

CURRICULUM VITAE

Kazuko Y. Behrens, Ph.D.

SUNY Polytechnic Institute

Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences

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- Ph.D. University of California at Berkeley, Human Development, 2005
Dissertation: *Mothers' attachment status as determined by the Adult Attachment Interview predicts their 6-year-olds' responses to separation and reunion: A study conducted in Japan.*
 Major Professor: Dr. Mary Main
- M.A. San Francisco State University, Developmental Psychology, 1999
Thesis: *Japanese and American mother-child relationship: Comparison of attuning behaviors during play.*
- M.A. Cornell University, Asian Studies
Thesis: *Mizuko Jizo: Its role and symbolism in the contemporary Japan*

RESEACH INTERESTS

Individual differences in social-emotional development. Intergenerational transmission of attachment in cross-cultural context. Lifespan attachment. Physiological correlates of attachment phenomena. Parental sensitivity. Attachment and cognition. Attachment-based intervention.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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| Associate Professor | Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences SUNY Polytechnic Institute 2016 – |
| Assistant Professor | Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences SUNY Polytechnic Institute 2012 – 2016 |
| Assistant Professor | Department of Human Development and Family Studies Texas Tech University 2005 – 2012 |
| Guest Lecturer | Department of Clinical Psychology Health Sciences University of Hokkaido, Japan Summer 2009 |
| Research Assistant | Center for Japanese Studies, Dr. Irwin Scheiner University of California, Berkeley 2003 – 2004 |
| Research Assistant | Graduate School of Education. Dr. Susan Holloway University of California, Berkeley 1998 – 2000 |
| Research Assistant | Dr. Catherine Lewis Developmental Studies Center, Oakland, CA 1998 |

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| Research Assistant (Non-paid) | Department of Psychology, Dr. Anne Fernald Stanford University 1996 – 1998 |
| <i>Assistant Treasurer</i> | <i>The Fuji Bank, Limited, New York, NY</i> 1994 – 1995 |
| <i>Financial Planner</i> | <i>American Express Financial Services, Inc., San Francisco, CA</i> 1991 – 1994 |
| <i>Controller</i> | <i>Realty Investments, San Francisco, CA</i> 1989 – 1991 |
| <i>ST Assets Portfolio Manager</i> | <i>Sumitomo Bank Capital Markets, Inc., New York, NY</i> 1987 – 1989 |

PUBLICATIONS

- Kondo-Ikemura, K., **Behrens, K. Y.**, Umemura, T., & Nakano, S. (under review). Japanese mothers' prebirth Adult Attachment Interview predicts their infants' response to the Strange Situation procedure: The Strange Situation in Japan revisited three decades later.
- Verhage, M. L., Fearon, P. R. M., Schuengel, C., van IJzendoorn, M. H., Bakermans-Kranenburg, M. J., Madigan, S., Roisman, G. I., Oosterman, M., **Behrens, K. Y.**, Wong, M. S., Mangelsdorf, S., Lynn E. Priddis, L., E., Brisch, K-H., (under review). Examining ecological constraints on the intergenerational transmission of attachment via individual participant data meta-analysis.
- Behrens, K. Y.** (in press). Wishes. In M. H. Bornstein (Ed.). *The Sage Encyclopedia of Lifespan Human Development*. Thousand Oaks, CA: SAGE Publishing.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, & Umemura, T. (2017). Japan-US comparison of mothers' wishes for their children's futures in the context of attachment. *Journal of Family Studies*. Advance online publication.
- Granqvist, P., Sroufe, L. A., Dozier, M., Hesse, E., Steele, M., van IJzendoorn, M., Solomon, J., Schuengel, C., Fearon, P., Bakermans-Kranenburg, M., Steel, H., Cassidy, J., Carlson, E., Madian, S., Jacobvits, D., Foster, S., **Behrens, K. Y.**, Rifkin-Graboi, A., Gribneau, N., Spangler, G., Ward, M. J., True, M., Spieker, S., Reijman, S., Reisz, S., Tharner, A., Nkara, F., Goldwyn, R., Sroufe, J., Pederson, Da., Pederson, De., Weigand, R., Siegel, D., Dazzi, N., Bernard, K., Fonagy, P., Waters, E., Toth, S., Cicchetti, D., Zeanah, C. H., Lyons-Ruth, K., Main, M., & Duschinsky, R. (2017). Disorganized attachment in infancy: A review of the phenomenon and its implications for clinicians and policy-makers. *Attachment and Human Development, 19*, 534-558.
- Behrens, K. Y.** (2016). Reconsidering attachment in context of culture: Review of attachment studies in Japan. *Online Readings in Psychology and Culture 6*(1).
- Behrens, K. Y.**, Haltigan, J. D., & Gribneau Bahm, N. I. (2016). Infant attachment, adult attachment, and maternal sensitivity: Revisiting the intergenerational transmission gap. *Attachment and Human Development, 18*, 337-353.
- Mesman, J, van IJzendoorn, M., **Behrens, K.**, Carbonell, O.A., Leiva, R. C., Cohen-Paraira, I., de la Harpe, C., Ekmekçi, H., Emmen, R., Heidar, J., Kondo-Ikemura, K., Mels, C., Mooya, H., Murtisari, S., Noblega, M., Ortiz, J. A., Sagi-Schwartz, A., Sichimba, F., Soares, I., Steele, H., Steele, M., Van der Leeden, M., Van der Veer, R., Wang, L., Yağmurlu, B., Yavuz, M., Zreik, G. (2016). The ideal mother is a sensitive mother: Beliefs about early childhood parenting in mothers across the globe. *International Journal of Behavioral Development, 40*, 385-397.

- Kulkofsky, S., **Behrens, K. Y.**, & Battin, D. B. (2015). The bonds that remind us: Maternal reminiscing for bonding purposes in relation to children's perceived competence and social acceptance. *Infant and Child Development*, *24*, 469-488.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, Parker, A. C., & Kulkofsky, S. (2014). Stability of maternal sensitivity across time and contexts with Q-Sort measures. *Infant and Child Development*, *23*, 532-541.
- Hart, S. L., & **Behrens, K. Y.** (2013). Regulation of jealousy protest in the context of reunion following differential treatment, *Infancy*, *18(6)*, 1076-1110.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, & Umemura, T. (2013). Japanese children's reactions to the family photographs: Association found with their mothers' attachment status. *Infant and Child Development*, *22*, 289-296.
- Hart, S. L. & **Behrens, K. Y.** (2013). Affective and behavioral features of jealousy protest: Associations with child temperament, maternal interaction style, and attachment. *Infancy*, *18(3)*, 369-399.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, Hart, S. L., & Parker, A. C. (2012). Maternal sensitivity: Evidence of stability across time, contexts, and measurement instruments. *Infant and Child Development*, *21*, 348-355.
- Suzuki, S., Holloway, S. D., Yamamoto, Y., & **Behrens, K. Y.** (2011). Perceived social support and parenting beliefs in Japan: A person-oriented approach. *International Journal of Humanities and Social Science*, *1(11)*, 62-76.
- Behrens, K. Y.** (2011). *Intergenerational transmission of attachment in Japan: Concordance found between Japanese mothers and their 6-year-olds*. Germany: LAP Lambert Academic Publishing.
- Behrens, K. Y.** & Kaplan, N. (2011). Japanese children's family drawings and their link to attachment. *Attachment and Human Development*, *13*, 437-450.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, Li, Y., Gribneau-Bahm, N. I., & O'Boyle, M. W. (2011). EEG responses to photos: A case study of three major AAI classifications. *Psychological Reports*, *108*, 993-1010.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, Parker, A. C., & Haltigan, J. D. (2011). Maternal sensitivity assessed during the strange situation predicts child's attachment quality and reunion behaviors. *Infant Behavior and Development*, *34*, 378-381.
- Behrens, K. Y.** & Kondo-Ikemura, K. (2011). Japanese children's *amae* and mothers' attachment status assessed on the AAI. *International Journal of Psychology*, *46*, 368-376.
- Behrens, K. Y.** (2010) *Amae* through the eyes of Japanese mothers: Refining differences and similarities between attachment and *amae*. In P. Erdman & K. Ng (Eds.), *Attachment: Expanding the cultural connections* (pp. 55-69). New York: Routledge.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, Hesse, E., & Main, M. (2007). Mothers' attachment status as determined by the Adult Attachment Interview predicts their 6-year-olds' reunion responses: A study conducted in Japan. *Developmental Psychology*, *43*, 1553-1567.
- Holloway, S. D., Suzuki, S., Yamamoto, Y., & **Behrens, K. Y.** (2005). Parenting self-efficacy among Japanese mothers. *Journal of Comparative Family Studies*, *36*, 61-76.
- Behrens, K. Y.** (2004). A multifaceted view of the concept of *amae*: Reconsidering the indigenous Japanese concept of relatedness. *Human Development*, *47*, 1-27.
- Holloway, S. D., & **Behrens, K. Y.** (2002). Parenting efficacy among Japanese mothers: Qualitative and quantitative perspectives on its association with childhood memories of family relations. In J. Bempechat and J. Elliot (Eds.), *New Directions in Child and Adolescent Development: 96, Learning in culture and context* (pp. 24-43). San Francisco: Jossey-Bass.

MANUSCRIPT IN PREPARATION

- Behrens, K. Y., & Franklin, D. (in preparation). Understanding children in middle childhood: Quality of relationship with mother and its effect on self-concept.
- Behrens, K. Y., & Kondo-Ikemura, K. (in preparation). *Amae* and parenting in Japan.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- Behrens, K. Y. (2006, December 1). *Ima mo teigi naki nihon dokutoku no gainen: Motto "amae" no kenkyuu o* [Japanese indigenous concept still without a definition: Plea for more research on "amae."]. *Mainichi Shinbun* [Mainichi Newspaper]
- Behrens, K. Y. (2000). *Working models of parenting and parental efficacy: The case of Japanese mothers*. Unpublished manuscript, University of California, Berkeley

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING

- PI Mothers' wish for their children in the context of the AAI: US-Japan comparison – 2014 – 2016
- PI Understanding children in middle childhood: Quality of relationship with mother and its effect on cognitive development – 2014 – Present
- PI AAI adjectives and their correlates to attachment security – 2012 – 2014
- Co-PI Functional Neuroimaging of Inhibition and Attachment in Children: Relationships and Thinking Patterns – 2011 – 2012
- PI Honor's Thesis project entitled Culture and moral values: Exploring differences between Chinese and Indian – 2010 – 2011
- PI Collaborative research project entitled *Attachment and reminiscing* – 2009 – 2012
- PI Collaborative research project entitled *EEG Correlates of Picture Processing: A Possible Link to Attachment Status*, 2007 – 2012
- PI Research project entitled *Attachment status as determined by the Adult Attachment Interview: Its intergenerational predictability in various contexts of human interactions*, 2006 – 2012
- Co-PI Collaborative research project entitled *Are individual differences in toddlers' expressions of jealousy differentiated by attachment status?* 2006 – 2012
- Lab Member "Social Development Project" led by Drs. Mary Main and Erik Hesse
University of California, Berkeley, 2000 – 2005
- Lab Member "Moral Development" led by Dr. Elliot Turiel
University of California, Berkeley, 1999 – 2005
- Member "Affect Colloquy" led by Drs. Joe Campos and Richard Lazarus
University of California, Berkeley, 1999 – 2005
- Lab Member "Japan Research Project" led by Dr. Susan Holloway
University of California, Berkeley, 1998 – 2000

ADDITIONAL TRAINING AND CERTIFICATES

- Adult Attachment Interview Certification as a Trainer, 2016
- VIPP Training attendee, Leiden, the Netherlands, 2009
- Family Drawings Certification as a Reliable Coder, 2008
- Strange Situation Certification as a Reliable ABC Coder. 2007

Strange Situation Training attendee, Minneapolis, MN, 2004
 Adult Attachment Interview Certification as a Reliable Coder, 2002
 Adult Attachment Interview Institute attendee at Austin, TX, 2002
 Adult Attachment Interview Institute attendee at Berkeley, CA, 2000

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor for *Principle of Psychology*
 SUNY Polytechnic Institute, 2015-present
 Instructor for Special Topic in Psychology entitled, *Parenting and Cultures*
 SUNY Polytechnic Institute, Fall, 2014
 Instructor for Senior Seminar of Psychology entitled, *Psychosocial Development*
 SUNY Institute of Technology, Spring, 2014, Spring, 2016
 Instructor for History and System of Psychology
 SUNY Institute of Technology, 2012-present
 Instructor for Lifespan Development
 SUNY Institute of Technology, 2012-present
 Instructor for a graduate seminar entitled, *Psychosocial Development*.
 Texas Tech University, Spring, 2010, Spring, 2012
 Instructor for *Development during Childhood*,
 Texas Tech University, 2007 – Spring, 2012
 Instructor for *Theories of Human Development and the Family*.
 Texas Tech University, 2005 – Fall, 2011
 Instructor for Japanese – *Business Japanese, Introductory Japanese Conversation*,
 U.C. Berkeley Extension, 1991 – 1992

SERVICE & COMMITTEE

Chair, Search Committee, SUNY Polytechnic Institute
 2016 - 2017
 Member, Dean's Search Committee, SUNY Polytechnic Institute
 2015 - 2016
 Member, Committee for the Evaluation of Academic Administrators, SUNY Polytechnic
 Institute
 2015 - 2016
 Member, Internal Review Board Committee, SUNY Institute of Technology
 2014 - present
 Member, Search Committee, SUNY Institute of Technology
 2014 - 2015
 Member, General Education Assessment Committee, SUNY Institute of Technology
 2013 - 2014
 Member, Academic Quality Committee, SUNY Institute of Technology
 2012 - 2014
 Member, Theories Qualifying Exam Committee, Texas Tech University
 2009 - 2011
 Member, Journal Ranking Committee, Texas Tech University
 2008 - 2011
 Member, Search Committee, Texas Tech University
 2007

Co-advisor, Association for Childhood Education
2006 - 2011

Mentor of Undergraduate Research Fellow, Texas Tech University
Tuan Le, 2008-2010
Sierra Stull, 2009-2011
Stephanie Everfree Blackwell, 2010-2011

Honor's Thesis Advisor, Texas Tech University
Sierra Stull, Fall, 2011

Master's Thesis Advisor, Texas Tech University
Holly Lambert, Summer, 2012
Andrea C. Parker, Summer, 2012
Debbie Neckles, Summer, 2012

Dean's Representative for Doctoral Defense, Texas Tech University
Narumi Taniguchi, Spring, 2006
Min-Hwan Choi, Fall, 2010

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Ad hoc Reviewer for the following journals:

Attachment and Human Development

Child Development

Clinical Child Psychology and Psychiatry

Early Childhood Research Quarterly

European Journal of Developmental Psychology

Human Development

International Perspectives in Psychology: Research, Practice, Consultation

Infant and Child Development

Journal of Child and Family Studies

Memory

Parenting

Psychological Reports

Social Development

Submission Reviewer for Society for Research in Child Development (SRCD) Biennial Meeting:
Panel 2: "Infancy: Social and Emotional Processes" for 2009 SRCD in Denver, Colorado
Panel 2: "Infancy: Social and Emotional Processes" for 2011 SRCD in Montreal, Canada

Instructor for Adult Attachment Interview Institute in Kyoto, Japan, (scheduled August, 2017)
Assistant Instructor for Adult Attachment Interview Institute in Los Angeles, CA, 2004;
Berkeley, 2012.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Behrens, K. Y. & Umemura, T. (2017, July). *Japan-US comparison of mothers' wishes for their children's futures: Examining wishes discussed during the Adult Attachment Interview.* Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the International Attachment Conference, London, U.K.

- Behrens, K. Y.** (2017, June). *Japanese children's family drawings: A link found with their mothers' attachment status*. Symposium presentation at the biennial meeting of the International Attachment Conference, London, U.K.
- Kondo-Ikemura, K., **Behrens, K. Y.**, & Umemura, T. (2017, April). *Intergenerational transmission of attachment security in Japan with Strange Situation*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Austin, TX.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, & Kondo-Ikemura, K. (2015, August). *Parenting in Japan: Japanese mothers' view of amae and its association with parenting belief and cultural value*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the International Attachment Conference, New York, NY.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, & Franklin, D. (2015, March). *Attachment security and self-concept in middle childhood*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Philadelphia, PA.
- Kondo-Ikemura, K., & **Behrens, K. Y.** (2015, March). *Are amayakasu mothers ideal mothers?: A Q-sort study in Japan*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Philadelphia, PA.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, Bahm, N., & Burnett, C. (2014, July). *Associations between AAI adjectives, AAI scales, and SSP scales*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the International Conference in Infant Studies, Berlin, Germany.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, & Umemura, T. (2014, July). *Japanese mothers' attachment status predicts their children's reactions to the family photographs*. Symposium presentation at the 28th International Congress of Applied Psychology, Paris, France.
- van IJzendoorn, M., **Behrens, K. Y.**, & Kondo-Ikemura, K. (2013, September). *Video-feedback Intervention to promote Positive Parenting: ビデオフィードバックによる親子関係への介入技法*. Symposium presentation at the 77th annual convention of the Japanese Psychological Association, Sapporo, Japan.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, & Hart, S. L. (2013, August). *Infant Jealousy: Expression and Regulation*. Poster presentation at the International Society for Research on Emotion, Berkeley, USA.
- Hart, S. L., & **Behrens, K. Y.** (2013, April). Responses to differential treatment among infants who present dysregulated fear. Symposium presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Seattle, WA.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, & Bahm, N. (2013, April). *Associations between the AAI and the SSP: Multi-dimensional approach*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Seattle, WA.
- Bahm, N., & **Behrens, K. Y.** (2013, April). *Associations between maternal unresolved Adult Attachment Interview scores and infant Strange Situation interactive behaviors*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Seattle, WA.
- Kondo-Ikemura, K., & **Behrens, K. Y.** (2013, April). *Japanese Strange Situation: Past and present*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Seattle, WA.
- Behrens, K. Y.** (2013, April). *Maternal reminiscing and children's perceived competence and social acceptance: Comparing European-American and Mexican-American families*. Symposium presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Seattle, WA.
- Behrens, K. Y.** (2012, June). *Maternal perception of the child via EEG responses to the photo: A case study of three major AAI classifications*. Symposium presentation at the biennial meeting of the International Conference in Infant Studies, Minneapolis, MN.

- Behrens, K. Y.**, Parker, A. C., & Haltigan, J.D. (2012, June). *Maternal behavior during the strange situation procedure predicts child's reunion behaviors and the quality of attachment*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the International Conference in Infant Studies, Minneapolis, MN.
- Parker, A. C., **Behrens, K. Y.**, & Stull, S. (2012, June). *Dose a sensitive mother attune to her baby?: A systematic investigation of affect attunement*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the International Conference in Infant Studies, Minneapolis, MN.
- Hart, S. L. & **Behrens, K. Y.** (2011, April). Mother's differential attention toward a rival: The role of maternal sensitivity across contexts and time toward infant responses. In *Regulating Rivalry during Early Childhood: Parent, Child and Contextual Contributions* (Judith Dubas, chair). Symposium presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development. Montreal, Canada.
- Kulkofsky, S., **Behrens, K. Y.**, & McLaurin, S. (2011, April). *More than memory: Social-emotional correlates to family reminiscing practices*. Symposium presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Montreal, Canada
- Behrens, K. Y.**, Hart, S. L., & Parker, A. C. (2011, March). *Maternal sensitivity: Evidence of stability across time, contexts, and measurement instruments*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Montreal, Canada.
- Kondo-Ikemura, K., & **Behrens, K. Y.** (2011, March). *Mother's attachment status and their view on their children's amae in a Japanese sample*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Montreal, Canada.
- Kulkofsky, S., **Behrens, K. Y.**, Parker, A. C., & Ervin, To. (2011, March). *Child attachment behaviors in infancy predict mother-child reminiscing in early childhood*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Montreal, Canada.
- Hart, S. L. & **Behrens, K. Y.** (2010, March). Infant's Response to Jealousy Evocation: Contributions of Child Temperament, Maternal Sensitivity, and Attachment Security. In *The Expression and Regulation of Jealousy in Triadic Social Contexts: Making Sense of Individual Differences* (S. L. Hart, chair). Symposium presentation at the biennial meeting of the International Conference on Infant Studies. Baltimore, MD.
- Horvath, J., & **Behrens, K. Y.** (2009, Oct). *Disorganized attachment in middle childhood – conceptual and assessment dilemmas*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the International Attachment Conference, Barcelona, Spain.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, & Kaplan, N. (2009, April). *Attachment beyond infancy: Separation Anxiety Test for six-year-olds in Japan*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Denver, Colorado.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, & Hart, S. L. (2008, July). *Does maternal attachment status predict her infant's regulation of jealousy?* International Society for the Studies of Behavioural Development. Wurzburg, Germany.
- Hart, S. L., & **Behrens, K. Y.** (2008, March). *Restoring exclusive dyadic interaction following jealousy evocation among securely and insecurely attached dyads*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of International Conference in Infant Studies, Vancouver, Canada.
- Hart, S. L., **Behrens, K. Y.**, Johnston, C., & Ross, J. J. (2007, March). Jealousy's presentation at 9-Months predicts attachment status at 12-Months. In *Jealousy and attachment: Looking at dyads and triads for insight into the nature and significance of exclusivity* (S. L. Hart, organizer). Symposium presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development. Boston, MA.

- Wampler, K. S., **Behrens, K. Y.**, & Wampler, R. S. (2007, March) *AAI, substance abuse, and criminal behavior in adult males mandated to a treatment center*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Boston, Massachusetts.
- Behrens, K. Y.** (2006, July). *Japanese parent-child relationship: A study of intergenerational transmission of attachment in Japan*. Symposium presentation at the 26th International Congress of Applied Psychology, Athens, Greece.
- Behrens, K. Y.** (2006, June). *Attachment for Japanese beyond infancy: Narrative assessment of attachment representation*. Symposium presentation at the biennial meeting of the International Conference in Infant Studies, Kyoto, Japan.
- Behrens, K. Y.** (2006, June). *Exploration of conceptual links among jealousy, attachment, and amae*. Symposium presentation at the biennial meeting of the International Conference in Infant Studies, Kyoto, Japan.
- Hart, S. L. (2006, June). The Development of Jealousy. In *Jealousy: Early Expressions and their Interpretation in Light of Child, Family, and Cultural Influences* (S. L. Hart & **K. Y. Behrens, Co-chairs**) Symposium presentation at the biennial meeting of the International Conference on Infant Studies. Kyoto, Japan.
- Behrens, K. Y.** (2005, April) *Transmission of attachment insecurity: Culture and responses to challenging situations*. Symposium presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Atlanta, Georgia.
- Behrens, K. Y.** (2005, April) *Response to reunion with the mother at age six: Five case studies of Japanese mother-child attachment*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Atlanta, Georgia.
- Behrens, K. Y.** (2004, August). *Attachment and amae: New empirical findings*. Symposium presentation at XXVIII International Congress of Psychology, Beijing, China.
- Behrens, K. Y.** (2004, July). *Japanese children's amae: Unrelated to child's and maternal attachment?* Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the International Society for the Study of Behavioural Development, Ghent, Belgium.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, & Kaplan, N., (2003, April). *Attachment representations and amae: First separation anxiety test for Japanese 6-year-olds*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Tampa, Florida.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, & Holloway, S. D., (2001, April). *Representational models of parenting: A case of Japanese mothers*. Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Minneapolis, Minnesota.
- Behrens, K. Y.**, Wakabayashi, T., & Fernald, A., (2001, April). *Mother-child "attunement" and amae: Maternal interactions with preschoolers in Japan and the U.S.* Poster presentation at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

INVITED TALKS

Invited speaker for the Brown Bag Speaking Series for the Educational Psychology and Methodology RGSO, University at Albany, State of University of New York

Invited speaker for the Provost Lecture Series at SUNY Polytechnic Institute
October, 2015

Invited speaker for the Department of Psychology and Sport & Exercise Sciences at Munster University, Germany, July, 2014

Invited speaker for the Center for Child and Family Studies at Leiden University, the Netherlands, November, 2009
 Invited speaker for the Department of Human Development and Family Sciences at University of Texas, Austin, October, 2008
 Invited speaker for Department of Family and Child Ecology at Michigan State University November, 2007
 Invited speaker for the Department of Psychology at Grand Valley State University October, 2007
 Guest speaker for the Women's Hour program for the BBC live broadcasting April 18th, 2007
 Invited speaker for Department of Psychology at Texas Tech University March, 2006
 Invited speaker for the Developmental group at University of California, Santa Cruz March, 2004

MEMBERSHIPS

Society for Research and Child Development (SRCD)
 International Congress for Infant Studies (ICIS)
 Society for Attachment and Emotion Studies (SAES)

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

NEH fellowship (under review)
 R15 grant as PI, NICHD (unfunded, 2017)
 UUP Individual Development Award, SUNY Polytechnic Institute, 2016 **\$1,000**
 Abe Fellowship, Social Science Research Council (unfunded, 2015)
 President's Opportunity Fund, SUNY Polytechnic Institute, 2015 **\$1,806**
 UUP Individual Development Award, SUNY Polytechnic Institute, 2015 **\$1,000**
 Abe Fellowship, Social Science Research Council (unfunded, 2015)
 ORA grant as Cooperation partner/Consultant (unfunded, 2015)
 R21 grant as PI, NICHD (unfunded, 2014)
 President's Opportunity Fund, SUNY Institute of Technology, 2014 **\$1,500**
 Summer Undergraduate Research Project Fund, SUNY Institute of Technology, 2014 **\$5,000**
 NEH fellowship (unfunded, 2014)
 UUP Individual Development Award, SUNY Institute of Technology, 2014 **\$200**
 Abe Fellowship, Social Science Research Council (unfunded, 2013)
 Center for Undergraduate Research Fund, Texas Tech University, 2011 **\$2,000**
 NEH fellowship (unfunded, 2011)
 FHL Foundation as PI, 2011-2012 **\$25,000**
 Hogg Foundation for Mental Health as PI (unfunded, 2010)
 R03 grant as PI (scored but unfunded, 2010)
 R15 grant as co-investigator (unfunded, 2010)
 Laura W. Bush Institute for Women's Health & University Medical Center Women's Health Seed Grant Project as co-investigator (unfunded, 2009)
 Center for Undergraduate Research Fund, Texas Tech University, 2010 **\$2,000**
 Seed grant, Texas Tech University, 2006-2007 **\$4,500**
 Seed grant, Texas Tech University, 2005-2006 **\$4,500**

Fellowship combined prior to 2005 **\$50,000** (approximate)

University Fellowship, University of California at Berkeley, 2004-2005

Graduate Division Summer Grant, University of California at Berkeley, 2004

University Fellowship, University of California at Berkeley, 2003

Center for Japanese Studies Fellowship, University of California at Berkeley, 2003-2004

Center for Japanese Studies Fellowship, University of California at Berkeley, 2002-2003

Dean's Normative Time Fellowship, University of California at Berkeley, 2002

Ned Flanders Fellowship, University of California at Berkeley, 2000-2001

Spencer Research Training Fellowship, University of California at Berkeley, 1999