

Dr. Michael B. Wolfe
Curriculum Vitae

Professor, Department of Psychology
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EDUCATION:

1998 Ph.D. in Cognitive Psychology, University of Colorado, Boulder
1994 Masters in Cognitive Psychology, University of Colorado, Boulder
1991 B.A., Psychology, University of California, Santa Barbara

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

2014 - Professor of Psychology, Grand Valley State University
2019 – 2022 Department Chair, Psychology Department, Grand Valley St. Univ.
2014 - 2019 Assistant Chair, Psychology Department, Grand Valley St. Univ.
2006 - 2014 Associate Professor of Psychology, Grand Valley State University
2000 - 2006 Assistant Professor of Psychology, Grand Valley State University
1998 - 2000 Research Associate, Learning Technology Center, Vanderbilt University
1991 – 1998 Research Assistant, University of Colorado, Boulder
1986 - 1990 Research Assistant, University of California, Davis Medical Center (summers)

HONORS:

2025 Elected as a Fellow, Society for Text and Discourse
2023 “Reviewer of the Year” award winner, *Discourse Processes*
2000-8, 2010-3, 2019, 2022, 2023 Pew Faculty Teaching Development and
Renewal Grants, Grand Valley State University
1997 Albert Heyer Award for industrial and applied Psychology, CU Boulder
1996 Certificate in Cognitive Science, Institute of Cognitive Science, CU
Boulder

1989, 1990 Deans Honors, UC Santa Barbara

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

Language comprehension, Memory, Beliefs, Metacognition, Computational models of cognitive processes, Argumentation

TEACHING INTERESTS / EXPERIENCE:

Interests:

Cognitive Psychology, Educational Psychology, Language Processing, Memory, Introductory Psychology, Statistics, Research Methods

Experience:

Professor:

Introductory Psychology

Cognitive Psychology

Educational Psychology

Psychology Capstone

Teaching assistant (1992-1998):

Lecture / laboratory courses in Cognitive Psychology, Introductory Psychology, Perception, and Judgment and Decision Making

RESEARCH FUNDING:

Student Summer Scholars grant: Center for Scholarly and Creative Excellence, Grand Valley State University, Summer, 2024. M Wolfe and R. Dewey. Project: "Belief influences on comprehension." \$8,750.

Center for Scholarly and Creative Excellence mini-grant, Grand Valley State University, 2023. M Wolfe. Project "Awareness of belief change about contentious topics." \$500.

Center for Scholarly and Creative Excellence mini-grant, Grand Valley State University, 2021. M Wolfe. Project "Influence of misinformation on beliefs." \$500.

Student Summer Scholars grant: Center for Scholarly and Creative Excellence, Grand Valley State University, Summer, 2021. M Wolfe and L. Hart. Project: "Do changes in past beliefs influence current beliefs?" \$7,750.

REACH summer scholars program: Center for Scholarly and Creative Excellence, Grand Valley State University, Summer, 2018. M. Wolfe and A. Denison. Project: "Awareness of belief change." \$6,750.

Student Summer Scholars grant: Center for Scholarly and Creative Excellence, Grand Valley State University, Summer, 2014. T. J. Williams & M. B. Wolfe (co-PI's) and I. D. Simon. Project: "I can't remember: The effects of lying and Machiavellianism on people's ability to recall past events." \$6,000.

Student Summer Scholars grant: Center for Scholarly and Creative Excellence, Grand Valley State University, Summer, 2014. M. B. Wolfe & T. J. Williams (co-PIs), and J. K. Hessler. Project: "Cognitive and social factors in belief change" \$5,800.

Student Summer Scholars grant: Center for Scholarly and Creative Excellence, Grand Valley State University, Summer, 2010. M. B. W. Wolfe and A. Taylor. Project: "The importance of beliefs for comprehension" \$6,000.

Student Summer Scholars grant: Research and Development Center, Grand Valley State University, Summer, 2006. M. B. W. Wolfe and K. Marshick. Project: "Learning from narrative and expository text," \$6,000.

Research Grant-in-Aid: Research & Development Center, Grand Valley State University, Winter, 2003. M. B. W. Wolfe. Project: "Use of Prior Knowledge During Learning," \$2,318.

Summer research stipend: Research & Development Center, Grand Valley State University, Summer, 2002. M. B. W. Wolfe. Project: "Use of Knowledge in Learning," \$5,000.

National Institutes of Health, 2000 - 2002. A. Gottardo & M. B. W. Wolfe. Project: "Longitudinal predictors of reading in Spanish-Speaking children," \$103,033.

PUBLICATIONS:

Wiley, J., Wolfe, M. B., & Britt, M. A. (in press). Introduction to the special issue. *Discourse Processes*.

Hart, L. W., Wolfe, M. B., Williams, T. J., & Russell, G. (2025). Beliefs influence argumentative essay content. *Instructional Science*, 53, 151-172.

Wolfe, M. B., Williams, T. J., Denison, A. J., & Hart, L. W. (2024). Verification of past beliefs influences current beliefs. *The Open Psychology Journal*, 17, 1-13.

- Wolfe, M. B. & Bowdle, B. F., (2024). Textbase and situation model representations as educational constructs. *Discourse Processes*, 67, 342-346.
- Wolfe, M. B., Williams, T. J., Dewey, E., Mitchell, S., Pomp, A., & Wolfe, B. M. (2023). Health change awareness and its association with weight loss following bariatric surgery. *Health Psychology*, 42, 403-410.
- Wolfe, M. B. & Williams, T. J. (2018). Poor metacognitive awareness of belief change. *Quarterly Journal of Experimental Psychology*, 71, 1898-1910.
- Wolfe, M. B. & Griffin, T. D. (2018). Beliefs and discourse processes. In M. F. Schober, D. N. Rapp, & M. A. Britt (Eds). *Handbook of Discourse Processes*, 2nd Edition. (pp. 295-314). New York, NY: Taylor & Francis.
- Wolfe, M. B. & Kurby, C. A. (2017). Belief in the claim of an argument influences perceived argument soundness. *Discourse Processes*, 54, 599-617.
- Wolfe, M. B. & Williams, T. J. (2017). Effects of text content and beliefs on informal argument evaluation. *Discourse Processes*, 54, 446-462.
- Clariana, R. B., Wolfe, M. B., & Kim, K. (2014). The influence of narrative and expository lesson text structures on knowledge structures: Alternative measures of knowledge structure. *Educational Technology Research and Development*, 62, 601-616.
- Wolfe, M. B., Tanner, S. M., & Taylor, A. (2013). Processing and representation of arguments in one-sided texts about disputed topics. *Discourse Processes*, 50, 457-497.
- Wolfe, M. B. W. & Woodwyk, J. (2010). Processing and memory of information presented in narrative or expository texts. *British Journal of Educational Psychology*, 80, 341-362.
- Galen, L. W., Wolfe, M. B. W., Deleeuw, J., & Wyngarden, N. (2009). Religious fundamentalism as schema: Influences on memory for religious information. *Journal of Applied Social Psychology*, 39, 1163-1190.
- Wolfe, M. B. W. & Mienko, J. A. (2007). Learning and memory of factual content from narrative and expository text. *British Journal of Educational Psychology*, 77, 541-564.
- Wolfe, M. B. W. & Goldman, S. R. (2005). Relations between adolescents' text processing and reasoning. *Cognition and Instruction*, 23, 467-502.

- Wolfe, M. B. W., Magliano, J. P., & Larsen, B. (2005). Causal and semantic relatedness in discourse understanding and representation. *Discourse Processes*, 39, 165-187.
- Wolfe, M. B. W. (2005). Memory for narrative and expository text: Independent influences of semantic associations and text organization. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: Learning, Memory, and Cognition*, 31, 359-364.
- Wolfe, M. B. W. (2003). Readability indices. In J. W. Guthrie (Ed.) *Encyclopedia of Education, Second Edition*. (pp. 1972-1973). Macmillan Reference, USA.
- Wolfe, M. B. W., & Goldman, S. R. (2003). Use of Latent Semantic Analysis for predicting psychological phenomena: Two issues and proposed solutions. *Behavior Research Methods, Instruments, and Computers*, 35, 22-31.
- Goldman, S. R. & Wolfe, M. B. W. (2001). Text comprehension: Models in Psychology. In N. J. Smelser & P. B. Baltes (Eds. in Chief), W. Kintsch (Section Ed. for Cognitive psychology and cognitive science), *International Encyclopedia of the Social & Behavioral Sciences: Vol. 23* (pp. 15625-15631). Oxford: Elsevier.
- Wolfe, M. B. W., & Pennington, N. (2000). Memory and judgment: Availability vs. explanation-based accounts. *Memory and Cognition*, 28, 624-634.
- Rehder, B., Schreiner, M. E., Wolfe, M. B. W., Laham, D., Landauer, T. K., & Kintsch, W. (1998) Using Latent Semantic Analysis to assess knowledge: Some technical considerations. *Discourse Processes*, 25, 337-354.
- Wolfe, M. B. W., Schreiner, M. E., Rehder, B., Laham, D., Kintsch, W. Landauer, T. K (1998) Learning from text: Matching readers and text by Latent Semantic Analysis. *Discourse Processes*, 25, 309-336.

PAPERS IN PROGRESS:

- Dillard, A., Meier, B., Williams, T. J., & Wolfe, M. B. (under review). Trait mindfulness and distress in patients seeking treatment for fertility problems.
- Williams, T. J., Wolfe, M. B., & Denison, A. (under revision). Associations between awareness of belief change and information seeking behavior.
- Wolfe, M. B., & Williams, T. J. (in preparation). Elaboration of initial beliefs' influence on belief change and awareness of change.

REVIEWING ACTIVITIES:

Editorial Board, *Discourse Processes*: 2010 –

Ad Hoc reviewer:

Acta Psychologica

Annals of Dyslexia

Applied Cognitive Psychology

Applied Psycholinguistics

Behavior Research Methods

BioMed Central: Public Health

British Journal of Education, Society & Behavioural Science

Cognition

Cognitive Processing

Contemporary Educational Psychology

Current Psychology Letters: Behaviour, Brain, & Cognition

Discourse Processes

Educational Psychology

Instructional Science

Journal of Cognition and Development

Journal of Educational Psychology

Journal of Experimental Psychology: Applied

Journal of Experimental Psychology: Learning, Memory, and Cognition

Journal of Happiness Studies

Journal of Languages and Culture

Journal of Research in Reading

Learning and Instruction

Learning Disabilities Research & Practice

Memory & Cognition

PLOS ONE

Psychonomic Bulletin & Review

Quarterly Journal of Experimental Psychology

Reading Research Quarterly

Scandinavian Journal of Psychology

Scientific Studies of Reading

SpringerPlus

The Modern Language Journal

2023-5: Reviewer: Conference of the Society for Text and Discourse

2022: Reviewer: Sakalala, S. *A Social-Scientific Examination of the Dynamics of Communication, Thought, and Selves*; Reviewer: Conference of the Society for Text and Discourse

2021: Reviewer: Conference of the Society for Text and Discourse

2020: Reviewer: Conference of the Society for Text and Discourse

2019: Reviewer: Conference of the Society for Text and Discourse

- 2018: Reviewer: National Science Foundation grant review panel member;
Conference of the Society for Text and Discourse
- 2017: Reviewer: Conference of the Society for Text and Discourse; chapter
for *Handbook of Multiple Source Use*
- 2016: Reviewer: Conference of the Society for Text and Discourse.
- 2015: Reviewer: Conferences of the Cognitive Science Society; Society for
Text and Discourse
- 2002-2015: Reviewer for undergraduate submissions for the Conference of
the Midwestern Psychological Association
- 2014: Reviewer: Conference of the Society for Text and Discourse.
- 2012: Reviewer: Conferences of the Cognitive Science Society; Society for
Text & Discourse; American Educational Research Association
- 2010: Reviewer: Conference of the Society for Text and Discourse
- 2008: Reviewer: M. Bates and M. N. Maack (eds.) Encyclopedia of Library
and Information Science. New York, NY. Taylor and Francis.
- Reviewer: Proposal submitted to the Research Grants Council (RGC) of
Hong Kong.
- Reviewer: National Science Foundation proposal to the Methodology,
Measurement, and Statistics (MMS) Program.
- 2004-5 Reviewer: Conference of the Society for Text and Discourse
- 2000 - Reviewer: NSF grant proposal to Decision Risk and Management
Science.
- 1999 - Reviewer: Miyake, A., & Shah, P. (1999). Models of Working
Memory: Mechanisms of Active Maintenance and Executive Control.
New York, NY: Cambridge.
- 1998 - Reviewer: Cognitive Science Society Proceedings.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

- 2019 - 2025: Governing Board member, Society for Text & Discourse
- 2025: Session chair, conference of the Society for Text & Discourse
- 2024: Organizing Committee and session chair, conference of the Society for
Text & Discourse

Invited Addresses: GVSU College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Research Colloquium; GVSU Student Academic Success Center

2023: Invited Address: GVSU Student Summer Scholars program

Conference Planning Committee for the Midwest Cognitive Science Conference, Grand Rapids, MI.

2022: Invited Address: University of Colorado, Boulder “Buff Talks”

2021: Invited Addresses: GVSU chapter of PSI CHI; GVSU College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Research Colloquium

2020: Invited Address: Comstock Park High School

Organizing Committee, conference of the Society for Text & Discourse

Webinar Guest: The Seidman Series “Truth, Trust, and ‘Alternative Facts’ – the Future of Knowledge in the Public Square

2019: Invited Addresses: Grand Rapids Community College Psychology Speaker Series; Center for Inquiry, West Michigan

Session chair: Conference of the Society for Text and Discourse

2018: Invited Address: Science on Tap, Grand Rapids, MI

Speaker: TEDx Kalamazoo,
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=deiOztAvcGI>

2011 - 2017: Secretary, Society for Text & Discourse

2016: Dissertation committee member, University of Melbourne

2015: Invited Address: GVSU College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Research Colloquium

2014: Invited Addresses: Utrecht University, the Netherlands; PSI CHI at Grand Valley St. Univ.

Dissertation committee member, Utrecht University

2013: Invited Addresses: Gamma Phi Beta Sorority; West Michigan Community Literacy Summit

Guest editorial: Grand Rapids Press

2012: Invited Addresses: Fountain Street Church, Grand Rapids, MI; West Michigan Literacy Network

2011: Invited Address: Fall Conference on Teaching and Learning, Grand Valley St. Univ.

2010: Program Committee: Conference of the Society for Text and Discourse, Chicago, IL

Invited Addresses: Cognitive Neuroscience Club, Grand Valley St. Univ.;
Evolution for Everyone, Grand Valley St. Univ.

2009: Invited Address: Schools of Hope, Grand Rapids, MI

2008: Invited Addresses: CA Frost Environmental Academy; Northpark
Elementaries

2007: Invited Address: Student Council for Exceptional Children, Grand
Valley State University

2006: Invited Addresses: Washington University in St. Louis; Insights into
Education Distinguished Speaker Series, Lake Tahoe School, Incline, NV

2005 – Keynote speaker: Student Summer Scholars Research Banquet, Grand
Valley State University

1998 - Invited Addresses: University of Provence, France ; University of
Nice, France

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS:

Wolfe, M. B., Williams, T., J., DeSantis, A. K., Dewey, R. M., Stuckey, J. E.,
(2025). Comprehension as a function of belief consistency: Discrimination
and response bias. Paper presented at the conference of the Society for
Text & Discourse, Padua, Italy.

DeSantis, A. K., Stuckey, J. E., Dewey, R. M., Wolfe, M. B., & Williams, T.
J., (2025). Comprehension of belief consistent and belief inconsistent
information. Poster presented at the conference of the Midwestern
Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.

Wolfe, M. B., Williams, T. J., Lindsay, C., Postma, A., & Russell, G. (2024).
Elaboration of beliefs does not influence belief change or awareness of it.
Paper presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse,
Chicago, IL.

Wolfe, M. B. (2024). Reflections on the life and work of Walter Kintsch.
Paper presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse,
Chicago, IL.

Williams, T. J., Wolfe, M. B., Denison, A. J., & Dillard, A. (2024). The
seasons have changed, but I have not. Paper presented at the Conference
on the Role of Beliefs in Human Existence, Montreal, Quebec.

- Wolfe, M. B., & Williams, T. J. (July, 2023). Comprehension of information as a function of belief consistency: Null results. Poster presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse, Oslo, Norway.
- Hart, L. Russell, G., Wolfe, M. B., & Williams, T. J. (May, 2023). Beliefs influence argumentative writing. Poster presented at the Midwest Cognitive Science Conference, Grand Rapids, MI
- Hart, L. Wolfe, M. B., Russell, G., & Williams, T. J. (July, 2022). Belief change after reading predicts argumentative essay content. Paper presented at the conference of the Society for Text and Discourse, virtual.
- Hart, L., Russell, G., Wolfe, M. B., & Williams, T. J., (April, 2022). Information about past beliefs influences current beliefs. Poster presented at the conference of the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
- Thompson, C., Williams, T. J., Wolfe, M. B., Dayton, M., & Richards, E. (April, 2022). Differentiating machiavellian views and tactics: Associations with moral foundations. Poster presented at the conference of the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
- Kedzuch, L., Williams, T. J., & Wolfe, M. B. (April, 2022). Two-dimensional machiavellianism and associations with coping strategies and life satisfaction. Poster presented at the conference of the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
- Russell, G., Williams, T. J., Denison, A. J., Wiernik, B., & Wolfe, M. B. (April, 2022). Machiavellian views and tactics: Association with workplace values and vocational interest. Poster presented at the conference of the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
- Wolfe, M. B., Williams, T. J., Dewey, E. N., & Wolfe, B. M., (November, 2021). Poor metacognitive awareness of health change following bariatric surgery. Paper presented at the conference of the Psychonomic Society, virtual.
- Wolfe, M. B., Williams, T. J., & Denison, A. J.. Rose, M., Gilbert, H., & Olsen, K. (July, 2020). Does misinformation about past beliefs influence current beliefs? Paper presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse, virtual.
- Denison, A. J., Williams, T. J., & Wolfe, M. B., (February, 2020). Machiavellianism predicts careless responding if incentive is present. Poster presented at Conference of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, LA.
- Wolfe, M. B., Williams, T. J., & Denison, A. J. (July, 2019). Association between awareness of belief change and information seeking. Paper

presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse, New York, NY.

Denison, A. J., Wolfe, M. B., Williams, T. J., Ciagala, K., & Evans, T. (February, 2019). Awareness of belief change predicts novel information seeking. Poster presented at the conference of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Portland, OR.

Williams, T. J., Wolfe, M. B., Simon, I., & Denison, A. J., (February, 2019). Memory, machiavellianism, lies and latent semantic analysis. Poster presented at the conference of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Portland, OR.

Wolfe, M. B., Williams, T. J., Confer, S., Johnson, B., Lambert, K., & Robbins, J. (July, 2017). Metacognitive awareness of belief change. Paper presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse, Philadelphia, PA.

Wolfe, M. B., Williams, T. J., Rydecki, K., & Loutzenhiser, D. (July, 2016). Argument evaluation biases change following belief change. Paper presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse, Kassel, Germany.

Simon, I. D., Wolfe, M. B., Williams, T. J., Hessler, J. K., & Simoni, M. (July, 2015). Lying and telling the truth: Machiavellianism as a moderator of the influence of lying on later memory. Paper presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse, Minneapolis, MN.

Simon, I. D., Williams, T. J., Hessler, J. K., & Wolfe, M. B. (February, 2015). I can't remember: Effects of Machiavellianism, mental effort, and lying on memory. Poster presented at the conference of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Long Beach, CA.

Hessler, J. K., Simon, I. D., Wolfe, M. B., Williams, T. J., & Moore, S. (February, 2015). Desire for cognitive consistency as a potential explanation for poor recollection of past beliefs. Poster presented at the conference of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Long Beach, CA.

Wolfe M. B., Williams, T. J., Geers, C. G., Hessler, J. K., & Simon, I. D. (August, 2014). Belief change and memory for previous beliefs after comprehension of contentious scientific information. Paper presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse, Chicago, IL.

Wolfe, M. B., Kurby, C. A., & Carroll, J. K. (May, 2014). Argument evaluation as a function of belief in the argument and reasoning ability. Poster presented at the conference of the Association for Psychological Science, San Francisco, CA.

- Wolfe, M. B. (July, 2013). Oh, I've always believed that: Biased memory for previous beliefs following belief change. Paper presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse, Valencia, Spain.
- Wolfe, M. B. W., Kurby, C. A., & Taylor, A. R. (July, 2012). Argument evaluation and recall as a function of belief in the argument. Poster presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse, Montreal, Canada.
- Wolfe, M. B. W., Kurby, C. A., & Taylor, A. R. (November, 2011). Judging and recalling arguments as a function of belief in the argument. Poster presented at the conference of the Psychonomic Society, Seattle, WA.
- Wolfe, M. B. W., Tanner, S. M., Taylor, A. R., & Austin, G. J. (August, 2010). Balanced evidence processing: Evidence-based and affect-based subjects process scientific texts differently. Paper presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse, Chicago, IL.
- Wolfe, M. B. W., Boven, C. L., Tanner, S. M., Lord, J. V., & Austin, G. J. (November, 2009). Beliefs and comprehension: Importance of the reason for holding beliefs. Poster presented at the meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Boston, MA.
- Wolfe, M. B. W. & Woodwyk, J. M. (May, 2008). Memory for factual content differs for narrative vs. expository texts. Poster presented at the meeting of the Association for Psychological Science, Chicago, IL.
- Johnson, D. K. & Wolfe, M. B. W. (April, 2008). A discourse analysis of prose recall data in normal aging and DAT. Paper presented at Cognitive Aging, Atlanta, GA.
- Wolfe, M. B. W. & Marshick, K. A. (July, 2007). Processing and memory of information presented in narrative or expository texts. Paper presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse, Glasgow, Scotland.
- Wolfe, M. B. W. & Johnson, D. K. (July, 2007). Age differences in reliance on semantic associations and text organization during text recall. Poster presented at the joint meeting of the Experimental Psychology Society and the Psychonomic Society, Edinburgh, Scotland.
- Galen, L. W., Wolfe, M. B. W., Deleeuw, J., & Resseguie, N. (May, 2006). Religious fundamentalism as schema: Influences on memory for religious information. Poster presented at the meeting of the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
- Wolfe, M. B. W., Mienko, J. A., (2005, July). Prior knowledge influences on learning and memory of narrative and expository text. Poster presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

Wolfe, M. B. W., Mienko, J. A., (2004, November). Semantic knowledge influences on memory for narrative and expository text. Poster presented at the meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Minneapolis, MN.

Wolfe, M. B. W., Mienko, J. A., Witham, L. M., & Bajalieh, A. S. (2004, May). Memory for narrative and expository text: Differences in prior knowledge use. Poster presented at the meeting of the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.

Wolfe, M. B. W., Magliano, J. P., & Larsen, B. J., (2003, November). Causal and semantic relatedness in discourse processing and representation. Poster presented at the meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Vancouver, Canada.

Gottardo, A., Stanish, H., Lafrance, A., & Wolfe, M. B. W. (2003, April). English reading development in Spanish-speaking children: From first to second grade. Poster presented at the Biennial Meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Tampa, FL.

Gottardo, A., Wolfe, M. B. W., & Stanish, H. (2002, June). The assessment of at-risk ESL learners. Paper presented at the conference of Multilingual and Cross-cultural Perspectives on Dyslexia, Washington, D. C.

Wolfe, M. B. W. (2002, June). Memory for narrative and expository text: Differences in prior knowledge use. Paper presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse, Chicago, IL.

Magliano, J. P., Wolfe, M. B. W., & Larsen, B. (2001, July). Causal connectivity and conceptual overlap in text processing. Poster presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse, Santa Barbara, CA.

Gottardo, A., Harmon, M., Acevedo, I.D., Stanish, H., & Wolfe, M. B. W. (2001, June). The development of English reading in Spanish-speaking children. Paper presented at the 8th Annual Meeting of the Society for Scientific Studies in Reading, Boulder, CO,

Gottardo, A. & Wolfe, M. B. W. (2001, February). Predictors of reading in Spanish-speaking children. Invited speaker for "A Focus on Research Design Issues." Presented at the conference of the National Association for Bilingual Education: International Bilingual Education, Phoenix, AZ.

Wolfe, M. B. W., Goldman, S. R., Mayfield, C., Meyerson, P. M., & Bloome, D. M. (2000, July). Middle School students' processing of multiple accounts of an historical event. Paper presented at the conference of the Society for Text & Discourse, Lyon, France.

Wolfe, M. B. W., Goldman, S. R., Mayfield, C., Meyerson, P. M., & Bloome, D. M. (2000, April). Latent Semantic Analysis as a tool for assessing information integration and synthesis across multiple texts. Paper

presented at the meeting of the American Educational Research Association, New Orleans, LA.

Bloome, D. M., Goldman, S. R., Meyerson, P. M., Mayfield-Stewart, C., Cote, N., & Wolfe, M. B. W. (1999, April). Reconceptualizing classroom reading as intertextual practice. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Educational Research Association, Montreal, Canada.

Goldman, S. R., Meyerson, P. M., Wolfe, M. B. W., Mayfield, C., Cote, N., & Bloome, D. M. (1999, April). "If it says so in the text book, it must be true:" Multiple sources in the middle school social studies classroom. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Educational Research Association, Montreal, Canada.

Wolfe, M.B.W., & Kintsch, W. (1999, January). Modeling story comprehension and recall. Paper presented at the Winter Conference on Discourse, Text, & Cognition, Jackson Hole, WY.

Wolfe, M.B.W., & Kintsch, W. (1998, November). Memory for text: Background knowledge and text-base influences. Poster presented at the meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Dallas, TX.

Kintsch, W., Schreiner, M.E., Wolfe, M.B.W., & Rehder, B. (1997, August). Learning from text: Matching readers and text by Latent Semantic Analysis. Poster presented at the meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Stanford, CA.

Wolfe, M.B.W., & Kintsch, W. (1997, August). Modeling free recall. Poster presented at the meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Stanford, CA.

Wolfe, M. B., & Schreiner, M. E. (1996, January). Learning from text and Latent Semantic Analysis. Paper presented at the Winter Text Conference, Jackson Hole, WY.

Wolfe, M. B., & Pennington, N. (1993, November). Memory and decisions: Explanations or availability? Poster presented at the meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Washington, D.C., and the Society for Judgment and Decision Making, Washington, D.C.

ORGANIZATIONS:

Member, Society for Text and Discourse
 Member, Psychonomic Society
 Member, Association for Psychological Science
 Member, Midwestern Psychological Association
 Member, Federation of Associations of Behavioral and Brain Sciences