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## List of Publications by Year in descending order

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1	Motivational processes of the relationship between weight stigma and physical activity: a comparison between France and Mexico. <i>International Journal of Sport and Exercise Psychology</i> , 2022, 20, 1117-1132.	1.1	6
2	Diversity Initiatives and White Americans'™ Perceptions of Racial Victimhood. <i>Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin</i> , 2022, 48, 968-984.	1.9	16
3	Motives matter: White instructors'™ external race-based motives undermine trust and belonging for Black college students.. <i>Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology</i> , 2022, 28, 112-124.	1.3	1
4	Sleep, Emotions, and Sense of Belonging: A Daily Experience Study. <i>Affective Science</i> , 2022, 3, 295-306.	1.5	3
5	Cardiovascular, behavioral, and psychological responses to organizational prodiversity messages among racial/ethnic minorities. <i>Group Processes and Intergroup Relations</i> , 2021, 24, 1241-1261.	2.4	8
6	Latinx identity and intersectional responses to stigma.. <i>Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology</i> , 2021, 27, 593-601.	1.3	5
7	Mixed Signals: The Unintended Effects of Diversity Initiatives. <i>Social Issues and Policy Review</i> , 2020, 14, 152-181.	3.7	92
8	Anticipated and Experienced Ethnic/Racial Discrimination and Sleep: A Longitudinal Study. <i>Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin</i> , 2020, 46, 1724-1735.	1.9	27
9	The Countervailing Effects of Weight Stigma on Weight-Loss Motivation and Perceived Capacity for Weight Control. <i>Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin</i> , 2020, 46, 1331-1343.	1.9	23
10	Discrimination, health, and the costs and benefits of believing in system fairness.. <i>Health Psychology</i> , 2020, 39, 230-239.	1.3	7
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15	The obesity stigma asymmetry model: The indirect and divergent effects of blame and changeability beliefs on antifat prejudice.. <i>Stigma and Health</i> , 2017, 2, 53-65.	1.2	55
16	Applying Intergroup Relations Research to Understanding LGB Health Disparities. <i>Journal of Social Issues</i> , 2017, 73, 477-492.	1.9	10
17	Contagious Anxiety: Anxious European Americans Can Transmit Their Physiological Reactivity to African Americans. <i>Psychological Science</i> , 2017, 28, 1796-1806.	1.8	36
18	Ideology and the maintenance of group inequality. <i>Group Processes and Intergroup Relations</i> , 2017, 20, 582-592.	2.4	25

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19	An identity-based motivational model of the effects of perceived discrimination on health-related behaviors. <i>Group Processes and Intergroup Relations</i> , 2016, 19, 415-425.	2.4	15
20	Unpacking the psychological weight of weight stigma: A rejection-expectation pathway. <i>Journal of Experimental Social Psychology</i> , 2016, 63, 69-76.	1.3	52
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22	Members of high-status groups are threatened by pro-diversity organizational messages. <i>Journal of Experimental Social Psychology</i> , 2016, 62, 58-67.	1.3	140
23	Suspicion of motives predicts minorities' responses to positive feedback in interracial interactions. <i>Journal of Experimental Social Psychology</i> , 2016, 62, 75-88.	1.3	45
24	Weight stigma mediates the association between BMI and self-reported health.. <i>Health Psychology</i> , 2015, 34, 172-175.	1.3	129
25	Insidious Procedures: Diversity Awards Legitimize Unfair Organizational Practices. <i>Social Justice Research</i> , 2015, 28, 169-186.	0.6	18
26	Weighed Down by Stigma: How Weight-Based Social Identity Threat Contributes to Weight Gain and Poor Health. <i>Social and Personality Psychology Compass</i> , 2015, 9, 255-268.	2.0	199
27	Suspicion of White people's motives relates to relative accuracy in detecting external motivation to respond without prejudice. <i>Journal of Experimental Social Psychology</i> , 2015, 61, 1-4.	1.3	24
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67	Prejudice and self-esteem: A transactional model. European Review of Social Psychology, 2003, 14, 77-104.	5.8	44
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90	Psychosocial Predictors of Adjustment to Abortion. <i>Journal of Social Issues</i> , 1992, 48, 121-142.	1.9	62

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