**Steven J. Heine**

**Professional Experience:**

* Professor, Department of Psychology, University of British Columbia, 2007-
* Associate Professor, Department of Psychology, University of British Columbia, 2002 - 2007
* Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology, University of British Columbia, 2000 - 2002
* Visiting Researcher, Tokyo University, Tokyo, Japan, 2000
* Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology, University of Pennsylvania, 1997 - 2000
* Visiting Researcher, Kyoto University, Kyoto, Japan, 1996 - 1997
* Visiting Researcher, Ritsumeikan University, Kyoto, Japan, 1995 – 1996

**Education:**

* Ph.D. in Psychology (Social), University of British Columbia, 1993 – 1996
  + Dissertation Title: Culture and the need for positive self-regard: The Japanese case.
* M.A. in Psychology (Social), University of British Columbia, 1991 - 1993
  + Thesis Title: Cultural variation in unrealistic optimism.
* B.A. in Psychology (Minor in Japanese), University of Alberta, 1984 – 1989

**Awards:**

* Elected Fellow, Royal Society of Canada, 2016
* Invitation Fellowship for Research in Japan, Japanese Society for the Promotion of Science, 2012
* Career Trajectory Award, Society of Experimental Social Psychology, 2011
* Elected Fellow, Association for Psychological Science, 2009
* Elected Fellow, Society for Social and Personality Psychology, 2008
* News Story of the Year, UBC "Year in Headlines", for "Dar-Nimrod & Heine, Science", 2007
* UBC Killam Research Fellowship, 2007
* UBC Killam Research Prize, 2006
* UBC Alumni Award for Research in the Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences, 2005
* Distinguished University Scholar, UBC, 2004
* Finalist, Otto Klineberg Award, SPSSI, 2003
* [Distinguished Scientist Early Career Award for Social Psychology, American Psychological Association, 2003](http://www2.psych.ubc.ca/~heine/docs/apa-bio.pdf)
* Early Career Award, International Society of Self and Identity, 2002
* Member, Society of Experimental Social Psychology, 2001
* Peter Wall Institute for Advanced Studies Early Career Scholars Program, 2001
* Japan Foundation Research Fellowship, 2000
* Hosei University International Foreign Scholars Fellowship, 2000 (declined)
* 2nd place, Society for Experimental Social Psychology Dissertation Award, 1997
* Morris Belkin Dissertation Prize, University of British Columbia, 1997
* Japanese Ministry of Education Grant In-Aid, 1996
* Post-Doctoral Fellowship, Japanese Society for the Promotion of Science, 1996
* Post-Doctoral Fellowship, SSHRC Canada, 1996
* Japan Foundation Dissertation Fellowship, 1995
* Japanese Ministry of Education Research Student Fellowship, 1995 (declined)
* Doctoral Fellowship, SSHRC Canada, 1994
* Department of Psychology Teaching Assistant Award, University of British Columbia, 1994
* University Graduate Fellowship, UBC, 1992, 1994 (declined)

**Grants:**

* SSHRC Grant (PI), “Genetic Essentialism: Understanding the Impact of Genetic Attributions on People's Worldviews,” 2014-2019, ($209,900)
* SSHRC Grant, “Self-enhancement and well-being across cultures.” 2011-2014, ($135,680)
* SSHRC Grant, "Is there a sensitive window for the acquisition of culture?" 2008-2011. ($143,000)
* Hampton Research Endowment Fund. "What's special about genetic thinking?" 2008-2010. ($48,500)
* SSHRC Grant, “Personality Utility across Cultures.” 2004-2007, ($122,000)
* APA Conference Grant. “Mind, Culture, and Evolution: 1st UBC Summer Symposium.” 2004, ($20,000 USD)  
  SPSSI Grant-in-Aid, “Mind, body, and the experience of emotion: A cross-cultural comparison.” 2002-2003, ($2000 USD)
* SSHRC Grant, “Meaning maintenance: An integration of terror management, belongingness, and cultural psychological perspectives on self-esteem.” 2001-2004, ($70,000)
* NIMH R01 Grant, “A cultural investigation of self-improving motivations,” 2001-2006 ($300,000 USD)
* University Research Foundation Grant, University of Pennsylvania, 1999 ($15,000)
* Course Development Grant, Center for East Asian Studies, Penn, 1999 ($3000)