

Supplementary Table 1

*Correlations Among Focal Study Variables at Each Wave of Measurement (n = 554)*

<i>Variable</i>	Relationship 1, Time 1							Relationship 1, Time Last						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1. Relationship Satisfaction	-							-						
2. Sexual Satisfaction	.47*	-						.58*	-					
3. Sexual Frequency	.31*	.61*	-					.39*	.61*	-				
4. Perceived Instability	-.43*	-.29*	-.27*	-				-.53*	-.35*	-.22*	-			
5. Conflict	-.42*	-.19*	-.09	.39*	-			-.50*	-.28*	-.06	.47*	-		
6. Self-Disclosure	.45*	.36*	.25*	-.20*	-.18*	-		.56*	.44*	.32*	-.31*	-.36*	-	
7. Admiration	.56*	.46*	.32*	-.29*	-.37*	.49*	-	.53*	.43*	.33*	-.31*	-.35*	.52*	-

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<i>Variable</i>	Relationship 2, Time 1							Relationship 2, Time 2						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1. Relationship Satisfaction	-							-						
2. Sexual Satisfaction	.44*	-						.54*	-					
3. Sexual Frequency	.12*	.40*	-					.17*	.47*	-				
4. Perceived Instability	-.32*	-.08	-.03	-				-.41*	-.23*	-.11*	-			
5. Conflict	-.25*	-.10*	-.08	.39*	-			-.41*	-.24*	-.13	.42*	-		
6. Self-Disclosure	.32*	.14*	.14*	-.24*	-.22*	-		.44*	.22*	.10*	-.28*	-.27*	-	
7. Admiration	.30*	.16*	.12*	-.29*	-.38*	.50*	-	.43*	.25*	.16*	-.30*	-.43*	.46*	-

\* $p < .05$  (two-tailed).

Supplementary Table 2

*Correlations Among Focal Study Variables Across Each Wave of Measurement (n = 554)*

<i>Variable</i>	<i>Time</i>	P1T1	P1TLast	P2T1	P2T2
Relationship Satisfaction	P1T1	-			
	P1TLast	.42*	-		
	P2T1	.17*	.15*	-	
	P2T2	.20*	.15*	.45*	-
Sexual Satisfaction	P1T1	-			
	P1TLast	.53*	-		
	P2T1	.06	.10*	-	
	P2T2	.17*	.21*	.39*	-
Sexual Frequency	P1T1	-			
	P1TLast	.60*	-		
	P2T1	.12*	.24*	-	
	P2T2	.15*	.22*	.46*	-
Perceived Instability	P1T1	-			
	P1TLast	.36*	-		
	P2T1	.16*	.16*	-	
	P2T2	.13*	.10*	.42*	-
Conflict	P1T1	-			
	P1TLast	.50*	-		
	P2T1	.07	.05	-	
	P2T2	.04	.16*	.53*	-

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<i>Variable</i>	<i>Time</i>	P1T1	P1TLast	P2T1	P2T2
Self-Disclosure	P1T1	-			
	P1TLast	.51*	-		
	P2T1	.28*	.27*	-	
	P2T2	.31*	.26*	.53*	-
Admiration	P1T1	-			
	P1TLast	.45*	-		
	P2T1	.21*	.10*	-	
	P2T2	.25*	.18*	.53*	-

*Note:* P1 = Partnership 1; P2 = Partnership 2; TLast = Time Last; T1 = Time 1; T2 = Time 2.

\* $p < .05$  (two-tailed).

Supplementary Table 3

*Unstandardized Latent Change Score Model Results for Relational Characteristics Across Partnerships Controlling for Relationship Duration of the First Partnership (n = 554)*

<i>Variable</i>	Range	Model A				Model B
		Level P1T1	$\Delta$ P1	$\Delta$ P1TLast -P2T1	$\Delta$ P2	$\Delta$ P1T1- P2T2
Relationship Satisfaction	0 – 10	7.98	-1.07*	1.35*	-.44*	-.17
Sexual Satisfaction	0 – 10	7.23	-.92*	1.61*	-.65*	.06
Sexual Frequency	1 – 7	4.08	-.34*	1.30*	-.52	.41*
Perceived Instability	0 – 3	.82	.64*	-1.00*	.27*	-.09
Conflict	1 – 5	2.62	.26*	-.65*	.32*	-.12
Self-Disclosure	1 – 5	3.96	-.24*	.38*	-.08*	.07
Admiration	1 – 5	4.20	-.21*	.53*	-.22*	.09*

*Note:*  $\Delta$  = Change; P1 = Partnership 1; P2 = Partnership 2; TLast = Time Last; T1 = Time 1; T2 =

Time 2. These univariate latent change score models are saturated, so no model fit indices are provided. Significance testing on the latent change score variables corresponds to whether the latent mean differs from zero. Models A and B are depicted in Figure 1.

\*  $p < .05$  (two-tailed).

Supplementary Table 4

*Unstandardized Latent Change Score Model Results for Relational Characteristics Across Partnerships Among a Subset of Participants in which the Relationship Duration at P1T1 Corresponds to P2T2 (n = 124)*

<i>Variable</i>	Range	Model A				Model B
		Level P1T1	$\Delta$ P1	$\Delta$ P1TLast-P2T1	$\Delta$ P2	$\Delta$ P1T1-P2T2
Relationship Satisfaction	0 – 10	8.16	-1.01*	1.12*	-.37*	-.20
Sexual Satisfaction	0 – 10	7.96	-1.02*	1.30*	-.89*	-.62*
Sexual Frequency	1 – 7	4.75	-.50*	.84*	-.46*	-.16
Perceived Instability	0 – 3	1.02	.48*	-.99*	.30*	-.15
Conflict	1 – 5	2.64	.19*	-.51*	.20*	-.12
Self-Disclosure	1 – 5	4.10	-.24*	.28*	-.15*	-.11
Admiration	1 – 5	4.07	-.31*	.44*	-.25*	-.11

*Note:*  $\Delta$  = Change; P1 = Partnership 1; P2 = Partnership 2; TLast = Time Last; T1 = Time 1; T2 =

Time 2. These univariate latent change score models are saturated, so no model fit indices are provided. Significance testing on the latent change score variables corresponds to whether the latent mean differs from zero. Models A and B are depicted in Figure 1.

\*  $p < .05$  (two-tailed).