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EDUCATION

- Ph.D. Human Development and Family Studies, May 2016
The Pennsylvania State University
Thesis: An examination of temperamental approach/withdrawal and responses to novel foods across infancy and early childhood
Mentor: Dr. Cynthia Stifter
- M.S. Human Development and Family Studies, May 2013
The Pennsylvania State University
Thesis: The associations between infant temperament, parenting behaviors, and infant food acceptance
Mentor: Dr. Cynthia Stifter
- B.A. Distinction in Psychology, May 2010
The Colorado College
Thesis: The importance of measuring importance: Linking sport involvement to self-esteem
Mentor: Dr. Patricia Waters

POSITIONS HELD

- 2019 – Assistant Professor
Human Development & Family Science
(Formerly Human Development & Family Studies)
Purdue University
- 2016 – 2019 Postdoctoral Fellow, The Children’s Eating Laboratory
University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus
Principal Investigator: Dr. Susan L. Johnson
- 2010 – 2016 Graduate Research Assistant, Infant and Child Temperament Lab
The Pennsylvania State University
Principal Investigator: Dr. Cynthia Stifter

AWARDS AND HONORS

2022 – 2023	Healthy Eating Research Early Stage Investigator Work Group, Selected Member
2013 – 2016	USDA Childhood Obesity Prevention Training Fellowship, Pennsylvania State University
2011 – 2012	Early Childhood Mental Health Research Fellowship, Pennsylvania State University
2010	Graham Fellowship, Pennsylvania State University

RESEARCH SUPPORT

Current:

1. National Dairy Council
Nutrition Research Grant (PI: Tang)
Influence of dairy-based complementary diet on body composition, bone growth, and food acceptance: A randomized controlled trial
3/01/2023 – 12/31/2025
Total Amount of Award: \$617,664
Amount of Subcontract: \$98,394
Role: Co-Investigator; Principal Investigator on subcontract
2. Purdue University Agricultural Science and Extension for Economic Development (AgSEED) Program
Applied Research/Extension Project
Identifying opportunities to culturally adapt nutrition education programs for Latino children and adults in rural Indiana
3/01/2024 – 5/15/2025
Total amount of Award: \$50,000
Role: Principal Investigator
3. Indiana Clinical and Translational Sciences Institute
Collaboration in Translational Research Grant
Sleep, feeding, and obesity risk during infancy in African American and Latinx families
5/1/2022 – 4/30/2025 (including no-cost extension)
Total Amount of Award: \$74,989
Role: Principal Investigator (MPIs: Schwichtenberg, Honaker)
4. Indiana Clinical and Translational Sciences Institute
Project Development Teams Grant
Objective remote assessments of family sleep and stress
11/2022 – 10/2024
Total Amount of Award: \$14,730
Role: Principal Investigator

Completed:

1. Robert Wood Johnson Foundation: Healthy Eating Research
Commissioned Review (PI: Luecking)
Policy, system, and environmental strategies to support healthy weight practices during the first 1,000 days: A scoping review
12/2022 – 5/2023
Total Amount of Award: \$6,000
Role: Co-Investigator
2. National Cattlemen’s Beef Association
Human Nutrition Research Grant (PI: Johnson)
Understanding beef preferences during infant complementary feeding
3/15/2021 – 3/14/2023
Total Amount of Award: \$232,363
Amount of Subcontract: \$69,699
Role: Co-Investigator; Principal Investigator on subcontract
3. College of Health and Human Sciences
Summer Research Renewal Award
Veggie Gummy Bears: A gamified approach for helping people learn to like vegetables
6/1/2021 – 8/31/2022
Total amount of Award: \$20,000
Role: Principal Investigator (Co-PI: Running)
4. United States Department of Agriculture, National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Postdoctoral Fellowship Converted to Standard Grant
An integrated approach to examine caregiver feeding persistence in offering vegetables to infants and toddlers
4/18/2018 – 12/31/2022 (including no-cost extension)
Total Amount of Award: \$164,998
Role: Principal Investigator
5. Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition
Research Grant (PIs: Bonvecchio, Johnson)
Developing a live coding method and manual to assess infant food acceptance
7/1/2020 – 11/30/2020
Total Amount of Subcontract: \$17,278
Role: Principal Investigator on subcontract

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Note: *indicates primary author(s); superscripts indicate co-author(s) mentored by the candidate: ^uundergraduate student, ^ggraduate student, ^ppostdoctoral scientist

1. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Lawless^p, M.C., Forestell, C.A., Barrett^p, K.J., & Johnson, S.L. (2024). Prevalence, variety, and iron and zinc content of commercial infant and toddler foods sold in the United States that contain meat. *PLoS ONE*, *19*(7), e0306490. <https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0306490>
2. Kracht*, C.L., Neshteruk, C.D., **Moding, K.J.**, Rolke, L.J., Wagner, B.E., Kielb, E., Ferrante, M.J., Robinson, C., Keinsley, J., Colella, J., Speirs, K.E., & Luecking, C.T. (2024). Community-based diet and obesity-related policy, system, and environmental interventions for obesity prevention during the first 1000 days: A scoping review. *Obesity Reviews*, e13815. <https://doi.org/10.1111/obr.13815>
3. Davis*^g, L.A., Kielb^g, E.I., **Moding, K.J.**, & Running, C.A. (2024). A method to “gamify” exposure to vegetable flavor and its potential influence on liking. *Food Science & Nutrition*. <https://doi.org/10.1002/fsn3.4272>
4. Johnson*, S.L., **Moding, K.J.**, Flesher, A.E., Boenig, R., & Campaign^u, J. (2024). I’ll never give up: A qualitative study of caregivers’ perceptions and decisional processes when feeding infants and toddlers novel and disliked foods. *Journal of Nutrition Education and Behavior*, *56*(5), 287-299. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jneb.2024.01.007>
5. Kielb*^g, E., **Moding, K.J.**, Kimiecik, C.M., & Klenosky, D.B. (2024). Parents’ food choice for their preschool-aged children: A means-end investigation. *Child: Care, Health & Development*, *50*(1), e13172. <https://doi.org/10.1111/cch.13172>
6. **Moding***, **K.J.** & Kielb ^g, E.I. (2023). Conceptual and methodological challenges to measuring food acceptance during infancy. *Current Nutrition Reports*, *12*(3), 407-415. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s13668-023-00480-1>
7. Tauriello*^g, S., **Moding, K.J.**, Aronoff, N., Kubiniiec, E., & Anzman-Frasca, S.A. (2023). Examining links between child temperament and feeding, eating, and weight outcomes: An updated systematic review of the literature. *Eating Behaviors*, *49*, 101739. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.eatbeh.2023.101739>
8. Barrett*^p, K.J., **Moding, K.J.**, Flesher, A., & Johnson, S.L. (2023). “The kale is green” and other things caregivers say when feeding infants and toddlers are associated with child rate of acceptance. *Journal of Nutrition*, *153*(4), 1297-1304. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.tjn.2023.01.034>
9. Robertson*^g, O.C., Marceau, K., **Moding, K.J.**, & Knopik, V.S. (2022). Developmental pathways linking obesity risk and early puberty: The thrifty phenotype and fetal overnutrition hypotheses. *Developmental Review*, *66*, 101048. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.dr.2022.101048>

10. Anzman-Frasca*, S., **Moding, K.J.**, Forestell, C.A., & Francis, L.A. (2022). Applying developmental science concepts to improve the applicability of children's food preference learning research. *Child Development Perspectives*, 16(3), 180-187.
<https://doi.org/10.1111/cdep.12452>
11. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Bonvecchio, A., Rawlinson, C., Okronipa, H., Pacheco-Miranda, S., Boenig, R., Flesher, A.E., & Johnson, S.L. (2022). Development of a live coding method to assess infant/toddler food acceptance. *Maternal and Child Nutrition*, 18(3), e13348.
<https://doi.org/10.1111/mcn.13348>
12. Augustine*, M.E., **Moding***, **K.J.**, & Stifter, C.A. (2022). Person-centered profiles of child temperament: A comparison of coder, mother, and experimenter ratings. *Infant Behavior and Development*, 68, 101725. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.infbeh.2022.101725>
13. Gartstein*, M.A., Seamon, D.E., Mattera, J.A., Enlow, M.B., Wright, R.J., Perez-Edgar, K., Buss, K.A., LoBue, V., Bell, M.A., Goodman, S.H., Spieker, S., Bridgett, D.J., Salisbury, A.L., Gunnar, M.R., Mliner, S.B., Muzik, M., Stifter, C.A., Planalp, E.A., Mehr, S.A., Spelke, E.S., Lukowski, A.F., Groh, A.M., Lickenbrock, D.M., Santelli, R., Schudlich, T.D.R., Anzman-Frasca, A., Thrasher, C., Diaz, A., Dayton, C., **Moding, K.J.**, & Jordan, E.M. (2022). Using machine learning to understand age and gender classification based on infant temperament. *PLoS ONE*, 17(4), e0266026.
<https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0266026>
14. Johnson*, S.L., **Moding, K.J.**, Grimm, K.J., Flesher, A.E., Bakke, A.J., & Hayes, J.E. (2021). Infant and toddler responses to bitter-tasting novel vegetables: Findings from the Good Tastes Study. *Journal of Nutrition*, 151(10), 3240-3252.
<https://doi.org/10.1093/jn/nxab198>
15. Johnson*, S.L., Shapiro, A.L.B., **Moding, K.J.**, Flesher, A.E., Davis, K. N., & Fisher, J.O. (2021). Infant and toddler consumption of sweetened and unsweetened lipid nutrient supplements after 2-week home repeated exposures, 151(9), 2825-2834. *Journal of Nutrition*.
<https://doi.org/10.1093/jn/nxab148>
16. Ferrante*^g, M.J., **Moding, K.J.**, Bellows, L.L., Bakke, A.J., Hayes, J.E., & Johnson, S.L. (2021). Examining front-of-package product names and ingredient lists of infant and toddler foods containing vegetables. *Journal of Nutrition Education and Behavior*, 53(2), 96-102.
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jneb.2020.11.019>
17. **Moding***, **K.J.**, & Fries, L.R. (2020). Feeding practices demonstrated by parents of toddlers: An observational analysis of breakfast, lunch, dinner, and snacks. *Appetite*, 155, 104825.
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.appet.2020.104825>
18. Bakke*, A.J., Carney, E.M., Higgins, M.J., **Moding, K.J.**, Johnson, S.L., & Hayes, J.E. (2020). Blending dark green vegetables with fruits in commercially available infant foods makes them taste like fruit. *Appetite*, 150, 104652.
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.appet.2020.104652>

19. **Moding*, K.J.**, Bellows, L.L., Grimm, K.J., & Johnson, S.L. (2020). A longitudinal examination of the role of sensory exploratory behaviors in young children's acceptance of new foods. *Physiology & Behavior*, *218*, 112821. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.physbeh.2020.112821>
20. Hepworth*, A.D., **Moding, K.J.**, & Stifter, C.A. (2020). A laboratory-based assessment of mother-child snack food selections and child snack food consumption: Associations with observed and maternal self-report of child feeding practices. *Food Quality & Preference*, *83*, 103898. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.foodqual.2020.103898>
21. **Moding*, K.J.**, Ferrante^g, M.J., Bellows, L.L., Bakke, A.J., Hayes, J.E., & Johnson, S.L. (2019). Nutritional content and ingredients of commercial infant and toddler food pouches compared to other packages available in the United States. *Nutrition Today*, *54*(6), 305-312. <https://doi.org/10.1097/NT.0000000000000385>
22. Fries*, L.R., van der Horst, K., **Moding, K.J.**, Hughes, S.O., & Johnson, S.L. (2019). Consistency between parent-reported feeding practices and behavioral observation during toddler meals. *Journal of Nutrition Education and Behavior*, *51*(10), 1159-1167. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jneb.2019.08.005>
23. Stifter*, C.A., & **Moding, K.J.** (2019). Temperament in obesity-related research: Concepts, challenges, and considerations for future research. *Appetite*, *141*, 104308. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.appet.2019.05.039>
24. Johnson*, S.L., Ryan, S., Kroehl, M., **Moding, K.J.**, Boles, R.E., & Bellows, L.L. (2019). A longitudinal intervention to improve young children's liking and consumption of new foods: Findings from The Colorado LEAP Study. *International Journal of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity*, *16*(49), 1-15. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12966-019-0808-3>
25. Ferrante*^g, M.F., Johnson, S.L., Miller, J., **Moding, K.J.**, & Bellows, L.L. (2019). Does a vegetable-first, optimal default strategy improve children's vegetable intake? A restaurant-based study. *Food Quality & Preference*, *74*, 112-117. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.foodqual.2019.01.009>
26. Anzman-Frasca* S., Paul, I.M., **Moding, K.J.**, Savage, J.S., Hohman, E.E., & Birch, L.L. (2018). Effects of the INSIGHT obesity preventive intervention on reported and observed infant temperament. *Journal of Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics*, *39*(9), 736-743. <https://doi.org/10.1097/DBP.0000000000000597>
27. **Moding*, K.J.**, Augustine, M.E., & Stifter, C.A. (2018). Interactive effects of parenting behavior and regulatory skills in toddlerhood on child weight outcomes. *International Journal of Obesity*, *43*, 53-61. <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41366-018-0162-6>
28. Johnson*, S.L., **Moding, K.J.**, Maloney, K., & Bellows, L.L. (2018). Development of the Trying New Foods Scale: a preschooler self-assessment of children's willingness to try new foods. *Appetite*, *128*, 21-31. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.appet.2018.05.146>

29. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Ferrante^g, M.J., Bellows, L.L., Bakke, A.J., Hayes, J.E., & Johnson, S.L. (2018). Variety and content of commercial infant and toddler vegetable products manufactured and sold in the United States. *American Journal of Clinical Nutrition*, *107*, 576-583. <https://doi.org/10.1093/ajcn/nqx079>
30. Bakke*, A.J., Stubbs, C.A., McDowell, E.H., **Moding, K.J.**, Johnson, S.L., & Hayes, J.E. (2018). Mary Poppins was right: adding small amounts of sugar or salt to reduce the bitterness of vegetable purees. *Appetite*, *126*, 90-101. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.appet.2018.03.015>
31. Stifter*, C.A. & **Moding, K.J.** (2018). Infant temperament and parent use of food to soothe predict change in weight-for-length across infancy: Early risk factors for childhood obesity. *International Journal of Obesity*, *42*, 1631-1638. <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41366-018-0006-4>
32. **Moding***, **K.J.**, & Stifter, C.A. (2018). Does temperament underlie infant novel food responses?: Continuity of approach-withdrawal from 6 to 18 months. *Child Development*, *89*(4), e444-e458. <https://doi.org/10.1111/cdev.12902>
33. Augustine*, M.E., **Moding, K.J.**, & Stifter, C.A. (2016). Predicting toddler temperamental approach-withdrawal: Contributions of early approach tendencies, parenting behavior, and contextual novelty. *Journal of Research in Personality*, *67*, 97-105. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jrp.2016.05.008>
34. **Moding***, **K.J.**, & Stifter, C.A. (2016b). Temperamental approach/withdrawal and food neophobia in early childhood: Concurrent and longitudinal associations. *Appetite*, *107*, 654-662. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.appet.2016.09.013>
35. **Moding***, **K.J.**, & Stifter, C.A. (2016a). Stability of food neophobia from infancy through early childhood. *Appetite*, *97*, 72-78. <https://doi.org/j.appet.2015.11.016>
36. Doub*, A.E., **Moding, K.J.**, & Stifter, C.A. (2015). Infant and maternal predictors of early life feeding decisions: The timing of solid food introduction. *Appetite*, *92*, 261-268. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.appet.2015.05.028>
37. Stifter*, C. A., & **Moding, K.J.** (2015). Understanding and measuring parent use of food to soothe infant and toddler distress: A longitudinal study from 6 to 18 months of age. *Appetite*, *95*, 188-196. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.appet.2015.07.009>
38. **Moding***, **K. J.**, Birch, L.L., & Stifter, C. A. (2014). Infant temperament and feeding history predict infants' responses to novel foods. *Appetite*, *83*, 218-225. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.appet.2014.08.030>

BOOK CHAPTERS

1. Johnson*, S.L., & **Moding, K.J.** (2020). Introducing hard-to-like foods to infants and toddlers: Mothers' perspectives and children's experiences about learning to accept novel foods. In M.M. Black, A. Singhal, & C.H. Hillman (Eds.). *Nestle Nutrition Institute Workshop Series*. Basel: Karger.
2. Johnson*, S.L., **Moding, K.J.**, & Bellows, L.L. (2018). Children's challenging eating behaviors: Picky eating, food neophobia, & food selectivity. In J.C. Lumeng & J.O. Fisher (Eds.). *Pediatric Food Preferences and Eating Behaviors*. New York: Elsevier.

REGISTERED REPORTS

1. Reigh*, N.A., Rolls, B.J., Francis, L.A., Buss, K.A., Hayes, J.E., Hetherington, M.M., **Moding, K.J.**, Kling, S.M.R., & Keller, K.L. (Stage 1 Registered Report- In Principle Acceptance). Examining the role of food form on children's self-regulation of energy intake. *Frontiers in Nutrition*. <https://doi.org/10.3389/fnut.2022.791718>

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

1. **Moding, K.J.** (March, 2023). *Child and parent factors associated with eating behaviors and weight status in early childhood*. Oral presentation for the University of Colorado-Anschutz Medical Campus Pediatric Nutrition Seminar (virtual presentation).
2. **Moding, K.J.** (September, 2022). *Understanding and addressing food neophobia in early childhood*. Oral presentation at the University at Buffalo.
3. Ferrante, M.J., & **Moding, K.J.** (October, 2021). *Examining front-of-package product names and ingredient lists of infant and toddler food containing vegetables*. Oral presentation for the Society for Nutrition Education and Behavior Journal Club Webinar Series (virtual presentation).
4. **Moding, K.J.** (April, 2021). *Emotion regulation and physical health*. Recorded oral presentation for the American Heart Association: Neurodevelopmental Health Boot Camp hosted by Northwestern University (virtual presentation).
5. **Moding, K.J.** (December, 2020). *Developmental predictors of new food acceptance in early childhood*. Oral presentation for the Food Science & Human Nutrition Seminar at the University of Illinois (virtual presentation).

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

*indicates primary author(s); superscripts indicate co-author(s) mentored by the candidate:

^uundergraduate student, ^ggraduate student, ^ppostdoctoral scientist

1. Ferrante*, M.J., Forestell, C.A., **Moding, K.J.**, & Johnson, S.L. (July/August 2024). *Caregivers' thoughts and questions related to the complementary feeding period*. Oral presentation at the Society for Nutrition Education and Behavior Annual Meeting. Knoxville, TN.
2. Mendoza*, I.D., Duncan, R.J., & **Moding, K.J.** (July 2024). *Longitudinal associations between parental screen time monitoring, child screen time exposure, diet, and body mass index*. Poster presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
3. Forestell*, C.A., **Moding, K.J.**, Johnson, S.L., Milla, S., Tutman, J., Krebs, N.F., & Tang, M. (July 2024). *Associations between toddlers' eating behaviors and their liking and consumption of protein-rich foods*. Poster presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
4. Robertson*, O.C., Marceau, K., **Moding, K.J.**, Knopik, V.S., & Foti, D.J. (June 2024). *Prenatal programming and within family trajectories of internalizing symptoms, obesity risk, and relative pubertal timing: a discordant sibling design*. Oral presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Behavior Genetics Association, London, England.
5. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Kielb^g, E.I., Davis^g, L.A., Kim^g, G., & Running, C.A. (July, 2023). *Veggie Gummy Bears: A gamified approach to helping children learn to like vegetables*. Poster presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Boston, MA.
6. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Lawless^p, M.C., Forestell, C.A., Barrett^p, K.J., & Johnson, S.L. (July, 2023). *Iron and zinc content of commercial infant and toddler foods containing animal-source proteins*. Poster presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Boston, MA.
7. Forestell*, C.A., **Moding, K.J.**, Lawless^p, M.C., Barrett^p, K.J., & Johnson, S.L. (July, 2023). *Factors associated with caregivers' decisions about when to introduce beef to infants and toddlers*. Poster presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Boston, MA.
8. Lawless*^p, M.C., Barrett^p, K.J., Forestell, C.A., **Moding, K.J.**, & Johnson, S.L. (July, 2023). *Assessing the nutrition literacy of caregivers related to feeding their infants and toddlers*. Poster presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Boston, MA.
9. Robertson*^g, O.C., Marceau, K., **Moding, K.J.**, Knopik, V.S., Foti, D., Shirtcliff, E.A., Dorn, L.D., Natsuaki, M.N., Shaw, D.S., Reiss, D., Leve, L.D., Neiderhiser, J.M., & Ganiban, J.M. (June, 2023). *A longitudinal investigation of internalizing symptoms, obesity risk, and relative pubertal timing in adolescence: A prospective adoption design*. Flask talk at the Behavior Genetics Association annual meeting, Murcia, Spain.

10. Forestell*, C.A., Barrett^p, K.J., Lawless^p, M.C., Campaign, A., Flesher, A., Lage, S.J., Cohadas, R.N., **Moding, K.J.**, & Johnson, S.L. (June, 2023). *A matter of taste, health, and tradition: Parents' rationales for introducing meat to their children*. Poster presented at the Psychology of Human-Animal Intergroup Relations (PHAIR) Animal Advocacy Conference in Kent, United Kingdom.
11. Kielb*^g, E., **Moding, K.J.**, Kimiecik, C., & Klenosky, D. (March, 2023). *Exploring the factors underlying parents' food choice decisions for their preschool-aged child*. Poster presented at the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT.
12. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Kielb^g, E., Janis^g, A., & Schwichtenberg, A.J. (March, 2023). *Associations between infant temperament, sleep, feeding, and weight in infancy and early childhood*. Paper presented at the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT. Symposium: Infant sleep and the development of obesity: Direct and indirect associations in four longitudinal cohorts (**K.J. Moding**, co-chair).
13. Kim*^g, G., Kielb^g, E., Posada, G., & **Moding, K.J.** (March, 2023). *Parental caregiving quality, child temperament, and parental use of food to sooth preschoolers' distress*. Poster presented at the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT.
14. Janis*^g, A., Kielb^g, E., **Moding, K.J.**, & Schwichtenberg., A.J. (March, 2023). *Family sleep and toddler obesity risk: A descriptive study*. Poster presented at the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT.
15. Barrett*^p, K.J., Lawless^p, M.C., Campaign, A., Forestell, C.A., Flesher, A., Lage, S.J., Cohadas, R.N., Ueki^u, M., **Moding, K.J.**, & Johnson, S.L. (March, 2023). *"It's just a matter of practice": Understanding parental conceptualizations of complementary feeding*. Paper presented at the Human Biology Association Annual Meeting, Reno, NV.
16. Kielb*^g, E., **Moding, K.J.**, Robertson^g, O., Marceau, K., Hodges, E.A., & Johnson, S.L. (July, 2022) *Exploring the effects of repeated exposure on infant and toddler vegetable consumption over a two-week period*. Poster presented at the International Congress of Infant Studies Biennial Meeting, Ottawa, Canada.
17. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Kielb^g, E., Marceau, K., Hodges, E.A., Posada, G., & Johnson, S.L. (July, 2022) *Maternal sensitivity and feeding persistence in offering a novel vegetable to infants and toddlers*. Thematic poster presented at the International Congress of Infant Studies Biennial Meeting, Ottawa, Canada.
18. Kielb*^g, E., & **Moding, K.J.** (June, 2022). *Exploring the associations between child temperament, the home food environment, and body mass index in four-year-old children*. Poster presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Virtual Meeting.

19. Kielb*^g, E., **Moding, K.J.**, Johnson, S.L., Beaulieu, B., Connolly, B., Faroh, S., & Bellows, L.L. (June, 2022). *Opportunities to support caregivers feeding infants and toddlers through Extension education*. Poster presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Virtual Meeting.
20. Tauriello*^g, S., **Moding, K.J.**, Aronoff, N., Kubiniec, E., & Anzman-Frasca, S. (July, 2021). *Temperament, eating, and weight outcomes in young children: An updated systematic review of the literature*. Poster presented at the Society for the Study of Ingestive Behavior, Virtual Meeting.
21. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Anzman-Frasca, S., & Kielb^g, E.I. (June, 2021). *Early temperamental reactivity and infants' responses to novel foods at 6 months of age*. Poster presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Virtual Meeting.
22. **Moding***, **K.J.**, & Anzman-Frasca, S. (April, 2021). *Individual differences in children's willingness to try new foods: The role of temperament*. Paper presented at the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Virtual Meeting. Symposium: Expanding research on child food acceptance to include individual differences, innovative interventions, and under-represented populations (**K.J. Moding**, co-chair).
23. Kielb*^g, E. I., **Moding, K.J.**, Hodges, E.A., & Johnson, S.L. (April, 2021) *Infant and toddler dietary variety: The role of parental food neophobia and infant temperament*. Poster presented at the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Virtual Meeting.
24. Kielb*^g, E., **Moding, K.J.**, Evich, C. D., Jones, B.L., & Schwichtenberg, A.J. (April, 2021) *Associations between frequency of food groups offered to toddlers and their weight status*. Poster presented at the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Virtual Meeting.
25. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Hepworth, A.D., & Stifter, C.A. (November, 2020). *Temperamental surgency, permissive feeding practices, and young children's eating self-regulation*. Poster presented at the Occasional Temperament Conference, Virtual Meeting.
26. Rawlinson*, C., Bonvecchio, A., Okronipa, H., **Moding, K.J.**, Pacheco Miranda, S., Boenig, R., & Johnson, S.L. (June, 2020). *Lessons learned and recommendations for the implementation of a live coding method to assess acceptability of SQ-LNS supplements in 7- to 24-month-old children*. Poster presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Virtual Meeting.
27. Johnson*, S.L., Shapiro, A., **Moding, K.J.**, Davis, K., Montalvo, A., Flesher, A.E., & Fisher, J.O. (June, 2020). *Infant and toddler consumption of a lipid nutrient supplement after a 2-week home repeated exposure*. Poster presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Virtual Meeting.

28. Carney*^g, E.C., **Moding, K.J.**, Fisher, J.O., & Johnson, S.L. (June, 2020). *Effects of texture on vegetable acceptance during infancy and toddlerhood*. Poster presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Virtual Meeting.
29. Johnson*, S.L., **Moding, K.J.**, Flesher, A.E., Davis, K.N., Boenig, R., Bakke, A.J., & Hayes, J.E. (June, 2019). *The Good Tastes Study: Relations between children's eating behaviors and caregivers' intentions to persist in offering difficult-to-like foods*. Paper presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD.
30. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Davis, K.N., Flesher, A.E., Augustine, M.E., Campaign, J.A., Bakke, A.J., Hayes, J.E., & Johnson, S.L. (June, 2019). *The Good Tastes Study: Associations between infants' physiological regulation and responses to bitter green vegetables*. Poster presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD.
31. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Ferrante^g, M.J., Bellows, L.L., Bakke, A.J., Hayes, J.E., & Johnson, S.L. (June, 2019). *Nutritional content and ingredients of infant and toddler food pouches compared to traditional packaging*. Poster presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD.
32. Ferrante*^g, M.J., **Moding, K.J.**, Bellows, L.L., Bakke, A.J., Hayes, J.E., & Johnson, S.L. (June, 2019). *Examining product names of commercially produced infant and toddler foods containing vegetables*. Poster presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD.
33. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Flesher, A.E., & Johnson, S.L. (June, 2019). *The Good Tastes Study: Exploring developmental associations between temperament and food acceptance in young children*. Paper presented at the International Society of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity Annual Meeting, Prague, Czech Republic.
34. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Bellows, L.L., Grimm, K.J., & Johnson, S.L. (March, 2019). *A longitudinal examination of sensory exploratory behaviors young children use when trying new foods*. Poster presented at the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Baltimore, MD.
35. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Augustine, M.A., & Stifter, C.A. (March, 2019). *A comparison of person-centered measures of child temperament based on mother, experimenter, and coder ratings*. Poster presented at the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Baltimore, MD.
36. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Flesher, A.E., Lucitt, H., Bakke, A.J., Hayes, J.E., & Johnson, S.L. (June, 2018). *The Good Tastes Study: Exploring caregiver feeding persistence and the roles of perceived infant liking, child temperament, and caregiver food neophobia*. Paper presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Boston, MA.

37. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Bellows, L.L., Hodges, E.A., Boles, R.E., & Johnson, S.L. (June, 2018). *An integrated approach to examine caregiver feeding persistence in offering vegetables to infants and toddlers*. Project presented at the USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture Project Director Meeting, Boston, MA.
38. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Augustine, M.A., & Stifter, C.A. (June, 2018). *Parenting behavior and regulatory skills in toddlerhood predict childhood weight outcomes*. Poster presented at the Biennial International Congress on Infant Studies, Philadelphia, PA.
39. Johnson*, S.L., **Moding, K.J.**, Hayes, J.E., Bakke, A.J., Lucitt, H., & Flesher, A. (June, 2018). *The Good Tastes Study: Infants' and toddlers' acceptance of a familiar food and novel green bitter vegetable purees*. Poster presented at the American Society for Nutrition Annual Meeting, Boston, MA.
40. Ferrante*^g, M.J., **Moding, K.J.**, Bellows, L.L., & Johnson, S.L. (October, 2017). *Paving the way for children's vegetable acceptance: Analysis of dark green vegetable content of commercial infant and toddler foods*. Poster presented at the Food & Nutrition Conference & Expo, Chicago, IL.
41. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Ferrante^g, M.J., Bellows, L.L., Bakke, A.J., Hayes, J.E., & Johnson, S.L. (July, 2017). *Vegetable or fruit? An examination of commercially available vegetable products for infants and toddlers*. Poster presented at the Society for Nutrition Education and Behavior Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
42. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Bellows, L.L., Palmer, C., & Johnson, S.L. (April, 2017). *Sustained effects of an intervention to improve willingness to try new foods on preschoolers' liking ratings of a target vegetable*. Paper presented at the Experimental Biology Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
43. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Augustine, M.E., & Stifter, C.A. (April, 2017). *Concurrent associations and developmental trajectories of infants' approach/withdrawal responses to novel toys and novel foods*. Paper presented at the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Austin, TX. Symposium: Temperamental approach/withdrawal in early childhood: Developmental processes and outcomes (**K.J. Moding**, co-chair).
44. **Moding***, **K.J.**, Bellows, L.L., & Johnson, S.L. (April 2017). *A new approach to measuring preschoolers' food neophobia: Initial validation of a self-competence assessment*. Poster presented at the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Austin, TX.
45. Anzman-Frasca*, S., Paul, I.M., **Moding, K.J.**, Savage, J.S., & Birch, L.L. (November, 2016). *Effects of INSIGHT obesity intervention on parent-reported and observed infant temperament*. Poster presented at The Obesity Society Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA.
46. Doub*, A.E., **Moding, K.J.**, & Stifter, C.A. (November, 2016). *Maternal feeding style and children's snack food selections: An observational study*. Poster presented at The Obesity Society Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA.

47. Johnson*, S.L., Maloney, K., **Moding, K.J.**, & Bellows, L.L. (July, 2016). *The Trying New Foods Scale: A preschooler assessment of self-competence for trying new foods*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting for the Society for the Study of Ingestive Behavior, Porto, Portugal.
48. Stifter*, C.A., & **Moding, K.J.** (May, 2016). *Temperament and parent use of instrumental feeding: Early pathways to childhood obesity*. Paper presented at the Biennial International Congress on Infant Studies, New Orleans, LA.
49. **Moding***, **K.J.**, & Stifter, C.A. (May, 2016). *Infant anger and fear reactivity differentially predict approach/withdrawal behaviors during toddlerhood*. Poster presented at the Biennial International Congress on Infant Studies, New Orleans, LA.
50. Augustine*, M.E., **Moding, K.J.**, & Stifter, C.A. (May, 2016). *Self-regulatory benefits of early effortful and fearful inhibition for infants high in temperamental approach*. Poster presented at the Biennial International Congress on Infant Studies, New Orleans, LA.
51. **Moding***, **K.J.**, & Stifter, C.A. (November, 2015). *Direct and moderated effects of toddler inhibitory control on weight status at age 4*. Poster presented at The Obesity Society Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, CA.
52. **Moding***, **K.J.**, & Stifter, C.A. (July, 2015). *Infants' reactions to novel foods predict food neophobia during early childhood*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Ingestive Behavior, Denver, CO.
53. **Moding***, **K.J.**, & Stifter C.A. (March, 2015). *Temperamental regulatory abilities and child-initiated snacking predict toddler weight status*. Poster presented at the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting.
54. **Moding***, **K.J.**, & Stifter, C.A. (July, 2014). *Temperamental surgency contributes to acceptance and rejection of novel foods at 6 and 12 months*. Poster presented at the Biennial International Conference on Infant Studies, Berlin, Germany.
55. **Moding***, **K.J.**, & Stifter, C.A. (November, 2013). *Infants' acceptance of green vegetables and fruits show differential effects on weight change*. Poster presented at The Obesity Society Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA.
56. **Moding***, **K.J.**, & Stifter, C. A. (May, 2013). *The role of temperament and parenting behaviors in infants' acceptance of new foods*. Poster presented at the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Seattle, WA.
57. Doub*, A.E., **Moding, K.J.**, & Stifter, C.A. (May, 2013). *Infant temperament and maternal feeding style predict timing of introduction to solid foods*. Poster presented at the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Seattle, WA.

58. Stifter*, C.A., **Moding, K.J.**, & Lickenbrock, D.M. (June, 2012). *Parenting and infant temperament: Is the use of food to soothe infant distress a risk factor for infant rapid weight gain?* Paper presented at the Biennial International Conference on Infant Studies, Minneapolis, MN.
59. **Moding*, K.J.**, & Stifter, C.A. (June, 2012). *The influence of infant temperament and maternal parenting behaviors on infant responses to novel food.* Poster presented at the Biennial International Conference on Infant Studies, Minneapolis, MN.
60. **Moding*, K.**, & Waters, P. (June, 2010). *The importance of measuring importance: Linking sport involvement to self-esteem.* Poster presented at the Association for Psychological Science Annual Convention, Boston, MA.

GRADUATE STUDENT MENTORSHIP

Current Graduate Student Advisees

1. Elizabeth Kielb (HDFS – Purdue University).
2. Ivan Mendoza (HDFS – Purdue University).

Dissertation Committee (Chair/Co-Chair)

1. Geurim Kim (HDFS – Purdue University; Co-Chair). 2024.
2. Elizabeth Kielb (HDFS – Purdue University; Chair). In progress.

Dissertation Committee (Member)

1. Inga Nordgren (HDFS – Purdue University). In progress.
2. Rachel Hahn-Arkenberg (Speech, Language, & Hearing Sciences – Purdue University). 2024.
3. Olivia Robertson (HDFS – Purdue University). 2023.

Master's Thesis Committee (Member)

1. Amy Janis (HDFS – Purdue University). In progress.
2. Julia Hack (Health & Kinesiology – Purdue University). In progress.
3. Nikolina Nonkovic (HDFS – Purdue University). 2023.
4. Inga Nordgren (HDFS – Purdue University). 2022.
5. Elizabeth Kielb (Health & Kinesiology – Purdue University). 2021.
6. Olivia Robertson (HDFS – Purdue University). 2021.

Preliminary Exam Committee (Chair)

1. Elizabeth Kielb (HDFS – Purdue University). 2022

Preliminary Exam Committee (Member)

1. Elina Dawoodani (Nutrition Science – Purdue University). 2024.
2. Inga Nordgren (HDFS – Purdue University). 2023.
3. Muqing Liu (HDFS – Purdue University). 2022.
4. Rachel Hahn-Arkenberg (Speech, Language, & Hearing Sciences – Purdue University). 2022.

5. Geurim Kim (HDFS – Purdue University). 2021.
6. Olivia Robertson (HDFS – Purdue University). 2021

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT MENTORSHIP

1. Elise Malehorn (College of Pharmacy: Independent Project). 2023.
2. Alexis Noirot (Developmental & Family Science: Research Capstone). 2022.
3. Grace Beehler (Pre-Professional Health Sciences: Honors Project). 2022.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Fall 2020 – Present	HDFS 325: Health and Health Care for Children and Families Purdue University, Instructor of Record
Fall 2019, 2021, 2024	HDFS 590C: Research in Child Obesity Purdue University, Instructor of Record
Fall 2019 – 2020	HDFS 346: Research Methods and Program Evaluation Purdue University, Instructor of Record
Fall 2014	HDFS 428: Infant Development The Pennsylvania State University, Instructor of Record
Summer 2013	HDFS 229: Infant and Child Development The Pennsylvania State University, Co-Instructor of Record Co-instructor: Mairin Augustine, M.S.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Editorial Board

2023 – Present Advisory Editor, Appetite

Ad Hoc Grant Reviewer

2022: National Science Foundation: Developmental Science Program
2022: Indiana Clinical and Translational Sciences Institute: Core pilot grants

Ad Hoc Manuscript Reviewer

Child Development, Child Development Perspectives, Developmental Psychology, Eating Behaviors, Frontiers in Nutrition, International Journal of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, International Journal of Obesity, Journal of Nutrition, Journal of Nutrition Education & Behavior, Maternal & Child Nutrition, Obesity Reviews, Pediatric Obesity, Physiology & Behavior

Conference Reviewer

2019 – 2024: American Society for Nutrition Annual Conference
2019, 2021, 2023: Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting

HDFS Department

2021 – Present Graduate Committee, Member
2020 – Present Digital Instruction Committee, Member
2020 – 2021 Search Committee for Assistant/Associate Professor in Early Childhood Education, Development, & Learning
2020 – 2021 Social Committee

College of Health and Human Sciences

2021 – Present Center for Families Faculty Partner
2022 Search Committee for HDFS Extension Specialist
2020 – 2024 Reviewer for Center for Families research grants

Purdue University

2022, 2023 Spring Undergraduate Research Conference, Poster Judge

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

2017- American Society for Nutrition
2011- International Congress on Infant Studies
2011- Society for Research in Child Development