

## Curriculum Vitae

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**Major interests:** As a clinical psychologist by training, I have found the scientist-practitioner model approach to the work most appealing. Across my experience as a practitioner, I have been fortunate to experience work situations that allowed flexibility as a clinician, researcher and instructor. Administratively, it has been a privilege to have arrangements that allow for a diversity of stimulating experiences across different executive management positions. Specific therapeutic interests have focused on a psychodynamic/family systems orientation, applicable to one areas of specialization in work with children and adolescents. I am also comfortable working with a wide range of adults, and have the necessary expertise with this population as well as most therapeutic modalities and settings. Areas of more specific dedicated training, supervision and experience include clinical neuropsychology and forensic psychology, with others such as cross-cultural matters, developmental disabilities, as well as couple and family therapies, among others.

### Licensure & Related Issues<sup>1</sup>

Psychologist in the State of Montana (License number 365)

Clinical Psychologist in the State of Virginia (License number 0810007438)

Psychologist in the State of Wyoming (License number 818)

Fellow, Society of Clinical Psychology (Division 12), American Psychological Association (2008)

Fellow, American Society for the Advancement of Pharmacotherapy (Division 55) and American Psychological Association (2009).

Certificate of Professional Qualification in Psychology,  
Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (CPQ #3490)  
National Register of Health Service Providers in Psychology (#43800)

Staff Privileges, Psychology, Specified Professional Personnel, SCL Health/Intermountain Health

### Education

Ph.D., Psychology, 1992—Wright Institute, Berkeley, California  
Program Accredited in Clinical Psychology by the American Psychological Association

M.S., Clinical Psychology, 1989

B.A., Clinical Psychology and General Experimental Psychology, 1987  
San Francisco State University, San Francisco, California

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<sup>1</sup> I have previously been licensed in Idaho, Maine and Wyoming as well, and all licenses were in good standing. Maintaining these licenses was financially or geographically impractical.

## **Clinical and Academic Experience**

### ***Aspen Practice, P.C.***

*Billings, Montana*

President and CEO

October 2004 to Present

This has become a forensic private practice, wherein I supply work in civil and criminal proceedings, including a variety of assessment and consultation models, mental state at the time of the alleged crime, custody work that includes matters such as parental capacity assessments, parenting, plans as well as parenting coordination services and guardianship—end of life competency, as well as employment work such as fitness for duty and pre-screening. In addition, I do a reasonable amount of forensic neuropsychological work as well. I have worked in the forensic field since the mid 1990s and have provided psychological and neuropsychological assessments and intervention services commensurate with my expertise and skills. In addition, I have given presentations on a wide variety of topics as well as produced published works on both criminal and civil matters, as well as areas that were as diverse as clinical case studies and making information technology a measurable and understandable commodity for behavioral health organizations.

### ***Intermountain Health, Behavioral Health Associates***

*Formerly, SCL Health, St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates*

*Billings, Montana*

Clinical and Neuro-Psychologist

Project Advisor, Integrated Behavioral Health

November 2015 to Present

St. Vincent Healthcare approached me in June of 2015 and indicated that they had a need for a psychologist to expand clinical and neuropsychological services, and in time we came to an arrangement that the organization would take over the clinical and neuropsychological practice and records from Aspen Practice, P.C. (2004-2015). Work at what is now Intermountain Health occupies four days a week, wherein I conduct clinical and neuropsychological assessments, consultations, and therapy as a member of Behavioral Health Associates (BHA). I also serve in the on-call rotation, providing crisis services in the Emergency Department. In addition, I conduct clinical staffings for the staff as well as lead monthly trainings on topics germane to our behavioral health staff. Since joining BHA, our staff have been very productive: I had co-authored two grants on integrated behavioral healthcare, and four different articles followed this work. The first grant was in 2016, *Integrated Behavioral Health Care in a Frontier State* for \$500,000, and was ultimately funded by U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA) in 2017. The second was in 2017, *Utilizing Virtual Health Solutions to Address Behavioral Health Specialty Care in Primary Care Settings* for \$150,000, and was ultimately funded by the Montana Healthcare Foundation in 2017. Both grants were funded across multiple years, and I held a leadership role as Project Clinical Advisor. BHA has since hired nine more staff members, from another clinical and neuro-psychologist to behavioral health specialists in primary care settings. In addition to these duties, I have also been asked to serve on the Medical Staff's Wellness Committee and have done so. Parenthetically, St. Vincent Healthcare had been distinguished by a number of awards across recent years, such as a Five-Star Rating by CMS, one of

the World's Best Hospitals by Newsweek, and one of Truven's Top 100 Hospitals for example.

### ***Montana Psychological Association***

*Helena, Montana*

Federal Advocacy Chair (2016-2021)

Acting Legislative Chair (2014-2016)

Past-President and Acting Legislative Chair (2012-2014)

President and Acting Legislative Chair (2010-2012)

President-Elect and Legislative Chair (2008-2010)

Member at Large and Legislative Chair (2007-2008)

Legislative Chair (2005-2008)

Member, October 2005-Present

Montana Psychological Association is a state-level association that operates in conjunction with the American Psychological Association and is committed to meeting the public need for education, innovation, and services with professionals who are "qualified" through appropriate training, supervision, experience and demonstrated competence.

The association's mission has been to promote and advance the art, science and practice of psychology in service of all Montanans, and its vision has been to be the source for psychological expertise meeting the changing needs of our profession and others, working collaboratively for the benefit of all Montanans. Awards of distinction that came in association with my work at Montana Psychological Association are as follows.

*\*2017 Federal Advocacy Coordinator of the Year Award* by American Psychological Association Practice Organization (March 2017)

*\*2013 Award Outstanding Staff Member by a State Provincial, or Territorial Psychological Association*, American Psychological Association, Division 31, Division of State Provincial and Territorial Psychological Association Affairs (March 2013)

*\*2012 Award Outstanding Achievement by a State Provincial, or Territorial Psychological Association*, American Psychological Association, Division 31, Division of State Provincial and Territorial Psychological Association Affairs (March 2012). Associations nominated for this award span Canada and the United States, and it has only been awarded on five occasions previously, reflecting "a psychological association that provides a model for other associations to emulate, by achievements and outstanding accomplishments."

*\*Charles E. Kelly Memorial Award*, for Outstanding Professional Contribution to Montana Psychological Association (April, 2010)

Over the years, I have been invited to attend what was called the State Leadership Conference (2009, 2011, 2012, 2015, 2016) and what was later described as the Practice Leadership Conference (2017-2020) as a representative of Montana to the American Psychological Association (APA). At this conference, approximately 300-400 of psychology's leadership from provinces, states and territories across North America gather for the most up-to-date information on the field. These attendees also represent their fellow members of APA by speaking with their state's congressional representatives on important matters on Capitol Hill. I was also involved with a daylong conference put on by the Montana Psychological Association, such as the one held September 21, 2018,

entitled: *Behavioral Healthcare Mutuality: Primary Care Integration and Specialty Clinic Services.*

***Indian Health Board of Billings, Inc.***

*Billings, Montana*

Consulting Clinical Psychologist (Part-Time)

January 2009 to October 2010

Provided psychological assessments and therapeutic services, which included initial interviews, individual, family and group psychotherapy. In addition, I participated in treatment team meetings, served as a consultant to other community agencies, and provided in-service trainings to Indian Health Board personnel as well as other agencies at times.

***CARF (Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities)***

*Tucson, Arizona*

Surveyor

May 2003 to January 2008

As part of a survey team in the role of either an administrative or program surveyor, conducted site surveys to gather information about an organization's programs and services. These surveys were conducted in a consultative fashion to determine the organization's conformance to CARF Standards. When it was determined to be appropriate, I offered consultation to the organization during the survey process, focusing on program improvement as it related to CARF Standards and best practices. In addition, I worked in the capacity of a "Beta Tester" for the software product that assimilates and coordinates surveys. It should be noted that surveyors are not full-, or even part-time, employees; rather, they are employed on a survey-by-survey basis out of the cadre of available surveyors based on best fit with the survey to be conducted.

***Washington County Psychotherapy Associates, P.A./Cathance Psychological Services, P.A.***

*Machias, Maine*

Chief Operations Officer

Member of the Board of Trustees and Stockholder

September 1999 to September 2004

In this position, a substantial number of the responsibilities centered directly on providing administrative and clinical oversight for the programs of WCPA/CPS. This included leading the agency's compliance committee and information technology department, as well as supervising psychologists (and overseeing their evaluations), social workers, licensed clinical counselors and substance abuse counselors, etc. One of the key elements of focus had been developing and implementing an array of information-technology applications in order to work more effectively and efficiently. The applications were wide ranging, from straightforward programming in a variety of languages, developing web sites, seeing to the implementation of a Wide Area Network (WAN) via a microwave link and the implementation of an electronic database, to project oversight (our team served as "Beta Testers" for both key software products used within the organization, and I lead the regional "User's Group" for one of the products). Job duties also included leading accreditation and licensure efforts as WCPA became a CARF-Accredited agency (Crisis Services) in the Fall of 2002 and had to its credit spotless licensing visits in the Fall of 2000 and 2003 for

outpatient services.

An assortment of services were delivered by WCPA, including populations that are literally “womb to tomb.” A brief list of these modalities and populations include crisis, family preservation, forensics (mainly child protection work), geriatric services, outpatient counseling and/or psychotherapy, psychiatry, school counseling and residential services. The position required program development across this variety of programs as well as travel to a mixture of settings in rural Maine covering four counties. Since September of 1999, the organization has grown from an organization with 65 employees and a 2.5-million-dollar budget to an organization that numbers 180 employees and has a 7.5-million-dollar budget.

Clinical work included carrying a clinical caseload two days a week, with the provision of specialized assessments, some forensic work and long-term psychotherapy. These assessments were anything from parental capacity evaluations to specialized dual diagnosis evaluations (developmental disabilities and mental illnesses) and behavioral management plans. The latter involved extensive coordination, record review, team building and education in order to produce successful outcomes; it was the impetus for the development of a program initiative entitled Catalist (a joint effort with the state of Maine’s Department of Behavioral and Developmental Services [BDS])<sup>2</sup>, a team-based concept to assess and provide services for high-needs individuals who are dually diagnosed. In addition to these clinical duties, in a combined role as clinician and administrator several committees were attended at the state and local level, such as child protective multi-disciplinary teams and initiative meetings such as Safe Start, Safe Schools, as well as such efforts as the Decreasing Barriers Committee where colleagues worked to find and institute effective and cost-efficient methods of providing better services to the people of Maine.

***Bangor Mental Health Institute (BMHI)***

*Bangor, Maine*

Governance Board

August 2003 to September 2004

Bangor Mental Health Institute (BMHI) is one of two psychiatric state hospitals in Maine. Breaking with one hundred years of tradition to only include BMHI staff members or other members of the state’s behavioral health staff, BMHI invited a handful of community providers on to the Governance Board in the summer of 2003. It was an honor to be included, and the Governance Board not only served in an oversight capacity but also provided for institutional planning, establishing medical staff bylaws and other such duties.

***University of Maine at Machias\****

*Machias, Maine*

Assistant Professor (Part-Time)

January 2003 to October 2004

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<sup>2</sup> This program was based, in essence, on the work conducted in Wyoming, and our successful outcomes involved seventy individuals transitioned into community placements from institutional settings, with only one failure due to irrevocable physical complications.

The responsibilities of this position entailed teaching roughly one course a semester and assisting the university in developing a curriculum that would meet the criteria for a Mental Health Rehabilitation Technician/Community (MHRT/C), a post-bachelor's behavioral health certification in the state of Maine.

*\*UMM was Ranked 5<sup>th</sup> by U.S. News & World Report as a Top Public Comprehensive College in the Northern United States.*

***Behavioral Health Resource Locator***

*Machias, Maine*

Director of Systems Design

June 2001 to September 2004

In a partnership with other primaries of Washington County Psychotherapy Associates, P.A., we dedicated ourselves to creating an interactive web-based system for behavioral health clientele and providers. As part of this project, my job duties included designing and overseeing the setup and management of this interactive website operation. At departure, there were two projects in the "works," and we were negotiating with another party on instituting web-based "real-time" service location systems.

***MentalHealthAccess.com™***

*Gardner, Maine*

Director of Systems Design

June 2000 to June 2001

In a partnership between John Shaw Jr., L.C.S.W. and Washington County Psychotherapy Associates, P.A., we created web-based services for mental health clientele and providers. As part of this project, my job duties included designing and overseeing the setup and management of this interactive website operation.

***Counseling and Family Services***

***Shoshone-Bannock Tribes, Fort Hall, Idaho***

Counseling and Family Services Program Manager

October 1998 to September 1999

This clinic represented the entire range of mental health services provided to the Shoshone-Bannock Tribes of Fort Hall, Idaho. All mental health services provided to this population were rendered through this clinic and in close coordination with substance-abuse services, which served a population of roughly 12,000 individuals of tribal heritage or their relation across a five-county area in Southeastern Idaho. Services included intakes, medication review and management, psychological evaluations, the provision of psychotherapy in a variety of modalities and forensic services for the Tribe. In addition, crisis services were also offered twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week; and the Program Manager lead this Crisis Response Team. This position entailed interfacing with all levels of local, state and federal governmental agencies across a vast array of disciplines, including clinical, educational, forensic and medical, etc. At the time of my departure, we were in the process of seeking CARF Accreditation and had been awarded *Most Improved*

*Program within Tribal Health & Human Services for FY-1999.*

**Cornerstone Behavioral Health,  
a branch of Mountain Regional Services, Evanston, Wyoming**  
Director of Child & Adolescent Services  
May 1995 to October 1998

At this CARF- and state-accredited agency in rural Wyoming, duties included facilitating all aspects of child, adolescent and substance-abuse care (May 1995 to September 1996 as Director of Substance Abuse Services) in the facility (including grant writing). While busy in this regard, I also maintained a heavy client load with a variety of individuals in several different therapeutic modalities ranging from family therapy with children/adolescents and their parents, to working with developmentally delayed adults, adolescents and children in individual, family and group therapy. It should be emphasized, and continues to be somewhat uncommon, that in this organization the psychologist, or as in my case, senior psychologist, lead the treatment team in all aspects of care in both entities.

In addition to psychological evaluations conducted as part of mental health and developmental disability services, in-depth clinical and forensic assessments were performed on individuals. These services included a rotation schedule among senior psychologists where on a monthly basis a client who was particularly challenging to a regional provider was transported to the agency for 30 days or more, and a comprehensive assessment was conducted to address the issues associated with this client's care—the final report often numbering between 40 and 100 pages in length. Also, each senior psychologist on staff worked as a consultant to other agencies with difficult therapy cases via videoconferencing as well as presenting training seminars on a variety of topics through that modality.<sup>3</sup>

Supervisory duties were, at the same time, also maintained, as we had a staff of ten psychologists and interns, where licensure candidates and interns were supervised in our newly developed APPIC-approved internship. Leading weekly seminar instruction was also part of the set of responsibilities for senior psychology staff. Management responsibilities included interfacing with a wide variety of agencies at the state and local level including, for example, being president of the local Child Protective Team involved with child protection work in the region. During my tenure at this agency, it grew from a staff of 150 to one of 350.

**Mountain Regional Services, Incorporated, Evanston, Wyoming**  
Psychological Resident  
July 1994 to May 1995

Before working at Cornerstone, I worked at Mountain Regional Services, Inc. (an umbrella organization of which Cornerstone is one component), which provides a set of distinct services to

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<sup>3</sup> The paper cited below, "Bridging the Gap," documents our team's work in the state of Wyoming.

Holderegger, J., Fortune, J., Fortune, B. (2000). Bridging the Gap: Telehealth in profoundly rural America. Paper given at the 11<sup>th</sup> International Association for Scientific Study of Intellectual Disabilities (IASSID), on August 3, 2000, Seattle, Washington.

developmentally delayed adults, adolescents and children. As part of those services, I did individual, couples, and group therapy with these clients and their families. There, the psychologist or, in my case at the time, psychology resident leads the treatment team in working toward the goal of allowing the client(s) to live in the least restrictive environment possible.

***Wyoming State Hospital, Evanston, Wyoming***

Co-Director of Psychology and Adolescent Unit Psychologist  
July 1994 to May 1995

Originally hired as the Adolescent Unit Psychologist, circumstances necessitated the Superintendent of the hospital to appoint me and the other co-director as the Chiefs of Psychology. Therefore, we were responsible for the administration and delivery of all psychological services at the 140-bed hospital. Services offered there included attending to the following units: adolescent, adult, forensic and geriatric. And, services provided on those units included individual, family and group therapies as well as conducting intakes and psychological assessments, as well as forensic assessments that ranged from adolescents presented as a Child in Need of Supervision (CHINS) to murder cases where the alleged murderer was pursuing a defense of Not Guilty by Reason of Insanity (NGI). All the while, we obtained a listing in the APICC Directory for our internship, and my Co-Director and I were also primarily responsible for the supervision and training of two pre-doctoral interns. While there was continued attention to the Adolescent Unit, it was to a reduced degree given the time demands of the position.

***Rivendell of Montana Day Hospital and Outreach Center, Billings, Montana***

Director  
Clinical Director (July-September)  
July 1993 to July 1994

This site, Billings, was a Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JACHO) accredited program and part of a larger network of services that extended throughout the state of Montana and nationally; it included a continuum of modalities from inpatient to outpatient services. As director, I was responsible for all aspects of administration and treatment at the facility. Along with other duties, my task was to “retool” what had historically been a 62-bed inpatient hospital into a day hospital with outpatient services to make the facility profitable again. Accomplishing this goal, we had three successful new day hospital programs for children, adolescents and adults and some outpatient services that served Billings and the surrounding community within a 60-mile radius.

***Rivendell Psychiatric Center, Billings, Montana***

Part-time Consulting Therapist  
October 1992 to July 1993

My role was that of a primary therapist on some of the more difficult cases in the facility. There, I worked with the treatment team doing individual, family and group therapy but also conducting parenting classes (most specifically focused on single-parent and blended family issues).



**Montana State University, Billings, Montana**

Acting Chair and Assistant Professor

January 1992 to August 1993

This was a tenure-track assistant professorship. The responsibilities of this position entailed teaching a full course load, supervising all aspects of undergraduate clinical fieldwork, and acting as the liaison for one of the local tribal colleges (Dull Knife) on the Northern Cheyenne Reservation. Outside of teaching the requisite courses, I was also named Acting Chair during several periods of time as well as the last six months of my tenure for five full-time professors and two part-time professors. In addition, Psi Chi and the Psychology Club were my advisory responsibilities.

**Internships and Supervision**

*Post-doctoral—Wyoming State Hospital*

Psychological Resident, under the supervision of Kim K. Faulkner, Ph.D. (less than a year).

July 1994 to May 1995

*Post-doctoral—Rivendell of Montana, Montana State University, Billings & Aspen Counseling*

Psychology Intern, under the supervision of Richard D. Recor, Ph.D. (over a year).

October 1992 to April 1994

*Post-doctoral—Montana State University, Billings*

Psychology Intern, under the supervision of Robert F. Morgan, Ph.D. (over a year).

January 1992 to May 1993

*Pre-doctoral—National Asian American Psychology Training Center, San Francisco, California*

Psychology Intern, under the supervision of Eddie Ong, Ph.D., May Tung, Ph.D., and William Vlach, Ph.D.

January 1991 to January 1992

An NIMH training site, and fully accredited by the American Psychological Association, the National Asian American Psychology Training Center is housed in the Richmond Area Multi-Services (RAMS) community mental health clinic in San Francisco, California. There, the staff was multi-lingual and interdisciplinary, and roughly 65% of the population served was multi-ethnic. This particular site was one of two Asian-focused clinics in the San Francisco Community Mental Health system. The training there included experiences in outpatient, inpatient (San Francisco General Hospital), day treatment, crisis clinic settings, community centers, and local public schools. Fifty percent or more of the hours there were devoted to direct care (therapy and assessment), while the rest of the time was spent in training on specific cultural and therapeutic issues.

*Internship—Pacific Graduate School of Psychology, Psychology Clinic, Palo Alto, California*

Psychology Intern, under the supervision of Ricardo Carrillo, Ph.D., and Robert F. Morgan, Ph.D.

September 1989 to August 1990

Work at this clinic involved therapy and assessment of a broad range of clients in an outpatient setting. An important amount of work was also performed in East Palo Alto, working there with the school district on assessments, and with community agencies in groups with “at-risk” adolescents. The responsibilities of this experience were later split between duties of doing intake work, seeing clients and clinic “business.” Clinic “business” entailed work on such projects as research on therapy outcome, setting up different programs, and establishing procedures (i.e. Policy and Procedures for clinic operations, the Therapist’s Procedures Manual, and the Field Placement Symposium).

*Internship—Kaiser Permanente Department of Psychiatry, Vallejo, California*  
Psychology Intern, under the supervision of  
Betty Majors, Ph.D., Bob Fisher, Ph.D., and Alex Nemeth, Ph.D.  
September 1988 to August 1989

At this internship the primary focus was on substance abuse utilizing modalities such as individual, family and group therapies. In addition, a substantive amount of time was spent conducting neuropsychological assessments, crisis intervention, and couples therapy. The treatment focus was brief (i.e. twenty sessions or less). Seminars at this internship included neuropsychological assessment, family systems, psychodynamic therapy and analytical therapy.

*Internship—San Francisco State University, Psychology Clinic, San Francisco, California*  
Psychology Intern, under the supervision of Ruth Goldman, Ph.D., Doris Gilbert, Ph.D., and Bill Littel, Ph.D.  
September 1987 to June 1988

Work at this clinic included individual therapy with adults and children, developmental assessments of kindergarteners, and psychoeducational tutoring in a kindergarten classroom.

*Internship—San Francisco General Hospital, Forensic Unit, San Francisco, California*  
Psychology Intern, under the supervision of Rosemarie Bowler, Ph.D., and Ann Agbiayi, O.T.  
September 1986 to May 1987

As an undergraduate intern, I worked with occupational therapists on a variety of groups with some individual therapy clients. In addition to the general milieu one would expect on this type of unit, this was the first unit devoted to treating decompensating AIDS patients.

### **Grant Writing Experience**

September of 2017—As part of my work at St. Vincent Healthcare I co-authored a grant through Montana Healthcare Foundation, an Integrated Behavioral Healthcare Implementation Grant. Title: *Utilizing Virtual Health Solutions to Address Behavioral Health Specialty Care in Primary Care Settings. Submitted October 2017 - \$150,000—FUNDED.*

January of 2016—As part of my work at St. Vincent Healthcare, I co-authored a grant through the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA), Nurse Education, Practice Quality and Retention-Interprofessional Collaborative Practice

Program: Behavioral Health Integration. Title: *Integrated Behavioral Health Care in a Frontier State. Funded 2017 \$500,000—FUNDED*. See also:

[http://billingsgazette.com/news/local/st-vincent-healthcare-aims-to-identify-patients-with-mental-health/article\\_b09cddfe-1d25-58f9-8203-d9c5c75e9087.html](http://billingsgazette.com/news/local/st-vincent-healthcare-aims-to-identify-patients-with-mental-health/article_b09cddfe-1d25-58f9-8203-d9c5c75e9087.html).

*April of 2011—In Association with the Leadership of Montana Psychological Association American Psychological Association Practice Directorate, Emergency Legislative Grant \$7,700 to Support Legislative Efforts for Psychologists—FUNDED.*

*March of 2011—In Association with the Leadership of Montana Psychological Association American Psychological Association Practice Directorate, Emergency Legislative Grant \$17,000 to Support Legislative Efforts for Psychologists—FUNDED.*

*November of 2010—In Association with the Leadership of Montana Psychological Association American Psychological Association Practice Directorate, Legislative Grant \$30,000 to Support Prescription Privileges for Psychologists—FUNDED.*

*December of 2008—In Association with the Leadership of Montana Psychological Association American Psychological Association Practice Directorate, Emergency Legislative Grant \$16,000 to Support Legislative Efforts for Psychologists—FUNDED.*

### **Teaching Experience**

*University of Maine at Machias; Machias, Maine*

Assistant Professor (Part-Time)

January, 2003 to October, 2004

Introduction to Behavioral and Community Health Systems (Fall 2003), Introduction to Psychology (Spring 2003), and Crisis Identification and Resolution (Spring 2004)

*Montana State University, Billings, Montana*

Assistant Professor (Full-Time)

January 1992 to August 1993

Abnormal Psychology, Adult Developmental Psychology, Cognitive Processes, General Psychology, Psychology Fieldwork, and Research Design in Psychology.

*San Francisco State University, San Francisco, California*

Teaching Assistant (Part-Time)

September 1987 to June 1988

Introduction to Research Psychology for Sheila Zipf, Ph.D.

Introduction to Statistics for Bill Littel, Ph.D.

### **Research and Other Academic Pursuits**

*Nonlinear Dynamics Group—University of Utah Social Research Institute, Salt Lake City, UT*

This is an ongoing interdisciplinary research group interested in nonlinear dynamics. We have been

working on models that describe family interactions integrating metaphor and mathematics from chaos and complexity theory.

February, 1996 to Present

*Program Co-Chair, Montana Psychological Association Annual Meeting, Billings, Montana*

Together with two other psychologists, I was responsible for all aspects of conducting the annual meeting for the association, including selecting papers, scheduling the sessions and chairing the student paper forum with selected judges.

April 1993

*Chair, Chaos Theory Research Group of Montana State University, Billings, Montana*

As chair, I worked with ten other individuals on developing ideas devoted to chaos theory's integration into psychology. This included work on development, therapy, cross-cultural issues, paradigm shifts and education.

September 1992 to August 1993

*Research Assistant for Robert F. Morgan, Ph.D.*

*Pacific Graduate School of Psychology, Palo Alto, California*

My task was to perform research on institutional difficulties, and various other projects including iatrogenic issues.

January 1990 to August 1990

*Clinical Judge, for Tracy Eells, Ph.D., at University of California, San Francisco, California*

Psychotherapy Study on the Role Relationship Model, one of the projects being conducted by Marty Horowitz, Ph.D., in his Program for the Study of Conscious and Unconscious Mental Processes.

January 1990 to May 1990

*Research Assistant for Doris Gilbert, Ph.D., at San Francisco State University, California*

Performed research on Borderline Personality Disorder, with an emphasis on the etiology of the disorder based on early trauma.

January 1988 to May 1988

## **Publications**

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### **Presentations**

Below is a list of International, national and regional presentations, symposia and workshops. Via consultation and other means, numerous other presentations have been made on my work with children and adolescents as well as with the developmentally disabled at the state and local level that have been omitted here to conserve space.

Bütz, M. R. (2023, February 1). *Brown Bag: Countertransference*. Intermountain Health Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

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Bütz, M. R. (2022, December 21). *COVID-19 Related Behavioral Health Complications - II*. Intermountain Health Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2022, November 2). *COVID-19 Related Behavioral Health Complications*. Intermountain Health Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2022, October 19). *Review of Homicidal Risk*. Intermountain Health Behavioral Health Associates Clinical Staffing, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2022, October 5). *Review of Depressive Disorders, Related Dx and DSM-5-TR*. Intermountain Health Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2022, September 7). *Review of Anxiety Disorders (DSM-5/DSM-5-TR)*. Intermountain Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2022, June 15). *Case Presentation and Review of Active Shooter Prevention Literature*. Intermountain Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Clinical Staffing, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2022, April 20). *Lethal Means and Safety Planning, Case Example*. Intermountain Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Clinical Staffing, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2022, April 6). *Assessing Suicide Potential*. Intermountain Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2022, March 16). *Conducting a Mental Status Interview, Case Example*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Clinical Staffing, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2022, January 18). *Identifying signs of anxiety and depression—nurse selfcare*. St. Vincent Healthcare Nurse Grand Rounds, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2021, November 17). *Clinical staffing: Repressed memories: An update*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2021, October 20). *Brown bag: ADHD, what it is, and its diagnosis*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2021, September 15). *Clinical staffing: Brief review of personality disorders-traits...* St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2021, August 18). *Brown bag—Basic consultation, MSE, HIPAA, 42 CFR and screening tools*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2021, June 16). *Brown bag—Autism spectrum disorder—DSM-IV-TR v. DSM-5: Over diagnosis & removing the haze...* St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2021, May 21). *Munchausen's Syndrome by Proxy/Factitious Disorder by Proxy: Interrelated multidimensional diagnoses*. Zoom one-hour workshop via Zur Institute, [www.zurinstitute.com](http://www.zurinstitute.com).

Bütz, M. R. (2021, April 16). *Parental alienation, an introduction to interrelated multidimensional*

*diagnoses*. Zoom one-hour workshop via Zur Institute, [www.zurinstitute.com](http://www.zurinstitute.com).

Bütz, M. R. (2021, February 3). *Brown bag—Conducting a proper mental status interview*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2020, December 16). *Clinical staffing... recognizing seizure disorders*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2021, January 6). *Brown bag—Assessing danger to self or others*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

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Bütz, M. R. (2020, November 20). *Parental alienation, an advanced course in interrelated multidimensional diagnosis*. Zoom six-hour workshop via Meetings Northwest, [www.imdregistration.org](http://www.imdregistration.org).

Bütz, M. R. (2020, November 4). *Brown bag—Psychosis and substance induced psychoses...* St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

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Bütz, M. R. (2020, September 2). *Brown bag—Assessing suicidal risk 2 of 3*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

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Bütz, M. R. (2020, July 15). *Reading and understanding psychological assessments: What should be in them and basic training for the work*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Clinical Staffing, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2020, July 1). *Adverse drug reactions and co-occurring substance abuse/mental health diagnoses. (Session 2)*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2020, June 3). *Adverse drug reactions and co-occurring substance abuse/mental health diagnoses. (Session 1)*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2020, May 20). *Identification of dementia*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Clinical Staffing, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2020, May 6). *How to see systems: Baumrind's parenting styles and Olson's circumplex model. (Presentation 3 of 3)*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2020, February 28). *Munchausen's Syndrome by Proxy, Factitious Disorder by Proxy, related conditions, and proposed interrelated multidimensional diagnoses*. St. Vincent Healthcare Grand Rounds, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2020, March 4). *Interrelated multidimensional diagnoses, relational problems, and DSM diagnoses; What's the difference? (Presentation 1 of 3)*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2020, January 18). *Parental alienation, an interrelated multidimensional diagnosis*. Crossway Counseling, one-day workshop, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2020, January 15). *Munchausen's Syndrome by Proxy, Factitious Disorder by Proxy, related conditions, and proposed interrelated multidimensional diagnoses*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2019, November 30). *Suicidal behavior: Information, risk and management*. St. Vincent Healthcare Grand Rounds, Billings, Montana.

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Bütz, M. R. (2019, August 28). *Fielding phone calls and managing the front desk in behavioral health*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

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Bütz, M. R. (2019, March). *Suicidal behavior: Information, risk and management*. St. Vincent Healthcare Behavioral Health Associates Monthly Inservice, Billings, Montana.

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Bütz, M. R. (2009, October). *Forensic assessment and mental competency.* Office of the State Public Defender Annual Conference, Helena, Montana.

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Bütz, M. R. (2004, November). *Transformative crisis intervention*. Youth Dynamics, Inc., clinical staff, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (2004, August). *The power of positive behavioral management*. Developmental Disabilities Crisis Teams for the State of Maine, Skowhegan, Maine.

Bütz, M. R., Schwinn, C. K., Whalen, D., & Kesselring, K. (2004, July). *Crisis theory in behavioral health: Danger may be an opportunity, bifurcated adaptation*. In Bütz, M. R. (Chair), Society for Chaos Theory in Psychology & Life Sciences, 14<sup>th</sup> Annual International Conference, Milwaukee, WI.

Bütz, M. R. (2004, March). *What every CEO and COO should know*. In T. Trabin (Chair), Informatics Summit, Annual Training Conference of the National Council for Community Behavioral Healthcare, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Bütz, M. R., Connors, B. (2003, October). *What every CEO and COO should know*. Sequest Technologies Annual User's Conference, Lombard, Illinois.

Bütz, M. R., & Connors, B. (2002, October). *How to benefit from a user's group*. Sequest Technologies Annual User's Conference, Lombard, Illinois.

Bütz, M. R. (2002, June). *Co-occurring disorders*. WCPA Annual Conference in Calais, Maine.

Bütz, M. R., et.al. (2002, June). *Panel discussion: Licensing issues in the state of Maine*. State Licensing Departments Training Meeting, Waterville, Maine.

Bütz, M. R. (2002, May). *Crisis as an opportunity*. WCPA Crisis Services Annual Conference, Milbridge, Maine.

Bütz, M. R. (2002, May). *Development of personality structure—Implications for crises*. WCPA Crisis Services Annual Conference, Milbridge, Maine.

Bütz, M. R. (2001, September). *The ethics of rural practice, a multicultural exchange*. WCPA Annual Conference in Machias, Maine.

Bütz, M. R. (2000, September). *Understanding attention deficit hyperactivity disorder, many considerations in diagnoses*. Washington County Consortium "Harvest Of Ideas," Machias, Maine.

Bütz, M. R., & Swift, L. (2000, September). *Safe schools and making use of behavioral health providers in a new environment*. Washington County Consortium "Harvest Of Ideas," Machias, Maine.

Bütz, M. R. (2000, March). *Complexity of ethical considerations*. WCPA Annual Conference, Ellsworth, Maine.

Bütz, M. R., & Bliss, C. A. (1998, November). *Psychotherapy with the mentally retarded: Reviewing the literature, considering practice and advancing the research*. NADD Annual Conference, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Bütz, M. R. (1998, August). *Clinically speaking, working with the notions of chaos, complexity and nonlinear dynamics: Exploring multiple modalities of therapeutic practice*. Workshop, International Society for Chaos Theory in Psychology and Life Sciences, Boston, Massachusetts.

Bütz, M. R. (1997, August). The constant chaos of the new family: Adding order amidst the fray. In M. R. Bütz (Chair), *Shifting from chaos toward order: Crucial times for contemporary families*. American Psychological Association National Convention, Chicago, Illinois.

Bütz, M. R. (1997, March). *Children and parenting: Making sense of your children's behavior by clarifying the context of your family*. Intermountain Health Care, Lite Lunch Series, Evanston Regional Hospital, Evanston, Wyoming.

Bütz, M. R. (1996, October). Panel discussant. Jackson, M. J. (Chair), *Who we are and what we do*. National Health Service Corps Annual Conference, Regions VIII, IX, & X, Denver, Colorado.

Bütz, M. R. (1996, August). New families and new challenges: Coherence and adaptation in chaos and complexity. In Bütz, M. R. (Chair), *Moving from chaos toward order: Critical times for contemporary families*. American Psychological Association National Convention, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

Bütz, M. R. (1996, June). Panel discussant. Chamberlain, L. (Chair), *Clinical chaos: Nonlinear models in mental health research and practice*. International Society for Chaos Theory in Psychology and Life Sciences, Berkeley, CA.

Bütz, M. R. (1996, June). Panel discussant. Robertson, R. (Chair), *A sense of wonder: Philosophical issues of chaos/complexity in the study of mind*. Society for Chaos Theory in Psychology and Life Sciences, Berkeley, CA.

Bütz, M. R. (1996, March). Communities and adaptation: coherence, chaos and complexity. In Chamberlain, L. (Chair), *Chaos and change in couples, families and communities: Implications of nonlinear dynamics for systemic transformation*. Symposium, 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Mid-Winter Convention, Scottsdale, Arizona.

Bütz, M. R. (1995, November). Chaos, the ancient symbol of human change: Chaos theory's implications for psychological theory and therapy. Invited workshop, American Academy of Psychotherapists Annual Institute and Conference, *Containing the chaotic: Preserving the integrity*

*of the creative psychotherapist*, San Francisco, California.

Bütz, M. R. (1995, August). Self-organization and spirituality in chaotic systems: How a therapist understands the changing symbols. In McCown, W.G. (Chair), *Chaos, complexity, spirituality, and self-organization: Contemporary implications for family therapy* (Cassette Recording 95-227). Symposium, American Psychological Association National Convention, New York, New York.

Bütz, M. R. (1994, August). Case material from a self-organizing perspective: A family's ability to transcend. In Chamberlain, L. (Chair), *Chaos theory and the family*. Symposium, American Psychological Association National Convention, Los Angeles, California.

Bütz, M. R., & Recor, R. D. (1994, April). *Rural psychology: Differences in culture, differences in therapy*. Paper, Montana Psychological Association Annual Meeting, Great Falls, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (1994, March). Psychopharmacology: Psychology's Jurassic Park? Scene One. In Bütz, M. R. (Chair), *Psychopharmacology: Psychology's Jurassic Park?* Symposium, 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Mid-Winter Convention, Phoenix, Arizona.

Bütz, M. R. (1994, February). Chaos in the family. Paper, "Grand Rounds," Rivendell Psychiatric Center, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (1993, September). Practical application of chaos theory to the psychotherapy process. Paper, "Grand Rounds," Rivendell Psychiatric Center, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (1993, August). Chaos theory and familial dynamics: What does it look like? In Bütz, M. R. (Chair), *Chaos theory and the family: Practical applications—research and practice*. Symposium, American Psychological Association National Convention, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

Bütz, M. R. (1993, August). *Psychopharmacology: Psychology's Jurassic Park?* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Society for Chaos Theory in Psychology, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

Bütz, M. R. (1993, April). Inability to self-organize and hegemonic therapy: Not recognizing the symbol. In Bütz, M. R. (Chair), *Chaos theory and the family: Clinical tales of butterfly effects and self-organization*. Symposium, Joint Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association and the Rocky Mountain Psychological Association, Phoenix, Arizona.

Bütz, M. R. (1993, April). Continuum of cooperation: Chemical self-organizations, artificial life, and symbolic representations. Paper, Joint Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association and the Rocky Mountain Psychological Association, Phoenix, Arizona.

Plant, J., Bütz, M. R. (1993, April). The influence of chaos theory on neurology and brain function. Paper, Joint Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association and the Rocky Mountain Psychological Association, Phoenix, Arizona.

Bütz, M. R. (1993, April). Single-parent groups, an initial protocol. Paper, Montana Psychological Association's Annual Meeting, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (1993, April). Chaos theory and its implications for clinicians. Paper, Montana Psychological Association's Annual Meeting, Billings, Montana.

Recor, R. D., & Bütz, M. R. (1993, April). Paraprofessional training: Preparing for healthcare reform with psychological assistants. Paper, Montana Psychological Association's Annual Meeting, Billings, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (1992, August). Chaos theory, philosophically old, scientifically new. In Bütz, M. R. (Chair), *Chaos theory's implications for a cross-cultural perspective*. Symposium, American Psychological Association National Convention, Washington, DC.

Bütz, M. R. (1992, August). Systemic family therapy and symbolic chaos. In McCown, W. G. (Chair), *Chaos theory and family therapy—A new unifying paradigm?* Symposium, American Psychological Association National Convention, Washington, DC.

Bütz, M. R. (1992, August). Chaos theory's implications for psychological transformation: Process, perspective and symöbia. In Vandervert, L. (Chair), *Chaos theory in a historical and philosophical perspective: Initial translations*. Symposium, American Psychological Association National Convention, Washington, DC.

Bütz, M. R. (1992, August). *Beyond explication of fractal dimensionality: The paradigm's afoot in science and psychology*. Paper, Annual Conference of the Society for Chaos Theory in Psychology, Washington, DC.

Bütz, M. R. (1992, July). *Models of developmental and psychotherapeutic growth that chaos theory inspires*. Paper, XXV International Congress of Psychology, Brussels, Belgium.

Bütz, M. R. (1992, May). *Chaos theory, and theories of successful aging: Prigogine's dissipative structures*. Paper, Montana Psychological Association's Annual Conference, Bozeman, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (1992, May). *The vampire, a metaphor for working with abuse*. Paper, Montana Psychological Association's Annual Conference, Bozeman, Montana.

Bütz, M. R. (1991, August). *Practical application of chaos theory to the psychotherapy process*. Paper, Annual Conference of the Society for Chaos Theory in Psychology, San Francisco, California.

Bütz, M. R. (1991, August). *The fractal nature of the development of the self*. Paper, Annual Conference of the Society for Chaos Theory in Psychology, San Francisco, California.

Bütz, M. R. (1991, August). Chaos, an omen of transcendence in the psychotherapy process. Paper, Annual Conference of the Society for Chaos Theory in Psychology, San Francisco, California.

Bütz, M. R. (1990, August). Chaos, an omen of transcendence in the psychotherapy process. In Vandervert, L. (Chair), *A chaotic/fractal dynamical unification model for psychology*. Symposium, American Psychological Association National Convention, Boston, Massachusetts.

Bütz, M. R. (1990, August). Chaos, an omen of transcendence in the psychotherapy process. Paper, Conference on Chaos and Psychology, Springfield, Massachusetts.

### **Peer Review Experience**

2000, Brunner/Mazel, text on assessing language and speech development, and ancillary use of behavioral health services.

1999, Brunner/Mazel, text on contemporary issues in competence assessment.

1998, Brunner/Mazel, text on synchronicity & a proposal on terminating therapy with children.

1996 & 1997, Division of Family Therapy (43), proposals for 1997 & 1998 APA National Convention.

1994, text on chaos theory, American Psychological Association.

1993, article on chaos theory and psychology, American Psychologist.

1992, article on chaos theory and therapy dynamics, American Psychologist.

1992, Society for Chaos Theory in Psychology, proceedings published later as: *Chaos theory in psychology and the life sciences* (Robertson, Combs, 1995).

### **Media Exposure**

KFBB (ABC) Nonstop Local News Billings, Montana, November 30, 2022.  
*Coping Strategies for Holiday Season Stress.*

KULR 8 Television News Billings, Montana, July 14, 2022.  
*New suicide prevention contact goes into effect Saturday*

KULR 8 Television News Billings, Montana, August 19, 2021.  
*Mask debates impacting children's mental health at home*

KTVQ Television News Billings, Montana, January 1, 2021.  
*Caring for our behavioral health, and facing 2021.*

Billings Gazette, Rob Rogers, Billings, Montana, June 22, 2017

*St. Vincent Healthcare aims to identify patients with mental health needs earlier.*

Practice Update, American Psychological Association, Washington, DC, March 23, 2017  
*Psychologists honored at the Practice Leadership Conference for advocacy work.*

Practice Update, Sophie Bethune and Jewel Edwards-Ashman, American Psychological Association, Washington, DC, February 23, 2017  
*Psychologists seeing more stress in patient's postelection: New APA Stress in America™ survey shows many Americans stressed about future of nation.*

Billings Gazette, Zach Benoit, Billings, Montana, January 9, 2017  
*Montana team recommends hospitals add depression screening to patient questionnaires.*

NBC Montana, Will Wadley, Helena, Montana, September 22, 2016  
*Psychologist criticizes restraint, seclusion at Montana State Hospital.*

KULR Television News Billings, Montana, June 17, 2016  
*Helping Families in Mental Health Crisis Act of 2016.*

Yellowstone Valley Woman, Laura Bailey, Billings, Montana, October 20, 2014  
*Your child's brain on stress.*

KTVQ Television News Billings, Montana, December 14, 2012  
*Psychologist says children need assurance after Connecticut shootings.*

Rocky Mountain Health Network, 2008, Spring—*Ancillary Provider News*  
Article reviewed a number of new publications, including: *The next generation of heroes and heroines, professional person's field manual, and A practitioner's complaint and proposed direction: Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy, Factitious Disorder by Proxy and Fabricated and/or Induced Illness in children.*

APA Monitor, 1997, Seppa, N. (28 (3), p. 4, 33).  
*Loan-Repayment option aids rural, city practice.*  
Article reviewed my involvement with the National Health Service Corps in rural Wyoming as a clinical psychologist.

Inner Vision, 1994, staff (September)  
*Chaos may mean growth.*  
The work I have done on chaos theory and therapy was featured in this front-page article.

APA Monitor, 1993, De Angelis, T. (24(1), p. 1, 41).  
*Chaos, chaos everywhere is what the theorists think.*  
In this front-page article, other colleagues and I were featured regarding our views on chaos theory



and its integration into psychology.

Brain/Mind Bulletin of Breakthroughs, 1993, Ferguson, E. (18(2), p. 1, 8).

*Mind's chaotic periods may lead to higher order.*

In this front page article, other colleagues and I were featured regarding our views on chaos theory and the therapeutic process.

WJJZ, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania—radio interview conducted August, 1993 on a paper I presented entitled “Psychopharmacology: Psychology’s *Jurassic Park?*” The interview was done for the program *Talking Psychologically*.

KTVQ, Billings, Montana—television interview conducted June 1993 requesting commentary on a recent wave of violence that was being witnessed in the community.

KTVQ, Billings, Montana—television interview conducted April 1992 requesting commentary on the impact of a teachers’ strike on children in that district.

I have also had other newspaper articles written about my work as an administrator, therapist, and researcher in the following papers: *Billings Gazette*, the *Montana Standard*, *Meager County News*, *Hungry Horse News*, *Chinook Opinion*, *Cascade Courier*, *Laurel Outlook* and the *Uinta County Herald*.

### **Affiliations & Honors**

Fellow & Member, American Psychological Association, 1990-Present

Clinical Psychology, Clinical Child (12),  
Psychotherapy (29),  
Clinical Neuropsychology (40),  
American Psychology–Law Society (41),  
Family Therapy (43), and,  
Pediatric Psychology (56).

Member, American Board of Professional Neuropsychology, 2022-Present

Member, American Academy of Pediatric Neuropsychology, 2021-Present

Member, Association of Family and Conciliation Courts, 2021-Present

Member, National Academy of Neuropsychology, 2021-Present

Member, Society for Personality Assessment, 2020-Present

Member, Montana Psychological Association, 1992-1994, 2004-Present

\*Federal Advocacy Chair, Montana Psychological Association, 2016-2021

\*Past-President, Montana Psychological Association, 2012-2014

- \*President, Montana Psychological Association, 2010-2012
- \*President-Elect, Montana Psychological Association, 2008-2010
- \*Member at Large, Montana Psychological Association, 2007-2008
- \*Legislative Chair, Montana Psychological Association, 2005-2016

Member, Maine Psychological Association, 1999-2004

Member, Idaho Psychological Association, 1998-1999

- \*Eastern Regional Representative

Member, Wyoming Psychological Association, 1997-1998

- \*Chair of the Ethics Committee

\*Board of Directors, and Vice President of the Board (2007-2010), STEP, Inc. 2005-2010

\*Ancillary Provider Committee & Outreach Committee (October, 2007), Rocky Mountain Healthcare Network, 2005-2009

\*Assistant Scoutmaster, Boy Scout Troop 27, 2008-2015

\*Cub Scout Day Camp Director, Black Otter District, Montana Council, 2010-2011 (Nationally Accredited Camp by Boy Scouts of America)

\*Committee Chair, Cub Scout Pack 44, 2008-2011

\*Order of the Arrow, Honor Society of the Boy Scouts of America (Tapped Out 5.4.10, Ordeal 9.10.10).

\*District Training Staff, Black Otter District Montana Council, 2009-2011

\*District Activities Chair, Black Otter District, Montana Council, 2008-2009

\*Woodbadge Training, Boy Scouts of America (Fall 2008-Completed 6.21.09)

\*Cub Scout Day Camp Assistant Director, Black Otter District, Montana Council, 2006-2009 (Nationally Accredited Camp by Boy Scouts of America)

\*CubScouter Award, Black Otter District, Montana Council 2009

\*District Award of Merit, Black Otter District, Montana Council 2009

\*Cub Scouter of the Year, Black Otter District, Montana Council 2008

\*Cubmaster Award, Black Otter District, Montana Council 2008

\*Cubmaster, Cub Scout Pack 44, 2006-2008

\*Youth and Young Adult Suicide Prevention Task Force, Alternate, 2006-2008

\*Associate Board, Parents Let's Unite for Kids (PLUK), 2005-2007

\*Maine Telehealth Network Advisory Committee, 2002-2004

\*National Health Service Corps, 1996-1998, 2001-2003

\*Advisory Board, *The Family Journal*, 1998

\*Deputy Federal Advocacy Coordinator—Montana, American Psychological Association, 1994

\*Former Board Member of Yellowstone Psychological Association, 1992-1994

\*Former Member, Rocky Mountain States Psychological Association, 1993

\*Former Member, Western Psychological Association, 1993

\*American Psychological Association Travel Grant Recipient for XXV International Congress of Psychology, 1992

\*Award of Supervisory Appreciation, Psi Chi National Honor Society, Montana State University,

Billings, 1992

- \*Founding Member of the Society for Chaos Theory in Psychology, 1991
- \*San Francisco State University, Entering Graduate Student Scholarship, Pacific Graduate School of Psychology, Palo Alto, California, 1989
- \*Leader, Backroads Bicycle Touring, 1987-1990
- \*Psi Chi National Honor Society, 1987
- \*Golden Key National Honor Society, 1987
- \*Dorothy Wells Scholarship, San Francisco State University, California, 1986
- \*Varsity Soccer (Lettered), San Francisco State University, California, 1986
- \*Varsity Soccer (Lettered), University of LaVerne, California, 1980-1982
- \*Professional Soccer (Maintained Amateur Status), Phoenix Inferno Farm Team, Arizona, 1980
- \*Eagle Scout, Boy Scouts of America, June 15, 1975

### **Relevant Workshops Attended**

*The Minds, Lives, and Motivations of Mass Attackers.* Peter Langman, Ph.D., Online via Montana Psychological Association, January 27, 2023.

*Native American Historical Trauma, Implicit Bias and Patient Outcomes.* Gordon Jackson, online via Intermountain Health - Billings, November 18, 2022.

*Don't Let the "TR" Fool You: The DSM-5-TR is Far More Than a Text Revision.* Greg J. Neimeyer, Ph.D., Online via Montana Psychological Association, August 26, 2022.

*Meyers Neuropsychological Battery/System Workshop.* John Meyers, Psy.D., ABN, APbDn. Online—completed May 20, 2022.

***Association for Family and Conciliation Courts Annual Conference*** (Chicago, Illinois - May 12-14, 2022). *Garber, B.D. and Reid, J.D. - Putting Your Best Foot Forward? Goals and Methods of Behavioral Observations in Custody Evaluations; Stahl, P.M. et al - A High-Conflict Case: Trauma's Impact on Children, Parents, and the Courts; Rule, C. et al - Mind the Gap: Technology, Access, Connection, Equity, and Justice; Greenberg, L.R., McNamara, K., and Altobelli, T. - Electronic Resources, Possibilities, and Mischief in High-Conflict Cases; Drozd, L.M., Slabach, M., Traux, L.T. - How the Sausage Is Made: Behind the Scenes of a RRD (Resist Refuse Dynamic) Team; Poitras, K., Birnbaum, R. Paquin-Boudreau, A., and Bala, N. - Improving the Responses of Lawyers and Judges to High-Conflict Cases; Mann, D.J. and Roberts, K.L. - Reviewing Child Custody Reports: Ethical Examination, Consultation and Testimony.*

***American Academy of Pediatric Neuropsychology Annual Conference*** (online April 28-May 1, 2022): Ben-Porath - Using the MMPI-3 with 18-22 Year Olds (3), Hale - Frontal-Subcortical Circuitry in Differential Diagnosis of Child and Adolescent Neuropsychology (1), Goldstein - Understanding and Managing the Neuropsychological Impact of COVID-19 on Executive Functioning in Children and Adolescents (3); Carahaly, et al - Genetics and Neuropsychology of Speech and Language Disorders in Children (2), Nelson - How Pediatric Neuropsychologists Think: Strategy for Becoming More Aware of and Reducing the Impact of Cognitive Errors and Biases in Clinical Practice (2),

Fletcher-Janzen, et al - Navigating the Current Chaos in Diagnosing Learning Disorders (2); Bree, et al - PANDAs Aren't Such a Bear: An Understanding of PANS/PANDAS/CPAE (3), Walsh - Neuropsychological Outcomes and Rehabilitation of the Pediatric Brain Tumor Survivor (3); Panel - Ethics and Diversity Issues in the Practice of Pediatric Neuropsychology (4).

*Clinical Neurology Essentials*. Robert Coni, D.O., Ed.S., CME Consultants/MedMastery (online) - completed July 14, 2021

*Advanced Interpretation of the MNB/MNS—Meyers Neuropsychological System Workshop*. John Meyers, Psy.D., ABN, APBdN. Online (5.14.21)—completed June 28, 2021.

**Association of Family and Conciliation Courts—When a Child Rejects a Parent: Are We Part of the Problem or the Solution? (How Professionals Contribute to the Problem or the Solution of Child Rejection; Resist-Refuse and Domestic Violence Allegations: Abuse, Anxiety, or Alienation?; Acting Before It's Too Late: Prudent Early Intervention in Resist-Refuse Cases** (online) - completed June 10, 2021.

*Addictions: Disease, Diagnosis and Treatment*. P. Barnes, R.N., AAACEUs (online) - completed May 16, 2021.

**American Academy of Pediatric Neuropsychology Conference** (online): Bigler—*Structural and Functional Neuroimaging*; Cohen—*Ethics in Pediatric Neuropsychology*; Adler, et al.—*COVID and Infectious Diseases*; Adler, et al.—*Infectious Diseases and Residual Cognitive Effects*; Shaywitz—*Overcoming Dyslexia*. (4.22-25.21).

*Meyers Neuropsychological Battery/System Workshop*. John Meyers, Psy.D., ABN, APBdN. Online—completed May 15-16, 2020.

**American Academy of Pediatric Neuropsychology Conference**: Cecil R. Reynolds—*The Why and How of Performance Validity Testing in Children and Adolescents, The Pediatric Performance Validity Test Suite (PdPVTs)*; Paul Beljan—*Assessment and Diagnosis of ADHD: Practical Lessons from 30 Years of Practice*; Len Lecci & Julian Keith—*Advances in Recognition and Management of Sports Concussion in Youth*; and Jeff Lewine—*Advances in the Neuroscience of Developmental Disorders: Neuroimaging*. Online, April 23-26, 2020.

*Ask the Experts: Best Practices and Risk Mitigation Strategies for a Successful 2020*. Higuchi, S.A., Nessman, A.C., Galietti, C., Steinbrecker, B., Bergner, C.G., Huben-Kearney, A., & Funicelli, A. American Psychological Association Practice Leadership Conference, Washington, DC, March 9, 2020.

*Identifying Strengths and Challenges within Intergenerational Leadership Groups*. Shullman, S.L. Smedley, J.M., & Alexander, E. American Psychological Association Practice Leadership Conference Washington, DC, March 8, 2020.

*Meyers Neuropsychological Battery/System Workshop.* John Meyers, Psy.D., ABN, APBdN and Marty Rohling, Ph.D., Phoenix, Arizona, May 3-4, 2019.

*Meyers Neuropsychological Battery 101 and Dashboard (DB!) 101 Workshop.* John Meyers, Psy.D., ABN, APBdN, Phoenix, Arizona, May 2, 2019.

*Risky Business: Working with Compulsive and Self-Endangering Behaviors in Trauma Survivors,* John Briere, Ph.D., Spring CE Conference, Montana Psychological Association, Missoula, Montana, April 12, 2019.

*Personality Assessment Consultation Opportunities with the Federal Aviation Administration: An Orientation to FAA Practices and Standards.* Chris Front, Psy.D. Society for Personality Assessment Convention, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 20, 2019.

*Advanced Topics in Personnel Selection for High-Risk Occupations.* Ray King, Psy.D., J.D., Society for Personality Assessment Convention, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 21, 2019.

*The Rorschach Performance Assessment System Overview and Case Illustrations.* Gregory Meyer, Ph.D., Society for Personality Assessment Convention, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 20, 2019.

*Suicidality Webcast: Clinical, Ethical and Risk Management Issues.* Dan Taube, J.D., Ph.D. The Trust & The Trust Practice and Risk Management Association (TrustPARMA), November 30, 2018.

*Behavioral Healthcare Mutuality: Primary Care Integration and Specialty Clinic Services.* Montana Psychological Association in co-sponsorship with Bighorn Valley Health Center at Montana Psychological Association Fall Conference, Billings, Montana, September 21, 2018.

*The Ethical and Collaborative Role of Psychologists in Integrated Healthcare Systems.* St. Luke's Hospital, Meridian, Idaho, April 27-28, 2018.

*2017 HRSA Nurse-Led Safety Net Clinics.* AIMS Center, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington, November 16-17, 2017. Attended in accordance with HRSA Grant.

*Motivational Interviewing.* Kyle DeYoung, Ph.D., University of Wyoming Psychology Clinic, Laramie, Wyoming, October 21, 2017.

*Integrated Healthcare Training Series,* National Register of Psychologists. Online February 15–March 22, 2017.

*Paying for Psychology's Changing Roles in Health Care; GR Issue Briefing for Western States; Featured Presentation—Ask the Attorneys: Town Hall Meeting with Legal & Regulatory Affairs; Practice Transformation for Healthcare and APA's Center for Medicare and Medicaid Innovation*

*Cooperative Agreement*, American Psychological Association's Practice Leadership Conference, March 4-7, 2017.

*Evidence-Based Practices for Children Exposed to Traumatic Events*, Cameo Borntrager, Ph.D. Fall CE Conference, Montana Psychological Association, Bozeman, Montana, October 22, 2011.

*Clinical Neuropsychology of Emotion, Executive Functioning, and Physical and Mental Health*. Yana Suchy, Ph.D. Fall CE Conference, Montana Psychological Association, Bozeman, Montana, October 21, 2011.

*Collaborative Behavioral Health Care: Current and Future Directions and Opportunities* by Steven M. Tovian, Ph.D, ABPP. Summer CE Conference, Montana Psychological Association, Missoula, Montana, July 22-23, 2011.

*Assessment of Malingering: Theory and Forensic Practice*, Richard Rogers, Ph.D. Fall CE Conference of the Montana Psychological Association in Missoula, Montana, October 16, 2010.

*Evaluation of Juveniles' Competence to Stand Trial*, Julie Gallagher, Psy.D. Fall CE Conference of the Montana Psychological Association in Missoula, Montana, October 15, 2010.

*Integrating Psychopharmacology with Psychological Treatments in Children and Adolescents*, Mario Marquez, Ph.D. Spring CE Conference of the Montana Psychological Association and Co-Sponsored with the California School of Professional Psychology, Alliant International University in Billings, Montana, April 17, 2010.

*Working with the Legal Aspects of Child and Family Services Cases: Considerations in Family Reunification and Parental Termination*, Justice Greg Todd. Spring CE Conference of the Montana Psychological Association, Billings, Montana, April 17, 2010.

*The Circle of Security: Integrating Attachment Theory with Relationship-Based Interventions*, Bob Marvin, Ph.D. Spring CE Conference of the Montana Psychological Association in Billings, Montana, April 16, 2010.

*Ethical Decision Making and Risk Management in Clinical Practice*, Jeffery Younggren, Ph.D., ABPP. American Psychological Association Insurance Trust and Montana Psychological Association at Fairmont Hot Springs, Montana, July 24, 2009.

*APA State Leadership Conference: Future of Healthcare*, Katherine Nordal, Ph.D. National State Leadership Conference of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC, March 1-2, 2009.

*An Introduction to the MMPI-2-RF*, Paul Arbisi, Ph.D., ABAP. Fall CE Conference of the Montana Psychological Association, Billings, Montana, November 7, 2008.

*Psychopharmacology in the Treatment of Trauma—Current Research and Practical Treatment Approaches*, John Preston, Psy.D., ABPP. Fall CE Conference of the Montana Psychological Association and Co-Sponsored with the California School of Professional Psychology, Alliant International University, Billings, Montana, November 6, 2008.

*Forensic Psychology: Assessment, Report Writing, and Court Testimony in Criminal Cases*, Office of the Public Defender, Bernie Lewis, Ph.D., Laura Wendlandt, Ph.D., & Eric Olson. Missoula, Montana, April 24 & 25, 2008.

*12<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, The Practice Use of Psychiatric Medications*, Northwest Research & Education Institute at the Mansfield Center in Billings, Montana, April 18, 2008.

*Indigenous Theory and Practice, Restoring the Soul to Psychology*, Eduardo Duran, Ph.D. Spring Annual Meeting of the Montana Psychological Association co-sponsored with the California School of Professional Psychology, Alliant International University, Bozeman, Montana, April 11-12, 2008.

*What Personality Assessment Can Do for You*, Irving Weiner, Ph.D. Fall CE Conference of the Montana Psychological Association and Co-Sponsored with the Society for Personality Assessment, Pray, Montana, October 12, 2007.

*The Rorschach Comprehensive System: An Update*, Barton Evans, Ph.D. Fall CE Conference of the Montana Psychological Association, Bozeman, Montana, July 21, 2007.

*Parenting Plan Evaluations: Initial Steps on the Road to Re-Negotiating Family Relationships*, Philip Bornstein, Ph.D., March Bornstein, Ph.D., & Hallie Bornstein-Banziger, Ph.D. Montana Psychological Association, Missoula, Montana, April 21, 2007.

*Ethical Decision Making and Risk Management in Clinical Practice*, Eric Harris, Ph.D. Co-Sponsored by the American Psychological Association Insurance Trust and Montana Psychological Association, Missoula, Montana, April 20, 2007.

*Legal Issues In Behavioral Health in Montana*, Eric Olson, Paulette Kohman & Laura Wendlandt, Ph.D., Missoula, Montana, April 18, 2007.

*Panel on Working as a Certified Professional Person*, Patrick Davis, Ph. D., Vince River, Ph.D., Duff Gerrish, Ph.D., & William Patenaude, Ph.D. Montana Psychological Association Meeting, Helena, Montana, January 20, 2007.

*Mental Health Professional Persons: An Overview*, Bobbi Renner, Ph.D. Montana Psychological Association Meeting, Helena, Montana, January 20, 2007.

*Assessment of Adjudicative Competence in Montana*, Patrick Davis, Ph.D. Montana Psychological Association's Fall Meeting, Fairmont Hot Springs, Montana, October 7, 2006.

*COPPS Open Discussion: Revision of the APA Guidelines for Child-Custody Evaluations in Divorce Proceedings*, Mary Connell, Ed.D., Gary Lovejoy, Ph.D., Stephen Lally, Ph.D., & Bonnie Spring, Ph.D. American Psychological Association's National Convention, New Orleans, Louisiana, August 12, 2006.

*Use of the Rorschach in Forensic Settings*, Barton Evans, Ph.D. Fall CE Conference, Montana Psychological Association, Pray, Montana, October 15, 2005.

*IDEA Reauthorization—What's Important for Parents*, Bob Runkel, Administrator, Division of Special Education and Panel from Division. Parents Let's Unite for Kids (PLUK), Helena, Montana, October 12, 2005.

*Neuropsychology of Developmental Disorders*, Jack Fletcher, Ph.D., ABPP. Montana Association of School Psychologists, Billings, Montana, June 12-14, 2005.

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