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### PROFESSIONAL PREPARATION

1979-1982	Ph.D., Psychology The Union Institute
1969-1970 1964-1965	M.S.W., Psychiatric Social Work Columbia University, School of Social Work
1963-1964	Mangold Language Institute, Madrid, Spain Alliance Française, Paris, France
1961-1963	B.A., Psychology (cum laude) University of Southern California
1960-1961	Pomona College

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## **Teaching**

1981-2008	University of California, San Diego Continuing Medical Education Addiction Training Center
1982-1988	California School of Professional Psychology San Diego, California Addictive Behavior
1982-1984	San Diego State University San Diego, California Health Science, Women's Studies
1983-1984	Professional School of Humanistic Psychology San Diego, California Counseling Psychology
1983-1984	United States International University San Diego, California Counseling Psychology

**Teaching** (cont.) 1983-1984 University of Southern California

Los Angeles, California

Social Psychology

1984-2003 University of Utah

Salt Lake City, Utah Addiction Studies

Consultation

Actveda, San Paulo, Brail

(representative listing)

Resource and consultant for juvenile justice

Arizona Department of Juvenile Corrections

System analysis and recommendations for gender-responsive services

Betty Ford Treatment Center, Rancho Mirage, California

Program design and institutional development

California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR)

Development of gender-responsive and trauma-informed services

Center for Dependency, Addiction and Rehabilitation (CeDAR), Denver, CO

Development of gender-responsive and trauma-informed services

Center for Substance Abuse Prevention, Washington, D.C.

Resource and expert consultant

Center for Substance Abuse Treatment, Washington, D.C.

Resource and staff development

Program assessment

TIP workgroup chair (Women's TIP and Trauma TIP)

Connecticut Women's Consortium

Development of gender-responsive and trauma-informed services

Cook County, Illinois, Sheriff's Department

Department of Women's Justice Services

Program development

Correctional Services of Canada

Design of gender-responsive and trauma-informed services

Departments of Correction and Probation, NYC

Department of Homeless Services, NYC

Facilitation of discharge planning process

Department of Corrections, Pennsylvania

Training and consultation

Program development and system analysis

### **Consultation** (cont.)

Drumond Street Services, Melbourne, Australia

Development of gender-responsive and trauma-informed services

Federal Bureau of Prisons, Carswell, Texas *Training and consultation* 

McFarland Female Community Reentry Facility, McFarland, California Development of gender-responsive and trauma-informed services

Georgetown University Law Center Marginalized girls advisory group

Las Colinas Detention & Reentry Facility, San Diego, California Program design and institutional development

National Drug Research Institute/Curtin University, Perth, Australia Development of gender-responsive program for violent women

National GAINS Center for Evidence-Based Programs in the Justice System *Advisory workgroup* 

National Institute of Corrections, Washington, D.C. *Consultant, trainer and researcher* 

North Carolina Department of Mental Health Training and supervision women's program coordinators Developed and presented fifteen annual training conferences

One Small Thing, London, England Development of Becoming Trauma Informed systems change process in male and female estates

Oxfordshire Probation Service, Oxford, England Development of a learning organization

Personal Performance Consultants, St. Louis, Missouri Trained Employee Assistance Program providers

Pine Grove Behavioral Health, Hattiesburg, Mississippi Development of the Women's Center

RIKK – Institute for Gender, Equality and Difference, University of Iceland *Development of gender-responsive and trauma-informed services* 

Ruskin College, Oxford, England Conducted addiction training seminars

United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, Vienna Developed gender-responsive treatment report

### **Consultation** (cont.)

Universität Bern, Switzerland

Development of gender-responsive and trauma-informed services

Women@Risk Coalition, London, England

Development of gender-responsive and trauma-informed services

Young Presidents' Organization

Conducted programs for CEOs and spouses

## Presentations

(representative listing)

Alcohol and Drug Problems Association, Chicago, IL

Alcoholism Center for Women, Los Angeles, CA

American Association of Sex Educators, Counselors, and

Therapists, San Diego, CA; and Phoenix, AZ

American Correctional Association

American Probation and Parole Association

American Society of Criminology

Annual Women & Addiction Conference, North Carolina

Department of Mental Health

Annual Women & Addiction Conference, South Carolina

Association of Women in Psychology Conference, Boston, MA; Seattle, WA; and Indianapolis, IN

Betty Ford Treatment Center, Rancho Mirage, CA

Biola University, La Mirada, CA

California Conference on Alcoholism, Pacific Grove, CA

California Guidance Association Seminar, Honolulu, HI

California State Psychological Association Conference

California Women's Commission on Alcoholism, San Diego,

Sacramento and Asilomar, CA

Child Welfare League 2005 National Girls Initiative, Scottsdale, AZ

Christchurch School of Medicine, Winter School, New Zealand

### **Presentations** (cont.)

Department of Mental Health, Guam

Edgehill Newport Foundation, Newport, RI

Ersta Hospital, Stockholm, Sweden

Her Majesty's Prison Service (HMPS), United Kingdom

International Addiction Training Center, Cashel, Ireland

International Congress on Alcohol & Drug Dependence, Tangiers, Morocco and Calgary, Canada

International Institute on Alcoholism and Addictions, Belgrade, Yugoslavia; Athens, Greece; Rome, Italy

Mid-South Summer School, Arkansas

Ministry of Justice, Burn, Switzerland

Monash University, Prato, Italy

National Association of Alcoholism Counselors

National Association of Social Workers

National Council on Alcoholism, Orange and San Diego, CA; Phoenix, AZ; Atlanta, GA

National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA), Bethesda, MD

National Women's Studies Association Conference, Arcata, CA

National Roundtable for Women in Prison, Washington, DC; New York, NY; Atlanta, GA

National Workshop on Adult and Juvenile Offenders, South Carolina; Minnesota; Chicago; Maine; Mississippi; Utah; Connecticut; California

New York Department of Parole

New York City Department of Probation

Northeast Conference on Addictions, Albany, NY

United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, Vienna, Austria

University of California, San Diego, Medical Conferences

**Presentations** (cont.) University of Cambridge, Cambridge, United Kingdom

Western Society of Criminology

Women's Justice Alliance, NY

World Sexology Conference, Washington, DC

Young Presidents' Organization, Puerto Vallarta, Mexico

### **CLINICAL PRACTICE**

1981–2010 Individual, Couples, and Family Therapy

Specializing in Chemical Dependency and Other Addictions

Licensed Clinical Social Worker

Licensed Marriage, Family, and Child Therapist

1994 – present Co-director

Institute for Relational Development

Del Mar, California

2000 – present Co-director

Center for Gender & Justice

Del Mar, California

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

With L. Fischer, M. Wilson, P. Schofield, J. Jones, A. Kariminia, E. Barrett, K. Dean, E. Sullivan, and T. Butler. "Exposure to Childhood Adversity and Intimate Partner Violence in a Sample of Incarcerated Women in Australia." *International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology*, under review.

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"Creating a Trauma-Informed Justice System for Women." *The Wiley Handbook on What Works with Girls and Women in Conflict with the Law: A Critical Review of Theory, Practice, and Policy.* Edited by L. Gelsthorpe & S. Brown. United Kingdom: John Wiley & Sons Ltd, 2022.

With D. Griffin and R. Dauer. *Helping Men Recover: A Program for Treating Addiction* (with a special edition for the criminal justice system). San Francisco, CA: Jossey-Bass, 2011, rev. 2022.

With E. Russo. *Healing Trauma+: A Brief Intervention for Women and Gender-Diverse People*. Center City, MN: Hazelden, 2021.

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With Rodriguez, R. A Young Man's Guide to Self-Mastery. Hoboken, NJ: John Wiley & Sons, Inc., 2021.

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Becoming Trauma Informed: Working with Women and Men in the Community (men and women's version) (United Kingdom edition). Del Mar, CA: Center for Gender & Justice, 2020.

With N. Messina and B. Bloom. "Gender-Responsive Approaches for Women in the United States." In *Routledge Companion to Rehabilitative Work in Criminal Justice*, pgs 633-650. Edited by P. Ugwudike, H. Graham, F. McNeill, P. Raynor, F. Taxman and C. Totter. London, England: Routledge, September 2019.

With G. Fedock. "Theoretical Models of Female Violent Offending." *The SAGE Encyclopedia of Criminal Psychology*. Edited by R. Morgan. Thousand Oaks, CA: Safe Publications, Inc., August 2019.

Helping Women Recover: A Program for Treating Addiction (with a special edition for the criminal justice system). San Francisco: Jossey-Bass, 1999, rev. 2008, and 2019.

Becoming Trauma Informed: Working with Women in Correctional Settings (United States edition). Del Mar, CA: Center for Gender & Justice, 2012, rev. 2018.

Becoming Trauma Informed: A Training Programme for Criminal Justice Professionals (women's version) (United Kingdom edition). Del Mar, CA: Center for Gender & Justice, 2015, rev. 2018.

Becoming Trauma Informed: A Training Programme for Criminal Justice Professionals (men's version) (United Kingdom edition). Del Mar, CA: Center for Gender & Justice, 2018.

With S. Bloom. Moving from Trauma-Informed to Trauma-Responsive: A Training Program for Organizational Change. Center City, MN: Hazelden, 2018.

With K. Selvaggi and T. Rothschild. Foreward to *Trauma-Informed Empowerment Reinforcement* (TIER) *System for Girls*. Author, 2012, rev. 2018.

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Beyond Violence: A Prevention Program for Criminal Justice-Involved Women. Hoboken, NJ: John Wiley & Sons, Inc., 2013.

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Libro de Ejercicios. (A Woman's Way through the Twelve Steps workbook in Spanish). Center City, MN: Hazelden, 2010.

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With C. Burke, S. Keaton and C. Norcott, "Evaluation of a Trauma-Informed and Gender-Responsive Intervention for Women in Drug Treatment." *Journal of Psychoactive Drugs*, SARC Supplement 5, November 2008, 387-398.

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Mujeres en Recuperacion: Entendiendo la Adiccion. Carson City, NV: The Change Companies, 2002.

"Helping Women Recover: Creating Gender-Responsive Treatment." In L. Straussner and S. Brown, eds., *Handbook of Women's Addictions Treatment.* San Francisco: Jossey-Bass, 2002.

With B. Bloom & B. Owen. "A Theoretical Basis for Gender-Responsive Strategies in Criminal Justice." Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois, November 2002.

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"Creating Gender-Responsive Programs: The Next Step for Women's Services." *Corrections Today*, February 2001.

With B. Bloom. "Gendered Justice: Programming for Women in Corrections Settings." Paper presented at the 52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, Calif., November 2000.

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"Creating Gender-Specific Treatment for Substance-Abusing Women and Girls in Community Correctional Settings." Civic Research Institute, *Offender Programs Report* 3(3) (September/October 1999).

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With B. Bloom. "Gender-Specific Programming for Female Offenders: What Is It and Why Is It Important?" Paper presented at the 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Washington, D.C., November 1998.

"The Relational Theory of Women's Psychological Development: Implications for the Criminal Justice System." Paper presented at the 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Washington, D.C., November 1998.

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"Alcohol, Addiction and Sexual Dysfunction." In Edith Freeman, ed., *Substance Abuse Treatment*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications, 1993.

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"Sororities of Helping and Healing: Women and Mutual Help Groups." In Paula Roth, ed., *Alcohol and Drugs are Women's Issues*. Metuchan, NJ: Scarecrow Press, 1991

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With J. Kohen. "Women, Alcohol, & Sexuality." Advances in Alcohol and Substance Abuse 4 (1) (Fall 1984).

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"Sex and Alcohol: What Do Women Tell Us?" In *Proceedings of the 33rd International Congress on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence*, Tangiers, Morocco, 1982.

"Sexual Experience, Dysfunction, and Abuse: A Descriptive Study of Alcoholic and Nonalcoholic Women." Dissertation. Ann Arbor, Mich: University Microfilms, 1982.

#### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Advisory Council for Women's Services, SAMHSA
American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy
American Board of Medical Psychotherapists, Diplomate
American Board of Sexology, Diplomate
American Correctional Association
American Psychological Association
American Society of Criminology
Association of Women in Psychology
International Council on Alcoholism and Addictions
(past chair, Women's Committee)
National Association of Social Workers, Diplomate
Western Society of Criminology