ALI LEFCOE, PhD

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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Management of Organizational Behaviour & Human Resources DeGroote School of Business (McMaster University), Hamilton, ON	2024
Master of Industrial Relations and Human Resources University of Toronto, Toronto, ON	2015
Honours Bachelor of Science, Double Major in Human Resources & Psychology University of Toronto, Toronto, ON	2013

PUBLICATIONS

Lefcoe, **A. D.**, Connelly, C. E., & Gellatly, I. R. (2023). Ride-Hail Drivers, Taxi Drivers and Multiple Jobholders: Who Takes the Most Risks and Why? *Work, Employment and Society*.

BOOK CHAPTERS

Lefcoe, A.D., Bonaccio, S. & Connelly, C.E. (2023). 9 Managers' reactions to job applicants and employees with disabilities. In J. Beatty, S. Hennekam & M. Kulkarni (Ed.), *De Gruyter Handbook of Disability and Management* (pp. 159-172). Berlin, Boston: De Gruyter.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- **Lefcoe, A.D.**, Connelly, C.E., Venz, L., Elchuk, G., & Scott, A (2023). When passion meets unfulfilled expectations: Predicting burnout among professional musicians. 83rd Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management, Boston, MA, United States.
- **Lefcoe, A.D.**, & Connelly, C.E. (2023). Exuding passion and enduring precarity: A qualitative study of professional musicians. EAWOP Small Group Meeting on Precarious Employment and Work, University of Glasgow, United Kingdom.
- **Lefcoe, A.D.**, & Connelly, C.E. (2022). *Meaningful Work, Luck, and Resilience: How Gig Workers Navigate the Undervaluing of Their Careers*. Presented at the 82nd Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management, Seattle, WA, United States.

NEWS ARTICLES

Lefcoe, A.D. & Connelly, C.E. (2023). Safety on the line: Drivers who juggle multiple jobs are more likely to take risks on the road. *The Conversation*. https://theconversation.com/safety-on-the-line-drivers-who-juggle-multiple-jobs-are-more-likely-to-take-risks-on-the-road-214051

RESEARCH GRANTS

SSHRC Explore Grant (\$5916)

2024

Helpful or harmful? Examining the impact of toxic positivity on individuals with disabilities Ali Lefcoe (Principal Investigator) & Catherine E. Connelly

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor, University of Regina

Present

Hill School of Business

• Introduction to Human Resources/Industrial Relations (BUS 250)

Levene Graduate School of Business

- Compensation (GBUS 864)
- Management as a System (EMBA 800)

Sessional Lecturer, McMaster University

2021-2022

- Recruitment & Selection (4BB3 Undergraduate Commerce)
- Organizational Behaviour (1BA3 Undergraduate Commerce)

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

University of Regina, Faculty of Business

Present

AACSB Accreditation Committee

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Regional Municipality of Halton

2015-2018

Talent Acquisition, Human Resources Department

- Partnered with hiring managers in sourcing and securing talent through a full-cycle recruitment process.
- Drafted job postings, interview questions and skills assessments; screened applicants, participated on interview panels and made job offers.

MEMBERSHIPS & AFFILIATIONS

Qualitative Methods Workgroup

2020-present

• This group meets monthly to discuss emerging methods and approaches in qualitative research and also serves a peer review function for qualitative research projects.

Academy of Management

2020-present

• Divisions and Interest Groups: Organizational Behaviour and Careers

MEDIA COVERAGE

Global News Radio – 980 CKNW Mornings with Simi (Vancouver)

October 3, 2023

Canadian Occupational Safety

https://www.thesafetymag.com/ca/topics/technology/study-finds-gig-drivers-with-multiple-jobs-engage-in-risky-behaviour/461996

AWARDS & OTHER ACCOLADES

DeGroote School of Business, PhD Program Scholarship

2021-2022

Award of \$8000 for achieving high academic standing

Ontario Graduate Scholarship

2019-2022

• Scholarship of \$15,000 per year for 2019-2020, 2020-2021 and 2021-2022 school years

DeGroote School of Business, Harry Lyman Hooker Senior Fellowship

2018-2022

• Recipient of this merit-based entrance award of \$24,000 per year for four years

U of T, MIRHR - Awarded the Frank Reid Prize for Academic Excellence

2015

• Received a \$250 award for achieving top marks in the graduating class