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## SUMMARY

License-eligible Doctor of Clinical Psychology with nearly 10 years of experience working with culturally diverse populations with a strong desire to deliver quality in business and clinical intervention including sound consultation, counsel and advice, excellent listening skills, extensive supervisory and administrative experience, outstanding customer service, and technical knowledge and skill in electronic media production. Has demonstrated willingness to take on challenging new assignments, hit the ground running, and come up to speed through hard work and great attention to detail. Experience includes:

- Executive Administration & Office Management/Supervision
- Clinical Practice Building & Business Development
- Case Management & Collaborative Teamwork
- Individual/Group Crisis Intervention to Implement Behavior Change to Increase Health and Wellbeing
- Teaching & Tutoring Middle School through Graduate School
- Public Presentation & Lectures
- Published Author & Peer-Review Editor
- Filmmaking: Writing, Directing, Producing, & Project Development/Consultation

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**Psychology Assistant**, Union Street Health Associates, San Francisco, CA May, 2010 - Present

- Running private psychotherapy practice under supervision, providing therapy under insurance, employee assistance programs (EAP), or private pay.
- Providing individual and group therapy with adults struggling with mild to severe mental illness.
- Administering psychological evaluations for clinical disposition & eligibility for reasonable testing accommodations.

**Associate Consultant**, Media Research Associates (MRA), San Francisco, CA April, 2010-Present

- Moderating monthly Town Hall meetings for both aspiring and established filmmakers, producers, and investors.
- Administering focus groups to produce actionable market research for internet start-ups in emerging media space.
- Providing organization development and consultation to producers, filmmakers, and artists on media projects in pursuit of financing and distribution.

**Executive Director**, Association for Transpersonal Psychology (ATP), Palo Alto, CA February, 2003-Present

- Developed executive experience to help broaden the international network of collaborators including a 25% increase in membership and subscription to this seminal and unique psychology association.
- Helped advance the development of online presence with implementation of social networking and creation of digital archive of multimedia content.
- Established a personalized contact with the expanding international reach with individual and institutional members.
- Oversaw office manager personnel in supervisory role, including over twenty volunteers during preparation, implementation, and resolution of annual events and international professional conferences.

**Substitute Teacher**, Sacred Heart Schools, Atherton, CA August, 2012 – November, 2012

- Taught Academic Support Center (ASC) program to help middle school students (6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade) develop organizational, time-management, note-taking, and reading skills to enhance personal, emotional, spiritual, and academic success.
- Developed and taught a curriculum in mindfulness geared to the needs of middle school students with learning differences.
- Developed an anti-bullying curriculum designed to teach lessons about relationships and empathy to elementary school children.
- Produced a short film designed to teach students appropriate behavior throughout the school campus according to “The Code of the Heart.”

**Art Therapist**, Sequoia Center Addiction Treatment Center, Redwood City, CA February 2009-July 2012

- Provided weekly expressive arts groups for outpatient, residential, and sub-acute patients struggling with chemical dependency to narcotics and addiction to alcohol and other drugs.
- Exercises included image-making, creative writing, collage, movement, and performance in the service of introspection and psycho-spiritual development.
- Other responsibilities included group process, meditation, and maintenance of the safety of the creative space.

**Clinical Therapist Intern**, San Mateo County Mental Health, San Mateo, CA August, 2009 – June, 2010

- Administered and prepared court-mandated neuropsychological assessments and psycho-diagnostic evaluations and reports on incarcerated adolescents to determine clinical disposition and treatment planning.
- Provided intakes, peer-groups, and individual psychotherapy and behavioral management of emotionally disturbed, neurologically impaired, chemically dependent, mentally ill and/or developmentally disabled adolescents.
- Provided psychological consultation services with treatment team of psychiatrists/physicians and interdisciplinary teams of community workers, teachers, probation officers, judges, and security agents to foster emotional and behavioral support systems for incarcerated adolescents.

**Clinical Therapist Intern**, San Mateo County Mental Health, Half Moon Bay, CA August, 2006 – June, 2007

- Provided clinical assessments to determine treatment planning and level of care.
- Provided individual psychotherapy, peer-groups, and case presentations for adolescents, adults, and elders coping with moderate to severe mental illness.
- Worked alongside treatment team to involve families, community workers, and County service providers to foster emotional and behavioral support systems for consumers of community mental health services.

**Clinical Therapist Intern**, Adolescent Counseling Services, Palo Alto, CA August, 2004 – June, 2006

- Provided intakes, peer-groups, and individual counseling for adolescents and their families.
- Developed treatment plans in the diversion from gang involvement and the abuse and dependency of alcohol and other drugs.
- Developed Individualized Education Programs for students in collaboration with teachers, families, and administrators.

**ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE:** Pearson Certified eCollege (Online) Instructor (2012); CPR Certified (2009); Guest Lecturer Santa Clara University (2012); Guest Lecturer Institute for Medical Education (2011); Teaching Assistant / Research Assistant in Graduate School (2006 – 2009); High School Tutor (2009); Substitute High School Teacher (2007 – 2009); Presented Original Research at International Professional Conferences (2006 – 2010); Vipassana Mindfulness Meditation Practitioner (2005 – present); Certified KARA Grief Counselor (2005); Documentary Filmmaker (2005 – 2006); Published Original Peer-Review Research (2005); Residential Coordinator (1998 – 2000)

## **EDUCATION**

**Institute for Transpersonal Psychology** – Palo Alto, CA

Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology, 2009: Dissertation topic: Effects of Video Guided Relaxation on Adolescent Stress

M.A. in Transpersonal Psychology, 2005 with Specialization in Transpersonal Education and Research (TERS)

**Oberlin College** – Oberlin, OH

B.A. in Interdisciplinary Studies: Psychology of Film, minor in Film, 2001

**TECHNICAL SKILLS:** Microsoft Windows, Word, PowerPoint, Access, Excel, Outlook; Statistical Package for the Social Sciences; Digital Videography & Final Cut Pro.