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Overview

Dr. Amanda Scott is a social psychologist whose academic training focused primarily on stereotyping, group behavior, and legal decision-making. She is an expert in the areas of survey methodology and research design.

Dr. Scott is co-owner and Vice President of Litigation Research at The Strategy Team. She has over 18 years of professional and consulting experience in applied research, including project management and statistical support to expert witnesses who conduct survey research in the context of class action litigation. She also serves as a survey expert witness herself and conducts public opinion surveys, branding and positioning research, program evaluations, and communications studies.

Education

B.A., Ohio Wesleyan University (in Psychology and Sociology), 1996-2000

M.A. & Ph.D., The Ohio State University (in Social Psychology), 2000-2005

Employment

1999-2001	Research Associate, Ohio Department of Jobs and Family Services
2001-2002	Project Director, Port Columbus Airport Customer Satisfaction Survey
2003-2005	Teaching Assistant and National Science Foundation Research Fellow, Ohio State University
2011-present	Adjunct Instructor & Course Design, Southern New Hampshire University
2005-present	The Strategy Team (Partner and VP of Litigation Services since 2015)

Expert Witness Retentions – Wage & Hour

Capstone Law, Los Angeles, CA

Diversity Law Group

Mahoney Law Group, Long Beach, CA

Stevens & McMillan, Tustin, CA

Litigation Research Support Retentions – Wage & Hour

Arias, Ozzello & Gignac, LLP, Los Angeles, CA
Cohelan & Khoury, San Diego, CA
Dostart, Clapp, Coveney, La Jolla, CA
Hogue & Belong, San Diego, CA
Hurst & Hurst Law Firm, San Diego, CA
Kershaw, Cutter & Ratinoff, LLP, Sacramento, CA
Khorrami Pollard & Abir LLP, Los Angeles, CA
Law Offices of Kevin T. Barnes, Los Angeles, CA
Leonard Carder, LLP, San Francisco, CA
Matern Law Group, PC, Manhattan Beach, CA
Qualls & Workman, LLP, San Francisco, CA
R. Rex Parris Law Firm, Lancaster, CA
Rukin, Hyland Doria & Tindall LLP, San Francisco, CA
Seterah Law Group, Beverly Hills, CA
Shenoi Koes, LLP, Pasadena, CA
Workman Law Firm, San Francisco, CA
Wynne Law Firm, Greenbrae, CA

Litigation Research Support Retentions – Consumer Class Action

Federal Trade Commission
Delmar Law Group, Del Mar, CA
Gustafson Gluek, PLLC, Minneapolis, MN
Law Offices of Ronald A. Maron, San Diego, CA
McCune Wright Arevalo LLP, Ontario, CA
Milstein Adelman, LLP, San Francisco, CA
Saltz, Mongeluzzi, Barrett, & Bendesky, Philadelphia, PA
Vozzolo, LLC – Upper Saddle River, NJ

Litigation Research Support Retentions – Other

Perkins Coie, Washington, D.C.
Powell & Majestro, Charleston WV
Stratus Consulting, Boulder, CO
Industrial Economics Inc., Boston, MA

Academic Publications

Krosnick, J., Stark, T. & Scott, A., Eds. (forthcoming). The Cambridge Handbook of Implicit Bias and Racism. Cambridge University Press: Cambridge.

Scott, A. (2002). Counterfactuals, focus and severity: How what could have happened can change judgments of what actually did happen. Degree: Master of Arts, Psychology, Ohio State University.

Rucker, D., Polifroni, M., Tetlock, P.E., & Scott, A. (2004). On the assignment of punishment: The impact of general societal threat and the moderating role of severity. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, 30(6), 673-684.

Scott, A. (2005). Stereotypes about victims: How what we think we know about others impacts our legal judgments. Degree: Doctor of Philosophy, Psychology, Ohio State University.

Tetlock, P.E., Visser, P., Singh, R., Polifroni, M., Scott, A., Elson, S.B., Mazzocco, P., & Rescober, P. (2007). People as intuitive prosecutors: The impact of social control motives on attributions of responsibility. *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology*, 43(2), 195-209.

MacInnis, B., Krosnick, J.A., Scott, A., Malka, A., Albertson, E. (Unpublished Manuscript).
Americans' Preference for Domestically Made Products: New Experimental Evidence
From a Nationally Representative Sample.

Conference Presentations

- Scott, A., Tichy, M., Holbrook, A., & Anand, S. (2003, May). *Customer Satisfaction Research: The Impact of Study Sponsor, Response Option, and Question Order*. Presented at the annual meeting of the American Association for Public Opinion Research, Nashville, TN.
- Scott, A., Polifroni, P., & Rucker, D. D. (2004, January). *What makes a threat to social order threatening? Hedonic Relevance, Group Membership, and Self Interest as components of threats to social order*. Presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology (Justice Preconference), Austin, TX.
- Scott, A. (2005, May). *The Impact of Victims on Legal Judgments*. Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.

Professional Affiliations

American Association of Public Opinion Research
American Society of Trial Consultants

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