

JORDAN A. BLAZO



Courses Taught:

KINE 316: Exercise and Sport Psychology
KINE 420: Sports and Society
KINE 508: Research Methods in Kinesiology
KINE 531: Youth Sport and Exercise Psychology
KINE 538: Motivation in Physical Activity
KINE 539: Sport Psychology
KINE 540: Sport Impact on Society

Educational Credentials:

Doctor of Philosophy	Michigan State University; East Lansing, MI	(2015)
	Concentration: Psychosocial Aspects of Sport and Physical Activity	
Master of Science	Georgia Southern University; Statesboro, GA	(2010)
	Concentration: Applied Sport Psychology	
Bachelor of Science	Michigan State University; East Lansing, MI	(2006)
	Major: Psychology; Specialization: Coaching	

Teaching Experience:

Associate Professor	Louisiana Tech University, 2022 – Present
Assistant Professor	Louisiana Tech University, 2015 – 2022

Professional Experience:

Co-Director – Minds in Motion Lab	Louisiana Tech University, 2021 - Present
President's Athletic Council	Louisiana Tech University, 2023 – Present
Directed Research Coordinator	Louisiana Tech University, 2016 - Present

Selected Publications:

Hardiman, A.L., Fleming, D.J.M., Dorsch, T.E., **Blazo, J.A.**, ... (in review). Youth sport during COVID-19 pandemic: The influence of race and affluence on parents' perspectives and youth participation.

Blazo, J.A., & Eberline, A. (in press). Engaging minds both near and far: Navigating Kinesiology collaborations between universities for local STEM education. *Collaborations: A Journal of Community-Based Research and Practice*.

Dorsch, T.E., **Blazo, J.A.**, & Delli Paoli, A.G., & Hardiman, A.L. (2023). We know what we know, but from whom did we learn it? A sociodemographic history of participant selection and reporting practices in sport and exercise psychology, *Psychology of Sport and Exercise*, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.psychsport.2023.102504>

Dorsch, T.E., **Blazo, J.A.**, Arthur-Banning, S.G., Anderson-Butcher, D., Jayanthi, N., Hardiman, A., Farrey, T., Solomon, J., & Lerner, J.B. (2021). National trends in American youth sport during the COVID-19 pandemic: Understanding parents' perspectives and experiences. *Journal of Sport Behavior*, *44*(3), 303-320.

Dorsch, T.E., Smith, A.L., **Blazo, J.A.**, Coakley, J., Côté, J., Wagstaff, C.R., Warner, S., & King, M.Q. (2022). Toward an integrated understanding of the youth sport system. *Research Quarterly in Exercise and Sport*, *93*, 105-119. <https://doi.org/10.1080/02701367.2020.1810847>

Blazo, J.A., & Smith, A.L. (2018) A systematic review of siblings and physical activity experiences. *International Review of Sport and Exercise Psychology*, *11*, 122-159. <https://doi.org/10.1080/1750984X.2016.1229355>

Dorsch, T.E., & **Blazo, J.A.**[†] (2017). Special issue foreword: Family issues in amateur athletics. *Journal of Amateur Sport*, *3*(3), v-x.

Hoza, B., Smith, A. L., Shoulberg, E. K., Linnea, K. S., Dorsch, T. E., **Blazo, J. A.**, Alerding, C., & McCabe, G.P. (2015) A randomized trial examining the effects of aerobic physical activity on attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder symptoms in young children. *Journal of Abnormal Child Psychology*, 43(4), 655-667.

Blazo, J.A., Czech, D., Carson, S., & Dees, W. (2014). A qualitative investigation of the sibling sport achievement experience. *The Sport Psychologist*, 28(1), 36-47.

Selected Presentations:

Worley, J.T., *O'Neil, L., *Cook, M., *Adams, K.V., Dorsch, T.E., **Blazo, J.A.** (2023) Youth sport participation during COVID-19: Exploring the role of parents' perceived barriers and investment. Presented at the annual meeting of the North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity, Toronto, CA.

Alexander, K., **Blazo, J.A.**, Parks, A.C., *Fleming, D.J.M., *Hardiman, A.L., & Dorsch, T.E. (2022). The impact of parental pressure and parental beliefs about early specialization on beliefs of ability and task values. Presented at the annual meeting of the North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity, Kona, HI.

Blazo, J.A., & Dorsch, T.E. (2022). Is it worth the risk? The association of parents' health concerns and children's well-being during the COVID-19 pandemic. Presented at the annual meeting of the North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity, Kona, HI.

Dorsch, T.E., Delli Paoli, A.D., & **Blazo, J.A.** (2022). We know what we know, but from whom did we learn it? A historical sociodemographic summary of participants across the sport and exercise psychology literature. Presented at the annual meeting of the North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity, Kona, HI.

Fleming, D. J. M., Dorsch, T. E., Serang, S., Hardiman, A. L., **Blazo, J. A.** (2022, May) The Influence of Socioeconomic Status and its Effects on Children Returning to Sport Post-COVID-19: The Perceptions of Sport Parents, North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity Annual Conference, Kona, HI

Pasupathi, P.A., Parks, A.C., **Blazo, J.A.**, & Jacob, J. (2022). Impact of Online Guided Meditation and on Attentional Processes. Presented at the regional meeting of the South Central AASP conference, Denton, TX

Dorsch, T.E., **Blazo, J.A.**, Arthur-Banning, S., Anderson-Butcher, D...(2021). National trends in youth sport during the Covid-19 pandemic: Understanding the perspectives and experiences of parents in the United States. Presented at the annual meeting of the North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity, Virtual Conference.

Hardiman, A.L., Fleming, D.J.M., Dorsch, T.E., **Blazo, J.A.** (2021). Youth sport participation during the Covid-19 pandemic: The influence of race and affluence on athlete participation. Presented at the annual meeting of the North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity, Virtual Conference.

Blazo, J.A., Fleming, D., Dorsch, T.E. (2020). The association of parental pressure and sport enjoyment: Does the parent-child relationship matter? Presented at the annual meeting of the North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity, Vancouver, BC, Canada.

Delli Paoli, A.G. & **Blazo, J.A.** (2020). Coach reports of peer victimization in youth sport. Presented at the annual meeting of the North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity, Vancouver, BC, Canada.

Delli Paoli, A.G. & **Blazo, J.A.** (2020). Youth sport coach reports of emotional intelligence, coaching-efficacy, and teammate bullying behavior. Presented at the annual meeting of the North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity, Vancouver, BC, Canada.

Crowder, B., **Blazo, J.A.**, & Dorsch, T.E. (2019). College Athletes and changes in social support frameworks during athletic careers. Presented at the annual meeting of the North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity, Baltimore, MA. [Abstract published in *Journal of Sport & Exercise Psychology*, 40, S60].

Eberline, A., **Blazo, J.A.**, & Keith-Vincent, L.B. (2018). Engaging minds both near and far: Navigating Kinesiology collaborations between universities for local STEM education. Presented at the annual meeting of the Engagement Scholarship Consortium, Minneapolis, MN.

Simmons, C., **Blazo, J.A.**, & Desselles, M., (2018). *The effects of coaching styles on motivation: A test of psychological safety*. Presented at the annual meeting of the North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity, Denver, CO [Abstract published in *Journal of Sport & Exercise Psychology*, 39, S117].

- Blazo, J.A.**, Smith, A.L., & Whiteman, S.D. (2017). *Sibling relationship profiles and sport perceptions in young athletes*. Presented at the annual meeting of the North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity, San Diego, CA [Abstract published in *Journal of Sport & Exercise Psychology*, 38, S161].
- Blazo, J.A.**, Smith, A.L., & Whiteman, S.D. (2016). *Perceptions of sibling relationships, modeling, and shared activities in youth sport*. Presented at the annual meeting of the North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity, Montreal, ON [Abstract published in *Journal of Sport & Exercise Psychology*, 38, S161].
- Blazo, J.A.**, Smith, A.L., & Whiteman, S.D. (2016). *A developmentally informed examination of sibling relationships and perceived sport competence in young athletes*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity, Montreal, ON [Abstract published in *Journal of Sport & Exercise Psychology*, 38, S161].
- Blazo, J.A.**, Smith, A.L., & Kashy, D.A. (2015) *Sibling comparisons and perceived sport competence in young athletes*. Presented at the annual meeting of the North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity, Portland, OR [Abstract published in *Journal of Sport & Exercise Psychology*, 37, S96].

Grant Awards:

- Aspen Institute Sports & Society Program (2022). **Co-Principal Investigator** (Dorsch, T.E., Co-PI). Youth Sport Parenting in the United States and Canada, \$2,500, Funded.
- TeamSnap (2021), Understanding the Impact of COVID-19 on Youth Sport Participation in America. **Co-Principle Investigator** (Dorsch, T.E., Co-PI), \$20,500. Funded.
- Louisiana Office of Student Financial Assistance (2019), Experiential Learning Programming Opportunities through LA GEAR UP Program. **Co-Investigator and Project Evaluator** (Keith-Vincent, L.B., Principle Investigator): "...to provide engaging academic opportunities from 2019 to 2023 for LA GEAR UP students as well as their teachers and counselors." \$2,775,432. Funded
- Keith-Vincent, L.B., Madden, L.D., Szymanski, D., **Blazo, J.A.**, et al... (2017, December). *Gaming Activities for Motivating an Innovative New Generation (GAMING) for STEAM Careers*. Louisiana Office of Student Financial Assistance: \$192,000.00. Not funded.
- Weiss, L., Apter-Desselles, M.L., Evans, K., Keith-Vincent, L.B., **Blazo, J.A.** (2017, November). *Afterschool-BRIDGE (Bringing Innovative Development via Grand Challenge Engagement)*. National Science Foundation: \$1,383,333. Not funded.
- Blazo, J.A.**, Keith-Vincent, L.B., & Eberline, A. (2016, July). Project KINES – LaTech Kinesiology Curriculum Initiative. Lincoln Health Foundation: \$62,000. Funded

Professional Memberships:

- Canadian Society for Psychomotor Learning and Sport Psychology (SCAPPS; 2014 – Present)
- North American Society for the Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity (NASPSA; 2010 – 2011, 2013 – Present)
- Association for Applied Sport Psychology (AASP; Nov. 2006 – 2010)
- Center for the Advancement of Research Methods and Analysis (CARMA; Jan. 2012 – Present)