Jenna Strouse

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EDUCATION

2022 - 2026	Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ
(expected)	B.A. in Psychology with Minor in Health and Society
	Honors thesis (expected): Exploring How Gender Shapes Experiences of Disability Identity Denial
	PI: Diana Sanchez, PhD; Supervisor: Tory Benson, B.A.
	Cumulative GPA: 3.835
2018 - 2022	Academy of Allied Health and Science, Neptune, NJ
	High school diploma

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS & AWARDS

2025 - Present	Rutgers Psychology Honors Program
2024 - 2025	Aresty Undergraduate Research Grant Recipient
2024 - Present	Phi Beta Kappa Honors Society
2023 - Present	Member, Psi Chi, The International Honor Society in Psychology
2022 - Present	Rutgers University Dean's List

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2023 - Present **Research Assistant**, Close Relationships, Identity, and Stigma (CRIS) Lab at Rutgers University PI: Diana Sanchez, PhD; Supervisors: Tory Benson, PhD Candidate & Zoey Eddy, PhD Candidate

- Past Projects: Conversations on Social Topics and Exploring Factors to Facilitate Comfort and Support in Disability Identity Disclosure
 - Collected data in-person and virtually
 - Contributed to study design
- Current project: Exploring How Gender Shapes Experiences of Disability Identity Denial

2023 - Present Contributor, Psi Chi, The International Honor Society in Psychology

NICE: CROWD Collaborative Research Project

- Current Project: Victimization by Teachers
 - Collected data for international research project and contributed to the literature review and data analysis

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

 Designed and taught a First-Year Interest Group Seminar (FIGS) titled "Exploring Psychology" to first-semester freshmen

2024 - Present Barista, Rook Coffee Roasters

 Provides high-quality service to customers in a fast-paced environment while leading shifts as a key holder

2023 - Present Office Associate, Sunrise Surgical Supplies (seasonal)

 Works with healthcare facilities as a Medicare provider to help patients receive appropriate durable medical equipment

Spring 2025 **Dr. Tobia Internship**

- Interned with psychiatrist Dr. Tobia through Rutgers Psychology Department
- Attended didactic sessions, case conferences, and rounds
- Worked in two project groups to promote the internship on social media as well as presenting about the psychiatric significance of the sitcom Seinfeld

2023 - 2024 Behavior Technician, Golden Care Therapy

 Provided one-on-one ABA services to children with Autism Spectrum Disorder, implementing individualized treatment plans to promote skill development and behavioral improvements

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE AND EXTRACURRICULARS

2023 - Present	Member, Delta Gamma- Epsilon Psi
	 Director of New Members, Director of Social Events
2023 - Present	Volunteer Texter, Crisis Text Line
2022 - 2024	Member, Psych Alliance
Spring 2023	Member, Rutgers Performing Dance Company (RPDC)

SKILLS AND COURSEWORK

Research

- Experienced with Institutional Review Board (IRB) processes
- Skilled in creating and implementing research designs to investigate social behaviors and attitudes
- Experienced in designing and validating questionnaires for social psychology research
- Familiar with basic coding procedures
- Experienced in conducting comprehensive literature reviews
- Proficient in recruiting participants, managing consent, and maintaining participant engagement

Coursework

- General, Clinical, Social, and Cognitive Psychology
- Quantitative Methods of Psychology
- General Sociology, Sociology of Mental Illness, Sociology of Medicine and Healthcare