) with Older Adults*, John A. Hartford Foundation, \$750.
- 2004-2005 Principal Investigator, *Evaluating Harm Reduction Strategies in New South Wales: Response to the IPART Report*. University of Missouri Research Grant, \$11,481.
- 2002-2004 Principal Investigator, *A Comparison of Two Treatments for Problem Gambling: Cognitive Behavioural Therapy and Imaginal Desensitisation*, University of Missouri Small Grant Competition, \$12,000.
- 1998-1999 Principal Investigator, *Risk and Resiliency Factors in Youth Gamblers*, U.S.-Canadian Fulbright Commission, \$15,000.

### **SELECTED AWARDS, HONORS, AND FELLOWSHIPS**

Center for Gambling Studies selected as a Rutgers University priority funding area by the Rutgers Foundation, 2007.

NIH Summer Institute on the Design and Development of Quantitative Research on Social Work Intervention in Health, Chapel Hill, N.C., 2006.

Most Accommodating Faculty Member, finalist, Students with Disabilities Association, UM-St. Louis, 2005.

Meritorious Service Award, Students with Disabilities Association, UM-St. Louis, 2001,2002.

Christine Mirzayan Intern, National Research Council, The National Academies, Washington, D.C., 1999.

Fulbright Research Scholar, McGill University, Montreal, Canada, 1998-1999.

Pre-Doctoral Research Award, National Institute of Mental Health,  
Center for Mental Health Services Research, Washington University, George Warren  
Brown School of Social Work 1996-2000.

Phi Beta Kappa, 1982.

## PRESENTATIONS

\* indicates publication with undergraduate, graduate or post-doctoral student

### A. JURIED CONFERENCE PAPERS AND WORKSHOPS

- 2013 **Nower, L.,** Martins, S.S., Lin, K-H, & Blanco, C. *Exploring the Pathways Model subtypes in an nationally-representative U.S. sample [SPECIAL SESSION]*. Paper presented at the 15<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Gambling & Risk Taking. Las Vegas, NV.
- 2013 Lister, J.J., **Nower, L.,** & Wohl, M.J.A. *The relationship of vulnerability factors and persistence during slot machine play*. Paper presented at the 15<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Gambling & Risk Taking. Las Vegas, NV.
- 2013 Lister, J.J., **Nower, L.,** & Wohl, M.J.A. *Goal setting, chasing and persistence during slot machine play*. Paper presented at the 15<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Gambling & Risk Taking. Las Vegas, NV.
- 2012 **Nower, L.** *Recovery: An imprecise concept*. Paper presented at the National Center for Responsible Gaming Annual Conference. Las Vegas, NV.
- 2010 **Nower, L.** *Older adults who ban themselves from casinos: A statewide analysis*. Paper presented at the Society for Social Work Research Annual Conference. San Francisco, CA.
- 2010 **Nower, L.,** Wiggins, L., Sanchez-Mayers, R. & Peterson, A. *The relationship of lottery outlet density to income and race/ethnicity in Middlesex County, New Jersey*. Paper presented at the Society for Social Work Research Annual Conference. San Francisco, C.A.
- 2010 Gupta, R., Blaszczynski, A., **Nower, L.,** Derevensky, J., & Faregh, M. *Uncovering the different subtypes of problem gamblers: An empirical testing of the Pathways Model and its clinical implications*. Paper presented at the California Gambling Training Summit, Sacramento, CA.

- 2009 **Nower, L.** *A family systems approach to fostering change and enhancing recovery in problem gamblers with or without co-morbid substance use disorders.* Paper presented at the Midwest Conference on Problem Gambling and Substance Abuse: Roads to Recovery, St. Louis, MO.
- 2009 **Nower, L.** *Setting the national agenda for problem gambling research.* Paper presented at the 14<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking, Lake Tahoe, NV.
- 2009 Fong, T.A., Christiansen, T., & **Nower, L.** *Where does the money come from and where does it go? The 2009 update on publicly funded services for problem gamblers.* Paper presented at the 14<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking, Lake Tahoe, NV.
- 2009 **Nower, L.** & Blaszczynski, A. *A statewide study on older adults who ban themselves from casinos.* Paper presented at the 14<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking, Lake Tahoe, NV.
- 2009 Lister, J.J. & **Nower, L.** *Motivations for gambling: A logotherapeutic perspective on the origins of excess.* Paper presented at the 14<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking, Lake Tahoe, NV.
- 2008 **Nower, L.** *Stacking the deck: Incorporating gambling education into the social work curriculum.* Paper presented at the meeting of the Council on Social Work Education Annual Program meeting, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2008 Gupta, R., Blaszczynski, A., Derevensky, J & **Nower, L.** *A preliminary examination of the Pathways Model in adolescents.* National Council on Problem Gambling Annual Conference. Long Beach, CA.
- 2008 **Nower, L.,** Feeney, D., Bernhardt, B. & Cox, S. *What we don't know about problem gambling but should.* National Council on Problem Gambling Annual Conference. Long Beach, CA.
- 2008 **Nower, L.** and Blaszczynski, A. *Development of the Pathways Model Questionnaire: Implications of etiological sub-types for individualized treatment.* Paper presented at the International Gambling Conference: Looking Forward - New Directions in Research and Minimising Public Harm. Auckland, NZ.
- 2008 **Nower, L.,** Eyrich-Garg, K., Pollio, D. & North, C. *Problem gambling and homelessness: Prevalence of mental health problems and patterns of substance use.* Paper presented at the Society for Social Work Research Annual Conference. Washington D.C.

- 2008 Howard, M.O., Vaughn, M.G., & Nower, L. *Inhalant use among incarcerated adolescents I. Prevalence and characteristics of use*. Paper presented at the Society for Social Work Research Annual Conference. Washington D.C.
- 2008 Howard, M.O., Vaughn, M.G., & Nower, L. *Inhalant use among incarcerated adolescents II. Characteristics of inhalant users*. Paper presented at the Society for Social Work Research Annual Conference. Washington D.C.
- 2007 Nower, L., Eyrich-Garg, K., Pollio, D. & North, C. *Homelessness and gambling: Results from an epidemiologic study*. Poster presented at the American Public Health Association Annual Conference. Washington D.C.
- 2007 Nower, L. *Stages of change in gambling treatment*. Paper presented at the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Statewide Conference on Compulsive Gambling, Red Bank, NJ.
- 2007 Nower, L. *Gambling, problem gambling, & seniors: What every Missourian should know*. Paper presented at the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Missouri Show Me Summit on Aging & Health. Missouri Alliance of Area Agencies on Aging. Osage Beach, MO.
- 2007 Nower, L. *Ethical issues in the clinical management of problem gamblers*. Paper presented at the Missouri Division on Alcohol and Drug Abuse Annual Conference. Osage Beach, MO.
- 2007 Nower, L. *Treating older adult gamblers: Strategies for adapting assessment and treatment practices to an underserved population*. Paper presented at the Missouri Division on Alcohol and Drug Abuse Annual Conference. Osage Beach, MO.
- 2006 Nower, L. & Blaszczynski, A. *Self-exclusion as a gateway to services: From theory to practice*. Paper presented at the 13<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Gambling & Risk Taking, Lake Tahoe, NV.
- 2006 Gupta, R., Derevensky, J., Pratt, L., & Nower, L. *Gambling binges amongst youth: A qualitative study*. Paper presented at the 13<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Gambling & Risk Taking, Lake Tahoe, NV.
- 2006 Nower, L. *Ethical considerations in clinical practice with culturally diverse gamblers*. Paper presented at the 20<sup>th</sup> Annual National Council on Problem Gambling Conferences on Prevention, Research and Treatment of Problem Gambling, St. Paul, MN.
- 2005 Nower, L. & Derevensky, J.L. *Disordered girls: Characteristics of female youth problem gamblers and substance abuse*. Paper presented at the Midwest Conference on Problem Gambling & Substance Abuse, Kansas City, MO.

- 2005 **Nower, L., Christensen, T., Burns, P., Pixler, L.T. & Stephens, M.** *Self-exclusion experiences: The tale of two states*. Paper presented at the Midwest Conference on Problem Gambling & Substance Abuse, Kansas City, MO.
- 2003 **Nower, L.** *Depression and suicidality among youth gamblers: An examination of comparative data*. Paper presented at the National Council on Problem Gambling Annual Conference, Louisville, KY.
- 2002 **Nower, L. & Blaszczynski, A.** *Clinically treating youth with gambling problems: A pathways model*. Paper presented at the 5<sup>th</sup> European Conference on Gambling Studies and Policy Issues: Searching for Solutions, Barcelona, Spain.
- 2002 **Blaszczynski, A & Nower, L.** *Identifying youth gamblers in educational settings using the Pathways Model*. Paper presented at the Discovery 2002 Conference, Responsible Gambling Council (Ontario), Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada.
- 2001 **Nower, L. & Blaszczynski, A.** *A pathways approach to treating youth gamblers*. Paper presented at the National Association for Gambling Studies, Conference 2001: Culture and Gambling Phenomenon, Sydney, Australia.
- 2001 **Nower, L., Gupta, R., & Derevensky, J.L.** *The role of dispositional characteristics and stress-coping styles in treating youth gamblers*. Paper presented at the Innovation 2001, Canadian Foundation on Compulsive Gambling (Ontario) Annual Conference, Toronto, Canada.
- 2000 **Nower, L., Gupta, R., & Derevensky, J.L.** *Coping and gambling: The relationship of stress-coping styles, impulsivity, sensation seeking and substance use among youth gamblers*. Paper presented at the 11<sup>th</sup> Annual National Council on Problem Gambling Conference, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2000 **Nower, L., Gupta, R., & Derevensky, J.L.** *Taking risks: A comparison of impulsivity and sensation seeking among youth gamblers*. Paper presented at the 11<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Gambling and Risk Taking Behavior, Las Vegas, NV.
- 2000 **Nower, L.** *Risk taking, impulsivity and coping in youth gamblers: A social work perspective*. Paper presented at the Society for Social Work Research Annual Conference, Charleston, SC.
- 1999 **Nower, L.** *Legal and financial implications of pathological gambling on spouses and children of gamblers*. Paper presented at the 13<sup>th</sup> Annual National Council on Problem Gambling Conference, Detroit, MI.

- 1998 **Nower, L.** *The social costs of pathological gambling to spouses and children.* Paper presented at the National Thoroughbred Racing Association Conference, Tucson, AZ.
- 1998 **Nower, L.** *Social costs of pathological gambling.* Paper presented at the National Research Council, National Academies, Washington, D.C.
- 1997 Anderson, C.W. & **Nower, L.** *Clinical supervision panel discussion.* Paper presented at the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual National Council on Problem Gambling Conference, New Orleans, LA.
- 1997 Anderson, C.W. & **Nower, L.** *Playing God: the spiritual bondage of gambling addiction.* Paper presented at the 10<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Gambling and Risk Taking, Montreal, Canada.

#### B. KEYNOTE ADDRESSES

- 2010 **Nower, L.** *Treatment outcomes in Arizona: A profile of problem gamblers.* State of Arizona, Office of Problem Gambling, Phoenix, AZ.
- 2010 **Nower, L.** *Differences in attitudes to money among recreational and problem gamblers.* Discovery 2010 Conference, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

#### C. INVITED PRESENTATIONS AND LECTURES

- 2014 **Nower, L.** *From theory to practice: Using measurement and empirical testing to validate an etiological framework and develop manualized treatment protocols for problem gamblers.* Faculty research symposium, Rutgers School of Social Work, New Brunswick, NJ.
- 2014 **Nower, L.** *Show and tell: Translating gambling research into knowledge people can use.* Canadian Consortium for Gambling Research (CCGR) Pre-Conference Workshop: Knowledge Translation for Gambling Researchers, Banff, Alberta, Canada.
- 2010 **Nower, L.** *Gamblers with comorbidity: A family systems perspective.* Invited presentation, Nebraska Council on Compulsive Gambling Summer Institute, Omaha, NE.
- 2010 **Nower, L.** *Compulsive gambling counselor training.* Invited presentation, Missouri Council on Compulsive Gambling, Columbia, MO.
- 2010 Gupta, R. Blaszczynski, A., **Nower, L.**, Derevensky, J., & Faregh, M. *Uncovering the different subtypes of problem gamblers: An empirical testing of the Pathways Model and its clinical implications.* Invited presentation, California Gambling Training Summit, Sacramento, CA.

- 2009 **Nower, L.** *The Pathways Model: Three distinct sub-groups of problem gamblers based on predisposing risk factors.* Invited presentation, 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on Problem Gambling, Responsible Gaming Association of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM.
- 2009 **Nower, L.** *A Pathways Model of problem and pathological gambling.* Invited workshop, Missouri Department of Mental Health, Columbia, MO.
- 2009 **Nower, L.** *Treating problem gamblers across the Pathways Model.* Invited workshop, Iowa Department of Public Health, Des Moines, IA.
- 2009 **Nower, L. & Ehlman, T.** *So your school is gambling free? Don't bet on it!* Invited lecture, New Jersey State Bar Foundation, New Brunswick, NJ.
- 2008 **Nower, L.** *The Pathways Model: Implications of etiological sub-types for individualized treatment.* Invited workshop, Arizona Department of Mental Health, Advanced Gambling Counselor Certification Program, Tucson, AZ.
- 2008 **Nower, L. & Stephens, M.** *Voluntary self-exclusion in the 21<sup>st</sup> century: Where we are & where we're going.* Invited presentation, International Think Tank on Gambling Research Policy and Practice. Auckland, NZ,
- 2008 **Nower, L.** *Developing the Pathways Model Questionnaire.* Invited presentation, International Think Tank on Gambling Research Policy and Practice. Auckland, NZ.
- 2007 **Nower, L.** *Treating older adult gamblers: Strategies for adapting assessment and treatment practices to an underserved population.* Invited presentation, Missouri Department of Mental Health Alcohol and Drug Spring Training Institute, Osage Beach, MO.
- 2007 **Nower, L.** *Ethical issues in clinical management of problem gambling.* Invited presentation, Missouri Department of Mental Health Alcohol and Drug Spring Training Institute, Osage Beach, MO.
- 2007 **Nower, L.** *Pathological gambling: Issues in intervention, prevention and treatment for adolescents and adults.* Invited presentation, National Association of Social Work – New Jersey, Atlantic City, NJ.
- 2006 **Nower, L.** *Assessment and clinical management of problem gambling.* Invited presentation, Behavioral Health Response, St. Louis, MO.
- 2004 **Nower, L.** *Problem gambling in college: Prevention, identification, education and treatment Issues.* Invited presentation, Partners in Prevention Workshop, University of Missouri–Columbia, Columbia, MO.

- 2004 **Nower, L.** *Ethical consideration in social work supervision.* Invited presentation, Collaborative Social Work Field Education Project, St. Louis, MO.
- 2003 **Nower, L.** *Pathological gambling: Issues in identification and treatment.* Invited presentation, St. Louis Human Services Conference, St. Louis Community College, St. Louis, MO.
- 2003 **Nower, L.** *Gambling101.* Invited presentation, Clinical Psychology Colloquium, University of Missouri-St. Louis, St. Louis, MO.
- 2003 **Nower, L.** *Gambling in the workplace.* Invited presentation, Missouri Gaming Commission, St. Louis, MO.
- 2002 **Nower, L.** *Harm minimization and advances in youth gambling research.* Invited presentation, Missouri Alliance to Curb Problem Gambling Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO.
- 2001 **Nower, L.** *The characteristics of youth gamblers: Implications for screening and treatment.* Invited presentation, University of Sydney, Department of Psychology, Sydney, Australia.
- 2001 **Nower, L.** *Assessment, risk, and resiliency factors for youth gamblers.* Invited presentation, Problem Gambling and At-Risk Adolescents, Washington State Council on Problem Gambling, Seattle, WA.
- 2001 **Nower, L.** *Designing a problem gambling treatment program for youth.* Invited presentation, Problem Gambling and At-Risk Adolescents, Washington State Council on Problem Gambling, Seattle, WA.
- 2001 **Nower, L.** *Risky business: Current developments in the etiology and treatment of disordered gambling.* Invited presentation, Missouri Gaming Commission, Jefferson City, MO.
- 1999 **Nower, L.** *Summary of 1982 NRC report: Placing children in special education, a strategy for equity.* Invited presentation, Committee on Representation of Minority Children in Special Education, National Research Council, National Academies, Washington, D.C.

## **EDITORIAL SERVICE**

Co-Editor

*International Gambling Studies* 2005-2013

Consulting Editor

*Social Work Research* 2008-present



**International Advisory Board***Gaming Research and Review Journal* 2008-present**Editorial Board***International Gambling Studies*, 2014-present*Journal of Gambling Issues*, 2003-2011*Journal of Activities, Assignments & Handouts in Psychotherapy Practice*, 2001-2003**Journal Peer Reviewer***American Journal of Psychiatry (Occasional Reviewer)* 2013-present*Addictive Behaviors (Occasional Reviewer)* 2013-present*Neuroinformatics (Occasional Reviewer)* 2013-present*Psychology of Addictive Behaviors (Occasional Reviewer)* 2008-present*Psychology and Aging (Occasional Reviewer)* 2008-present*Social Work Research (Occasional Reviewer)* 2008-present*Australian Social Work (Occasional Reviewer)* 2008-present*Journals of Gerontology: Series B: Psychological Sciences and Social Sciences (Occasional Reviewer)* 2007-present*Psychiatry Research (Occasional Reviewer)* 2006-present*European Journal of Personality (Occasional Reviewer)* 2005-present*Journal of Gambling Studies* (Review 2-3 articles per year) 2005-present*Addiction Research & Theory* (2-3 articles per year) 2004-present*Addiction* (Review 2-3 articles per year) 2003-present*International Gambling Studies* (Review 2-3 articles per year) 2003-present*Journal of Gambling Issues* (Review 2-3 articles per year) 2003-present**Grant Reviews**

Manitoba Department of Gaming (Occasional reviewer) 2012-present

Alberta Gambling Research Institute (Occasional reviewer) 2010-present

Ministry of Health, Government of New Zealand (Occasional reviewer) 2008-2011

Department of Justice, Victoria, Australia (Occasional reviewer) 2008-present

Research Council of Norway (Occasional reviewer) 2006-present

Durand Jacobs Award, International Centre for Youth Gambling Problems and High Risk Behaviors (Review 3-4 submissions per year) 2003-present

Ontario Problem Gambling Research Fund (Review 3-5 grants per year) 2002-present

Outside Referee (tenure and promotion reviews): five (5) major universities and in the U.S. and Canada.

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE*****Doctoral:***

Measurement (Rutgers)

(2013-2014: currently supervising 1 dissertation, 2 Ph.D. students; outside reviewer for 2 dissertations)

***Masters:*** Human Behavior (Rutgers)  
 Alcohol, Tobacco & Other Drugs (Rutgers)  
 HBSE: Understanding Addictive Behaviors (Rutgers)  
 Direct Practice with Addictive Behaviors (Rutgers)  
 Advanced Interventive Strategies (Rutgers)  
 DSM-IV Diagnosis and Pharmacology (UM-St. Louis)  
 Forensic Issues in Mental Health (UM-St. Louis)

***Undergraduate:*** Human Behavior (Rutgers, UM-St. Louis)  
 Interventive Strategies for Social Work with Individuals,  
 Families, and Groups (UM-St. Louis)

### **PROFESSIONAL LICENSES**

Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW), State of Missouri

Licensed Attorney, States of Missouri and Illinois

Nationally-Certified Compulsive Gambling Counselor and Clinical Supervisor, National Council on Problem Gambling, Washington, D.C.

### **PROFESSIONAL AND PUBLIC SERVICE**

2012-present	Scientific Consultative Group, Australian Institute for Gambling Studies, Melbourne, Australia.
2012-present	Invited member, Thomson Reuters Expert Witness Services (TREWS) expert network.
2010-present	Federal Legislative Committee, National Council on Problem Gambling, Washington D.C.
2009-2010	Harvard Medical School Responsible Gambling International Work Group, Boston, MA.
2008-present	Research Committee, National Council on Problem Gambling, Washington D.C.
2008-2010	Expert Advisory Panel, Australian National Longitudinal Gambling Prevalence Survey, Department of Justice, Office of Gaming and Racing, Melbourne, Australia.

2008-2010	Expert Advisory Panel, Adolescent Gambling Prevalence Survey, Gambling Research Australia.
2008	DSM-V International Expert Planning Committee for Pathological Gambling, UCLA Medical School, Department of Psychiatry, Los Angeles, CA.
2007-2010	Board of Directors member, New Jersey Lawyers Assistance Program.
2007-2009	Policy Research Panel member, Ontario Problem Gambling Research Centre, Ontario, Canada.
2007-2009	Special Interest Group Leader, Disordered Gambling, Society for Social Work and Research Annual Conference.
2007-2009	Expert Consultant, University of Windsor Emerging Research Team, Windsor, Ontario.
2007	Consultant, State of New York Gambling Treatment Services.
2005-2008	Agent, Missouri Gaming Commission
2003-2008	Member, Treatment Board, National Council on Problem Gambling.
2001-2005	Fellow, Center for International Studies, University of Missouri – St. Louis.
2001-2005	Fellow, Public Policy Research Center, University of Missouri – St. Louis.

## **TRAININGS AND WORKSHOPS**

- 2013 **Nower, L.** *Disordered Gambling for Youth*. Invited workshop, Bayside Children's Partial Care, Toms River, NJ.
- 2010 **Nower, L.** *Fundamentals of problem and pathological gambling*. Invited training, California Problem Gambling Treatment Services Program. San Diego, CA.
- 2010 **Nower, L.** *What every therapist needs to know about pathological gamblers*. Invited training, California Problem Gambling Treatment Services Program. San Diego, CA.

- 2008 **Nower, L.** *Identifying problem gamblers on the college campus.* Invited training, Rutgers University Health Services. New Brunswick, NJ.
- 2008 **Nower, L.** *Cognitive-behavioral treatment for problem gamblers.* Invited training Rutgers University Health Services. New Brunswick, NJ.
- 2007 **Nower, L.** *Treatment of pathological gambling.* Invited training Rutgers University Health Services. New Brunswick, NJ.
- 2007 **Nower, L.** *A pathways approach to evaluating and treating problem gambling.* Invited training Rutgers University Psychological Services. New Brunswick, NJ.
- 2007 **Nower, L.** *Pathological gambling: Issues in prevention, intervention and treatment.* Invited workshop, Alumnae Association, School of Social Work. New Brunswick, NJ
- 2006 **Nower, L.** *Gambling addiction treatment training: National certification exam.* Invited training, Addiction Resource Network of Indiana. Indianapolis, IN.
- 2006 **Nower, L.** *Gambling addiction treatment training: Special populations.* Invited training, Addiction Resource Network of Indiana. South Bend, IN.
- 2005 **Nower, L.** *Ethics in social work supervision.* Invited training, Social Work Field Instructor Orientation, UM-St. Louis, St. Louis, MO.
- 2004 **Nower, L.** *Imaginal desensitization for compulsive gamblers.* Invited training, Missouri Department of Mental Health Spring Training Institute, Osage, Beach, MO.
- 2004 **Nower, L.** *Cognitive behavioral therapy in compulsive gambling counseling.* Invited training, Missouri Department of Mental Health Spring Training Institute, Osage, Beach, MO.
- 2004 **Nower, L.** *Ethics in Social Work Supervision.* Invited training, Social Work Field Instructor Orientation, UM-St. Louis, St. Louis, MO.
- 2003 **Nower, L.** *Treating youth gamblers.* Invited training, Clinical training for compulsive gambling counselors, St. Louis, MO.
- 2001 **Nower, L.** *Legal and financial implications of pathological gambling.* Invited training, Clinical training for compulsive gambling counselors, St. Louis, MO.
- 2001 **Nower, L.** *Assessing and treating youth gamblers.* Invited training, Clinical training for compulsive gambling counselors, St. Louis, MO.

- 2000 **Nower, L.** *Bad debt: Legal implications of problem gambling for spouses and children.* Invited training, Missouri Department of Mental Health ADA Annual Conference, Lake Ozark, MO.
- 2000 **Nower, L.** *Child's play: Identifying and treating youth gamblers.* Invited training, Missouri Department of Mental Health ADA Annual Conference, Lake Ozark, MO.
- 1998 **Nower, L.** *Advanced cognitive treatments for treatment-resistant pathological gamblers.* Invited training, Missouri Council for Problem Gambling Concerns, Advanced Clinical Training Program, Jefferson City, MO.
- 1999 **Nower, L.** *Bankruptcy, divorce, and debt regulation for families of problem gamblers.* Invited workshop, Pathological Gambling Workshop for Practitioners, McGill University, Montreal.
- 1998 **Nower, L.** *Behavioral treatments for pathological gambling.* Invited training, Washington University, St. Louis, MO.
- 1998 **Nower, L.** *Pathological gambling: Diagnosis and treatment.* Invited training, Washington University, St. Louis, MO.
- 1997 **Nower, L.** *The physiology of pathological gambling.* Invited training, Missouri Council on Problem Gambling Concerns, Advanced Clinical Training Program, St. Louis, MO.
- 1997 Anderson, C.W. & **Nower, L.** *Profile of gamblers in Missouri.* Invited training, Illinois Council on Problem and Compulsive Gambling, Advanced Clinical Training Program, Alton, IL.
- 1997 **Nower, L.** & Ohlms, T.R. *Treating the problem gambler.* Invited training, Missouri Department of Mental Health Division of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Annual Conference, Lake Ozark, MO.
- 1997 Ohlms, T.R. & **Nower, L.** *Problem gambling treatment.* Invited training, University of Missouri-Kansas City Extension Service, St. Louis, MO.
- 1997 Ohlms, T.R. & **Nower, L.** *Treating the spouses and families of problem gamblers.* Invited training, University of Missouri-Kansas City Extension Service, St. Louis, MO.
- 1997 Ohlms, T.R. & **Nower, L.** *Diagnosis and treatment of problem gamblers in Missouri.* Invited presentation, Employee Assistance Professionals Association of St. Louis, Frontenac, MO.

## **RUTGERS UNIVERSITY AFFILIATIONS**

Joint Faculty Appointment, Center on Alcohol Studies; Full Member, Graduate Faculty

## **UNIVERSITY-WIDE SERVICE**

*Member*, Academic Integrity Committee, Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs, Rutgers University, 2008-2010.

*Member*, Social Networking Committee, Rutgers University, 2008.

*Clinical consultant and trainer*, Rutgers Center for Counseling Services, 2007-present (as needed).

*Faculty Senate Committee on Services and Facilities*, University of Missouri–St. Louis, 2005-2006.

## **DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE**

### ***Rutgers***

*Member*, Committee of Review, 2013-present

*Member*, School of Social Work Dean's Search, 2013

*Member*, Senior Faculty Search Committee, 2012-2013

*Member*, Doctoral Practice Sub-Committee, 2011-2012

*Grader*, Doctoral Qualifying Exams in Research, 2011-present

*Member*, Doctoral Research Sub-Committee, 2010-present

*Member*, Teaching Evaluation Committee, 2010-2011

*Member*, Student Learning, Assessment and Outcome Evaluation Committee, 2010-2012

*Member*, DSW Executive Committee, 2010-2012

*Contributor*, Reaccreditation materials for Addiction courses, 2010

*Member*, Faculty Search Committee, 2007-2008, 2008-2009, 2010-2011

*Mentor*, Junior Faculty Mentor's Program, 2009-present

*Member*, DSW Program Planning Committee, 2009-present

*Chair*, Rules of Procedure Committee, 2007-present

*Director*, Dual-Degree Law and Social Work Program, 2007-2011

*Senior faculty mentor*, Faculty Writing Group, 2007

*Assistant*, Bylaws revisions, 2007

*Member*, Doctoral Executive Committee, 2006-present

*Member*, Doctoral Curriculum Sub-Committee, 2006-2010

### ***University of Missouri-St. Louis***

*Member*, Social Work Assessment Re-Accreditation Committee, 2005-2006

*Member*, UM-St. Louis Admissions Committee, 2004-2006

*Member*, Social Work Faculty Search Committee, 2003-2006

*Member*, Social Work Graduate Admissions Committee, 2003-2006

*Library Liaison*, 2003-2006

*Member*, Partners in Prevention, 2002-2004

**PREACADEMIC EXPERIENCE**

*Crisis Intervention Counselor*, Behavioral Health Response, St. Louis, MO.

*Addiction Counselor*, Ohlms Institute, St. Louis, MO.

*Medical malpractice trial attorney*,  
Jacobson, Maynard, Tuschman, & Kalur, Cleveland, OH & St. Louis, MO.

*Assistant prosecuting attorney*, St. Louis County Prosecutor's Office, St. Louis, MO.