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EDUCATIONAL & PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

- RUTGERS UNIVERSITY, B.S. 1948 ;
- NEW YORK UNIVERSITY, M.A. 1952 and Ph.D.1958 in SOCIOLOGY AND CRIMINOLOGY;
- GRAND VALLEY (MICHIGAN) STATE UNIVERSITY, HONORARY "DOCTOR OF LAWS" DEGREE, 2001;
- CALIFORNIA BOARD OF BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES LICENSE: MARRIAGE & FAMILY THERAPIST (MFT 21997)

PROFESSORSHIPS IN SOCIOLOGY, CRIMINOLOGY, AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

- 1963-Present. CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, NORTHRIDGE, Professor of Sociology and Criminology, (Chairperson 1964-1969, Emeritus 1994).
- 1994-1996 TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY-COMMERCE. Distinguished Professor of Sociology and Criminal Justice.
- 1961-1963 UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT LOS ANGELES, Associate Professor of Sociology .
- 1958-1961 UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS, Associate Professor of Sociology and Criminology

VISITING LECTURER AND PART-TIME TEACHING

- 1952-1958 CITY COLLEGE of NEW YORK, Department of Sociology (Taught Criminology to New York City Police Officers in a joint program with the NYPD);
- 1956-1958; COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, Department of Sociology; (Taught courses in Criminology and Social Deviance);
- 1960-61 HARVARD UNIVERSITY, Department of Social Relations (Taught "Social Psychology of Crime" ; and presented lectures on criminal- legal issues in several programs in the Harvard Law School.

BOOKS PUBLISHED

1. The Violent Gang (Macmillan 1962, Penguin 1966 and Irvington Press 1983)
2. Synanon The Tunnel Back (Macmillan 1965, Penguin 1967, Ernst Klett-German Edition)
3. The Hippie Trip (Pegasus 1968 and Penguin 1973).
4. Robopaths: People As Machines (Bobbs-Merrill 1972, Penguin, 1973, Dutch and Japanese Editions).
5. Crime and Delinquency (Rand-McNally, 1970, 3rd Ed., (Houghton-Mifflin 1982)
6. Criminology, 4th Ed. (HarperCollins 1990) New Edition.
7. Juvenile Delinquency, 4th Ed. (HarperCollins, 1988)
8. George Raft A Biography of Hollywood and Stardom, (McGraw-Hill, 1974; Mercury Press 1989).
9. Psychodrama: Resolving Emotional Problems Through Role-Playing (Basic Books-HarperCollins 1976, Brunner/Mazel 1992, Translated into German, Italian, & Spanish Editions.)
10. The Extra Sex Factor (New York-Times Books, 1979.)
11. The Little League Game (New York-Times Books, 1979.)
12. Fathers and Sons (Simon and Schuster 1982, Fireside Press 1984, Gardner Press, 1990. Translated into German, Italian, Dutch, Spanish, Czech and Portuguese Editions.)
13. The Therapeutic Community: A Successful Approach For Treating Substance Abusers (Gardner Press, 1989 & Paperback 1994, German and Italian Editions.)
14. The Emotional Meaning of Money (Gardner Press 1991. Chinese, Korean, Taiwan, & German Editions.)
15. Gangsters: 50 Years of Madness, Drugs and Death on the Streets Of America (New York University Press, 1997. Paperback Edition, 1998).
16. Juvenile Delinquency: Into the 21st Century. (Wadsworth Press, 2000)
17. Criminology: Into the 21st Century (In process 2001. Contracted

for Publication with Allyn & Bacon Publishers-The Educational Division of Simon & Schuster Publications.)

18. Numerous articles published in professional journals on sociology, criminology and criminal justice.

LECTURES AND PAPERS PRESENTED AT SOCIAL SCIENCE CONFERENCES

I have presented over 150 lectures and papers at various social science meetings and conferences. Notable among these are the following:

- American Sociological Association (Several Meetings);
- United Nations Conference on International Criminal Justice, Crime, and Delinquency (London 1960);
- American Association for the Advancement of Science (Philadelphia 1962);
- California Probation Officer's Association (San Diego 1965);
- American Psychiatric Association Meetings (Chicago 1965 and Toronto 1977);
- International Congress of Group Psychotherapy (Amsterdam 1972);
- California District Attorney's Association (San Diego 1976);
- World Federation of Therapeutic Communities (Rome 1985);
- International Conference on Substance Abuse (Amsterdam 1986);
- Conference of the California Attorney's For Criminal Justice (Monterey, 1988);
- European Conference of Therapeutic Communities (Berlin, 1990);
- Conference on the Treatment of AIDS (Turin, 1991);
- Conference, Kethea Therapeutic Community (Athens, 1992);
- World Congress of Psychotherapy, Keynote Speaker, (Vienna, 1996);
- American Society of Criminology (1997);
- Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences (1998);
- By invitation of the Italian Government, Lecturing and Training mental health professionals working with AIDS/HIV patients in 3 weeklong workshops in group psychotherapy and psychodrama method and theory in the CTS therapeutic community in Torino. (1998).
- World Congress of Psychotherapy (Vienna, 1999);
- Presented Lectures on "The Role of a Gang Expert Witness in the Criminal Justice System" to the Los Angeles County Bar Association (LA, 1998) and the California Public Defenders Association (Anaheim, 2001) American Sociological Association-Sociological Practice Section (Anaheim, 2001).

LEGAL CONSULTANT/EXPERT WITNESS QUALIFICATIONS AND ACTIVITY

1. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, COMMUNITY CRIME PREVENTION PROGRAM, NEW YORK

CITY. My work over a 5 year period as Director of a Crime Prevention Program for the Morningside Heights, Inc. community improvement agency, organized and financially supported by fourteen major educational, religious and medical institutions, comprises an important part of my qualifications me for my work as a legal-consultant and expert witness in the criminal justice system. The institutions I worked for, as Director of the Crime Prevention Program, included: Columbia University, Barnard College, Teachers College, St. Lukes Hospital, Julliard, and Riverside Church. As Director of the program, I coordinated various community crime prevention projects on the upper West Side of Manhattan for these institutions who were experiencing a variety of criminal activities including burglaries, violent offenses, and gang vandalism and violence. I was a consultant on appropriate security prevention methods for security systems and dealt with over hundred security guards who were protecting these 14 prominent institutions. My role involved advising the security personnel of these institutions on effective crime prevention and security measures for preventing crime in the buildings and surrounding areas. My work included analyzing crime scenes and situations to determine the legal and financial responsibility of the institutions in various criminal, civil cases and law suits brought against the institutions. This work also involved me in providing consultations to the institutions on relating appropriately to the New York Police Department, and the judicial processes in various court cases.

2. LEGAL CONSULTANT/EXPERT WITNESS ACTIVITY. My research and experience over the past 50 years as a criminologist has involved me in almost every facet of the American crime problem. My research into all aspects of crime and delinquency, my therapeutic treatment of both criminals and juvenile delinquents in prisons and psychiatric hospitals, the writing of numerous books-including two widely adopted textbooks, my work in the field of crime prevention, and my role as a professor at several major universities has provided me with a wide array of knowledge that qualifies me for the role of legal consultant and expert witness in the criminal justice system. In the context of this background and experience, I have participated In the criminal justice system through aiding lawyers in the preparation of testimony, given depositions, and testified in court as an expert witness in over 60 judicial cases.

I have been approved as an Expert-Witness on issues of violent gangs, homicide, domestic violence, and business security in the Superior Courts of: Los Angeles County; San Diego County; San Francisco County; Riverside County; Ventura County; Sacramento County; San Jose County; Monterey County; San Joaquin County-Stockton; Allegheny County-Pittsburgh, Pa.; Orange County; Pima County- Tucson, Az; New York County; the United States District Court-Central District of California; and the State of Florida Law Offices of The Capital Regional Counsel.

Following are some of the cases I have participated in as a legal-consultant and expert-witness: A violent gang murder trial in New York County Court. Based on my book THE VIOLENT GANG I testified on the structure and behavior of violent gangs; Consulted In preparation of testimony related to a Hells Angels Gang murder; Testified on the nature of gang behavior in a trial involving the first degree murder of a gang member by another violent gang member in Hollywood; Consulted on a case related to the value of security guards in a homicide incident in a community center; Participated in a case related to the responsibility and liability of a Home Savings and Loan bank in the robbery of a client outside the bank; Participated in a case involving the legal responsibility of a shopping center corporation related to a gang youth shot in front of an arcade in the mall by another gang member; Consulted and testified in a case related to an insurance companies legal responsibility for a client's relative involved in an accident that killed a woman. I have participated in over 45 cases involving gang homicides and violence. A major aspect of this expert-witness work is to determine who is a gang member in the context of California's "gang enhancement law" 186.22.

3. SOME RESPONSES FROM ATTORNEYS TO MY WORK AS AN EXPERT- WITNESS.

(a) Notable in my overall work as an expert witness was my testimony in a landmark case, known as the "Denney Case." Reginald Denney was one of eight victims in a specific violent mob situation that occurred in the April 1992 Los Angeles Riots that followed the court decision in the police-Rodney King case . I testified as an expert witness for the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office on various sociological theories of collective behavior as they relate to the role and responsibility of individual criminal acts in the context of mob riot behavior, in a rebuttal to some assertions made by a defense witness in the case. About my participation in this case, one of the Los Angeles County District Attorneys wrote me, in part: "Your scholarly and articulate commentary from the witness stand helped to communicate to the jury that people must be held accountable for their violent behavior in the context of any kind of

mob action. Your testimony was significant in the trial, and was very helpful to the prosecution in obtaining the convictions we did and gaining some measure of justice from these tragic events. The case resulted in a published decision by the Court of Appeal, *People v. Williams* (1996) 46 Cal.App 4th 1767. I look forward to using your services as an expert witness in this area if the subject arises in another case."

(b) In December 1998 I was invited to present a lecture to the Los Angeles County Bar Association on my work as a gang-expert witness. My presentation was well received and I received the following letter from the Director of the Program. "In my position as Director of the Los Angeles County Bar Association Indigent Criminal Defense, Appointments (ICDA) Program, I am pleased to sincerely thank you for your excellent presentation of your paper, "The Role of a Gang Expert-Witness in the Criminal Justice System" to our group of some 200 lawyers at our 1998 Winter Seminar. Your lecture was not only very interesting, it provided the attorneys present with some valuable insights into the complex legal issues of gang behavior that attorneys around the country increasingly have to deal with in gang court cases. As you cogently presented in your lecture, there are many myths and biases about gang members that can significantly affect the outcome of a jury's decision to either convict or acquit an indigent defendant. Many of the ICDA attorneys who attended your lecture have expressed to me their appreciation of your pedagogic insight into the behavior of gangs, and how this knowledge is useful in the rendering of just decisions in the criminal justice system. I am sure that many of the attorneys who attended the lecture, based on your extensive work as an expert-witness, have already used the legal and sociological arguments that you effectively articulated in their courtroom practice. We are most grateful for your articulate and pragmatic contribution to the work of our ICDA attorneys, and look forward to the possibility of a return lecture engagement sometime in the future." Sincerely, Gustavo Diaz, Director. On February 4, 2001 I presented a lecture on "The Role of The Expert-Witness in Gang Cases" for the California Association of Public Defenders in Anaheim.

(c) In 2000 I testified in several gang homicide cases regarding the participation of several defendants in violent gang behavior. Notable among these cases [5/10/00] was a youth charged with First-Degree Murder who, in my opinion, had no gang involvement, and "was in the wrong place at the wrong time." He had attended a wedding and was given a ride home by two youths who were previously unknown to him. They were violent gangsters who during the ride, spontaneously opened fire on a youth group, shot and killed one person, and wounded 3 others. In my opinion the youth charged with a 187 offense was more of a witness than a perpetrator. Based, in part, on my testimony he

was acquitted on all charges. The attorney in the case wrote me as follows: "I am extremely pleased to report that Gerardo, his mother, his aunt, and I (as well as a packed courtroom) listened to the clerk read 16 verdicts of "not guilty." What a relief! The defendant needed Kleenex as he had tears running down his face. He periodically looked at the jury and mouthed, "thank you." Mrs. A and her sister were also in tears in the audience. The two shooters were convicted of the most serious crimes across the board... Your name did come up in my short discussions with some of the jurors in the hallway. There were two jurors - one lady in the back row and one man in the front row --who particularly liked you. They both said they were going to go out and buy your "Gangster" book. They agreed with my closing argument that the primary message that you brought to this trial was that one had to look at the overall picture, not just the negative factors, in deciding whether a person was a gangster. They felt that Detective A [the prosecutor's expert-witness] had overreached in labeling Gerardo a gang member and your analysis was more thoughtful. The front row juror-encouraged me to seek the removal of Gerardo's name from [the California] law enforcement's gang-database. I told him I would indeed seek that relief... I want to thank you for your hard work and intelligent courtroom presentation. Your counsel was something I valued and you certainly assisted me in better representing an innocent young man."

PSYCHOTHERAPY TREATMENT AND TRAINING POSITIONS

From 1951-1953 I performed all facets of work as Youth Division Supervisor at the Essex County New Jersey Juvenile House of Detention in treating juvenile delinquents being held in custody, awaiting court disposition ; Also during this period, I directed group psychotherapy and psychodrama groups with criminal/addicts at New York City's Rikers Island Prison, and the Riverside Hospital for adolescent drug addicts; From 1965-1982 I was a Consultant and Trainer in group psychotherapy and psychodrama methods to the psychotherapy staff at several California State Hospitals located at Camarillo, Metropolitan State Hospital, and Atascadero State Hospital; From 1983-1994 I directed group psychotherapy and Psychodrama sessions with adolescent and adult patients at VAN NUYS PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITAL, COLDWATER CANYON PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITAL; and the C.P.C. WESTWOOD PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITAL where I was Director of Psychodrama and Group Therapy Services from 1985 to 1990.

TRAINER AND CONSULTANT TO VARIOUS THERAPEUTIC-COMMUNITY PROJECTS

Since 1985. I have directed over 30 weeklong workshops on psychodrama and group psychotherapy for mental health professionals at various correctional institutions, prisons, and training institutes in the

U.S., Europe and Japan. This type of training was directed in Therapeutic Communities in Rome, Turin, Berlin and Athens. In 1994, by invitation, I was a consultant to the Japan Ministry of Justice and gave lectures in Tokyo on group methods for their Criminal Justice System. In 1998, as previously indicated, I was invited by the Italian Government to utilize psychodrama and group therapy methods in the training of mental health professionals working with HIV/AIDS patients in three weeklong workshops at the CTS therapeutic community in Turin, Italy.

Since 1990, I have been a consultant and directed group therapy and psychodrama sessions for Amity Inc. with a variety of prisoners incarcerated in the California Department of Corrections Donovan Prison in San Diego and Lancaster Prison; and the Texas Department of Corrections prison in Beaumont, Texas. These projects involve special research and a psychotherapeutic effort at resocializing several hundred inmates housed in these prisons. The projects involves both ex-criminal and professional therapeutic agents in a "therapeutic community" modality for rehabilitating offenders in these prison programs.

COMMUNITY, RESEARCH AND CONSULTANT POSITIONS

1965-Present. CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF PSYCHODRAMA, LOS ANGELES
President and Executive Director This is an educational and consulting organization on the theory and practice of psychodrama and group psychotherapy;

1949-1960. MORENO INSTITUTE, NEW YORK. Director of Group Therapy Projects;

1949-1950 NYU - GRADUATE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY Research Associate in a five-year Juvenile Delinquency Research Project;

1958 ROCKEFELLER BROTHERS ORGANIZATION

Consultant. Prepared special reports analyzing the overall delinquency problem in New York State for then candidate and later Governor of New York, Nelson Rockefeller .

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Sociological Association; American Society of Group Psychotherapy and Psychodrama (President, 1958); Authors League of America; The Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences; and The American Society of Criminology. United States Navy (1943-1946).

TELEVISION PROGRAMS AND MEDIA ARTICLES

In 1967 I was a consultant to Edward R. Murrow on a network gang delinquency program produced by CBS, 'Who Killed Michael Farmer? - The Story of A Gang Killing'. In 1972, I Directed a psychodrama series for the PUBLIC BROADCASTING SYSTEM entitled "The Family Game". It was shown on the PBS National network of over 200 stations in 12 one hour TV programs. In the course of my career and book publications, I have appeared on over 150 television programs discussing a variety of criminology and social science issues related to my books. These programs include: Mike Douglas, Steve Allen, William Buckley, Art Linkletter, Donahue, The Today Show, Oprah, Geraldo, and Extra as well as CBS, NBC, CNN, Fox News and ABC Network News. Feature articles on me, my professional work, and books have appeared in many national publications including: Newsweek, Time, People Magazine, The Los Angeles Times, The New York Times, The London Times, The Saturday Review, Family Weekly (Syndicated), The Nation, and The New Republic.

PROFESSIONAL HONORS AND AWARDS

Past President, AMERICAN SOCIETY OF GROUP PSYCHOTHERAPY; Editor, JOURNAL OF GROUP PSYCHOTHERAPY; MANHATTAN SOCIETY FOR MENTAL HEALTH, INC.; Awarded scroll: "In recognition Of Outstanding work with delinquent youth..." (1955); THE SOCIETY FOR STUDY OF SOCIAL PROBLEMS (Affiliate of American Sociological Association), 1959 DeRoy Award) for "Best paper reporting an a significant social problem." Paper entitled "The Delinquent Gang as a Near-Group" was published in Social Problems Journal, Fall 1959; AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE My paper on gangs was nominated for The Newcomb Cleveland Award for best scientific paper presented at the 1962 Philadelphia Meetings.

In 1967, I was selected from all Professors in The California State University System to receive The California State University Board of Trustees "Outstanding Professor Award". For the Award, I received a financial award and a plaque that stated for "... high achievement in Scholarship, Teaching and Public Service". In 1992, I was honored to receive the Dr. J. L. Moreno Award (J. L. Moreno, M.D. was the founder of group psychotherapy) at the American Society of Group Psychotherapy and Psychodrama at its Annual Meeting in the form of a plaque that states "...the American Society of Group Psychotherapy and Psychodrama Presents to Dr. Lewis Yablonsky the Dr. J. L. Moreno Award for his lifelong contribution to the field of Group Psychotherapy and Psychodrama." In 1994 I was honored to receive The Group Psychotherapy Association of Southern California Lifetime Achievement Award at its Annual Meeting in the form of a plaque that stated "The Group Psychotherapy Association of Southern

California Honors Dr. Lewis Yablonsky in Recognition of His Outstanding Contributions to the Mental Health Profession."

In 1997 I received the "Frederic Thrasher Award" from THE NATIONAL GANG CRIME RESEARCH CENTER, "for excellence in a lifetime career of gang scholarship." In 1998, at the PSA Meetings in San Francisco, I was honored to receive the "Pacific Sociological Association Award for Distinguished Sociological Practice." According to the criteria for the Award, it is given to a sociologist for "...applied sociological activity that contributes to community betterment, and/or eases human suffering."

In 2000 I was honored to receive THE AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION'S-SOCIOLOGICAL PRACTICE SECTION'S, "William Foote Whyte Distinguished Career Award for Sociological Practice." The plaque I received states: "PRESENTED TO LEWIS YABLONSKY, Ph.D. FOR OUTSTANDING APPLICATION OF SOCIOLOGICAL EXPERTISE TO THE AREAS OF LAW, CRIMINOLOGY, AND THERAPEUTIC COMMUNITIES."

On January 25, 2001 received an Honorary "Doctor of Laws" Degree from Grand Valley (Michigan) State University. The Honorary Degree was recommended by the Board of Trustees, the President, and the Criminal Justice Department of the University. The preamble to the Degree stated in part: "In recognition of your distinguished work nationally and internationally as a teacher, author, and scholar...and by serving as an expert-witness in criminal trials you help others understand the dynamics of criminal behavior."

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LAWYER/CONSULTANT/EXPERT-WITNESS FEE SCHEDULE

Legal-Consultant/Expert-Witness Terms: A \$2500 non-refundable retainer is required prior to Dr. Yablonsky working on a case. This retainer is to be paid in advance against \$250 per hour for all services on the case including portal to portal travel. It is understood that Dr. Yablonsky is retained solely by the attorney and the attorney's law firm (the client), and no financial relationship exists between Dr. Yablonsky and the attorney's client.

Invoices: All fees are due and payable at the end of each month upon receipt; and all fees due and anticipated must be paid prior to testimony in a deposition or testimony in court. Lawyer/Law Firm agrees to pay a service charge of 1% per month on any unpaid balance in excess of 30 days. Client agrees to pay all expenses incurred by Dr. Yablonsky, including his time, in the collection of delinquent fees; and that any subsequent legal proceedings related to collection of delinquent fees will be litigated in Santa Monica in Los Angeles County.

Note: Client is not authorized to use name of Consultant in any manner, including designation as an expert, without payment of advance retainer fee and receipt of a signed copy of this agreement by expert.

The terms of the above Fee Schedule Contract are understood and accepted by the undersigned:

Signature of Attorney & Date

Printed Name of Attorney and Law Firm