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Education

<i>2013 – present</i>	Ph.D., Clinical Psychology, Queen's University
<i>2011 – 2013</i>	M.Sc., Clinical Psychology, Queen's University
<i>2006 – 2010</i>	B.A.H., Psychology (major), Philosophy (minor), Queen's University, with distinction

Areas of Research Interest

Sexual psychophysiology; evolutionary psychology; mating strategies; sexual preferences; menstrual cycle; hormones; sexual disgust; sexual arousal; gender differences; sexual orientation; sexual health

Awards and Scholarships

<i>2013 – 2016</i>	Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada's Joseph-Armand Bombardier Canada Graduate Scholarship – Doctoral Award
<i>2015</i>	Queen's University Travel Award
<i>2013 – 2014</i>	Canadian Psychological Association Certificate of Academic Excellence
<i>2013 – 2014</i>	A. Z. Arthur Book Prize
<i>2013 – 2014</i>	Teaching Assistantship Award in Psychology - Nomination
<i>2013 – 2014</i>	Doctoral Tri-Agency Recipient Recognition Award
<i>2013 – 2014</i>	Queen's Graduate Award
<i>2012 – 2013</i>	Ontario Graduate Scholarship
<i>2012 – 2013</i>	Queen's Graduate Award

2011 – 2012	Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada’s Joseph-Armand Bombardier Canada Graduate Scholarship – Master’s Scholarship
2011 – 2012	Master’s Tri-Agency Recipient Recognition Award
2011 – 2012	Queen’s Graduate Award
2011 – 2012	Ontario Graduate Scholarship (offer declined)
2006 – 2010	Dean’s Honour List
2006 – 2010	Queen Elizabeth II Aiming for the Top Scholarship
2006 – 2008	Queen’s University Principal’s Scholarship

Publications

- Bouchard, K. N., **Timmers, A. D.**, & Chivers, M. L. (2015). Gender-specificity of genital response and self-reported sexual arousal in women endorsing facets of bisexuality. *Journal of Bisexuality*, 15(2), 180-203.
- Chivers, M. L., Bouchard, K. N., & **Timmers, A. D.** (accepted). Straight but not narrow; Within-gender variation in the gender-specificity of women’s sexual response. *PLOS ONE*.
- Chivers, M. L., Suschinsky, K. D., **Timmers, A. D.**, & Bossio, J. A. (2013). Experimental, neuroimaging, and psychophysiological methods. In D. T. Tolman & L. M. Diamond (Eds), *APA Handbook of Sexuality and Psychology*. Washington, D.C.: APA Press.
- Chivers, M. L., & **Timmers, A. D.** (2012). The effects of gender and relationship context cues in audio narratives on heterosexual women’s and men’s genital and subjective sexual response. *Archives of Sexual Behavior*, 41(1), 185-197.
- Spape, J., **Timmers, A. D.**, Yoon, S., Ponseti, J., & Chivers, M. L. (2014) Gender specific genital and subjective sexual arousal to prepotent sexual features in heterosexual women and men. *Biological Psychology*, 102, 1-9.
- Timmers, A. D.**, Bouchard, K. N., & Chivers, M. L. (2015). Effects of gender and sexual activity cues on the sexual responses of women with multidimensionally defined bisexuality. *Journal of Bisexuality*, 15(2), 154-179.
- Timmers, A. D.**, & Chivers, M. L. (2012). Sociosexuality and sexual arousal, *Canadian Journal of Human Sexuality*, 21(3-4).

Manuscripts in preparation

- Chivers, M. L., **Timmers, A. D.**, Bouchard, K., & Diamond, D. (in preparation) *What are they thinking? Qualitative analysis of queer women’s responses to sexual stimuli.*

Timmers, A. D., & Chivers, M. L. (in preparation) *The effects of gender and relationship context cues in audio narratives on heterosexual men's genital and subjective sexual response.*

Timmers, A. D., & Chivers, M. L. (in preparation) *Disgust, sexual cues, and the prophylaxis hypothesis.*

Timmers, A. D., Hildebrand, L. I., & Chivers, M. L. (in preparation) *Disgust and sexual responding to sexual and nonsexual cues.*

Presentations

Invited Lectures

Chivers, M. L., & **Timmers, A. D.** (August, 2011). *Specificity of sexual arousal in women: Two novel findings.* Invited Presentation for the International Academy of Sex Research, Los Angeles, CA, USA.

Timmers, A. D. & Chivers, M. L. (January, 2016). *Gender differences in sexual responding.* Invited Presentation for the Royal Military College, Kingston, ON.

Selected Lectures

Hildebrand, L. I., **Timmers, A. D.**, & Chivers, M. L. (October, 2014). *Individual differences and androphilic men's category-specific arousal to prepotent sexual stimuli*, Canadian Sex Research Forum, Kingston, ON.

Timmers, A. D., & Chivers, M. L. (June, 2013). *Sociosexuality and sexual arousal in men and women*, Canadian Psychological Association's 74th Annual Convention, Québec City, Quebec.

Timmers, A. D., & Chivers, M. L. (September, 2012). *Sociosexuality and sexual arousal.* Canadian Sex Research Forum, Ottawa, Ontario.

Chivers, M. L., Bouchard, K. N., **Timmers, A. D.**, & Haberl, M. (July, 2012). *Specificity of women's sexual arousal varies with degree of same-gender attraction.* International Academy of Sex Research, Estoril, Portugal.

Timmers, A. D. & Chivers, M. L. (April, 2010) *Female sexual arousal and sociosexuality.* 40th Annual Undergraduate Thesis Conference, Windsor University.

Timmers, A. D. & Chivers, M. L. (March, 2010) *Female sexual arousal and sociosexuality.* Inquiry at Queen's Undergraduate Conference, Queen's University.

Poster Presentations

Timmers, A. D., Bossio, J. A., & Chivers, M. L. (August, 2015). *Disgust, sexual cues, and the prophylaxis hypothesis*. International Academy of Sex Research, Toronto, ON.

Timmers, A. D., Hildebrand, L. I., & Chivers, M. L. (July, 2015). *Disgust and sexual responding to sexual and nonsexual cues*. Puzzles of Sexual Orientation Conference, Lethbridge, AB

Bouchard, K. N., **Timmers, A. D.**, & Chivers, M. L. (October, 2014). *Gender-specificity of genital and subjective sexual arousal in women endorsing facets of bisexuality*. Canadian Sex Research Forum, Kingston, ON.

Timmers, A. D. Bouchard, K. N., & Chivers, M. L. (October, 2014). *Physiological and self-reported arousal patterns of bisexual women*. Canadian Sex Research Forum, Kingston, ON.

Timmers, A. D. & Chivers, M. L. (October, 2014). *Effects of relationship context on genital and subjective sexual response in heterosexual men*. Canadian Sex Research Forum, Kingston, ON.

Timmers, A. D., Hildebrand, L., & Chivers, M. L. (August, 2013). *Category-specificity and prepotent sexual cues*. International Academy of Sex Research, Chicago, IL.

Timmers, A. D., & Chivers, M. L. (July 2012). *Sociosexuality and sexual arousal*. International Academy of Sex Research, Estoril, Portugal.

Chivers, M. L., Haberl, M., & **Timmers, A. D.** (August, 2011). *Sexual arousal patterns of bisexually attracted women: Specificity of sexual arousal increases with same-sex attractions*. International Academy of Sex Research, Los Angeles, CA.

Timmers, A. D., & Chivers, M. L. (August, 2011). *Sociosexuality and sexual arousal in women*. International Academy of Sex Research, Los Angeles, CA.

Teaching Experience

2012 - 2015 Teaching Assistant, Statistics in Psychology (PSYC202)
Instructor: Ron Holden
Queen's University

2013 Teaching Assistant, Research Methods in Psychology (PSYC203)
Instructor: Emma Dargie
Queen's University

2011 – 2012 Teaching Assistant, Introduction to Psychology (PSYC100)
Instructor: Jill Atkinson
Queen's University

Clinical Experience

- 2015 - *present* Clinical Supervision
Rina Gupta, Ph. D., C. Psych
Regional Assessment and Resource Centre
- 2014 - *present* Clinical Supervision
Caroline Pukall, Ph. D., C. Psych
Sex Therapy Service
- 2015 Clinical Supervision
Margo Rivera, Ph. D., C. Psych
Personality Disorder Services
- 2014-2015 Clinical Supervision
Melanie Edwards, Ph.D., C. Psych
Regional Assessment and Resource Centre
- 2014 Clinical Supervision
Anthony Eccles, Ph. D., C. Psych
Forensic Behaviour Services
- 2014 Clinical Supervision
Duncan Day, Ph. D., C. Psych
Dr. Duncan Day, C. Psych and Associates Practice in Neuropsychology
- 2013 Clinical Supervision
Arunima Khanna, Ph.D., C. Psych
Health Counselling and Disability Services
- 2013 – 2014 Clinical Supervision
David Rynard, Ph.D., C. Psych
Regional Assessment and Resource Centre
- 2012 Clinical Supervision
Kevin Parker, Ph.D., C.Psych
Queen's University Psychology Clinic

Relevant Professional and Research Experience

2013 – present Psychometrist, Regional Assessment and Resource Centre, under the supervision of Dr. David Rynard, Dr. Melanie Edwards, and Dr. Rina Gupta

Summer 2011 Research Assistant, Forensic Treatment Unit, Royal Ottawa Health Care Group, Brockville

2010 – 2011 Research Coordinator, Sexuality and Gender Lab, Queen's University

2010 – 2011 Recruitment Coordinator, Adolescent Dynamics Lab, Queen's University

2009 – 2011 Distress Centres Ontario Volunteer

2007 – 2010 Research Assistant, Language and Cognition Lab, Queen's University

Professional Memberships

2012 – present Association for Psychological Science, Graduate Student Affiliate

2011 – present International Academy of Sex Research, Student Member

Ad Hoc Reviewer

The Journal of Sex Research; ad-hoc review with M. Chivers