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Doctoral Dissertation: The relationship among family system differentiation, peer system differentiation and adolescent adjustment variables in a clinical sample.

1983 - 1985 **M.A., Marriage and Family Therapy Program, School of Family Studies, University of Connecticut.**

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Master's Thesis: A test of the Olson Circumplex model: The systematic consideration of the dependent variable of family functioning.

1979 - 1983 **B.A., Psychology, Pennsylvania State University.**

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- 1984 – 1985 **Family Therapist**
Department of Family Medicine, John Dempsey Hospital
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- 1983 - 1985 **Teaching Assistant**
School of Family Studies, University of Connecticut
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Professional Affiliations

American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy
Clinical Member, Approved Supervisor

National Academy for Certified Family Therapists
Certified Family Therapist

National Council on Family Relations
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Publications**Articles in refereed journals:**

- Gavazzi, S. M., Yarcheck., C. M., & Chesney-Lind, M. (2006). Global Risk Indicators and the Role of Gender in a Juvenile Detention Sample. **Criminal Justice and Behavior**, *33*, 597-612.
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- Fristad, M. A., Goldberg-Arnold, J. S., & Gavazzi, S. M. (2003). The efficacy of multi-family psychoeducation groups as an adjunctive intervention for families of children with mood disorders. **Journal of Marital and Family Therapy**, *29*, 491-504.
- Gavazzi, S. M., & Lim, J. Y. (2003). Advances in measurement of global risk indicators in lives of court-involved youth: brief evidence for concurrent validity. **Psychological Reports**, *93*, 750-752.

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- Yarcheck, C. M., Gavazzi, S. M., & Dascoli, K. (2003). An internet training for juvenile justice professionals. **Federal Probation**, *67*, 54-60.
- Fristad, M. A., Goldberg-Arnold, J. S., & Gavazzi, S. M. (2002). Multifamily psychoeducation groups for families of children with bipolar disorder. **Journal of Bipolar Disorders**, *4*, 254-262.
- Schock, A., Gavazzi, S. M., Fristad, M. A., & Goldberg-Arnold, J. (2002). The role of father participation in the treatment of childhood mood disorders. **Family Relations**, *51*, 230-237.
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- Fristad, M. A., Gavazzi, S. M., & Soldano, K. W. (1999). Naming the Enemy: Learning to Differentiate Mood Disorder ASymptoms@ from the ASelf@ that Experiences Them. **Journal of Family Psychotherapy**, *10*, 81-88.
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- Gavazzi, S. M., Reese, M. J., & Sabatelli, R. M. (1998). Conceptual development and empirical use of the Family Intrusiveness Scale. **Journal of Family Issues**, *19*, 65-74.
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- Gavazzi, S.M. (1994). Perceived social support from family and friends in a clinical sample of adolescents. **Journal of Personality Assessment**, *62*, 465-471.
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Gavazzi, S.M. & Sabatelli, R.M. (1990). Family system dynamics, the individuation process and psychosocial development. **Journal of Adolescent Research**, 5, 499-518.

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Alford, K. A., McKenry, P. C., & Gavazzi, S.M. (2001). Enhancing Achievement in Black Adolescent Males: The Rites of Passage Link. In Majors (ed.), **Educating Our Black Children**, pp. 141-156, London: Routledge/Falmer.

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Stewart, E. R., Gavazzi, S. M., McKenry, P. C., & Sheidegger, T. (2001). Parenting Practices in Rural Families and their Impact on Academic Achievement and Depression in Adolescents, pp. 131-150. In R. M. Moore (ed.), **The Hidden America: Social Problems in Rural America for the Twenty-first Century**, Selingsgrove, PA: Susquehanna University Press.

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Publications (continued)**Chapters in books (continued):**

Gavazzi, S. M., Yarcheck, C., Wasserman, D., & Partridge, C. (2000). A balanced and restorative approach to juvenile crime: Programming for families of adolescent offenders. In G. L. Fox & M. L. Benson (eds.), **Contemporary Issues in Family Research Series** (Families and Crime Millennium Volume), pp. 381-405, Stamford, CT: JAI Press.

Gavazzi, S. M., & Schock, A. (2000). Mental illness and the family. In P.C. McKenry & S.J. Price (eds.), **Families and change (2nd edition)**, pp. 229-249, Newbury Park, CA: Sage Publications.

Gavazzi, S.M. (1994). Mental illness. In P.C. McKenry & S.J. Price (eds.), **Families and change**, pp. 152-172, Newbury Park, CA: Sage Publications.

Gavazzi, S.M. (1989). An annotated bibliography of intergenerational family issues. In **Family myths: Psychotherapy implications**, S.A. Anderson & D.A. Bagarozzi (eds.), pp. 205-213, New York: Haworth Press.

Review articles in refereed journals:

Gavazzi, S.M. (1988). An annotated bibliography of intergenerational family issues. **Journal of Psychotherapy and the Family**, 34, 205-213.

Gavazzi, S.M. & Anderson, S.A. (1988). The Family Health Scales: A review and critique. **American Journal of Family Therapy**, 16, 273-276.

Book reviews in refereed journals:

Gavazzi, S.M. (1996). Review of E.F. Wachtel (1994), *Treating troubled children and their families*, **Journal of Family Psychotherapy**.

Gavazzi, S.M. (1995). Review of J. R. Schulerman, T. L. Rzepnicki, & J. H. Littell (1994), *Putting families first: An experiment in family preservation*, **Journal of Adolescence**, 18, 695-696.

Gavazzi, S.M. (1995). Review of P.C. Rosenblatt (1994), *Metaphors of family systems theory: Toward new constructions*, **Journal of Marriage and the Family**, 57, 532-533.

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Presentations at National/International Conferences

- Day, R. D., Gavazzi, S. M., Miller, R., & Cox, A. (2006). **Compelling Family Processes: Pilgrims' Progress**. Paper to be presented at the National Council on Family Relations Conference, November 7-11, Minneapolis, MN
- Gavazzi, S. M., & Yarcheck, C. M. (2006). **Family Empowerment, Family Stability, and Youth Well-Being Indicators**. Paper to be presented at the National Council on Family Relations Conference, November 7-11, Minneapolis, MN
- Khurana, A., Gavazzi, S. M., & Futris, T. G. (2006). **Juvenile Delinquency and Adolescent Fatherhood**. Paper to be presented at the National Council on Family Relations Conference, November 7-11, Minneapolis, MN
- Lim, J. Y., & Gavazzi, S. M. (2006). **Gender, Ethnicity, Delinquency Onset, and the Needs of Court-Involved Youth**. Paper to be presented at the National Council on Family Relations Conference, November 7-11, Minneapolis, MN
- Yarcheck, C. M., Sullivan, J., & Gavazzi, S. M. (2006). **Family Factors and the Prediction of Recidivism in a Sample of Juvenile Offenders**. Paper to be presented at the National Council on Family Relations Conference, November 7-11, Minneapolis, MN
- Yorgason, J. B., Chang, S. L., Gavazzi, S. M., & Yarcheck, C. M. (2006). **Custodial Grandparenting of At-Risk Youth: Family Structure and Solidarity**. Paper to be presented at the National Council on Family Relations Conference, November 7-11, Minneapolis, MN
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- Gavazzi, S. M., Cress, E., & Yarcheck, C. M. (2005). **The Impact of Gender on Chronic School Absenteeism**. Paper presented at the National Council on Family Relations Conference, November 16-19, Phoenix, AZ.
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Schock, A., & Gavazzi, S. M. (2001). **Correlates of father participation in family-based programming**. Presented at the National Council on Family Relations Conference, November 8-11, Rochester, NY.

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Fristad, M.A., Schock, A., Gavazzi, S. M., Goldberg-Arnold, J. S., & Cerel, J. (1999). **Expressed Emotion differences among clinical and non-clinical mothers and fathers**. In Issues in Assessing Expressed Emotion in Children and Adolescents (panel presentation). Presented at the 46th Annual Conference of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, October, Chicago, IL.

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- Alford, K.A., Gavazzi, S.M., & McKenry, P.C. (1994). **An evaluation of a Rites of Passage program for African-American youth.** Presented at the National Council on Family Relations Conference, Minneapolis, MN.
- Gavazzi, S. M. (1994). **Implementation of the Growing Up FAST program with at-risk youth.** Presented at the 10th International Corrections and Juvenile Justice Trainers' Conference, Columbus, OH.
- McKenry, P.C. & Gavazzi, S.M. (1994). **African-American males in foster care: An evaluation of a Rites of Passage Program.** Presented at the Fifth Biennial Meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, San Diego, CA.

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Presentations at National/International Conferences (continued)

- Gavazzi, S.M. (1993). **Distance regulation in family systems and peer networks: Implications for research and clinical practice.** Presented at the International Conference on Adolescentology, Assisi, Italy.
- Gavazzi, S.M. (1993). **Qualitative and quantitative research information concerning the Growing Up FAST program.** Presented at the International Conference on Adolescentology, Assisi, Italy.
- Gavazzi, S.M. (1993). **Promoting the linkage of prevention and intervention efforts in work with adolescents and their families.** Presented at the National Council on Family Relations Conference, Philadelphia, PA.
- Gavazzi, S.M. (1993). **Growing Up FAST: Families and Adolescents Surviving and Thriving.** Presented at the PRIDE World Drug Conference, Cincinnati, OH.
- Blumenkrantz, D. & Gavazzi, S.M. (1991). **Developing capable communities: The Rite of Passage Experience.** Presented at the Hartman Conference on Children and their Families, New London, CT.
- Gavazzi, S.M. & Sabatelli, R.M. (1988). **Multigenerational interconnectedness and family involvement: Assessing levels of individuation in adolescence and early adulthood.** Presented at the National Council on Family Relations Conference, Philadelphia, PA.
- Gavazzi, S.M. & Sabatelli, R.M. (1987). **Assessing levels of individuation through multigenerational interconnectedness.** Presented at the National Council on Family Relations Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- Harris, L.M., Masheter, C. & Gavazzi, S.M. (1985). **The influence of family/work issues on family communication.** Presented at the Eastern Communication Association Conference, Providence, RI.
- Harris, L.M., Masheter, C. & Gavazzi, S.M. (1985). **Family and work interactions: A macroanalysis of family communication.** Family Communication Conference, Northwestern University.

Conference Service

- 1999 - Reviewer, Rueben Hill Award Committee, National Council on Family Relations Conference.
- 1998 - Reviewer, Rueben Hill Award Committee, National Council on Family Relations Conference.
- 1997 - Reviewer, Rueben Hill Award Committee, National Council on Family Relations Conference.
- 1996 - Reviewer, Family Therapy Section, National Council on Family Relations Conference.
- 1995 - Co-chair and Conference Coordinator, The Rural and Appalachian Youth and Families: Progress in Research, Prevention, and Intervention Strategies Conference, Columbus, OH.
- 1995 - Steering Committee, Program Committee, and Reviewer, PRIDE World Drug Conference.
- 1994 - Reviewer, Family Therapy Section, National Council on Family Relations Conference.
- 1994 - Presider, International Conference on Adolescentology.
- 1988 - Discussant, National Council on Family Relations Conference.
- 1987 - Presider, National Council on Family Relations Conference.

Editorial Service: Board Membership

- 1996 - Present, Advisory Board Member, **Journal of Adolescentology**
2004 - 2005 Associate Editor, Kay Paisley (Editor), **Family Relations**
2004 - Present: Associate Editor, Joyce Arditti (Editor), **Family Relations**

Editorial Service: Reviewer

- 1989 - 1997, Reviewer: E. Ellen Thornburg (Editor), **Journal of Adolescent Research**
1989 - 2003, Reviewer, E. Ellen Thornburg (Editor), **Journal of Early Adolescence**
1992 - 1993 Reviewer: Mark A. Fine (Editor), **Family Relations**
1993 - 1996, Reviewer: Bill N. Kinder (Editor), **Journal of Personality Assessment**
1994 - 1997, Reviewer, Marilyn Coleman (Editor), **Journal of Marriage and the Family**
1994 - 2003, Reviewer, Terry Trepper (Editor), **Journal of Family Psychotherapy**
1994 - 2003, Reviewer, John Coleman (Editor), **Journal of Adolescence**
1994 - 1997, Associate Editor: Mark A. Fine (Editor), **Family Relations**
1996 - 2003, Reviewer: Constance Sheehan (Editor), **Journal of Family Issues**
1997 - 2000, Reviewer: Jeffrey W. Dwyer (Editor), **Family Relations**
2000 - 2003, Reviewer: Kay Paisley (Editor), **Family Relations**
2000 - 2003: Karen Wampler (Editor), **Journal of Marital and Family Therapy**

Awards and Recognitions

- 1994 **College of Human Ecology**, Dean's Faculty Award for Professional Excellence.
1992 **National Council on Family Relations**, Family Therapy Outstanding Graduate Student Research Award.

University Courses Taught

Undergraduate level:

- * Adolescent Development: A Biopsychosocial Perspective
- * Advanced Family Development
- * Adolescents and their Families
- * Advanced Family Development
- * Children and their Families under Stress
- * Courtship and Marriage
- * Individual and Family Development Across the Life Span
- * Introduction to Individual and Family Counseling
- * Marriage and other Intimate Relationships

Graduate level:

- * Adolescent Problem Behavior in Context
- * Advanced Family Development
- * Advanced General System Theory (Parts I and II)
- * The Differentiation Process and the Social Context of Adolescence
- * Family Therapy Techniques I: Structural, strategic, MRI, and Milan Family Therapy Approaches
- * Family Therapy Techniques II: Intergenerational, Symbolic-Experiential, Behavioral, and Solution-Oriented Family Therapy Approaches
- * Family Therapy with Adolescents and their Families
- * Foundations of Marital and Family Therapy
- * Supervised Internal Clinical Practicum in Marital and Family Therapy
- * Supervised External Clinical Practicum in Marital and Family Therapy

Summary of Internal and External Funding Awards as an Investigator

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| 2004-2007 | \$ 660,000.00 | The Ohio Department of Mental Health |
| 2006-2007 | \$ 81,000.00 | The Ohio Department of Youth Services |
| 2001-2005 | \$1,800,000.00 | The National Institutes for Mental Health |
| 2001-2002 | \$ 110,813.00 | Office of Criminal Justice Services |
| 2001-2002 | \$ 83,800.00 | The Ohio Department of Youth Services |
| 2000-2001 | \$ 16,421.00 | Franklin County Juvenile Court |
| 2000-2001 | \$ 54,767.00 | The Ohio Department of Youth Services |
| 2000 | \$ 52,882.00 | Reclaim Ohio/Franklin County Juvenile Court |
| 2000 | \$ 29,572.00 | Challenge Grant/Ohio Department of Youth Services |
| 1999 | \$ 69,288.00 | Office of Criminal Justice Services |
| 1999-2000 | \$ 19,834.00 | Committee on Urban Affairs |
| 1998-2000 | \$ 47,070.00 | Ohio Department of Youth Services |
| 1997-2001 | \$ 190,480.00 | Office of Criminal Justice Services |
| 1997-2000 | \$ 98,111.00 | The Ohio Department of Mental Health |
| 1997 | \$ 5,0000.00 | The Ohio Department of Mental Health |
| 1996 | \$ 4,658.00 | The Ohio Department of Mental Health |
| 1994-1998 | \$ 141,727.00 | The Kettering Fund, Dayton, Ohio |
| 1994 | \$ 8,000.00 | North Central Regional Center for Rural Development |
| 1994 | \$ 1,000.00 | Multicultural Research Grant, OSU |
| 1994 | \$ 1,000.00 | University Small Grant, OSU |
| 1993 | \$ 18,890.00 | Committee on Urban Affairs, OSU |
| 1993 | \$ 18,000.00 | OARDC Interdisciplinary Seed Grant, OSU |
| 1992 | \$ 1,000.00 | University Small Grant, OSU |
| 1992 | \$ 13,000.00 | University Seed Grant, OSU |
| 1991 | \$ 2,500.00 | Doctoral Fellowship, University of Connecticut |
| | \$3,528,813.00 | Total internal and external funding to date |

Funded Projects

- Stephen M. Gavazzi and Scott Scheer, Co-Principal Investigators, Three year \$660,000.00 Grant Proposal, Ohio Department of Mental Health, **Evaluation of the FAST Project**. Grant proposal submitted August 2004. Awarded September 2004.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Principal Investigator, One year \$81,000 .00 Grant Proposal, Ohio Department of Youth Services, **Title II Evaluation Project**. Grant proposal submitted June, 2006. Awarded July 2006.
- Mary Fristad, Stephen M. Gavazzi Jill Goldberg-Arnold, & Joseph Verducci, Co-Principal Investigators, Five year \$1,800,000.00 Grant Proposal, National Institute of Mental Health, **Family Psychoeducation Program for Families of Children with Mood Disorders**. Grant proposal submitted June, 2000. Awarded November 2000.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi and David Andrews, Co-Principal Investigators, One year \$110,813.00 Grant Proposal, Office of Criminal Justice Services, **Enhancing Transitions Through Use of Gender Specific Services**. Grant proposal submitted June, 2001. Awarded July 2001.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi and David Andrews, Co-Principal Investigators, Two year \$83,800.00 Grant Proposal, State of Ohio Department of Youth Services, **Continuation of the Accountability-Based Sanctions Handbook Training**. Grant proposal submitted September, 2000. Awarded December 2000.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Principal Investigator, One year \$16,421.00 Grant Proposal, State of Ohio Department of Youth Services, **The Growing Up FAST program**. Grant proposal submitted August, 1999. Awarded April 2000.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi and David Andrews, Co-Principal Investigators, One year \$11,767.00 Grant Proposal, State of Ohio Department of Youth Services, **Accountability-Based Sanctions Handbook Training**. Grant proposal submitted July, 2000. Awarded August 2000.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi and David Andrews, Co-Principal Investigators, One year \$43,000.00 Grant Proposal, State of Ohio Department of Youth Services, **Accountability-Based Sanctions Handbook Development**. Grant proposal submitted February, 2000. Awarded March 2000.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Principal Investigator, One year \$52,882.00 Grant Proposal, Reclaim Ohio/ Franklin County Juvenile Court, **Implementation of a Risk Assessment Protocol**. Grant proposal submitted October, 1999. Awarded December 1999.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Principal Investigator, One year \$29,572.00 Grant Proposal, Challenge Grant, Ohio Department of Youth Services, **Development of a Risk Assessment Protocol**. Grant proposal submitted October, 1999. Awarded December 1999.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi & David Andrews, Co-Principal Investigators, One year \$69,288.00 Grant Proposal, Ohio Criminal Justice Services, **Development of an Accountability-Based Sanctions Handbook**. Grant proposal submitted April, 1999. Awarded October 1999.

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Funded Projects (continued)

- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Principal Investigator, One year \$19,834.00 Grant Proposal, Committee on Urban Affairs, The Ohio State University, **Definitions of successful adulthood in African-American families: Building stronger urban communities one family at a time.** Grant proposal submitted April 1999. Awarded May 1999.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Deborah Wasserman, & Charles Partridge, Co-Principal Investigators, One year \$47,620.00 Grant Proposal, Ohio Criminal Justice Services, Byrne Memorial Formula Grant Program, Narcotics Control/ Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, **Utilization of Family-Based Diversion Programs: Implementation of the Growing Up FAST Program with Misdemeanant Offenders and their Families.** Grant proposal Submitted October, 1998. Awarded March 1999.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Charles Partridge, & Deborah Wasserman, Co-Principal Investigators, One year \$26,160.00 Grant Proposal, Ohio Department of Youth Service, **Implementation of the Growing Up FAST Program with Felony Offenders and their Families.** Grant proposal submitted October, 1998. Awarded March 1999.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Deborah Wasserman, & Charles Partridge, Co-Principal Investigators, One year \$47,620.00 Grant Proposal, Ohio Criminal Justice Services, Byrne Memorial Formula Grant Program, Narcotics Control/ Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, **Utilization of Family-Based Diversion Programs: Implementation of the Growing Up FAST Program with Misdemeanant Offenders and their Families.** Grant proposal submitted October, 1997. Awarded February 1998.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Charles Partridge, & Deborah Wasserman, Co-Principal Investigators, One year \$20,910.00 Grant Proposal, Ohio Department of Youth Service, **Implementation of the Growing Up FAST Program with Felony Offenders and their Families.** Grant proposal submitted October, 1997. Awarded March 1998.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi & Mary A. Fristad, Co-Principal Investigators, Two year \$98,111.00 Grant Proposal, The Ohio Department of Mental Health, **Efficacy of Family Psychoeducation as an Adjunctive Treatment for Childhood and Adolescent Mood Disorders.** Grant proposal submitted October, 1996. Awarded April 1997.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Principal Investigator, One year \$47,620.00 Grant Proposal, Ohio Criminal Justice Services, Byrne Memorial Formula Grant Program, Narcotics Control/ Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, **Utilization of Family-Based Diversion Programs: Implementation of the Growing Up FAST Program with Misdemeanant Offenders and their Families.** Grant proposal submitted October, 1996. Awarded January 1997.
- Marla Reese & Stephen M. Gavazzi, Co-Principal Investigators, One year \$5,000.00 Grant Proposal, The State of Ohio Department of Mental Health, **The impact of conflict resolution styles in multiple family subsystems on adolescent adjustment.** Grant proposal submitted August 1995. Awarded March 1996.

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Funded Projects (continued)

- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Principal Investigator, One year \$42,000.00 Grant Proposal, The Kettering Fund, **Continuation funding for the "Growing Up FAST: Families and Adolescents Surviving and Thriving" primary prevention program: Program implementation, outcome research, and the training of mental health professionals in the community.** Grant proposal submitted September, 1995. Awarded January 1996.
- Keith A. Alford, Stephen M. Gavazzi, Patrick C. McKenry, & James Lantz, Co-Principal Investigators, One year \$4,658.00 Grant Proposal, The State of Ohio Department of Mental Health **Use of a culturally-specific rites of passage program in a sample of urban, African-American males in substitute care.** Grant proposal submitted August 1995. Awarded March 1996.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Principal Investigator, One year \$39,727.00 Grant Proposal, The Kettering Fund, **Continuation funding for the "Growing Up FAST: Families and Adolescents Surviving and Thriving" primary prevention program: Program implementation, outcome research, and the training of mental health professionals in the community.** Grant proposal submitted October 1994. Awarded January 1995.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi & Patrick C. McKenry, Co-Principal Investigators, 18 month, \$8,000.00 Grant Proposal, The North Central Regional Center for Rural Development, **Appalachian Youth in Foster Care.** Grant proposal submitted January 1994. Awarded April 1994.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Patrick C. McKenry, & Carolyn Slotten, Co-Principal Investigators, One year, \$1,000.00 Grant Proposal, The College of Human Ecology Multicultural Research Grant, **The relationships among racial experiences, psychosocial development issues, and problems and competencies in a sample of rural, Appalachian adolescents in substitute care.** Grant proposal submitted October 1994. Awarded November 1994.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Principal Investigator, One year, \$30,000.00 Grant Proposal, The Kettering Fund, **Continuation Grant for the "Growing Up FAST: Families and Adolescents Surviving and Thriving" primary prevention program.** Grant proposal submitted June 1993. Awarded November 1993.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Principal Investigator, One year, \$1,000.00 Small Grant Proposal, The Ohio State University, **Exploration of cross-cultural research on the relationship between family system characteristics and adolescent adjustment in families from Italy and the United States.** Grant proposal submitted February 1994. Awarded March 1994.
- Patrick C. McKenry, Stephen M. Gavazzi, & Teresa Julian, Co-Principal Investigators, 18 month \$18,000.00 Grant Proposal, College of Human Ecology OARDC Interdisciplinary Research Grant, **A comparison of violent and non-violent males and their female intimates.** Grant proposal submitted November 1992. Awarded December 1992.

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Funded Projects (continued)

- Stephen M. Gavazzi, & Patrick C. McKenry, Co-Principal Investigators, One year \$18,890.00 Grant Proposal, Committee on Urban Affairs, The Ohio State University, **The relationships among racial experiences, psychosocial development issues, and problems and competencies in a sample of urban, African-American males in substitute care: A collaboration between OSU researchers and the Ohio Department of Human Services.** Grant proposal submitted April 1993. Awarded May 1993.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Principal Investigator, One year \$30,000.00 Grant Proposal, The Kettering Fund, **The "Growing Up FAST: Families and Adolescents Surviving and Thriving" primary prevention program: Program implementation, outcome research, and the training of mental health professionals in the community.** Grant proposal submitted September 1992. Awarded December 1992.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Principal Investigator, One year \$1,000.00 Small Grant, College of Human Ecology, The Ohio State University, **The continued examination of the relationships among family system dynamics, peer system characteristics, and adolescent personal adjustment variables.** Grant proposal submitted January 1992, Funding deferred, Resubmitted June 1992, Awarded August 1992.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Principal Investigator, One year \$13,000.00 University Seed Grant, Office of Research, The Ohio State University, **Examining the relationships among family system dynamics, peer system characteristics, and adolescent personal adjustment variables.** Grant proposal submitted September 1991, Awarded December 1991.
- Stephen M. Gavazzi, Principal Investigator, One year \$2,500.00 University of Connecticut Doctoral Research Fellowship, **The relationship among family system differentiation, peer system differentiation, and adolescent adjustment variables in a clinical sample.** Grant proposal submitted March 1990, Awarded December 1990.