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Resilience in Interracial Relationships: Relationship Maintenance and Communal Orientation as Protection Against Network Stigma

Chanel Houghton, M.A.
Department of Communication
University of California, Santa Barbara

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Resilience in Interracial Relationships: Relationship Maintenance and Communal Orientation as Pro...

Using the Theory of Resilience and Relational Load (TRRL; Afifi et al., 2016) as a framework, this study examines the processes that...

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Testing the Feasibility of Virtual Reality With Older Adults With Cognitive Impairments and Their...

This study tests the feasibility of using virtual reality (VR) with older adults with mild cognitive impairment (MCI) or mild to moderate dement...

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Disposition Theory at Scale: A Computational Pipeline Linking Character Morality and Story Performance

Frederic R. Hogg, Soemya Rajan, Yibei Chen, Musa Malik, & René Weber
Media Neuroscience Lab
@medianeuro • @medianeuro (8:24)

Disposition Theory at Scale: A Computational Pipeline Linking Character Morality and Story Perform...

Affective Disposition Theory is a central framework in communication research for understanding the appeal of character-driven...

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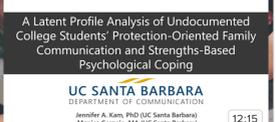
Sweet Arguments (Are Made of These): A Computational Content Analysis of Argument Strength

Frederic R. Hogg, Sangbin Youk, Yibei Chen, & René Weber
Media Neuroscience Lab
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Sweet Arguments (Are Made of These): A Computational Content Analysis of Argument Strength

Arguments are a universal aspect of human social interaction and have persisted throughout the history of mankind. This study...

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A Latent Profile Analysis of Undocumented College Students' Protection-Oriented Family Communication and Strengths-Based Psychological Coping

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATION
Jennifer A. Kam, PhD (UC Santa Barbara)
Monica Cornejo, MA (UC Santa Barbara)
Katherine Macrocaldine, PhD (University of Minnesota)

12:15

A Latent Profile Analysis of Undocumented College Students' Protection-Oriented Family Communicat...

Drawing from resilience theory and past research on undocumented immigrants, this study explored subgroups of undocumented...

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Racial Gaps in Political Expression on Social Media

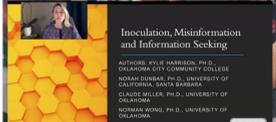
Nancy McInerney-Rogers, Dan Laine, & Kevin Do
Digital Political Inequality Lab

11:20

Racial Gaps in Political Expression on Social Media

Do social media simply reproduce political inequality between racial groups or are they powerful tools for marginalized racial groups L...

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Inoculation, Misinformation, and Online Information Seeking

Autumn K. Hill, PhD
Norman D. Dixon, PhD
Claire Miller, PhD
Norman Wong, PhD
University of Oklahoma

07:10

Inoculation, Misinformation, and Online Information Seeking

This experimental study examined the extent to which inoculation treatments influenced deceptive messages processing, on-line...

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Nonverbal Behaviors "Speak" Relational Messages of Dominance, Trust, and Composure

John Sargent, Steve Hays, "Nonverbal Communication: A Handbook"
"Center for the Management of Information, The University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, United States."
"Nonverbal Cues and Signals from Nonverbal Communication: The Role of Nonverbal Cues in Social Interaction."
"Department of Communication, UC Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA, United States."

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Nonverbal Behaviors "Speak" Relational Messages of Dominance, Trust, and Composure

Nonverbal signals color the meanings of interpersonal relationships. Humans rely on facial, head, postural and vocal signals to...

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Synchrony Facilitates Altruistic Decision Making for Non-Human Avatars

Fajana, E., Hoogen, R., Gruch, J., & Dunbar, N. E.

07:00

Synchrony Facilitates Altruistic Decision Making for Non-Human Avatars

Synchrony is a natural part of human interaction and is often associated with a variety of pro-social outcomes including affinity...

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The Influence of Risk, Location, and Relationship on Accepting an Invitation During the COVID-19 ...

Using the lens of "difficult conversations", we examined whether risk level, location, and relationship influenced experiences people h...

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Identity-Based Motivations for Training Machine Learning Algorithms: Exploring the Unpaid Labor T...

Camille G. Endacott, Paul Leonard

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Identity-Based Motivations for Training Machine Learning Algorithms: Exploring the Unpaid Labor T...

With the increasing proliferation of digital technologies that can distribute work to crowds across time and space, the last decade has...

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Navigating Water Cooler Talks Without the Water Cooler: Information Seeking During Remote Sociali...

Camille G. Endacott, Dajung ("DJ") Woo, & Karen K. Myers
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Navigating Water Cooler Talks Without the Water Cooler: Information Seeking During Remote Sociali...

In light of the work-from-home mandate brought on by the Covid-19 pandemic and the trend towards remote work arrangements mo...

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The Communication Model of Intergroup Interdependence: Testing Group Heuristic Formation

Mark Gillis, Rachel Pliner*, & Howard Giles
University of California, Santa Barbara
*College Health Research Institute

08:04

The Communication Model of Intergroup Interdependence: Testing Group Heuristic Formation

This paper expands the theoretical base of intergroup and intercultural communication by testing the communication model of...

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What Normalizes Online Incivility: Dual-Process Effects of Argument Strength and Heuristic Cues i...

Today's online incivility makes comment streams often vigorous, even violent places for public engagement. This study uses the...

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...If They Only Disrespect Us a Little, and the Story is Interesting, I Keep Watching: Navigation o...

Latino adolescents spend over an hour more per day on screens than Whites, with Black teens and teens attending to screen media...

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Netflix and Chill: How Stress, Biological Sex, and Moral Intentions Predict Media Evaluation and ...

The Model of Intuitive Morality and Exemplars details the short- and long-term processes driving media selection, assessment, and...

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Representations of Racial Minorities in Popular Movies: A Content-Analytic Synergy of C...

In the Hollywood film industry, racial minorities remain underrepresented. Characters from racially underrepresented groups receive less...

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Narrative Network Science

Frederic R. Hogg, Jacob T. Fisher, & René Weber
Media Neuroscience Lab
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Narrative Graph Learning: How Humans Infer and Represent Narrative Network Structures

Herein, we present a registered report aimed at ascertaining how these higher-order learning processes extend to humans' inference and...

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Cognitive and perceptual load have opposing effects on brain network efficiency and task performance in ADHD

Jacob T. Fisher*, Frederic R. Hogg, René Weber
UC Santa Barbara
*Department of Psychology, University of California, Santa Barbara

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Cognitive and Perceptual Load Have Opposing Effects on Brain Network Efficiency and Task Performa...

Attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) is a highly prevalent cognitive disorder with detrimental personal, social, vocational, and...

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Mental Health Communication in Immigrant Families: The Influence of Social Media

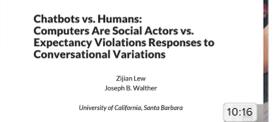
Wenjing Wu, UC Santa Barbara
"Mental Health Communication in Immigrant Families: The Influence of Social Media"
"Department of Communication, UC Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA, United States."

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Mental Health Communication in Immigrant Families: The Positive Influence of Social Media Contact

Immigrant experiences in the U.S. can be particularly difficult, as they may experience acculturative stress brought on by...

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Chatbots vs. Humans: Computers Are Social Actors vs. Expectancy Violations Responses to Conversational Variations

ZiJian Lou
Joseph B. Walther
University of California, Santa Barbara

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Chatbots vs. Humans: Computers Are Social Actors vs. Expectancy Violations Responses to Conversat...

As digital agents play larger roles in everyday life, questions arise regarding what conversational characteristics they should...

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Examining direct and vicarious online contact effects on Singaporeans' attitudes toward Chinese immigrants

Our study presents two experiments that examine the effects of direct and vicarious CMC intergroup contact, as well as the...

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Distorted Media, Distorted Society: The Media's Effect on Views About One's Own and Other Racial/...

Applying insights from social identity theory, social identity gratifications, and cultivation theory, the current nationally representative...

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Typicality and Volition as Fundamental Features of Everyday Relational Communication

Jeffrey A. Hall & Heather Hill
University of Kansas & University of California, Santa Barbara

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Relational Maintenance and the Communicate Bond Belong Theory: Considering Typicality and Volition...

Everyday social interaction has long been theorized to be a key location of relationship maintenance. Drawing from communicate bo...

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The Link Between Difficult Interpersonal Communication Episodes and Current and Later-in-the-Day Rumination

International Communication Association, 2021

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The Link Between Difficult Interpersonal Communication Episodes and Current and Later-in-the-Day ...

This study explores how difficult communication events (e.g., complaining, venting) relate to current and later-in-the-day...

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Cultural Differences in Privacy Management on Social Media Among Emerging Adult Children and Their Parents

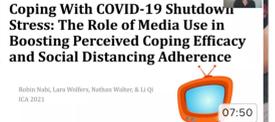
Lauren H. Wang, B.A.
Mikam J. Metzger, Ph.D.
Department of Communication
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Cultural Differences in Privacy Management on Social Media Among Emerging Adult Children and Their...

This study builds upon Communication Privacy Management (CPM) theory to investigate the impact of cultural differences on the way...

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Coping With COVID-19 Shutdown Stress: The Role of Media Use in Boosting Perceived Coping Efficacy and Social Distancing Adherence

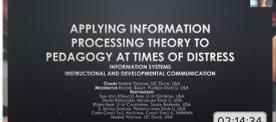
Bethan Nakh, Lisa Williams, Nathan Walker, & Li Qi
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Coping With COVID-19 Shutdown Stress: The Role of Media Use in Boosting Perceived Coping Efficacy...

Copious evidence supports the use of media to meet both hedonic and eudaimonic needs. However, a third need has been relatively...

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APPLYING INFORMATION PROCESSING THEORY TO PEDAGOGY AT TIMES OF DISTRESS

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MAKING IT REAL: THE ROLE OF PARASOCIAL RELATIONSHIPS IN ENHANCING COVID-19 RISK AND PROTECTIVE BEHAVIOR

Nathan Walter
Jonathan Cechter
Robin Nabi
Camille Alexander
Department of Communication
UC Santa Barbara
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Making it Real: The Role of Parasocial Relationships in Enhancing COVID-19 Risk and Protective Be...

Formation of accurate risk perceptions and adoption of protective measures play a key role in reducing transmission and stopping the...

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TOO MUCH SCREEN TIME OR TOO MUCH GUILT? HOW SCREEN TIME AND PARENTAL SCREEN GUILT AFFECTED PARENT...

In recent decades, countless studies on the negative effects of child screen media use have been conducted and discussed in the...

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Use of Emotional Flow to Debias Affective Forecasting: The Case of Genetic Testing Testimonials

Karen Kelle, MA, Nathan Walker, PhD, Robin Nabi, PhD, & Courtney L. Scheer, PhD
Department of Communication, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA

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Use of Emotional Flow to Debias Affective Forecasting: The Case Study of Genetic Testimon...

When faced with medical decisions, people often engage in affective forecasting. Unfortunately, people tend to overestimate th...

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Life History, the Dark Triad, and Sneaky Mate Tactics on Social Media

Haley Nordin
Scott Reid

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Life History, the Dark Triad, and the Use of Social Media for Seeking Sexual Partners: Testing a ...

Dark Triad traits—Machiavellianism, psychopathy, and narcissism—are associated with increased rates of short-term and...

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I'll Be There? Effects of Islamophobic Hate and Counter Speech on Muslims' Tendency to Intervene

Islamophobic online hate speech is very common. This is problematic as degrading social groups traumatizes targets, evokes...

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Social Media Expression, User Predilections, and Polarization: How Social Media Use and Real ...

The ability of social media users to express themselves online should be influential for opinion formation, including potential...

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Online Hate: A Prosocial Explanation of Antisocial Behavior and Affordances of Social Media

This conceptual paper examines several theoretical approaches to understanding online hate as a social, rather than...

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NGO Roles for Corporate Social Responsibility: Network Analysis of NGO-GO-Corporate Collaborative and Adversarial Relationships in South Korea

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NGO Roles for Corporate Social Responsibility: Network Analysis of NGO-GO-Corporate Collaborative...

This study explores the network and relational dynamics among NGOs, governmental organizations (GOs) and corporations for...

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Moral News Narratives and Its Effects on the Stock Market

Paula T. Wang, Musa Malik, & René Weber
Media Neuroscience Lab
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Moral News Frames and Their Effects on the Stock Market

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