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Background

Education

Ph.D.	Family Studies & Child Development, The University of Arizona, 1994.
M.S.	Family Studies & Child Development, The University of Arizona, 1991.
B.A.	Psychology, The Catholic University of America, 1988.
Experience	
2010- present	Professor, University of New Orleans, Department of Psychology
2007 – present	Graduate Coordinator, University of New Orleans, Department of Psychology
2004 – 2010	Associate Professor, University of New Orleans, Department of Psychology
2013 -2015	Chair, National Institutes of Health, Psychosocial Development, Risk, and Prevention Study Section.
2004 – present	Affiliate Scientist, Pitt Parents and Children Laboratory, Department of Psychology, University of Pittsburgh.
2004 – 2008	Chair, University Committee for Human Subjects Research, Institutional Review Board, University of New Orleans
2000 – 2004	Assistant Professor, University of New Orleans, Department of Psychology
1998 - 2000	Associate Research Scientist, Iowa State University, Institute for Social and Behavioral Research, Center for Family Research in Rural Mental Health
1995 - 1998	Post Doctoral Fellow, Iowa State University, Center for Family Research in Rural Mental Health
1994 - 1995	Post Doctoral Fellow, Vanderbilt University, Vanderbilt Institute of Public

Professional awards

2011	Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame, Salpointe Catholic High School
2009	College of Agriculture and Life Sciences Alumni Achievement Award, University of Arizona
Sum, 1990	NIH Summer Intramural Research Training Fellow, NIH/NICHD/LCE/SSED, Rockville, MD.

Publications

- Barnett, M. A. & **Scaramella**, L. V. (in press). Mothers' Parenting and Child Sex Differences in Behavior Problems among African American Preschoolers. <u>Journal of Family Psychology</u>. *Journal of Family Psychology*.
- Natsuaki, M. N., Leve, L. D., Harold, G. T., Neiderhiser, J. M., Shaw, D. S., Ganiban, J., **Scaramella**, L. V., & Reiss, D. (in press). Transactions between child social wariness and observed structured parenting: Evidence form a prospective adoption study. <u>Child Development.</u>
- Blozis, S. A., Ge, X., Xu, S., Natsuaki, M. N., Shaw, D. S., Neiderhiser, J. **Scaramella**, L., Leve, L., & Reiss, D. (2013). Sensitivity analysis of multiple informant models: When data are not missing at random. <u>Structural Equation Modeling</u>, 20, 1-16. DOI: 10.1080/10705511.2013.769393
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- Sohr-Preston, S. L., **Scaramella**, L. V., Neppl, T. K., Ontai, L. & Conger, R. D. (2013). Parental education, parental communication and children's early receptive language development: A 3-generation test of the Family Investment Model. *Child Development*. DOI: 10.1111/cdev.12023
- Barnett, M.A., **Scaramella**, L.V., McGoron, L. & Callahan, K.C. (2012). Coparenting Cooperation and Child Adjustment in Low-Income Mother-Grandmother and Mother-Father Families. <u>Family Science</u>, 159-170.
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- Poulin, F., Nadeau, K., & **Scaramella**, L. V. (2012). The role of parents in young adolescents' competence with peers: An observational study of advice giving and intrusiveness. Merrill-Palmer Quarterly, 58, 437-462.
- Stover, C. S., Connell, C. M., Leve, L. D., Neiderhiser, J. M., Shaw, D. S., **Scaramella,** L. V., Conger, R. Reiss, D. (2012). Fathering and mothering in the family system: Linking marital hostility and aggression in adopted toddlers. <u>Journal of Child Psychology and Psychiatry</u>. 53, 401-409.
- Callahan, K. L., **Scaramella**, L. V., Laird, R., Sohr-Preston, S. L. (2011). Neighborhood disadvantage as a moderator of the association between harsh parenting and toddler-aged children's internalizing and externalizing problems. Journal of Family Psychology, 25, 68-76.
- Mannering, A. M., Shelton, K. H., Leve, L. D., Harold, G. T., Shaw, D. S., Conger, R. D., Neiderhiser, J. M., **Scaramella**, L. V., & Reiss, D. (2011). Associations between marital instability and child sleep problems across infancy and toddlerhood: A longitudinal analysis. Child Development, 82, 1252-1266.
- Barnett, M. A., **Scaramella**, L. V., Neppl, T. K., Ontai, L. L., & Conger, R. D. (2010). Grandmother Involvement as a Protective Factor for Early Childhood Social Adjustment. <u>Journal of Family Psychology</u>, 24, 635-645.
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- Leve, L. D., Kerr, D. C. R., Shaw, D., Ge, X., Neiderhiser, J. M., **Scaramella**, L. V., Reid, J. B., Conger, R. & Reiss, D. (2010). Infant pathways to externalizing behavior: Evidence of genotype x environment interaction. <u>Child Development</u>, 81, 340 356.
- Leve, L., Neiderhiser, J., **Scaramella**, L., & Reiss, D. (2010). The Early Growth and Development Study: Using the prospective adoption design to examine genotype–environment interplay. <u>Behavior Genetics</u>, 40, 306-314.
- Natsuaki, M. N., Ge, X., Leve, L. D., Neiderhiser, J. M., Shaw, D. S., Conger, R. D., **Scaramella**, L. V., Reid, J., & Reiss, D. (2010). Genetic liability, environment, and the development of fussiness in toddlers: The roles of maternal depression and parental responsiveness. <u>Developmental Psychology</u>, 46, 1147-1158.

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- Neppl, T. K., Conger, R. D., **Scaramella**, L. V., & Ontai, L. L. (2009). Intergenerational continuity and parenting behavior: Mediating pathways and child effects. <u>Developmental Psychology</u>, 45, 1241-1256.
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- **Scaramella**, L. V., Sohr-Preston, S. L., Callahan, K. L., & Mirabile, S. P. (2008). A test of the Family Stress Model on toddler-aged children's adjustment among Hurricane Katrina impacted and non-impacted low income families. <u>Journal of Clinical Child and Adolescent Psychology</u>, 37, 530-541.
- **Scaramella**, L. V., Sohr-Preston, S. L., Robison, S. D., Mirabile, S. P., & Callahan, K. L. (2008). Parenting and children's distress reactivity during toddlerhood: An examination of the direction of effects. <u>Social Development</u>, 17, 578-595.
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- Distinguishing genetic effects from exposure using an adoption design. <u>Behavior Genetics</u>, 37, 780.
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- **Scaramella**, L. V. & Conger, R. D. (2003). Intergenerational continuity of hostile parenting and its consequences: The moderating influence of children's negative emotional reactivity. <u>Social Development</u>, 12, 420-439.
- **Scaramella**, L. V., Conger, R. D., Spoth, R., & Simons, R. L. (2002). Evaluating a social contextual model of delinquency: A cross-study replication. <u>Child Development</u>, 73, 175-195.
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- Leve, L. D., **Scaramella**, L. V., Fagot, B. I. (2001). Infant temperament, pleasure in parenting, and marital happiness in adoptive families. <u>Infant Mental Health Journal</u>, 22(5), 545-558.
- **Scaramella**, L. V. (2001). The state of the science in rural adolescent substance abuse: Implications for theory and prevention. In S. Schinke & G. Botvin (Eds.), <u>Prevention approaches for diverse populations</u>. Washington, D.C.: The Center for Substance Abuse Prevention.

- **Scaramella**, L. V., & Keyes, A. (2001). The social contextual approach and rural adolescent substance use: Implications for prevention in rural settings. <u>Clinical Child and Family Psychology Review</u>, 4, 231-251.
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- **Scaramella**, L. V., Conger, R. D., Simons, R. L., & Whitbeck, L. B. (1998). Predicting risk for pregnancy by late adolescence: A social contextual perspective. <u>Developmental Psychology</u>, 34, 1233-1245.
- Conger, K. J., Conger R. D., & **Scaramella**, L. V. (1997). Parents, siblings, psychological control, and adolescent adjustment. <u>Journal of Adolescent Research</u>, 12, 113-138.

Refereed proceedings

- Leve, L. D., Neiderhiser, J. M., **Scaramella**, L. V., Ge, X., Shaw, D. S., Conger, R. D., Reid, J. B., & Reiss, D. (2007). The early growth and development study: Disentangling environmental effects through a prospective adoption design. <u>Behavior Genetics</u>, 37, 771.
- Neiderhiser, J. M., Leve, L. D., Ge, X., **Scaramella**, L. V., Conger, R. D., Reid, J. B., Shaw, D. S., & Reiss, D. (2007). The impact of prenatal drug exposure on toddler behavior: Distinguishing genetic effects from exposure using an adoption design. <u>Behavior Genetics</u>, 37, 780.
- **Scaramella**, L. V., Conger, R. D., Leve, L. D., Neiderhiser, J. M., Ge, X., & Reiss, D. (2007). Genetic influences and environmental moderation of infant temperament: An adoption study. Behavior Genetics, 37, 792.
- **Scaramella**, L. V. (1995). The influence of family functioning on the incidence of conduct disorder among children and adolescents. In <u>Research and Training Center for Children's Mental Health, Eighth Annual Research Conference Proceedings</u>. Conference proceedings.
- **Scaramella**, L. V., & Gamble, W. C. (1991). "I'm going to tell on you": Preschooler's strategies for coping with peer and teacher conflicts. In <u>New Directions in Child and Family Research: Shaping Head Start in the Nineties</u>. Conference proceedings.

Invited presentations

- Scaramella, L.V. (March 29, 2013). What matters more, what parents do or when they do it? Clarifying the mechanics of parenting toddlers. Invited Presentation, Pamela J. Turbeville Speaker Series, University of Arizona, Tucson AZ.
- Scaramella, L. V. (October 28, 2011). Positive parenting in the face of adversity: Implications for toddler children's adjustment. Invited Presentation, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA.
- Scaramella, L. V. (March 18, 2008). <u>Understanding social interactional processes during the toddler years</u>. Invited presentation, Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, Harris Fellowship, New Orleans, LA.
- Scaramella, L. V. (April 15, 2005). <u>Social interactional processes and emotional adjustment during the toddler transition</u>. Invited presentation, Tulane University Medical School, New Orleans, LA.
- Scaramella, L. V. (November 4, 2003). <u>Parent and child influences on child behavior</u>. University of New Orleans, Honor's College, New Orleans, LA.
- Scaramella, L. V. (April 19, 2002). <u>Temperament as a moderator of parenting effects on child antisocial behavior</u>. Invited presentation at the University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ.
- Scaramella, L. V. (March 22, 2002). <u>Temperament as a moderator of parenting effects on child antisocial behavior: An intergenerational examination</u>. Invited presentation, Tulane University Medical School, New Orleans, LA.
- Scaramella, L.V. & Conger, R. D. (May 4, 2001). <u>A social contextual model of delinquency: The influence of parents and peers</u>. Invited presentation at the Life History Research Society Meeting, St. Michael's, MD.
- Scaramella, L. V. (November 1, 2000). <u>The influence of intergenerational continuities in parenting on the emergence of behavior problems among young children.</u> Dillard University, New Orleans, LA.
- Scaramella, L. V. & Conger, R. D. (May 22, 1998). <u>Like parent like child like</u> grandchild?: <u>The intergenerational transmission of angry and sociable behaviors</u>. American Psychological Society Conference, Washington DC.
- Scaramella, L. V. & Conger, R. D. (June 25, 1996). <u>Parental protective influences and gender-specific increases in adolescent developmental problems</u>. University of California at Davis.

- Participation at Professional Meetings during the last 5 years.
- Barnett, M. A., Scaramella, L. V., Sapotichne, B., & McGoron, L. (April, 2013). Associations between fear reactivity and mothers parenting: Variations by child gender. Paper presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Child Development, Seattle WA.
- McGoron, L., Barse, A. R., Scaramella, L., & Riley, M. (April, 2013). Examination of interactive effects of parenting locus of control and parents negative perceptions on child abuse potential. Poster presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Child Development, Seattle WA.
- Mammen, M. A., Moore, G. A., Scaramella, L., Reiss, D. Shaw, D., Leve, L., & Neiderhiser, J. M. (April, 2013). Prenatal environment in relation to infant sensory processing patterns. Poster presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Child Development, Seattle WA.
- Mammen, M. A., Moore, G. A., Scaramella, L. < Reiss, D. Shaw, D., Leve, L., & Neiderhiser, J. M. (April, 2013). Understanding the relation between infant temperament and sensory processing patterns. Poster presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Child Development, Seattle WA.
- Sapotichne, B., Scaramella, L. V., Riley, M., Weiss, J. L., McGoron, L., & Grande, J. (April, 2013). Interactive effects of harsh parenting and neighborhood danger on externalizing problems during early childhood. Poster presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Child Development, Seattle WA.
- Scaramella, L. V. (April, 2013). Childhood obesity over time: The influence of parenting and child self-regulatory behaviors. Discussant of paper symposium presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Child Development, Seattle WA.
- Scaramella, L., McGoron, L., Riley, M., Sapotichne, B., & Weiss, J. (April, 2013). Parental responses to children's noncompliance predict problem behavior over time: The moderating role of child temperament. Paper presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Child Development, Seattle WA.
- Sohr-Preston, S., Scaramella, L. V., & Weiss, J. L., (April, 2013). Mothers' vocabulary and autonomy-granting behaviors as predictors of gains in children's vocabulary competence from age 3 to age 4. Paper presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Child Development, Seattle WA.
- Weiss, J. L., Scaramella, L. V., Sapotichne, B. F., & Riley, M. R. (April, 2013). Predicting in creases in sensitive parenting during early infancy: The role of mothers' knowledge of infant development and perceived family social support. Poster presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Child Development, Seattle WA.

- Weiss, J.L., **Scaramella**, L., Sapotichne, B., Riley, M.R., McGoron, L. & Grande, J. (2012, June). *Direct and Interactive Effects of Mothers' Post-Partum Depression and Knowledge of Infant Development on Sensitive Parenting During Early Infancy*. Presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Research on Infant Studies, Minneapolis, MN.
- McGoron, L., **Scaramella**, L.V., Riley, M.R., Weiss, J., Sapotichne, B., & Grande, J. (March, 2012). *Changes in harsh-intrusive parenting during the toddler years: Examination of direct and interaction effects of an accumulation of risk and toddler's negative emotional reactivity*. Symposium to be presented at 2012 Biennial Meeting of the Society for Research in Human Development, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- McGoron, L. **Scaramella**, L.V., Riley, M.R., Sapotichne, B., Weiss, J., & Grande, J. (March, 2012). *Preschool children's help-seeking: Exploration of links to distress, parenting, and behavior problems*. Poster to be presented at 2012 Biennial Meeting of the Society for Research in Human Development, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Sapotichne, B., **Scaramella**, L.V., McGoron, L., Riley, M.R., Weiss, J.L. & Grande, J.M. (2012, March). *Interactive effects of temperament and neighborhood dangerousness on externalizing behavior problems in early childhood*. Presented at the Biennial Meeting of the Society for Research in Human Development, New Orleans, LA.
- Weiss, J.L., **Scaramella**, L., McGoron, L., Sapotichne, B., Riley, M.R. & Grande, J. (2012, March). *The direct and interactive effects of mothers' social support and knowledge of infant development on sensitive parenting during early infancy*. Presented at the biannual meeting of the Society of Research on Human Development, New Orleans LA.
- Barnett, M. A., & **Scaramella**, L. V. (April, 2011). Coparenting in mother-grandmother and mother-father families: Associations with preschool adjustment. Paper presented at the Society for Research on Child Development Conference, Montreal, Quebec.
- Barnett, M. A., **Scaramella**, L. V. & McGoron, L. (April, 2011). Parenting and preschool externalizing and internalizing behaviors: Within-family sibling models of child sex differences. Paper presented at the Society for Research on Child Development Conference, Montreal, Quebec.
- McGoron, L., **Scaramella**, L., Riley, M. R., & Sapotichne, B. (April, 2011). Toddlers' negative emotional reactivity and sensitive parenting: The moderating role of mothers' perception of emotion. Poster presented at the Society for Research on Child Development Conference, Montreal, Quebec.
- Natsuaki, M., Leve, L. D., Neiderhiser, J. M., Shaw, D., **Scaramella**, L. V., Ge, X., & Reiss, D. (April, 2011). Intergenerational transmission of social anxiety: Genes, environment,

- and the development of socially anxious behavior. Paper presented at the Society for Research on Child Development Conference, Montreal, Quebec.
- Riley, M. R., **Scaramella**, L. V., McGoron, L. & Weiss, J. (April, 2011). The moderating role of cumulative risk on the impact of sensitive parenting on early childhood behavior problems. Poster presented at the Society for Research on Child Development Conference, Montreal, Quebec.
- **Scaramella**, L. V., Barnett, M. A., Sohr-Preston, S. L., McGoron, L., & Weiss, J. (April, 2011). Resiliency and sensitive parenting: The role of maternal perceptions and cognitive competence. Paper presented at the Society for Research on Child Development Conference, Montreal, Quebec.
- **Scaramella**, L. V., Riley, M. R., & Sapotichne, B. (April, 2011). A within family analysis of heterotypic continuity in self-regulation: The moderating role of sensitive parenting. Paper presented at the Society for Research on Child Development Conference, Montreal, Quebec.
- Barnett, M. A., **Scaramella**, L. V., McGoron, L., Callahan, K. L. & Dominique N. (June, 2010). Mother-Father and Mother-Grandmother Coparenting: Implications for Maternal Parenting Efficacy. Poster to be presented at the Head Start Research Conference, Washington DC.
- Barnett, M. A., **Scaramella**, L. V., Callahan, K. L., McGoron, L. & Dominique, N. (June, 2010). Differential Influences of Grandmothers and Fathers on Social Adjustment among Economically Disadvantaged Preschoolers. Poster to be presented at the Head Start Research Conference, Washington DC.
- Callahan, K. L., Barnett, M. A., Dominique, N. L., McGoron, L., & **Scaramella**, L. V. (June, 2010). The role of Head Start in buffering the impact of maternal depression on children's acquisition of school readiness skills. Poster to be presented at the Head Start Research Conference, Washington DC.
- Natsuaki, M. N., Leve, L. D., Neiderhiser, J. M., Shaw, D. S., **Scaramella**, L. V., Conger, R. D., Reid, J., & Reiss, D. (2010, June). Pathways from a worried mother to a fearful child: The roles of maternal anxiety and responsive environment. Presented at the Behavior Genetics Association's 40th Annual Meeting Behavior, Seoul, South Korea.
- Barnett, M. A., **Scaramella**, L. V., Neppl, T., & Conger, R. D. (April, 2009). Grandmother involvement as a protective factor for child adjustment during early childhood. Paper presented at the Society for Research on Child Development Conference, Denver, CO.
- Callahan, K. L., Barnett, M. A., Mirabile, S. P., Dominique, N. L., & **Scaramella**, L. V. (April, 2009). The effects of neighborhood danger and harsh parenting on Head Start children's behavior problems. Poster presented at the Society for Research on Child Development Conference, Denver, CO.

- Callahan, K. L., Barnett, M. A., McGoron, L., & Scaramella, L. V. (April, 2009). Contextual, maternal, and parenting factors affecting risk for clinically significant problem behaviors in children. Poster presented at the Society for Research on Child Development Conference, Denver, CO.
- McGoron, L., Mirabile, S. P., Callahan, K. L., & **Scaramella**, L. V. (April 2009). Maternal depression, perception of negative emotion, and emotion socialization. Poster presented at the Society for Research on Child Development Conference, Denver, CO.
- Mirabile, S. P., McGoron, L., Callahan, K. L., & **Scaramella**, L. V. (April, 2009). Parental discipline and emotion socialization in relation to children's socioemotional adjustment: A test of incremental validity. Poster presented at the Society for Research on Child Development Conference, Denver, CO.
- Neppl, T. K., **Scaramella**, L. V., Jochem, R. A., Ontai, L. L., & Conger, R. D. (April, 2009). Parental influences on children's inhibitory control: Examining parenting and temperament across time. Paper presented at the Society for Research on Child Development Conference, Denver, CO.
- **Scaramella**, L. V., Shaw, D. S., Barnett, M. A., Moore, G., & Conger, R. D. (April, 2009). Genetic and environmental influences on change in child activity level during infancy and toddlerhood. Paper presented at the Society for Research on Child Development Conference, Denver, CO.

Service Activities

- A. Editorial Board Member
 - a. Developmental Psychology
 - b. Journal of Abnormal Child Psychology
 - c. Journal of Early Adolescence
- B. Conference panel reviewer
 - a. Panel Reviewer, Society for Research on Adolescence Conference, March, 2000.
 - b. Panel Reviewer, Society for Research on Adolescence Conference, March, 2008.
 - c. Panel Reviewer, Society for Research on Child Development, March, 2009.
 - d. Panel Reviewer, Society for Research on Adolescence Conference, March, 2010.
 - e. Panel Reviewer, Society for Research on Child Development Conference, April, 2011.
 - f. Panel Reviewer, Society for Research on Child Development Conference, April, 2013.
- C. NIMH workgroup, Research on Antisocial Behaviors in Children: Future Directions, participant and facilitator, April 23, 2007

D. Grant Reviewer

- a. National Institutes of Health, Psychosocial development risk and prevention study section, standing committee member October, 2009 June 2015.
- b. National Institutes of Health, Special study section member ZRG1 RPHP, February, 2013.
- c. National Institutes of Health, Special study section member ZRG1 RPHP G-90S, June, 2012.
- d. National Institutes of Health, Special study section member RPHB-L-90 and RPHB-L-02, February, 2012.
- e. Guest reviewer, Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research: Social Sciences, February, 2010.
- f. National Institutes of Health, Psychosocial development risk and prevention study section, guest reviewer October 2008.
- g. Medical Research Council, Senior Non-clinical Training and Career Development Panel, December, 2007.
- h. National Institutes of Health, Child psychopathology and developmental disabilities study section, Oct. 2006.
- i. National Science Foundation, 2005.
- j. Head Start, Office of Planning, Research and Evaluation, 2004, 2005.
- k. Social Sciences and Human Research Council, Canada, 2002, 2004, 2007.

E. Professional Membership

- a. Society for Research in Child Development
- b. American Psychological Association
- c. Society for Research in Adolescence

Grants and Contracts

Health Impact of Deepwater Horizon Spill in Eastern Gulf Coast Communities (PI: Grattan; subcontract: Scaramella)

Source: SAMHSA
Pending, proposed 6/1/13 start date

Principal investigator, Psychological Mechanisms of Resilience in Individuals, Children and Families (PI: Lynn Grattan; Subcontract: Scaramella) Source: NIEHS Funded dates: 5/1/12 to 4/30/14

A Genetic Study of Personal Traits that Promote or Inhibit Individual Well-Being (PI: Conger, Subcontract: Scaramella)

Source: NICHD

Funded dates: 07/23/2010 – 03/31/2015

The caregiver study. (PI: Scaramella) Source: University of New Orleans, Office of Research

Funding dates: 3/1/08 - 2/28/09

A test of the coercion model during early childhood (R01 PI: Scaramella) Source: NIMH

Funding dates: 8/15/05 - 7/31/12

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