

Amanda Diekman

Amanda Diekman recently joined the faculty of Indiana University as Professor in the Department of Psychological and Brain Sciences, after 15 years at Miami University in Oxford, Ohio. She received her B.A. from Kenyon College and her Ph.D. from Northwestern University. She is a social psychologist who investigates how stereotypes stem from and reinforce the social structure, with an emphasis on change and stability in gender roles. Her current work, funded by the National Science Foundation, explores stereotypes that STEM fields do not afford opportunities to connect or help others. She and her research group are particularly interested in understanding how communal opportunities in STEM can motivate students from underrepresented groups. She is a Fellow of the Association for Psychological Science, the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, and the Society of Experimental Social Psychology. Her research has been published in the *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, *Psychological Science*, and *Personality and Social Psychology Review*.