

# Ronald L Simons

## List of Publications by Year in descending order

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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	Methylation of FKBP5 is associated with accelerated DNA methylation ageing and cardiometabolic risk: replication in young-adult and middle-aged Black Americans. <i>Epigenetics</i> , 2022, 17, 982-1002.	1.3	11
2	Unstable Childhood, Adult Adversity, and Smoking Accelerate Biological Aging Among Middle-Age African Americans: Similar Findings for GrimAge and PoAm. <i>Journal of Aging and Health</i> , 2022, 34, 487-498.	0.9	6
3	Neighborhood structural disadvantage and biological aging in a sample of Black middle age and young adults. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2022, 293, 114654.	1.8	15
4	Romantic Relationship Status, Quality, and Depressive Symptoms Among Middle-Aged and Older Black Women. <i>Journals of Gerontology - Series B Psychological Sciences and Social Sciences</i> , 2022, 77, 2126-2136.	2.4	2
5	Racial discrimination and health among two generations of African American couples. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2022, 296, 114768.	1.8	4
6	Additive and Interactive Genetically Contextual Effects of HbA1c on cg19693031 Methylation in Type 2 Diabetes. <i>Genes</i> , 2022, 13, 683.	1.0	4
7	Shifts in lifestyle and socioeconomic circumstances predict changeâ€”for better or worseâ€”in speed of epigenetic aging: A study of middle-aged black women. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2022, 307, 115175.	1.8	5
8	Childhood adversity is linked to adult health among African Americans via adolescent weight gain and effects are genetically moderated. <i>Development and Psychopathology</i> , 2021, 33, 803-820.	1.4	8
9	The effects of social adversity, discrimination, and health risk behaviors on the accelerated aging of African Americans: Further support for the weathering hypothesis. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2021, 282, 113169.	1.8	98
10	Racial Discrimination, Inflammation, and Chronic Illness Among African American Women at Midlife: Support for the Weathering Perspective. <i>Journal of Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities</i> , 2021, 8, 339-349.	1.8	43
11	The Association between Neighborhood Disorder and Health: Exploring the Moderating Role of Genotype and Marriage. <i>International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health</i> , 2021, 18, 898.	1.2	3
12	Perceived racial discrimination and healthy behavior among African Americans.. <i>Health Psychology</i> , 2021, 40, 155-165.	1.3	6
13	Life course trajectories of chronic financial strain and acute stress reactivity: Steeling in response to recovery from strain. <i>Stress and Health</i> , 2021, , .	1.4	0
14	(Re)Setting Epigenetic Clocks: An Important Avenue Whereby Social Conditions Become Biologically Embedded across the Life Course. <i>Journal of Health and Social Behavior</i> , 2021, 62, 436-453.	2.7	10
15	Losing Years Doing Time: Incarceration Exposure and Accelerated Biological Aging among African American Adults. <i>Journal of Health and Social Behavior</i> , 2021, 62, 460-476.	2.7	16
16	The Impact of Harsh Parenting on the Development of Obesity in Adulthood: An Examination of Epigenetic/Gene Expression Mediators Among African American Youth. <i>Frontiers in Cardiovascular Medicine</i> , 2021, 8, 755458.	1.1	1
17	Childhood adversity predicts black young adultsâ€™ DNA methylation-based accelerated aging: A dual pathway model. <i>Development and Psychopathology</i> , 2021, , 1-15.	1.4	10
18	Puberty and Girlsâ€™ Delinquency: A Test of Competing Models Explaining the Relationship between Pubertal Development and Delinquent Behavior. <i>Justice Quarterly</i> , 2020, 37, 25-52.	1.1	9

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19	Socially Demoralizing Environments and the Development of the Street Code from Childhood to Emerging Adulthood. <i>Journal of Quantitative Criminology</i> , 2020, 36, 207-233.	2.0	3
20	Childhood adversity and cardiovascular disease risk: An appraisal of recall methods with a focus on stress-buffering processes in childhood and adulthood. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2020, 246, 112794.	1.8	12
21	The Effect of Tobacco Smoking Differs across Indices of DNA Methylation-Based Aging in an African American Sample: DNA Methylation-Based Indices of Smoking Capture These Effects. <i>Genes</i> , 2020, 11, 311.	1.0	19
22	Childhood Adversities as Determinants of Cardiovascular Disease Risk and Perceived Illness Burden in Adulthood: Comparing Retrospective and Prospective Self-Report Measures in a Longitudinal Sample of African Americans. <i>Journal of Youth and Adolescence</i> , 2020, 49, 1292-1308.	1.9	9
23	The impact of early racial discrimination on illegal behavior, arrest, and incarceration among African Americans.. <i>American Psychologist</i> , 2020, 75, 952-968.	3.8	6
24	Testing Life Course Models Whereby Juvenile and Adult Adversity Combine to Influence Speed of Biological Aging. <i>Journal of Health and Social Behavior</i> , 2019, 60, 291-308.	2.7	14
25	Inflammation mediates the effect of discrimination, religiosity, and friendship network on expression of the Tp53 cancer suppressor gene. <i>SSM - Population Health</i> , 2019, 7, 100389.	1.3	2
26	Youth Adversities Amplify the Association between Adult Stressors and Chronic Inflammation in a Domain Specific Manner: Nuancing the Early Life Sensitivity Model. <i>Journal of Youth and Adolescence</i> , 2019, 48, 1-16.	1.9	31
27	Neighborhood Disadvantage and Biological Aging: Using Marginal Structural Models to Assess the Link Between Neighborhood Census Variables and Epigenetic Aging. <i>Journals of Gerontology - Series B Psychological Sciences and Social Sciences</i> , 2019, 74, e50-e59.	2.4	39
28	Perceived relationship support moderates the association of contextual stress with inflammation among African Americans.. <i>Journal of Family Psychology</i> , 2019, 33, 338-348.	1.0	12
29	The effect of early discrimination on accelerated aging among African Americans.. <i>Health Psychology</i> , 2019, 38, 1010-1013.	1.3	54
30	Discrimination, segregation, and chronic inflammation: Testing the weathering explanation for the poor health of Black Americans.. <i>Developmental Psychology</i> , 2018, 54, 1993-2006.	1.2	112
31	Biological embedding of neighborhood disadvantage and collective efficacy: Influences on chronic illness via accelerated cardiometabolic age. <i>Development and Psychopathology</i> , 2018, 30, 1797-1815.	1.4	37
32	Depression among Black Youth; Interaction of Class and Place. <i>Brain Sciences</i> , 2018, 8, 108.	1.1	91
33	Childhood trauma, pubertal timing, and cardiovascular risk in adulthood.. <i>Health Psychology</i> , 2018, 37, 613-617.	1.3	23
34	A Droplet Digital PCR Assay for Smoking Predicts All-Cause Mortality. <i>Journal of Insurance Medicine (New York, N Y)</i> , 2018, 47, 220-229.	0.1	5
35	A Longitudinal Study of Racial Discrimination and Risk for Death Ideation in African American Youth. <i>Suicide and Life-Threatening Behavior</i> , 2017, 47, 86-102.	0.9	82
36	Accuracy and utility of an epigenetic biomarker for smoking in populations with varying rates of false self-report. <i>American Journal of Medical Genetics Part B: Neuropsychiatric Genetics</i> , 2017, 174, 641-650.	1.1	41

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37	An index of the ratio of inflammatory to antiviral cell types mediates the effects of social adversity and age on chronic illness. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2017, 185, 158-165.	1.8	31
38	Methylation of the oxytocin receptor gene mediates the effect of adversity on negative schemas and depression. <i>Development and Psychopathology</i> , 2017, 29, 725-736.	1.4	44
39	Childhood/Adolescent stressors and allostatic load in adulthood: Support for a calibration model. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2017, 193, 130-139.	1.8	28
40	Economic hardship and biological weathering: The epigenetics of aging in a U.S. sample of black women. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2016, 150, 192-200.	1.8	156
41	Stress, relationship satisfaction, and health among African American women: Genetic moderation of effects.. <i>Journal of Family Psychology</i> , 2016, 30, 221-232.	1.0	5
42	CYNICAL STREETS: NEIGHBORHOOD SOCIAL PROCESSES AND PERCEPTIONS OF CRIMINAL <i>IN</i>JUSTICE*. <i>Criminology</i> , 2016, 54, 520-547.	2.0	48
43	Factors that Influence Trajectories of Delinquency Throughout Adolescence. <i>Journal of Youth and Adolescence</i> , 2016, 45, 156-171.	1.9	53
44	Mechanisms That Link Parenting Practices to Adolescentsâ€™ Risky Sexual Behavior: A Test of Six Competing Theories. <i>Journal of Youth and Adolescence</i> , 2016, 45, 255-270.	1.9	60
45	HERITABILITY STUDIES IN THE POSTGENOMIC ERA: THE FATAL FLAW IS CONCEPTUAL. <i>Criminology</i> , 2015, 53, 103-112.	2.0	16
46	Different dimensions, different mechanisms? Distinguishing relationship status and quality effects on desistance.. <i>Journal of Family Psychology</i> , 2015, 29, 360-370.	1.0	14
47	Invited Address: â€œThe Times They Are A-Changinâ€™â€•Gene Expression, Neuroplasticity, and Developmental Research. <i>Journal of Youth and Adolescence</i> , 2015, 44, 573-580.	1.9	13
48	The Role of Body Size in Mate Selection among African American Young Adults. <i>Sex Roles</i> , 2015, 73, 340-354.	1.4	5
49	Neighborhood crime and depressive symptoms among African American women: Genetic moderation and epigenetic mediation of effects. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2015, 146, 120-128.	1.8	47
50	Shifting Perspectives: Cognitive Changes Mediate the Impact of Romantic Relationships on Desistance from Crime. <i>Justice Quarterly</i> , 2014, 31, 793-821.	1.1	46
51	A dyadic analysis of relationships and health: Does couple-level context condition partner effects?. <i>Journal of Family Psychology</i> , 2014, 28, 448-459.	1.0	28
52	INCORPORATING ROUTINE ACTIVITIES, ACTIVITY SPACES, AND SITUATIONAL DEFINITIONS INTO THE SOCIAL SCHEMATIC THEORY OF CRIME. <i>Criminology</i> , 2014, 52, 655-687.	2.0	30
53	Paternal Hostility and Maternal Hostility in European American and African American Families. <i>Journal of Marriage and Family</i> , 2014, 76, 638-651.	1.6	6
54	Romantic Relationships and Health among African American Young Adults. <i>Journal of Health and Social Behavior</i> , 2013, 54, 369-385.	2.7	87

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55	Relational schemas, hostile romantic relationships, and beliefs about marriage among young African American adults. <i>Journal of Social and Personal Relationships</i> , 2012, 29, 77-101.	1.4	68
56	Racial Discrimination, Ethnic-Racial Socialization, and Crime. <i>American Sociological Review</i> , 2012, 77, 648-677.	2.8	195
57	Differential Susceptibility to Context: A Promising Model of the Interplay of Genes and the Social Environment. <i>Advances in Group Processes</i> , 2012, 29, 139-163.	0.1	10
58	The impact of stress on the life history strategies of African American adolescents: Cognitions, genetic moderation, and the role of discrimination.. <i>Developmental Psychology</i> , 2012, 48, 722-739.	1.2	74
59	From racial discrimination to risky sex: Prospective relations involving peers and parents.. <i>Developmental Psychology</i> , 2012, 48, 89-102.	1.2	85
60	Neighborhood Cultural Heterogeneity and Adolescent Violence. <i>Journal of Quantitative Criminology</i> , 2012, 28, 411-435.	2.0	37
61	THE VICTIM&#x2013;OFFENDER OVERLAP IN CONTEXT: EXAMINING THE ROLE OF NEIGHBORHOOD STREET CULTURE*. <i>Criminology</i> , 2012, 50, 359-390.	2.0	140
62	The Enduring Significance of Racism: Discrimination and Delinquency Among Black American Youth. <i>Journal of Research on Adolescence</i> , 2011, 21, 662-676.	1.9	98
63	LEARNING TO BE BAD: ADVERSE SOCIAL CONDITIONS, SOCIAL SCHEMAS, AND CRIME*. <i>Criminology</i> , 2011, 49, 553-598.	2.0	102
64	Social Environment, Genes, and Aggression. <i>American Sociological Review</i> , 2011, 76, 883-912.	2.8	160
65	NEIGHBORHOOD RACIAL CONTEXT AND PERCEPTIONS OF POLICE&#x2013;BASED RACIAL DISCRIMINATION AMONG BLACK YOUTH*. <i>Criminology</i> , 2009, 47, 847-887.	2.0	159
66	Antecedents and Consequences of Psychiatric Disorders in African-American Adolescents. <i>Journal of Youth and Adolescence</i> , 2008, 37, 493-505.	1.9	10
67	Differences between European Americans and African Americans in the Association between Child Obesity and Disrupted Parenting. <i>Journal of Comparative Family Studies</i> , 2008, 39, 589-610.	0.2	5
68	Early experience with racial discrimination and conduct disorder as predictors of subsequent drug use: A critical period hypothesis. <i>Drug and Alcohol Dependence</i> , 2007, 88, S27-S37.	1.6	111
69	IDENTIFYING THE PSYCHOLOGICAL FACTORS THAT MEDIATE THE ASSOCIATION BETWEEN PARENTING PRACTICES AND DELINQUENCY*. <i>Criminology</i> , 2007, 45, 481-517.	2.0	105
70	Pubertal maturation and early substance use risks among African American children.. <i>Psychology of Addictive Behaviors</i> , 2006, 20, 404-414.	1.4	52
71	Supportive Parenting Moderates the Effect of Discrimination upon Anger, Hostile View of Relationships, and Violence among African American Boys. <i>Journal of Health and Social Behavior</i> , 2006, 47, 373-389.	2.7	158
72	Identifying the Mechanisms whereby Family Religiosity Influences the Probability of Adolescent Antisocial Behavior. <i>Journal of Comparative Family Studies</i> , 2004, 35, 547-563.	0.2	55

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73	Community Differences in the Association Between Parenting Practices and Child Conduct Problems. Journal of Marriage and Family, 2002, 64, 331-345.	1.6	177
74	A Family Process Model of Economic Hardship and Adjustment of Early Adolescent Boys. Child Development, 1992, 63, 526.	1.7	1,013