

*Curriculum Vitae*  
**ABBIE M. NORMAL**  
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## EDUCATION

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May 2019      **Bachelor of Arts in Psychology**  
Minor in Health  
*Winthrop University; Rock Hill, SC*  
  
GPA: 3.78  
Major GPA: 3.89

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## HONORS & AWARDS

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2015 – Present      Received \$22,750 in academic scholarships to support an educational experience (LIFE Scholarship and Heritage Scholarship)

2015 – Present      President's List

2017 – 2018      Ronald E. McNair Scholar

2018      Psi Chi Research Award Recipient

2016      Dean's List, College of Arts & Sciences

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## RESEARCH & PRESENTATIONS

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Abbie Normal & Carrie Salazar, Ph.D. (June, 2018). *Effects of a Brief Stress Intervention on Female College Students*. Poster presented at the 23<sup>rd</sup> annual SAEOPP McNair/SSS Scholars Research Conference, Atlanta, GA.

Abbie Normal, Catherine Harsis, Amy Nesia & Tanya Shultz, Ph.D. (March, 2018). *Hope, Despair, and Transformation: Personal Development in First-Semester Freshmen*. Poster presented at the 64<sup>th</sup> annual Southeastern Psychological Association (SEPA) meeting, Charleston, SC. Psi Chi Research Award.

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## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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January 2016 - April 2017      **Peer Tutor: PSYC 101**  
*Academic Success Center, Winthrop University; Rock Hill, SC*  
  
Met with students in weekly tutoring appointments for an introductory psychology course. Worked with students to set attainable and realistic course goals, and kept record of progress. Responsibilities included creating practice problems and activities, as well as providing students with new studying techniques.

August 2016 - May 2017      **Peer Mentor: ACAD 101**  
*Office of First-Year Experience, Winthrop University; Rock Hill, SC*  
  
Served as a mentor to 18 first-year students, offering perspective on various courses, workloads, and opportunities for campus involvement. Assisted Dr. Pewett in teaching a section of ACAD 101, an introductory course to learning in higher education. Met with faculty each week to review lesson plans and discuss at-risk students.

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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- August 2018 - Present     **Academic Intern/Residential Counselor**  
*Children's Attention Home; Rock Hill, SC*
- Provide assistance to children who have been removed from their homes due to abuse, neglect, or abandonment. Responsible for maintaining a daily behavior modification program for each child, providing ongoing guidance and support. Implement and monitor educational, recreational, and cultural activities.
- August 2017 - May 2018     **Line Therapist**  
*Early Autism Project; Rock Hill, SC*
- Worked with children ages 4-12 with Autism spectrum and related disorders. Used the principles and procedures of applied behavioral analysis (ABA) therapy to teach language, social, self-help, academic, and daily living skills. Responsibilities included creating learning games and activities and assisting children with homework assignments. Positively reinforced good behaviors and kept daily logs of progress.
- January 2016 - April 2017     **Lab Assistant**  
*Social and Behavioral Research Lab, Winthrop University; Rock Hill, SC*
- Assisted with professional survey research as an interviewer. Used computer-aided telephone interviewing (CATI) system to survey residents of South Carolina on a number of social and political issues. Abided by methodological protocols of collecting data in order to ensure the scientific accuracy of information. Received specialized training on interviewing sensitive populations.

## CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT & LEADERSHIP

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- August 2018 - December 2018     **Vice President of Academics for Psi Chi & Psychology Club**  
*Department of Psychology, Winthrop University; Rock Hill, SC*
- Responsibilities included planning and organizing special topics programs throughout the year, including GRE-help sessions and resume/CV workshops. Informed students of any and all scholarship, research, and volunteer opportunities available through Psi Chi. Ensured that the Chapter met the criteria for the Psi Chi Model Chapter Award.

## OTHER EXPERIENCE

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- August 2015 - December 2018     **Customer Service Representative**  
*Belk Department Store; Rock Hill, SC*
- Responsibilities included greeting and assisting customers in the Men's, Women's and Fragrance Departments. Used knowledge about vendors, trending styles, prices, and merchandise quality to assist customers in making informed purchase decisions. Performed general office duties as necessary.

## SKILLS & KNOWLEDGE

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- Bilingual (English and French)
- Experienced in quantitative research and data analysis
- Knowledgeable of current topics and trends in clinical psychology literature
- Proficient in Microsoft Office Suite; familiar with Qualtrics and SPSS Statistics
- Skilled at teaching in higher education
- Certified as a Registered Behavioral Technician (RBT)

## **PROFESSIONAL & HONORARY AFFILIATIONS**

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2018 - Present	Member of the American Psychological Association
2017 - Present	Member of Pi Gamma Mu International Honor Society in Social Sciences
2016 - Present	Member of Psi Chi International Honor Society in Social Sciences
2016 - Present	Member of Alpha Lambda Delta National Honor Society for First-Year Students

## **OPTIONAL CATEGORIES (If Applicable)**

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- Certifications – must be relevant and up-to-date
- Licensures
- Fellowships
- Publications
- Mentoring
- Study Abroad and/or International Experiences
- Cooperative Education
- Professional Development (workshops, seminars, in-service presentations)
- Computer Software or Technology – list the software that you are familiar with (e.g., Microsoft Office Suite, SPSS, R, Qualtrics, etc.)
- Leadership Activities
- Community Service
- Service Learning
- Athletics
- Any additional relevant categories