



## Geoffrey Cohen

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### Bio

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#### BIO

Professor Cohen's research examines processes that shape people's sense of belonging and self and implications for social problems. He studies the big and small threats to belonging and self-integrity that people encounter in school, work, and health care settings, and strategies to create more inclusive spaces for people from all walks of life. He believes that the development of psychological theory is facilitated not only by descriptive and observational research but by theory-driven intervention. He has long been inspired by Kurt Lewin's quip, "The best way to try to understand something is to try to change it."

He is the author of a forthcoming book about the causes and consequences of a sense of belonging in school, work, our politics, health care, and other arenas of social life, *Belonging: The Science of Creating Connection and Bridging Divides* (Norton, September 2022). Learn more about Geoff and his new book at [www.geoffreylcohen.com](http://www.geoffreylcohen.com).

#### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Professor, Graduate School of Education
- Professor, Psychology
- Professor (By courtesy), Organizational Behavior
- Faculty Affiliate, Institute for Human-Centered Artificial Intelligence (HAI)
- Member, Wu Tsai Human Performance Alliance

#### ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

- Associate Professor, Psychology, University of Colorado, Boulder, (2006-2009)
- Associate Professor, Psychology, Yale University, (2005-2006)
- Affiliated Appointment, Institute for Social and Policy Studies, Yale University, (2003-2006)
- Assistant Professor, Psychology, Yale University, (1999-2005)

## PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- Ph.D., Stanford University , Psychology (1998)
- Bachelor of Arts, Cornell University , Psychology

## LINKS

- Lab Website: <http://cohenlab.stanford.edu/>
- Google Scholar: [https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=ywxN9o3\\_-\\_cC&hl=en](https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=ywxN9o3_-_cC&hl=en)
- Personal Website: <http://www.geoffreylcohen.com/>

## Research & Scholarship

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### RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Assessment & Evaluation
- Child and Adolescent Development
- Design-based research
- Education Policy
- Educational Inequality
- Leadership
- Race, Culture, and Identity
- Social Movements
- Social-Emotional Learning
- Youth Identity, Agency, and Voice

### CURRENT RESEARCH AND SCHOLARLY INTERESTS

Much of my research examines processes related to identity maintenance and their implications for social problems. One primary aim of my research is the development of theory-driven, rigorously tested intervention strategies that further our understanding of the processes underpinning social problems and that offer solutions to alleviate them. Two key questions lie at the core of my research: “Given that a problem exists, what are its underlying processes?” And, “Once identified, how can these processes be overcome?” One reason for this interest in intervention is my belief that a useful way to understand psychological processes and social systems is to try to change them. We also are interested in how and when seemingly brief interventions, attuned to underlying psychological processes, produce large and long-lasting psychological and behavioral change.

The methods that my lab uses include laboratory experiments, longitudinal studies, content analyses, and randomized field experiments. One specific area of research addresses the effects of group identity on achievement, with a focus on under-performance and racial and gender achievement gaps. Additional research programs address hiring discrimination, the psychology of closed-mindedness and inter-group conflict, and psychological processes underlying anti-social and health-risk behavior.

## Teaching

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### COURSES

#### 2025-26

- Advanced Topics in Research on Self and Stigma: EDUC 425 (Aut, Win)
- Research Methods in Social Psychology and Allied Fields: EDUC 497, PSYCH 297 (Aut)

- Social Psychology and Social Change: EDUC 371, PSYCH 265 (Win, Spr)

#### 2024-25

- Advanced Topics in Research on Self and Stigma: EDUC 425 (Win)
- Research Methods in Social Psychology and Allied Fields: EDUC 497, PSYCH 297 (Win)
- Social Psychology and Social Change: EDUC 371, PSYCH 265 (Spr)
- The Social Psychology of Belonging: OSPBER 89 (Aut)

#### 2023-24

- Advanced Topics in Research on Self and Stigma: EDUC 425 (Win, Spr)
- Research Methods in Social Psychology and Allied Fields: EDUC 497, PSYCH 297 (Aut)
- Social Psychology and Social Change: EDUC 371, PSYCH 265 (Spr)

## STANFORD ADVISEES

### Doctoral Dissertation Advisor (AC)

Steve Juarez, Morgan Tompkins

### Doctoral (Program)

Will Blakey, Yue Jia, Steve Juarez, Ramya Kumar

## Publications

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### PUBLICATIONS

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- **Targeted Identity-Safety Interventions Cause Lasting Reductions in Discipline Citations Among Negatively Stereotyped Boys** *JOURNAL OF PERSONALITY AND SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY*  
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