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Departments & Organizations

Neurobiology

Child Study Center

Psychiatry: Connecticut Mental Health Center | Division of Human Genetics | Substance Abuse Research | Women's Health Research at Yale | CENTURY | Psychotherapy Development Research Center | Specialized Center of Research (SCOR) on Sex and Gender Factors Affecting Women's Health | Stress & Addiction Clinical Research Program | Division of Addictions | Division of Women's Behavioral Health Research | Yale Program for Research on Impulsivity and Impulse Control Disorders



Research Interests

Pathological gambling; Impulse control disorders; Substance abuse; Addiction; Gender differences [more...](#)

Education

- Ph.D., Yale University, 1993
- M.D., Yale University School of Medicine, 1994

Selected Publications

Jastreboff AM, Potenza MN, Lacadie C, Hong K, Sherwin R, Sinha R (in press) Body mass index, metabolic factors and striatal activation during stressful and neutral/relaxing states: an fMRI study. *Neuropsychopharmacol*
 Desai RA, Krishnan-Sarin S, Cavallo DA, Potenza MN (in press) Gender differences in the clinical correlates of problematic video game playing in high school students. *Pediatrics*
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