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Education

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| 9/94 – 8/99 | Minnesota School of Professional Psychology: Minneapolis, Minnesota
Doctor of Psychology in Clinical Psychology, APA approved program,
Graduated October 1999: <u>Dissertation</u> : MMPI-2 Infrequency
Psychopathology Scale, F(p), in a State Forensic Security Hospital. |
| 9/92 - 6/93
9/90 - 6/91 | University of Minnesota: Minneapolis, Minnesota
Bachelor of Arts in Psychology, Graduated June 1993 |
| 9/91 - 6/92
6/89 - 6/90 | University of Minnesota Duluth: Duluth, Minnesota
Psychology Major, undergraduate |

Licensure

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| 6/05 - Present | Licensed Clinical Psychologist – State of Illinois (# 710068770) |
| 1/02 - Present | Licensed Psychologist -State of Georgia (# 2566) |
| 9/00 - Present | Licensed Psychologist -State of Kansas (# LP1091) |

Specialization

Illinois Sex Offender Management Board – Registered Evaluator
**DuPage County Department of Probation and Court Services - Sex
Offender Risk Assessment Evaluator**

Organization Membership

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| 9/05 – Present | Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) |
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Professional Positions

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| 5/07 – Present | Psycholegal & Clinical Assessment Services - <u>Forensic Psychologist</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Conduct comprehensive psycholegal assessments on pre-trial defendants including Fitness to Stand Trial and Criminal Responsibility evaluations.• Conduct Mitigating Factors Psychological Evaluations.• Conduct comprehensive psychological evaluations of sex offenders.• Perform Independent Medical Examinations (IME's), personal injury evaluations, and assessment of malingering and deception.• Conduct general psychological assessments.• Administer and interpret psychological testing.• Provide expert witness testimony.• Conducted Initial Psychological Examinations, Psychological Re-examinations on persons detained or who have been committed as a Sexually Violent Person, including: clinical interview, actuarial risk instruments, and risk and protective factors (7/2007 to 7/2010). |
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- 7/05 – Present **Illinois Department of Human Services (DHS) – Forensic Psychologist**
- Conduct Initial Psychological Examinations, Psychological Re-examinations on persons detained or who have been committed as a Sexually Violent Person, including clinical interviewing, utilizing actuarial risk instruments, and writing reports submitted to court.
 - Administer and interpret psychological testing, as indicated.
 - Provide expert testimony related to the various examinations submitted to the assigned court.
- 7/01- 7/05 **Central State Hospital: Milledgeville, Georgia – Forensic Psychologist**
Population – Pretrial defendants in jail, Central State Hospital, or on bond.
- Conducted outpatient forensic psychological assessments for competency to stand trial and criminal responsibility.
 - Conducted evaluation for the presence or absence of mental retardation in death penalty cases.
 - Conducted Not Guilty By Reason of Insanity annual psychological examinations.
 - Administered and interpret psychological testing.
 - Provided expert witness testimony.
 - Served on the Forensic Consultant Committee.
 - Served as Interim Chief of Psychology 9-03 to 2-04.
 - Supervised Behavioral Specialists 9-01 to 7-02 and 9-03 to 2-04.
- 9/99 – 7/01 **Prison Health Services: Topeka, Kansas – Forensic Specialist**
Population - Inmates in the Kansas Correctional System.
- Conducted psychodiagnostic evaluations on inmates being considered for the Kansas Sexually Violent Predator Act.
 - Provided expert testimony to Kansas District courts.
 - Conducted psychological evaluations for the Kansas Parole Board and “Dangerous Offender” evaluations for the Oregon Parole Board.
 - Completed psychological testing including actuarial risk assessments and the Hare Psychopathy Checklist-Revised (PCL-R).

Internship

8/98 – 8/99

Florida State Hospital: Chattahoochee, Florida, APA Approved
Director of Training - Ellen Resch, Ph.D. Supervisors - Ronald G. Rickner, Ph.D., Lynne Westby, Psy.D., Salvatore Blandino, Ph.D.
Population - Residents sent by the court under a forensic commitment as incompetent to proceed or not guilty by reason of insanity, as well as residents civilly committed as mentally ill (Total 2000+ Hours).

- Evaluated whether residents adjudicated NGI and residents civilly committed under Florida's Baker Act continue to meet statutory criteria for involuntary hospitalization.
- Conducted psychological assessments for competency to proceed.
- Performed psychological evaluations such as intake evaluations, self-injury reviews, risk assessments, dementia evaluations, and neuropsychological assessments.
- Administered, scored and interpreted psychological testing.
- Short and long-term individual therapy, as well as individual and group competency training.
- Participated in a multidisciplinary treatment team.
- Observed and participated in forensic evaluations of jail inmates and observed various court proceedings.

Practicum Placements

6/97 - 5/98

Psychological Consultants: Minneapolis, Minnesota
Supervisor - Paul Reitman, Ph.D., LP

Population - Clients undergoing various types of forensic evaluations
Forensic Advanced Practicum

- A 10-month part-time supervised field experience in a private forensic practice setting (20 hours per week - Total 850 hours).
- Observed and participated in psychological assessments for the purpose of civil commitment with respect to mental illness, chemical dependency, and mentally ill and dangerous.
- Observed and participated in Independent Medical Examinations (IMEs) as well as appeals for Social Security Disability.
- Observed and participated in the psychological assessment of the Sexually Dangerous.
- Performed thorough reviews of records and literature to aid in preparation for forensic psychological evaluation reports.
- Received extensive supervision focusing on the ethical principles of forensic practice and how psychology and the law interface.

9/96 - 5/97

Carver County Mental Health Center: Waconia, Minnesota

Supervisor - James Rudolph, Ph.D., LP

Population - Rural and suburban clients from a major metropolitan area. presenting with a wide range of presenting symptomology.

Therapy Practicum

- A 9-month part-time supervised field experience focusing on psychotherapy at a county community mental health center (16 hours per week, Total 500 hours, Individual Supervision 70 hours, Group Supervision 70 hours).
- Primarily perform short-term individual psychotherapy with adults, adolescents, and children.
- Exposure to a variety of theoretical orientations and treatment approaches.

7/95 - 7/96

Minnesota Security Hospital (St. Peter Regional Treatment Center):

St. Peter, Minnesota

Supervisors - Bruce Beltt, Ph.D., LP, and Phillip Kent, Ph.D., LP

Population - Clients referred by the criminal justice system and typical referral questions included competency to stand trial, criminal responsibility, and mentally ill and dangerous evaluations.

Diagnostic Practicum

- A one-year part-time supervised field experience focusing on diagnostic interviewing and diagnostic formulation including psychological testing, scoring, interpretation of test data and psychological report writing on a men's admission unit in a secure forensic hospital setting. (16 hours per week, 730 Total hours, Individual Supervision 75 hours).
- Completed Initial Psychological Evaluations from a psychological test battery, mental status interview, and a review of clinical history and current behavior.
- Observed the psychiatrist and psychologist provide expert testimony.

Pre-doctoral Work Experience

10/96 - 5/98

Noran Neurological Clinic: Minneapolis, Minnesota

Supervisor - Ann Schneider, Ph.D. and Gary Krupp, Ph.D.

Population - Medical/legal clients presenting with varying severity of neurological impairment. Common presenting problems included: closed head injury often secondary to a motor vehicle accident, dementia, depression, and chronic pain.

- Administered comprehensive neuropsychological test batteries.
- Wrote comprehensive behavioral observations.

Relevant Professional Workshops and Training

- 9/18/13 **Forensic Evaluation in Miranda Waiver and False/Coerced Confession Cases (7 hours)**
Presented by I. Bruce Frumkin, Ph.D., ABPP
American Academy of Forensic Psychology
- 9/19/13 **Assessing Civil Competencies (7 hours)**
Presented by Eric Y. Drogin, J.D., Ph.D., ABPP
American Academy of Forensic Psychology
- 11/2/11 – 11/5/11 **Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) Research & Treatment Conference (16 hours)**
ATSA
- 1/23/11 **Personal Injury Evaluations: Ethics, Case Law & Practice (7 hours)**
Presented by Mark Zelig, Ph.D.
American Academy of Forensic Psychology
- 1/20/11 **Psychological Examinations in Disability Matters (7 hours)**
Presented by Lisa Piechowski, Ph.D.
American Academy of Forensic Psychology
- 3/24/10 **Insanity Defense Evaluations (7 hours)**
Presented by Phillip J. Resnick, M.D.
American Academy of Forensic Psychology
- 3/25/10 **Evidence for Forensic Psychologists (7 hours)**
Presented by Timothy M. Tippins, JD
American Academy of Forensic Psychology
- 3/26/10 **Evaluation of Competence to Stand Trial (7 hours)**
Presented by Randy K. Otto, Ph.D.
American Academy of Forensic Psychology
- 3/27/10 **Comprehensive Assessment of Malingering in Forensic Assessment (7 hours)**
Presented by Richard Frederick, Ph.D.
American Academy of Forensic Psychology
- 3/28/10 **Classification Tests in Forensic Assessment (7 hours)**
Presented by Richard Frederick, Ph.D.
American Academy of Forensic Psychology
- 9/30 – 10/3/09 **Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) Research & Treatment Conference (12 hours)**
ATSA and New England Forensic Associates

- 10/23 – 10/25/08 **Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) Research & Treatment Conference (12 hours)**
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- 10/31 – 11/3/07 **Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) Research & Treatment Conference (12 hours)**
ATSA and New England Forensic Associates
- 10/27 – 10/30/06 **Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) Research & Treatment Conference (12 hours)**
ATSA and New England Forensic Associates
- 11/16 – 11/18/05 **Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) Research & Treatment Conference (14 hours)**
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- 3/7/05 **Sexual and Other Violent Offenders Assessing Recidivism Risk (5.5 hours)**
Presented by Dennis Doren, Ph.D.
- 4/22 – 4/24/04 **Advanced Forensic Psychology Practice: Issues and Applications (24 hours)**
American Academy of Forensic Psychology
- 6/11/03 **Understanding and Treating Conduct Disordered and Antisocial Personality Disorders (5 hours)**
Presented by Carl Gacono, Ph.D.
Georgia Psychological Association
- 6/10/03 **Ethical Mental Health Practice in Correctional Settings (5 hours)**
Presented by Jeffrey N. Younggren, Ph.D., ABPP
Georgia Psychological Association
- 4/9 – 4/12/03 **Third Annual Conference of the International Association of Forensic Mental Health Services (17 CEUs)**
Louis de la Parte Florida Mental Health Institute
- 4/17/02 **Assessing and Managing Violence Risk (6 hours)**
Presented by Randy Otto, Ph.D.
Georgia Psychological Association
- 11/6/01 **The Insanity Defense and the Evaluation of Criminal Responsibility (4.5 hours)**
Presented by Sally Johnson, M.D., Rhett Landis, Ph.D., Thomas McCormak, M.D.

Georgia Psychological Association

- 11/1 – 11/4/00 **Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) 19th Annual Research & Treatment Conference (14 hours)**
ATSA and New England Forensic Associates
- 6/20 & 6/21/00 **Assessing Psychopathology: Clinical and Forensic Applications of the PCL-R (14 hours)**
Presented by Robert Hare, Ph.D. and Adelle Forth, Ph.D.
Sponsored by: Mental Health in Corrections Consortium
- 3/6 – 3/8/00 **Sex Offender Re-Offense Risk Prediction (24 hours)**
Presenters: Karl Hanson, Ph.D., Tom Grisso, Ph.D., Douglas Epperson, Ph.D., Robert Prentky, Ph.D., David Thornton, Ph.D., Dennis Doren, Ph.D., Robert Hare, Ph.D., Vernon Quinsey, Ph.D., Christine Jackson, J.D.
Sinclair Seminars, Madison, Wisconsin
- 9/28 & 9/29/99 **Sexually Violent Predator Evaluations (9 hours) (Videotape from 3-99)**
Presented by Dennis Doren, Ph.D.
Kansas Department of Corrections/Prison Health Services
- 6/2 & 6/3/99 **Florida Forensic Examiner Training (12 hours)**
Presented by Randy Otto, Ph.D., Christopher Slobogin, JD, LLM
Florida State Hospital, Chattahoochee, FL
- 5/21/99 **Assessing Malingering and Deception (6 hours)**
Presented by Randy Otto, Ph.D.
Florida State Hospital, Chattahoochee, FL
- 11/7/97 **Stalking: Clinical and Forensic Psychology Perspectives (3 hours)**
Presented by Kris K. Kienlen, Psy.D.
MPA Education and Training Committee and Metropolitan State University: St. Paul, MN