

# PSYCHOLOGICAL SCIENCE IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST

*A Journal of the American Psychological Society*

*Published by Blackwell Publishers*

## EDITORS

Stephen J. Ceci  
*Cornell University*

Robert A. Bjork  
*University of California, Los Angeles*

## EDITORIAL BOARD

Elliot Aronson  
*University of California, Santa Cruz*

Richard J. Klimoski  
*George Mason University*

Lewis P. Lipsitt  
*Brown University*

Elizabeth F. Loftus  
*University of California, Irvine*

Susan Mineka  
*Northwestern University*

Henry L. Roediger, III  
*Washington University in St. Louis*

Daniel L. Schacter  
*Harvard University*

John A. Swets  
*Harvard Medical School*

Carol Tavris  
*Los Angeles, CA*

Elaine F. Walker  
*Emory University*

Note to Readers of *Psychological Science in the Public Interest* (PSPI): PSPI is a semi-annual publication of the American Psychological Society. Ordinarily, each issue of PSPI will contain a single analysis of an important issue of public interest. All articles are commissioned by the editors, and PSPI does not accept unsolicited manuscripts. An article is commissioned by the editors only after careful vetting of both the topic and the authors. Topics chosen for commissioning are nominated from many sources, including editorial board members, APS Board of Directors, and members of APS. All members of APS are invited to nominate topics (and names of potential authors). Send nominations to either editor at: [sjc9@Cornell.edu](mailto:sjc9@Cornell.edu); [rabjork@psych.ucla.edu](mailto:rabjork@psych.ucla.edu). For a description of editorial policies governing PSPI manuscripts, please see the editorial in the May 2000 issue of *Psychological Science*.

## EDITORIAL OFFICE

*Psychological Science in the Public Interest*, Department of Human Development, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY 14853; Email: [sjc9@cornell.edu](mailto:sjc9@cornell.edu)

## SOCIETY AND MEMBERSHIP OFFICE

American Psychological Society, Alan Kraut, Executive Director, Suite 1100, 1010 Vermont Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20005-4907; telephone 202-783-2077; fax 202-783-2083; e-mail: [aps@psychologicalscience.org](mailto:aps@psychologicalscience.org); [www.psychologicalscience.org](http://www.psychologicalscience.org). APS journals are available on-line to APS members and journal subscribers. Contact the APS office for information.

## SUBSCRIPTION AND PUBLICATION OFFICES

Blackwell Publishing, 350 Main Street, Malden, MA 02148, US, and 9600 Garsington Road, Oxford OX4 2DQ, UK. Call US 1-800-835-6770 or 781-388-8200, UK +44 1865 251 866; fax US 781-388-8232, UK +44 1865 381 393; e-mail: [subscrip@blackwellpub.com](mailto:subscrip@blackwellpub.com). Please visit us on-line at [www.blackwellpublishing.com](http://www.blackwellpublishing.com).

ADVERTISING: For information and rates, please visit the journal's website at [www.blackwellpublishing.com/journals/psci](http://www.blackwellpublishing.com/journals/psci), e-mail: [blackwellads@aid.cvt.com](mailto:blackwellads@aid.cvt.com), or contact Matt Neckers, Blackwell Advertising Representative, 50 Winter Sport Lane, PO Box 80, Williston, VT 05495. Phone: 800-866-1684 or Fax: 802-864-7749.

POSTMASTER: Periodicals class postage paid at Boston, MA, and additional offices. Send all address corrections to Journals Subscription Department, Blackwell Publishing, 350 Main Street, Malden, MA 02148.

MAILING: The journal is mailed periodicals class in North America and by Deutsche Post Global Mail to the rest of the world. Canadian mail is sent by Canadian publications mail agreement number 40573520. Send all address corrections to Blackwell Publishing, Journals Subscription Department, 350 Main Street, Malden, MA 02148.

## SUBSCRIPTION INFORMATION

*Psychological Science in the Public Interest* is published three times a year as a supplement to *Psychological Science*. *Psychological Science* (ISSN 0956-7976) is published bimonthly. Annual subscription rates (2003) are:

	The Americas**	Rest of World***
Institutional Premium Rate*	\$536	£431
Personal Rate	\$98	£88

Members of the American Psychological Society receive the journal as part of their annual dues. \*Includes print plus premium online access to the current and all available backfiles. Print and online-only rates are also available (see below). \*\*Customers in Canada should add 7% GST or provide evidence of entitlement to exemption. \*\*\*Customers in the UK should add VAT at 5%; customers in the EU should also add VAT at 5%, or provide a VAT registration number or evidence of entitlement to exemption. For more information about Blackwell Publishing journals, including online access information, terms and conditions, and other pricing options, please visit [www.blackwellpublishing.com](http://www.blackwellpublishing.com) or contact our customer service department, tel: 1 800 835-6770 or +1 781 388-8200 (US office), +44 (0) 1865 244083 (UK office). **Back issues:** Back issues are available from the publisher at the current single issue rate.

Indexing/Abstracting: *Academic ASAP; Expanded Academic ASAP; Academic Search Elite; Academic Search Premier; Cambridge Scientific Abstracts Social Services Abstracts; CatchWord; e-psyche; EBSCO Online; ISI Basic Social Sciences Index; ISI Current Contents/Social & Behavioral Science; InfoTrac OneFile; Ingenta; Linguistics and Language Behavior Abstracts; Online Computer Library Center FirstSearch Electronic Collections Online; PsycINFO; Psychological Abstracts; Psychological and Behavioral Sciences Collection; Social Sciences Citation Index; Social Sciences Index/Full Text; Sociological Abstracts; Wilson Social Sciences Index/Abstracts.*

© 2003 American Psychological Society

COPYRIGHT: All rights reserved. With the exception of fair dealing for the purposes of research or private study, or criticism or review, no part of this publication may be reproduced, stored or transmitted in any form or by any means without the prior permission in writing from the copyright holder. Authorization to photocopy items for internal and personal use is granted by the copyright holder for libraries and other users of the Copyright Clearance Center (CCC), 222 Rosewood Drive, Danvers, MA 01923, USA ([www.copyright.com](http://www.copyright.com)), provided the appropriate fee is paid directly to the CCC. This consent does not extend to other kinds of copying, such as copying for general distribution for advertising or promotional purposes, for creating new collective works or for resale. Institutions with a paid subscription to this journal may make photocopies for teaching purposes free of charge provided such copies are not resold. For all other permissions inquiries, including requests to republish material in another work, please contact Journal Rights & Permissions Coordinator, Blackwell Publishing, Osney Mead, Oxford OX2 0EL, UK, e-mail: [JournalRights@BlackwellPublishers.co.uk](mailto:JournalRights@BlackwellPublishers.co.uk).