

Curriculum Vita
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BACKGROUND SUMMARY | Please note that “Koetting” rhymes with “setting.” I have **17 years of experience** working in multiple clinical, legal, research, and administrative capacities within **forensic mental health settings**. Those include outpatient, correctional, inpatient, and residential programs for individuals in the legal system. I have practiced in the specialized fields of **evaluating and treating violent offenders** for approximately **14 years** and **sexual offenders** for approximately **10 years**. I have performed **numerous evaluations** of **violence risk, psychosexual functioning, criminal responsibility, competency to stand trial**, and qualification as a **‘sexually violent predator.’** I have also given presentations at **national and state conferences**, to federal judges, to parole department heads, and to **defense attorneys**.

EDUCATION

- 2002 **Ph.D. ♦ CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY ♦ G.P.A. of 3.9**
 NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY (APA-Accredited), Fort Lauderdale, Florida
- 1997 **M.S. ♦ CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY**
 NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY (APA-Accredited), Fort Lauderdale, Florida
- 1993 **B.A. ♦ Double Major: PSYCHOLOGY and PHILOSOPHY**
 ST. LOUIS UNIVERSITY, St. Louis, Missouri
- 1989 Courses in Arts and Sciences
 BOSTON COLLEGE, Chestnut Hill, Massachusetts
- 1999 One-Year Predoctoral Program of Study in PSYCHODYNAMIC PSYCHOTHERAPY, through
 the Postdoctoral Institute of Psychoanalysis and Psychotherapy, Nova Southeastern
 University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- 2009 - Present Associate Member ♦ SOCIETY FOR THE SCIENTIFIC STUDY OF PSYCHOPATHY (**SSSP**)
- 1995 - Present Member ♦ AMERICAN PSYCHOLOGY-LAW SOCIETY (**APLS**), **Division 41 of APA**
- 2002 - Present Clinical Member ♦ ASSOCIATION FOR THE TREATMENT OF SEXUAL ABUSERS (**ATSA**)
- 2008 - Present Member ♦ FORENSIC MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION OF CALIFORNIA (**FMHAC**)
- 2003 - Present Member ♦ CALIFORNIA COALITION ON SEXUAL OFFENDING (**CCOSO**)
- 2003 - Present Ad Hoc Reviewer ♦ *AGGRESSION AND VIOLENT BEHAVIOR: A REVIEW JOURNAL*
- 1997 - 2003 Student Member ♦ AMERICAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION (**APA**)

CURRENT POSITIONS

- ♦ Started in April 2008
 - ♦ CO-FOUNDER & CO-DIRECTOR
 - ♦ SAN FRANCISCO FORENSIC INSTITUTE
 - ♦ San Francisco, CA | www.SFFI.us

SFFI is a private forensic psychological practice I co-own and -operate, along with Charles A. Flinton, Ph.D. We provide forensic psychological consultation and evaluation for criminal courts, defense & prosecuting attorneys, probation & parole departments, and treatment providers regarding the following psycholegal issues:

- Sexually Violent Predator civil commitment (including for defense)
- Psychosexual functioning
- Violence risk
- Psychodiagnosis
- Capital mitigation
- Mental state at the time of alleged crime
- Objectively measured sexual preferences (i.e., PPG & Abel Assessment for Sexual Interest - 2)
- Criminal responsibility (NGI)
- Presentencing & mitigation
- Juvenile delinquency
- Mental health issues in capital cases
- Competency to stand trial
- Treatment amenability
- Suitability for probation/parole
- Juvenile waiver to adult court
- Other forensic issues

At **SFFI**, we also provide expert testimony in criminal and civil courts, and conduct outpatient individual psychotherapy with individuals awaiting trial, preparing for prison, or under community supervision.

- ♦ Started in August 2006
 - ♦ CONTRACT SVP EVALUATOR
 - ♦ Sex Offender Commitment Program
 - ♦ CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT of MENTAL HEALTH (DMH)
 - ♦ Sacramento, CA

Conduct forensic psychological evaluations of potential 'sexually violent predators' (SVP; WIC § 6600 et seq.) for DMH (approx. 75 evaluations completed to date). Provide expert testimony in Superior Courts throughout California. During my first year, extensive professional consultation was provided by Douglas Korpi, Ph.D. I am also a paid consultant for DMH to review and recommend scientific journal articles to acquire for distribution to the 75 SVP panel members.

- ♦ Started in July 2008
 - ♦ CONSULTING PSYCHOLOGIST
 - ♦ FORENSIC EVALUATOR PANEL
 - ♦ San Mateo County Superior Court
 - ♦ Redwood City, CA

Conduct court-ordered forensic psychological evaluations addressing mental competency, criminal responsibility, and risk assessment and probation suitability of sexual offenders (PC 288.1).

- ♦ Started in June 2007
 - ♦ CONSULTING PSYCHOLOGIST
 - ♦ SAN FRANCISCO COUNTY PROBATION DEPARTMENT
 - ♦ San Francisco, CA

Consult on science-based risk assessment of convicted adult sexual offenders, conducted by probation officers.

- ♦ Started in September 2010
- ♦ RESEARCH ASSISTANT (unpaid)
- ♦ DSM-V PARAPHILIC DIAGNOSIS RESEARCH PROJECT
- ♦ San Francisco, CA

After completing two-and-a-half days of intensive training on current and prospective DSM psychosexual disorders and on the Structured Risk Assessment: Forensic Version (SRA:FV), I am now collecting data for the Initial Phase of an investigation into the clinical utility of DSM-V's revised taxonomy of paraphilic interests. The revisions are being proposed by the manual's expert workgroup. The usefulness of the Paraphilic Diagnoses will be assessed, in their extant form, based on data yielded by the SRA:FV, a validated tool for measuring sex offenders' criminogenic needs. The project's principal investigators are David Thornton, Ph.D. & Deirdre D'Orazio, Ph.D. [This project was conceived as a kind of unofficial field trial intended to inform Dr. Thornton in his capacity as an Advisor to the Sexual & Gender Identity Disorders Workgroup for the DSM-V, which is planned for publication in 2013.]

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- ♦ July 2007 – July 2009
- ♦ CONSULTING PSYCHOLOGIST
- ♦ PACIFIC FORENSIC PSYCHOLOGY ASSOCIATES, INC.
(dba SHARPER FUTURE)
- ♦ San Francisco, CA

Provided monthly formal didactic training in forensic psychology to 10 predoctoral clinical psychology interns and other trainees, as well as consultation to staff.

- ♦ March 2007 – December 2008
- ♦ CONTRACT FORENSIC PSYCHOLOGIST
- ♦ Forensic Assessment Services Unit
- ♦ Board of Parole Hearings
- ♦ CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT of CORRECTIONS & REHABILITATION (CDCR)
- ♦ San Quentin, CA

Conducted forensic psychological evaluations and violence risk assessments of homicide offenders serving life terms ("lifers"), with possibility of parole, at San Quentin State Prison.

- ♦ February 2007 – April 2008
- ♦ CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST
- ♦ INDEPENDENT PRACTICE
- ♦ San Francisco, CA

Conducted forensic psychological evaluations of criminal defendants and consultation to attorneys. Provided trainings in risk assessment of sexual offenders. I incorporated my practice into the San Francisco Forensic Institute (see above).

- ♦ February 2007 – July 2007
- ♦ ASSESSMENT COORDINATOR
- ♦ SHARPER FUTURE
- ♦ San Francisco, CA

Oversaw and managed the type, quality, and assignment of the clinic's psychological evaluations and psychosexual testing.

- ♦ 2005
 - ♦ MEMBER
 - ♦ Supervision Subcommittee of the San Francisco Mayor's Committee on Sexual Offending
 - ♦ San Francisco, CA
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- ♦ March 2003 – February 2007
 - ♦ CLINIC COORDINATOR
 - ♦ SHARPER FUTURE
 - ♦ San Francisco, CA

Managed the day-to-day operations of a large outpatient forensic treatment program. Helped administer and manage a contract with CDCR Parole to provide evaluation and treatment services for High Risk Sex Offenders (HRSOs) supervised on parole in San Francisco, Oakland, Berkeley, San Leandro, and San Jose. I also provided these services directly, and supervised other clinicians.

- ♦ June 2002 – October 2007
 - ♦ THERAPIST
 - ♦ SHARPER FUTURE
 - ♦ San Francisco, CA

Conducted evaluations and treatment of offenders in the community, many of whom had histories of violence, including sexual aggression. In the first few years, supervision and training were provided by Charles A. Flinton, Ph.D.

- ♦ October 2000 – May 2002
 - ♦ PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSISTANT
 - ♦ SEX OFFENDER SOLUTIONS
 - ♦ Orange Psychological Services
 - ♦ Orange, CA

Conducted evaluation and treatment of sexual offenders. Supervision and training were provided by Wesley B. Maram, Ph.D.

- ♦ August 1999 – February 2000
 - ♦ ASSOCIATE
 - ♦ COMPREHENSIVE FORENSIC & CLINICAL SERVICES
 - ♦ Plantation, FL
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- ♦ August 1998 – February 2000
 - ♦ PSYCHOLOGICAL EVALUATOR
 - ♦ BROWN SCHOOLS of FLORIDA
 - ♦ Sunrise & Pembroke Pines, FL
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- ♦ February 1997 – January 2000
 - ♦ THERAPIST
 - ♦ COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTER
 - ♦ Nova Southeastern University
 - ♦ Fort Lauderdale, FL

- ♦ September 1994 – July 1996
 - ♦ PATIENTS' RIGHTS ADVOCATE
 - ♦ MENTAL HEALTH CONSUMER CONCERNS, INC.
 - ♦ Martinez, CA
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- ♦ August 1993 – July 1996
 - ♦ ACTING PROGRAM DIRECTOR (3 mons.) & SENTENCING CONSULTANT
 - ♦ Center on Juvenile & Criminal Justice (CJCJ)
 - ♦ San Francisco, CA

PREDOCTORAL CLINICAL TRAINING

- ♦ September 2000 – September 2001
 - ♦ PSYCHOLOGY INTERN
 - ♦ Psychology Department
 - ♦ Metropolitan Detention Center
 - (**APA-Accredited** Clinical Psychology Internship)
 - ♦ FEDERAL BUREAU of PRISONS
 - ♦ U.S. DEPARTMENT of JUSTICE
 - ♦ Los Angeles, CA
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- ♦ September 1999 – March 2000
 - ♦ CLINICIAN
 - ♦ Psychology Department
 - ♦ Federal Detention Center
 - ♦ FEDERAL BUREAU of PRISONS
 - ♦ U.S. DEPARTMENT of JUSTICE
 - ♦ Miami, FL
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- ♦ September 1998 – August 1999
 - ♦ CLINICIAN
 - ♦ Program for Adult Services
 - ♦ COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTER
 - ♦ Nova Southeastern University
 - ♦ Lauderdale Lakes, FL
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- ♦ September 1997 – August 1998
 - ♦ CLINICIAN
 - ♦ UNIVERSITY of MIAMI SCHOOL of MEDICINE & JUVENILE COURT ASSESSMENT CENTER
 - ♦ Miami, FL
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- ♦ January 1997 – June 1997
 - ♦ GROUP THERAPIST
 - ♦ Center for Offender Rehabilitation & Education and
 - ♦ BROWARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT of CORRECTIONS
 - ♦ Fort Lauderdale, FL
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- ♦ September 1992 – December 1992
 - ♦ PRACTICUM STUDENT (undergrad.)
 - ♦ Forensic Pre-Trial Program
 - ♦ ST. LOUIS STATE HOSPITAL (*former name*)
 - ♦ *Current name:* St. Louis Psychiatric Rehabilitation Center
 - ♦ St. Louis, MO

TRAINING IN SPECIALIZED FORENSIC ASSESSMENT

I have completed formal trainings conducted by the originators of several forensic assessment instruments. Consequently, I am qualified to administer, score, and interpret the following:

| INSTRUMENT | CREATOR | YEAR OF TRAINING |
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| -Psychopathy Checklist-Revised (PCL-R) | -Robert Hare | -2002 |
| -Static-99 | -R. Karl Hanson -Amy Phenix -David Thornton | -2007 -2006 -2010 |
| -Static-99R | -David Thornton/Leslie Helmus | -2010 |
| -Static-2002 | -R. Karl Hanson -Amy Phenix -Leslie Helmus | -2007 -2008 -2008 |
| -Static-2002R | -David Thornton/Leslie Helmus | -2010 |
| -Minnesota Sex Offender Screening Tool-Rev. (MnSOST-R) | -Douglas Epperson | -2007 |
| -Stable-2007 | -Andrew Harris | -2008; 2007 |
| -Structured Risk Assessment: Forensic Version (SRA) | -David Thornton | -2010 |
| -Violence Risk Scale: Sexual Offender Version (VRS:SO) | -Mark E. Olver/Stephen C. Wong | -2010 |

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- ♦ 2005 – 2007
 - ♦ CHAIR
 - ♦ Research Subcommittee
 - ♦ PACIFIC FORENSIC PSYCHOLOGY ASSOCIATES
 - ♦ San Francisco, CA
- ♦ March 1999 – June 2000
 - ♦ RESEARCH COORDINATOR
 - ♦ Center for Offender Rehabilitation & Education and
 - ♦ BROWARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT of CORRECTIONS
 - ♦ Fort Lauderdale, FL
- ♦ June 1997 – March 1999
 - ♦ PROJECT COORDINATOR
 - ♦ PASSAGEWAY RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER
 - ♦ Miami, FL

DISSERTATION

- ♦ February 7, 2002 | Final approval date

Validation of the **Psychopathic Personality Inventory** in a jail sample. Nova Southeastern University.
Chairperson: Vincent B. Van Hasselt, Ph.D.

PUBLICATIONS

Garcia-Lawson, K.A., Lane, R.C., & Koetting, M.G. (2000). Sudden death of the therapist: The effects on the patient. *Journal of Contemporary Psychotherapy*, 30, 85-103.

Koetting, M.G. (Winter 2004). Review of the Hare Psychopathy Checklist-Revised, Second Edition. *The Forum – Newsletter of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA)*, Volume XVI, Number 4. (Available to ATSA members at www.atsa.com).

Koetting, M.G., & Lane, R.C. (2001). Therapeutic metaphor as barrier to the self: A case of an older adult. *Journal of Clinical Geropsychology*, 7, 245-250.

Koetting, M.G., & Schiraldi, V. (1997). Singapore West: The incarceration of 200,000 Californians. *Social Justice*, 24, 40-53.

Koetting, M.G., & Schiraldi, V. (1994). A sentencing report for Damian Williams. In R.J. Larson (Ed.), *Sample defense-based sentencing reports*. Washington, DC: National Association of Sentencing Advocates & the Sentencing Project. (Note: This report's listed author is the Center on Juvenile & Criminal Justice, which was my employer at the time.)

Koetting, M.G., Grabarek, J., Van Hasselt, V.B., & Hazelwood, R.R. (2003). Criminally committed inpatients in a residential forensic pre-release treatment program: An exploratory study. *Journal of Offender Rehabilitation*, 37, 107-122.

Lane, R.C., Koetting, M.G., & Bishop, J. (2002). Silence as communication in psychodynamic psychotherapy. *Clinical Psychology Review*, 22, 1091-1104.

Koetting, M.G. et al. (in preparation). Construct validity of the Psychopathic Personality Inventory using criminological and personality measures in a federal jail sample.

STATE & NATIONAL CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Koetting, M.G. & Flinton, C.A. (2009, May). Conceptual and clinical issues in the assessment of "high-impact" paraphilias. Workshop presented at the **California Coalition on Sexual Offending** Twelfth Annual Training Conference, Torrance, CA.

Koetting, M.G. & Smithstein, S. (2007, May). Outpatient treatment of rapists: An exploratory investigation and some clinical recommendations. Workshop presented at the **California Coalition on Sexual Offending** Tenth Annual Training Conference, San Diego.

Koetting, M.G. (2003, May). Special issues in sex offender evaluations: Conducting the interview and writing the report. Workshop presented at the **California Coalition on Sexual Offending** Sixth Annual Training Conference, San Diego.

Baker, M.T., Combs, M., Bourke, M.L., Koetting, M.G., & Van Hasselt, V.B. (1999, August). Psychometric investigation of the Sensation Seeking Scale in incarcerated offenders. Poster session presented at the **American Psychological Association** Annual Convention, Boston.

Grabarek, J., Koetting, M.G., Bourke, M.L., Baker, M.T., & Van Hasselt, V.B. (1999, August). Anger, narcissism, and antisocial personality in female incarcerated offenders. Poster session presented at the **American Psychological Association** Annual Convention, Boston.

Koetting, M.G., Grabarek, J., & Van Hasselt, V.B. (1999, March). Schizophrenia and violence: Characteristics of criminally insane and incompetent offenders in a residential program. Poster session presented at the Midwinter Meeting of the **Society for Personality Assessment**, New Orleans.

Koetting, M.G., Klotz Flitter, J.M., Baker, M., & Van Hasselt, V.B. (1998, August). Social adjustment and anxiety in adolescent substance users. Poster session presented at the **American Psychological Association** Annual Convention, San Francisco.

Koetting, M.G., Klotz Flitter, J.M., Niemeyer, J., & Van Hasselt, V.B. (1998, July). A broad-spectrum behavioral intervention for adolescent first-time offenders. In M.B. Bourke (Chair), Multifaceted treatment and prevention of violence in the community. Symposium conducted at the Program Evaluation and Family Violence Research International Conference, **Family Research Laboratory**, University of New Hampshire, Durham, NH.

Koetting, M.G., Klotz Flitter, J.M., Baker, M., Grabarek, J., & Van Hasselt, V.B. (1998, June). Community prevention and treatment of adolescent drug abuse. Poster session presented at the **Florida Psychological Association** Annual Convention, Key West, FL.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

Flinton, C.A. & Koetting, M.G. (April, 2008). "The Static-99." Invited presentation at the **San Francisco County Public Defender's Office**, San Francisco.

Koetting, M.G. (March, 2007). "Risk Assessment of Sex Offenders Using the Static-99." Invited presentation at the **CDCR's Metro (State) Parole Office**, Sacramento.

Koetting, M.G., Burns, S., & Tobin, T. (2007, January). "Outpatient Sex Offender Treatment." Invited presentation to unit supervisors and other staff of **CDCR's (State) Parole, Region II Headquarters**, Oakland.

Flinton, C.A. & Koetting, M.G. (2006, July). "Sex Offender Assessment and Treatment." Presentation to U.S. District Court Judges & Federal Magistrates, **Northern California District Court**, San Francisco.

Flinton, C.A., Koetting, M.G., & Smithstein, S. (2006, May). "Sex Offender Assessment and Treatment." Presentation to **United States Probation, Northern California Region**, Hotel Nikko, San Francisco.

Koetting, M.G. (2005, November). "Introduction to Sex Offender Treatment." Presentation to graduate students in the School of Social Work, **San Francisco State University (SFSU)**.

Koetting, M.G., & Chow, G. (2004, May). "Introduction to Sex Offender Treatment." Presentation to the **Psychological Services Center**, Oakland.

Koetting, M.G. (2001, September). "Forensic Evaluation of a Double Homicide Offender with Sadistic Personality Disorder." Presentation to the Psychology Department of the **Metropolitan Detention Center**, Los Angeles.

Koetting, M.G. (2001, April). "Sex Offenders: Pedophilia, Rape, and Sexual Sadism." Presentation to the Psychology Department of the **Metropolitan Detention Center**, Los Angeles.

Tehrani, J., Koetting, M.G., & Jen, A. (2001, February). "Suicide Prevention in a Correctional Setting." Presentation to correctional and administrative staff of the **Metropolitan Detention Center**, Los Angeles.

Koetting, M.G. (2000, November). "The Psychopathic Personality." Presentation to Correctional Counselors of the **Metropolitan Detention Center**, Los Angeles.

Van Hasselt, V.B., Bourke, M.B., Koetting, M.G., et al. (1999, February). "Hostage Negotiation Training for Police Officers." Training for **Plantation Police Department**, Plantation, FL.

Koetting, M.G. (1996, February). "The Status of Patients' Rights at East Bay Hospital." Presentation to the **Contra Costa County Mental Health Commission**, Martinez, CA.

Koetting, M.G., & Chabasinsky, T. (1995, October). "Confidentiality Laws and Mental Health Clients (Moderated by Rick Trautner, M.D)." Invited participant in panel discussion with attorneys for the continuing education of **Staff Psychiatrists at East Bay Hospital**, Richmond, CA.

Koetting, M.G. (1995, November). "California Mental Health Inpatient Rights, Informed Consent and the Use of Seclusion and Restraint." Presentation to Psychiatric Nursing rotation students of **Samuel Merritt College**, East Bay Hospital, Richmond, CA.

Koetting, M.G., & Marshall Wilson, J. (1995, September). "California Mental Health Inpatient Rights." Three inservice trainings for **Psychiatric Nursing Staff at East Bay Hospital**, Richmond, CA.

Schiraldi, V., & Koetting, M.G. (1994, July). "Singapore West: The Incarceration of 200,000 Californians." Press Conference in Governor's Press Room, **California State Capital Building**, Sacramento.

AWARDS & HONORS

- 2000 Recipient ♦ Doctoral Student Research Assistance Award, Nova Southeastern University (NSU), Center for Psychological Studies
- 1999 Recipient ♦ Student Travel Grant, Society for Personality Assessment
- 1999 Nominated by NSU Faculty to be Lead Student Interviewer of Doctoral Program Applicants
- 1998 Recipient ♦ Research Travel Grant, NSU, Center for Psychological Studies

CONTINUING EDUCATION in FORENSIC PSYCHOLOGY

Summary

I have attended the following formal presentations and continuing-education workshops on psycholegal topics. Some of this information duplicates the content of the section "Training in Specialized Forensic Assessment."

- ♦ Over 65 trainings relevant to FORENSIC PSYCHOLOGY (excluding formal course work)
- ♦ 20 trainings in SEXUAL OFFENDER RISK ASSESSMENT (attended multiple workshops on Static-99/R, Static-2002/R, and Stable-2007, by Drs. Hanson, Thornton, Phenix, & Harris)
- ♦ 11 trainings with specific emphasis on ISSUES RELATED TO RAPISTS
- ♦ 7 trainings on the PSYCHOPATHIC PERSONALITY
- ♦ 6 trainings on SEXUAL HOMICIDE and/or SEXUAL SADISM
- ♦ 5 trainings on PSYCHOLOGICAL ISSUES IN DEATH PENALTY LITIGATION
- ♦ 5 trainings on COMPETENCY TO STAND TRIAL and/or CRIMINAL RESPONSIBILITY (INSANITY)
- ♦ 3 trainings on EXPERT TESTIMONY

2010 / Multiple presentations at the 29th Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, Phoenix. [2.5 Full Days].

TRAINING IN DEVELOPMENT & SCORING OF THE FORENSIC VERSION OF THE STRUCTURED NEEDS ASSESSMENT (SRA: FV), David Thornton, Ph.D., & Deirdre D'Orazio, Ph.D., at the San Francisco Forensic Institute, San Francisco. [approx. 1.5 Full Days] *NOTE: This training formally qualifies me to score the SRA risk assessment tool with sexual offenders.*

TRAINING IN PROPOSED DIAGNOSTIC CRITERIA [LATEST DRAFT] FOR DSM-V PARAPHILIC DISORDERS, David Thornton, Ph.D. (DSM workgroup Advisor) & Deirdre D'Orazio, Ph.D., at the San Francisco Forensic Institute, San Francisco. [approx.. 1 Full Day]

TRAINING IN SCORING & INTERPRETATION OF THE VIOLENCE RISK SCALE: SEXUAL OFFENDER VERSION (VRS: SO), Mark E. Olver, Ph.D., & Stephen C.P. Wong, Ph.D., California Department of Mental Health (SOCP), Sacramento, California. [2 Full Days] *NOTE: This training formally qualifies me to score and interpret the VRS: SO.*

SOCP ROUNDTABLE [General SVP-Related Issues], Sex Offender Commitment Program, California Department of Mental Health, Sacramento, California.

THE EFFECTS OF AGING ON SEX OFFENDER RECIDIVISM, Howard Barbaree, Ph.D., California Department of Mental Health (SOCP), Monterey, California.

RAPISTS: CLASSIFICATION, DIAGNOSIS, ETIOLOGY, Robert Prentky, Ph.D., California Department of Mental Health (SOCP), Monterey, California.

STATIC RISK ASSESSMENT: UNDERSTANDING & APPLYING THE 2009 NORMS, David Thornton, Ph.D. & Leslie Helmus, Sex Offender Commitment Program Annual Training, California Department of Mental Health, Sacramento, California. [1 Full Day] *NOTE: This training also included information on the recent age-related revisions that form the basis of the Static-99R and Static-2002R.*

2009 / COMPETENCY [TO STAND TRIAL IN CAPITAL CASES], Richard Rogers, Ph.D., ABPP & John Philipsborn, presented at the 2009 Capital Case Defense Seminar, sponsored by California Attorneys for Criminal Justice & the California Public Defenders Association, Monterey, California.

LEGAL DEVELOPMENTS [IN CAPITAL CASES] FOR NON-ATTORNEYS, Elizabeth Semel & Nancy Pemberton, presented at the 2009 Capital Case Defense Seminar, sponsored by California Attorneys for Criminal Justice & the California Public Defenders Association, Monterey, California.

SUBSTANCE ABUSE [IN CAPITAL CASES], (Parts I & II), Alex Stalcup, MD, presented at the 2009 Capital Case Defense Seminar, sponsored by California Attorneys for Criminal Justice & the California Public Defenders Association, Monterey, California.

PROSECUTION MENTAL HEALTH EXAMS, Michael Burt & John Philipsborn, presented at the 2009 Capital Case Defense Seminar, sponsored by California Attorneys for Criminal Justice & the California Public Defenders Association, Monterey, California.

2008 / SCORING THE STATIC-2002 and APPROACHES TO RISK ASSESSMENT, Amy Phenix, Ph.D., California Department of Mental Health (SOCP), Sacramento, California. [1 Full Day] *NOTE: This training formally qualifies me to score and interpret the Static-2002.*

STATIC-99 & STATIC-2002 RECIDIVISM ESTIMATES: NEW EVIDENCE & INTERPRETATIONS, Leslie Helmus, California Department of Mental Health (SOCP), Sacramento, California. [1 Full Day]

ACTUARIAL RISK ASSESSMENT OF ADULT SEX OFFENDERS, Douglas Korpi, Ph.D., Bay Area Chapter of the California Coalition on Sexual Offending, San Leandro, California.

THE ROLE OF THE FORENSIC PSYCHOLOGIST IN DEATH PENALTY LITIGATION, Mark Cunningham, Ph.D., sponsored by the American Academy of Forensic Psychology, San Francisco. [1 Full Day]

CONDUCTING CHILD CUSTODY EVALUATIONS, Marsha Hedrick, Ph.D., sponsored by the American Academy of Forensic Psychology, San Francisco. [1 Full Day]

THE STABLE-2007, Andrew J.R. Harris, Ph.D., Sex Offender Commitment Program Annual Training, California Department of Mental Health, Shell Beach, California. [1.5 Days]

2007 / THE INTERACTION BETWEEN DSM-IV & THE LEGAL DIAGNOSIS OF MENTAL DISORDERS, Allen Frances, MD, California Department of Mental Health (SOCP), Shell Beach, California. [1 Full Day]

DYNAMIC RISK ASSESSMENT: STABLE-2007 & ACUTE-2007 TRAINING, Andrew J.R. Harris, Ph.D., 26th Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, San Diego. [1 Full Day]

THE ROLE OF PSYCHOPATHY IN THE ETIOLOGY, CURRENT MANIFESTATIONS, & LIFE COURSE OF SEXUAL AGGRESSION, chaired by Raymond Knight, Ph.D., 26th Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, San Diego.

RAPISTS & CHILD MOLESTERS: SIMILARITIES & DIFFERENCES OVER THE LIFESPAN, chaired by Raymond Knight, Ph.D., 26th Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, San Diego.

CIVILLY COMMITTED [SEXUAL] OFFENDERS, Geoffrey McKee, Ph.D. & R. Gregg Dwyer, M.D., Ed.D., 26th Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, San Diego.

NEW DATA IMPACTING RISK ASSESSMENT PRACTICES: IMPLICATIONS FOR POLICY & COMMUNITY SUPERVISION, Andrew J.R. Harris, Ph.D., Leslie Helmus, B.A., & Howard Barbaree, Ph.D., 26th Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, San Diego.

PCL-R: REVIEW OF RESEARCH, CLINICAL USE, & CASE APPLICATION, Shoba Sreenivasan, Ph.D., California Department of Mental Health (SOCP), Los Osos, California. [2 Days] *NOTE: This training included several inter-rater reliability scoring exercises, which fulfill Dr. Hare's recommendations.*

MNSOST-R: DEVELOPMENT, RELIABILITY, VALIDITY, SCORING, Doug Epperson, Ph.D., California Coalition on Sexual Offending Tenth Annual Training Conference, San Diego.

VIEW FROM THE JUDICIARY: WHAT WILL THE NEW [JESSICA'S] LAW DO (PANEL)? Bonnie Dumanis, J.D., Richard Gates, J.D. et al., California Coalition on Sexual Offending Tenth Annual Training Conference, San Diego.

COURT TESTIMONY IN SEX OFFENDER CASES, Amy Phenix, Ph.D. & Cameron Page, Esq., Sex Offender Commitment Program Annual Training, California Department of Mental Health, Shell Beach, California.

SEX OFFENDER RISK ASSESSMENT – NEW RESEARCH & METHODS (included training in scoring the Static-99 and Static-2002), R. Karl Hanson, Ph.D., Sex Offender Commitment Program Annual Training, Department of Mental Health, Shell Beach, California. [2 Days]

2006 / CURRENT RESEARCH & CLINICAL APPLICATION OF AFFINITY VIEWING-TIME SCORES, Lane Fischer, Ph.D., David T. Morgan, Ph.D., Peter Byrne, Ph.D., Lisa Cloyd, M.S.E.d., & David Glasgow, 25th Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, Chicago.

ASSESSING & TREATING PSYCHOPATHY, Dennis M. Doren, Ph.D., Pamela M. Yates, Ph.D., & Jan Looman, Ph.D., 25th Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, Chicago.

TREATMENT OF SEXUAL OFFENDERS: WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE? Janice K. Marques, Ph.D., Howard E. Barbaree, Ph.D., Anthony R. Beech, D.Phil., & Richard L. Packard, Ph.D., 25th Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, Chicago.

IMPROVING EXPERT WITNESS TESTIMONY SKILLS ON SEX OFFENDER CASES, Cameron Page, Esq. & Amy Phenix, Ph.D., 25th Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, Chicago.

PREDICTING RECIDIVISM IN ADULT SEX OFFENDERS, Jan Looman, Ph.D. & Lawrence L. Bench, Ph.D., 25th Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, Chicago.

SVP PROGRAMS, THE NEXT GENERATION: EFFECTIVE IMPLEMENTATION OF CIVIL COMMITMENT FOR THE 21st CENTURY, Kenneth Carabello, LCSW et al., 25th Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, Chicago.

TELLING THE STORY: EFFECTIVE EXPERT WITNESS PREPARATION FOR DEPOSITION & TRIAL, Richard Gabriel, Decision Analysis Trial Consultants, Sex Offender Commitment Program Annual Training, Morro Bay, California.

CALIFORNIA LAW ENFORCEMENT TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM (CLETS), Jim Garcia, California Department of Mental Health, Morro Bay, California.

SEX OFFENDER RISK ASSESSMENT & SCORING THE STATIC-99, Amy Phenix, Ph.D., California Department of Mental Health (SOCP), Morro Bay, California.

THE CLINICAL EVALUATION OF THE SEXUALLY VIOLENT PREDATOR, Dale Arnold, Ph.D. & Amy Phenix, Ph.D., California Department of Mental Health (SOCP), Morro Bay, California.

2005 / PREDICTORS OF TREATMENT RESPONSE: AN INVESTIGATION OF FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE TREATMENT RESPONSIVITY IN INCARCERATED HIGHER-RISK RAPISTS, Ida Dickie, Ph.D., 24th Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, Salt Lake City, Utah.

ESTABLISHING A THEORETICAL & RESEARCH-BASED ENHANCED RISK PREDICTION MODEL FOR SEX OFFENDERS, David Thornton, Ph.D. & Anthony R. Beech, Ph.D., 24th Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, Salt Lake City, Utah.

BEYOND STATIC ASSESSMENT: SIGNAL OR NOISE, Andrew J.R. Harris, Ph.D., 24th Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, Salt Lake City, Utah.

SEXUAL ABUSE THROUGH THE LIFESPAN I: ADOLESCENCE & EARLY ADULTHOOD. Symposium chaired by David Thornton, Ph.D. with Dennis Doren, Ph.D., 24th Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, Salt Lake City, Utah.

2003-2004 / INTIMATE PARTNER ABUSE, Kieran Sullivan, Ph.D., Santa Clara, California.

CONDUCTING SEXUAL OFFENDER RISK ASSESSMENTS: THE DETAILS OF WHAT WE KNOW FROM RESEARCH, Dennis M. Doren, Ph.D., 22nd Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, St. Louis, Missouri. [1 Full Day]

OFFENDERS WHO RAPE, Raymond Knight, Ph.D. & Daan van Beek, Ph.D., 22nd Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, St. Louis, Missouri.

VARIATIONS IN THE INCIDENCE OF RAPE ACROSS TIMES & PLACES, Vernon L. Quinsey, Ph.D. & Martin Lalumiere, Ph.D., 22nd Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, St. Louis, Missouri.

ISSUES WITH SEXUAL SADISTS & SEXUAL MURDERERS, Jean Proulx, Ph.D., W.L. Marshall, Ph.D., & Anthony Beech, D.Phil., 22nd Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, St. Louis, Missouri.

ADOLESCENT & ADULT SEXUAL HOMICIDE, J. Reid Meloy, Ph.D., California Coalition on Sexual Offending Sixth Annual Training Conference, San Diego.

CALIFORNIA'S RESPONSE TO SEX OFFENDING: THE STATE OF THE STATE, Tom Tobin, Ph.D., California Coalition on Sexual Offending Sixth Annual Training Conference, San Diego.

TREATMENT OUTCOME RESEARCH: IMPLICATIONS FOR CLINICAL PRACTICE, Janice Marques, Ph.D., California Coalition on Sexual Offending Sixth Annual Training Conference, San Diego.

CHILD ABUSE ASSESSMENT, REPORTING, & TREATMENT, William Barron, Ph.D., MFT, John F. Kennedy University, Orinda, California.

2001-2002 / ASSESSING PSYCHOPATHY WITH THE HARE PSYCHOPATHY CHECKLIST-REVISED (PCL-R), Robert D. Hare, Ph.D. & Adelle E. Forth, Ph.D., in San Francisco. [2 Days]

PSYCHOPATHY & THERAPEUTIC PESSIMISM: A NEED FOR A MODERN VIEW, Randall T. Salekin, Ph.D., A.P.A.'s 109th Annual Convention, San Francisco.

THE PSYCHOBIOLOGY OF VIOLENT CRIME, Adrian Raine, Ph.D., Psychology Department, Metropolitan Detention Center, Los Angeles.

ORIENTATION TO THE HARE PSYCHOPATHY CHECKLIST-REVISED (PCL-R), Kimberly Warner-Chacon, Ph.D., Annette Ermshar, Ph.D., & Koreen Hudak, Psy.D., of Patton State Hospital, at the Psychology Department, Metropolitan Detention Center, Los Angeles.

THE SEXUALLY VIOLENT OFFENDER, Roy Hazelwood, M.S., FBI (ret.), Ontario, California. [2 Days]

PEDOPHILES & CHILD MOLESTERS: A BEHAVIORAL ANALYSIS, Kenneth V. Lanning, FBI, (ret.), Ontario, California. [1 Full Day]

1999 / SYMPOSIUM: COMPETENCY TO STAND TRIAL – MACARTHUR FOUNDATION RESEARCH & NEUROPSYCHOLOGY, Chaired by William E. Foote, Ph.D., A.P.A.'s 107th Annual Convention, Boston.

CLINICAL ASSESSMENT & THE LAW: DIRECTIONS FOR THE 21ST CENTURY (Ninth Annual National Symposium: Mental Health & the Law), Forensic & Clinical Psychology Associates, P.A. and University of Florida College of Law, in Miami Lakes, Florida.

USE OF PSYCHOLOGICAL TESTS IN FORENSIC ASSESSMENTS: ISSUES & PROBLEMS, Chaired by Robert J. Craig, Ph.D., Society for Personality Assessment Midwinter Meeting, New Orleans.

RORSCHACH STUDIES IN THE MECHANISMS OF VIOLENCE, Chaired by Jennifer Kunst, Ph.D., Society for Personality Assessment Midwinter Meeting, New Orleans.

THE INSANITY DEFENSE, David Shapiro, Ph.D., guest lecturer in "Forensic Issues" class at Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

THE PSYCHOPATHIC PERSONALITY, J. Reid Meloy, Ph.D., in Hollywood Beach, Florida. [1 Full Day]

IS PSYCHOLOGY A 'JUNK SCIENCE'? GETTING EXPERT WITNESS TESTIMONY ADMITTED IN THE COURTS, Larry Cohen, Ph.D., J.D., at Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

1997-1998 / DOMESTIC VIOLENCE INFORMATION FOR HELPING PROFESSIONALS, Catherine L. Waltz, Ph.D., at Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

THE VIOLENT MIND, Gregg O. McCrary, former Supervisory Special Agent, FBI Behavioral Science Unit, at Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida. [1 Full Day]

MALINGERING & DECEPTION: CLINICAL & LEGAL ISSUES (Eighth Annual National Symposium: Mental Health & the Law), Forensic & Clinical Psychology Associates, P.A. and the University of Florida College of Law, Miami.

STREET GANGS, Lt. Gary Killam, Town of Davie (FL) Police Department, at Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

FORENSIC NEUROPSYCHOLOGY, Glenn J. Larrabee, Ph.D., at Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

COGNITIVE-BEHAVIORAL TREATMENT OF JUVENILE SEX OFFENDERS, William Crew, at Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

CRIMINAL & JUVENILE JUSTICE: CLINICAL & LEGAL ISSUES (Seventh Annual National Symposium: Mental Health & the Law), University of Miami School of Law and Forensic & Clinical Psychology Associates, P.A., Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

VIOLENCE & YOUTH: TREATMENT & PREVENTION: A MIAMI PERSPECTIVE, the Melissa Institute for Violence Prevention & Treatment, Miami.

OTHER CONTINUING EDUCATION

2003-2004 / CRYSTAL METH. 101, Harm Reduction Training Institute, Oakland. [1 Full Day]

SUPERVISION OF THERAPISTS, Jill S. Levenson, Ph.D. & Sheila Rapa, Psy.D., 22nd Annual Research & Treatment Conference of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, St. Louis, Missouri.

CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY TRAINING, Paul Ehrlich, MFT, at John F. Kennedy University, Orinda, California. [2 Days; 15 hours]

HUMAN SEXUALITY, Matt Harwood, LCSW, through the National Association of Social Workers, Emeryville, California. [1 Full Day; 10 hours]

1999-2001 / WHY GET TRAINING IN PSYCHOPHARMACOLOGY? Chaired by A. Eugene Shapiro, Ph.D., A.P.A.'s 109th Annual Convention, San Francisco.

A DETAILED ANALYSIS OF A SINGLE PSYCHOANALYTIC SESSION, James Grotstein, M.D., Southern California Psychoanalytic Institute, Beverly Hills, California.

SYMPOSIUM: MODELS OF POSTDOCTORAL TRAINING IN FORENSIC PSYCHOLOGY, Chaired by Robin Deutsch, Ph.D., A.P.A.'s 107th Annual Convention, Boston.

SYMPOSIUM: STATE OF THE UNCONSCIOUS – A PSYCHOANALYTIC RASHOMON, Chaired by Douglas B. Bernon, Ph.D. & Jaine L. Darwin, Psy.D., A.P.A.'s 107th Annual Convention, Boston.

1997-1998 / THE MENTAL HEALTH COURT OF BROWARD COUNTY, The Honorable Ginger Lerner-Wren, County Court Judge, at Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

RETURNING ROMANTICISM TO PSYCHOLOGY – A THERAPEUTIC PERSPECTIVE, Chaired by Kirk J. Schneider, Ph.D., A.P.A.'s 106th Annual Convention, San Francisco.

MULTICULTURAL PERSPECTIVES IN THE MENTAL HEALTH FIELD: TRAINING GRADUATE STUDENTS FOR THE NEXT MILLENNIUM, Ethnic Minority Association of Graduate Students at Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

TREATMENT OF SEXUAL ABUSE SURVIVORS, Steven N. Gold, Ph.D., at Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

LAW & ETHICS: IMPROVING PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE OPPORTUNITIES & REDUCING RISKS, Bruce D. Sales, Ph.D., J.D., at Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

OUT OF CONTROL: ADVANCES IN THE SHORT-TERM TREATMENT OF ACTING-OUT ADOLESCENTS, Alice Wiener, Psy.D. & Darrell Mills, Psy.D., Miami Lakes, Florida.

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