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#### **SPECIALTY BOARDS**

Diplomate, American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology

# **PSYCHIATRIC-LEGAL EXPERIENCE NATIONWIDE**

Trial Testimony Qualified in – 1) Psychiatry 2) Media & Communications

## PRIOR HIGH PROFILE CASES include:

Michigan v. Kelli Stapleton (attempted homicide of autistic daughter)

Florida v. Roman (teen felony bullying/attorney Jose Baez)

California v. Redmond O'Neal (drug felony sentencing)

Plaintiffs v. James Arthur Ray (Sedona sweat lodge homicide)

Minor v. Kid Nation (reality TV→emotional distress)

Terri Schiavo (appeal)

Nevada v. Floyd Mayweather (domestic violence)

Michigan v. Jonathan Schmitz (Jenny Jones Talk Show Murder Trial)

Tate v. Larry Johnson/Stacey Augman (NBA paternity and assault)

Celebrity Divorces: Roseanne Barr, Jim Carrey, Jean Claude Van Damme

School Shootings: victims' families v. media

Vega, Rodriguez et al v. Catholic Archdiocese of L.A. (priest molestation)

Jasmer v. Geraldo (emotional distress)

#### **EXPERIENCE (20+ years/hundreds of civil & criminal cases)** includes: High profile

Violence: Murder, Rape, Terrorism, School shootings, Other violence

Professional misconduct: Police, Priests, Malpractice, Wrongful death, Caretaker abuse

Family: Child/Adolescent issues, Divorce/Custody, Abuse (sexual, physical, emotional) of

children/elders, Battered woman, Will contestation

Entertainment: Media-incited copycat behavior, Reality TV, Celebrities

Employment: Sexual harassment, Wrongful termination, Discrimination

Personal Injury: Accidents, Equestrian

<u>Misc.:</u> Malingering, Workers compensation (QME/IME/AME), any case where mental state/emotional distress are at issue.

EXPERT REVIEWER for the MEDICAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA

# **CONGRESSIONAL TESTIMONY**

Congressional Hearing of the Subcommittee on National Security, International Affairs, and Criminal Justice of the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight - "Report from the Front Line: The Drug War in Hollywood"

Statement at U.S. Senator Kent Conrad (D-North Dakota) Press Conference to announce formation of a Citizens Task Force on TV Violence

U.S. Senate Judiciary Committee Joint Hearing, Constitution Subcommittee chaired by Senator Paul Simon

House Judiciary Committee's Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice – "10 Point Plan to Sweep Violence Off TV and Off Our Streets"

#### **FACULTY APPOINTMENTS**

UCLA/NEUROPSYCHIATRIC INSTITUTE

Decades as Assistant Clinical Professor of Psychiatry

Supervision of psychiatry residents; Psychiatry 101 course for medical students; Tutorials for medical students; Post-play discussions for residents, faculty, staff; Support group for women psychiatry residents; Women & Psychiatry course for undergraduates; Psychotherapy for medical students and residents

# NEW YORK UNIVERSITY/BELLEVUE PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITAL Teaching Assistant

Supervision of psychiatry residents; Post-play discussions for residents and faculty; Reading seminar on Psychotherapy of Schizophrenia; Lecture Series on Theories of Personality; Presentation of Grand Rounds: "Schizo-Affective Illness Defies the Dichotomy"; Lecture Series on "Autistic Children" - Dept. of Child Psychiatry; Clinical instruction and lectures on individual topics

## **LEGAL ANALYST for MEDIA**

Media Outlets include -- TV: Larry King, Don Lemon and other CNN programming, The Today Show, Good Morning America, The O'Reilly Factor and other Fox News Network programming, Nancy Grace, Jane Velez Mitchell and other Headline News programming, ABC, CBS and NBC News, BBC, Sky TV, Canadian TV, German TV, French TV, Celebrity Justice, E!, Court TV, Entertainment Tonight; Radio and Print.

Cases analyzed include: Bill Cosby, Terrorists, Couch/Affluenza, Charlie Sheen, Sandra Bland, Robert Durst, Kelli Stapleton, NFL/NBA players: domestic violence, Oscar Pistorius, Ariel Castro/Ohio kidnapping, Jodi Arias, Christopher Dorner, Sandy Hook school shooting, Batman shooter: James Holmes, Dr. Conrad Murray, Casey Anthony, Tiger Woods, Mel Gibson & Oksana, Lindsay Lohan, James Arthur Ray/Sedona sweat lodge, Heene Family ('Balloon Boy'), Jaycee Dugard, Anna Nicole Smith, Nadya Suleman, OJ Simpson, Michael Jackson, Paris Hilton, Britney Spears, Joran Van Der Sloot/Natalee Holloway, Jenny Jones Talk Show Murder, Terri Schiavo, School Shootings, Priest Molestation, Police Brutality, Laci Peterson, Kobe Bryant, Phil Spector, Robert Blake, Menendez brothers, Rodney King, Jon Benet Ramsey and Pres. Clinton impeachment.

Psychiatric Consultant to Paternity Court-Emmy nominated for Outstanding Legal/Courtroom Program-nationally syndicated TV show (first 3 seasons)

#### **EDUCATION**

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK at STONY BROOK

(including organic chemistry at Harvard)

B.A. with Honors in Psychology

Pre-Med; Major-Psychology; Minor-English/Creative Writing

UNIVERSITE DE LOUVAIN, BELGIUM - Medical School - M.D.

UCLA/SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH

POST-DOCTORAL SCHOLAR/NIMH FELLOWSHIP-Psychiatric Epidemiology

-Specialty: Psychiatry and the Media-Using Media for Mental Health

Promotion/Mental Illness Prevention

MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH (M.P.H.)

-Division: Behavioral Science and Health Education

#### **HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS**

Medicine and Psychiatry Training:

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY/BELLEVUE PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITAL - New York City

-Psychiatric Resident (Including Chief Residency at affiliated

MANHATTAN PSYCHIATRIC CENTER)

MAUDSLEY HOSPITAL - London

-Studied under Julian Leff - Expressed Emotion in Families of Schizophrenics

-Learned research techniques measuring "Expressed Emotion" and "Present State Exam"

HAMPSTEAD CLINIC - London

-Studied under Anna Freud - Psychoanalysis

NEW YORK INFIRMARY - New York City - Straight Medical Intern

MT. SINAI HOSPITAL - Hartford, CN - Rotating Sub-Intern (including Psychiatry electives at: CONNECTICUT VALLEY HOSPITAL and MT. ZION HOSPITAL, San Francisco)

#### Past Hospital Appointments:

GATEWAYS HOSPITAL & MENTAL HEALTH CENTER - Los Angeles

- -Director, Day Treatment and Out Patient Depts.
- -Attending Staff Admitting Privileges

METROPOLITAN STATE HOSPITAL - Los Angeles - Educational Consultant

-Lectures and clinical instruction for mental health professionals

WESTWOOD HOSPITAL - Los Angeles - Attending Staff Admitting Privileges

MOTION PICTURE & TV HOSPITAL - Consultant - Los Angeles

#### Current:

CEDARS SINAI HOSPITAL/THALIANS MENTAL HEALTH CENTER - Los Angeles -Emeritus Member of the Medical Staff in the Department of Psychiatry

#### **PRIVATE PRACTICE**

Beverly Hills, California

#### **ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS**

- "The Existential 'School' of Thought...A Study of Existentialism and Education," <u>The Clearing House</u>
- "Ambiguity in the Treatment of the Concept of God in Sein and Zeit (Being and Time) as a Reflection of the Early Theological Education of Martin Heidegger" (a psychological profile), <u>Journal of Religious Studies</u>, 9 #2: 34-41
- "Problems of Women Psychiatric Residents," <u>Psychiatric Quarterly</u>, 53 #3: 175-177
- "Schizo-Affective Illness Defies the Dichotomy...And Keeps DSM III Pondering," Schizophrenia Bulletin, 5 #3: 436-440
- "Compulsive Shopping" Encyclopedia Britannica

#### **BOOKS**

Bad Boys: Why We Love Them, How To Live with Them and When to Leave Them (Dutton/Signet Publishing)

Coping with Terrorism: Dreams Interrupted (European Atlantic Publications)

Lions and Tigers and Terrorists, Oh My! How to Protect Your Child in a Time of Terror (McNae, Marlin and Mackenzie/M3 Publishers) (Release date: 2017)

American Dreams Interrupted: How To Stay Sane and Safe in a Time of Terror (publisher pending)

Bad Girls: Why Men Love Them & How Good Girls Can Learn Their Secrets (Cogito Media)

#### RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

Psychiatry and the Media - Projects include:

- -Seven Warning Signals of Mental Illness-Media Prevention Campaign
- -Effects of TV Programs About Anxiety and Depression: Are Undergrads Who Are Anxious, Depressed or Stressed More 'Tuned In'?
- -Who Calls In To TV Programs About Mental Health & Why?
- -Detection of Depression via TV: Giving the Audience the Zung Depression Scale

Sudden Death and Schizophrenia: Etiological Perspectives

An 'Ideal' Health Care System for the American Schizophrenic

Expressed Emotion in Families of Schizophrenics

Maudsley Hospital, London; Manhattan Psych. Hospital/Bellevue; UCLA

Correlation of Consultation Requests with Consultee Parameters – Bellevue Hospital, New York

Assessment of the Effects of the Mentally III Upon the Psychiatric Personnel with whom they Interact – Honors Thesis – New York

Research Assistant to Dr. Harry Harlow - University of Wisconsin -Surrogate Monkey Mothers and Peer Deprivation

#### PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES - (present)

Beverly Hills Bar Association - Litigation Section Executive Committee

# PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES - Psychiatry (past)

AMERICAN ASSN OF DIRECTORS OF PSYCHIATRIC RESIDENCY TRAINING AMERICAN PSYCHIATRIC ASSOCIATION

Southern California Psychiatric Society

Public Information Committee & Co-Chair

New York County District Branch

Committee on Residency Training; Assistant Editor of Newsletter; Resident Liaison to Executive Council; Chair and Founder, Committee on Residents

L.A. COUNTY MEDICAL WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

MALIBU MEDICAL SOCIETY

Public Information Committee, Chair

NATIONAL INSTITUTES FOR PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION - Board of Governors

N.Y.U./BELLEVUE PSYCHIATRIC SOCIETY - Alumni

THE SOCIETY FOR LIAISON PSYCHIATRY

U.C.L.A. NEUROPSYCHIATRIC INSTITUTE – Clinical Faculty Association

# **INVITED BIOGRAPHICAL INCLUSIONS**

Biography International

**Directory of Medical Specialists** 

Dictionary of International Biography

International Directory of Distinguished Leadership

International Who's Who in Medicine

Personalities of the Americas

The Directory of Distinguished Americans

The International Book of Honor

The World Who's Who of Women

Who's Who of American Women

Who's Who Among Young American Professionals

Who's Who Among Human Service Professionals

Who's Who in California

5,000 Personalities of the World

Who's Who in the West

Who's Who in Executives and Professionals

And more....