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EDUCATION, TRAINING, & AWARDS:

CA Psychology License: PSY27629

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Long Island University at C.W. Post (LIU Post)

Psy.D. (Doctorate in Clinical Psychology)- 01/13

APA-Accredited Internship at Stony Brook University Counseling and Psychological Services- 08/12

M.S. in Applied Psychology- 09/09

Recipient of Awards:

Outstanding Dissertation: *Body Modification in the LGBTQ Population*

Outstanding Service to the Clinical Psychology Doctoral Program

Competitive Fellowship to Reduce Mental Health Service Disparities

Graduate Academic Achievement in Clinical Psychology

Stony Brook University

B.A. In Psychology- 05/05 (H. Lee Dennison Valedictorian)

CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY/COUNSELING EXPERIENCE:

Rowan Center for Behavioral Medicine

11/15-Present

Contract Therapist- providing integrative psychotherapy to individuals presenting with varied concerns.

University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) Counseling and Psychological Services

01/15-06/15

Staff Psychologist- providing brief individual and group psychotherapy to a large caseload of undergraduate and graduate students; coordinating with a multidisciplinary clinical team.

Long Beach Reach, Inc. at Long Beach & Port Counseling

05/13-12/14

Clinical Psychologist- providing clinical services to individuals with chemical dependency and co-occurring psychiatric disorders, as well as significant others affected by addiction. Daily activities include intake assessments, individual and group therapy, case conferences, supervision, and ongoing trainings.

Learning Support Center, LIU Post

08/12-05/13

Social Skills Counselor- assisting undergraduate students with learning disabilities (i.e., ADHD) and autism spectrum disorders in improving their social skills and overall functioning; meeting on an individual and group basis; leading 2-3 recreational and social groups; coordinating varied opportunities for socialization.

Counseling and Psychological Services, Stony Brook University

08/11-08/12

Intern- providing individual, couples, and group therapy to undergraduate/graduate students; receiving LGBTQ sensitivity training & co-leading trainings; performing multiple intakes per week, campus outreach, and triage/on-call; providing weekly supervision to a doctoral psychology extern; teaching seminars.

<i>Pilgrim Psychiatric Center</i>	07/10-06/11
Extern- co-facilitating DBT and DBT-S (substance-abuse focus), anger management, and cognitive distortions groups; conducting individual therapy with several inpatients on admissions and chronic care units; performing intakes and psychological assessments for adults with serious mental illness and forensic backgrounds.	
<i>Fay J. Lindner Center for Autism, AHRC</i>	03/10-08/10
Extern- co-facilitating 2 cycles of 12-week psychoeducational/support groups for parents of children with ASDs; addressing topics of healthy lifestyle/physical fitness.	
<i>Northport VA Medical Center</i>	09/09-05/10
Extern- conducting supportive/integrative therapy with individuals and couples; co-facilitating year-long psychoeducational anger management/psychotherapy groups with veterans; performing comprehensive neuropsychological assessments; working with an interdisciplinary team & coordinating care of clients.	
<u>TEACHING & OTHER NON-CLINICAL WORK EXPERIENCE:</u>	
<i>Homework Club</i>	08/15-12/15
Tutor/Teacher- assisting school-aged children with their academic studies and assignments; encouraging appropriate classroom behavior and interpersonal interactions.	
<i>Trauma Team, LIU Post</i>	01/09-05/11
<i>Member- attending didactics on trauma-related topics (i.e., psychological first aid, emergency responses, coping with trauma); responding to traumatic community events as needed.</i>	
<i>Gersh Academy/Eastport Manor School District</i>	09/07-09/09
1:1 Paraprofessional Aide- assisting an adolescent on the autism spectrum with emotion regulation; facilitating growth in behavioral self-monitoring/management, community integration, socialization, & communication.	
<i>Independent Support Services</i>	08/07-06/11
Live-In Caregiver- providing daily assistance to an adult with autism in the areas of self-care, management of psychiatric symptoms, ADLs, socialization and development of meaningful relationships, and leisure.	
<i>Association for the Help of Retarded Children (AHRC)</i>	05/06-08/07
Medicaid Service Coordinator- assisting individuals with MR/DD in accessing desired services; advocating for families/individuals regarding benefits; developing, maintaining, and implementing Individualized Service Plans.	
<i>Fulton Foundation Recreation Program</i>	04/06-01/12
Respite Counselor- engaging young adults with autism in recreation (i.e., pet therapy, exercise, art, games); encouraging appropriate social interactions and communication.	
<i>Health Psychology Course, SUNY Stony Brook</i>	09/04-12/04
Teaching Assistant- leading seminars, exam reviews, and discussion groups at the undergraduate level;	