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EDUCATION

1988	Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology Department of Psychology University of California, Los Angeles
1980	Bachelor of Arts in Psychology University of Psychology University of California, Los Angeles

LICENSURE

California Psychologist License #PSY11690

HONORS, AWARDS

1986-1987	Scott Dissertation Fellowship
1986-1987	Graduate Division Research Grant, UCLA
1980-1987	Chancellor's Intern Fellowship, UCLA
1980	Phi Beta Kappa
1980	Highest Honors in Psychology, UCLA
1980	College Honors, UCLA
1980	Summa Cum Laude, UCLA
1977-1980	Dean's List, UCLA
1977-1979	Holland Scholarship, UCLA

MEMBERSHIPS

1998–Present	Diplomate in Forensic Psychology, American College of Forensic Examiners, American Board of Psychological Specialties
1996-1997	Professional Advisory Board, Sexual Harassment and Discrimination Reporter
1995–Present	California Psychological Association
1993–Present	International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies
1992-2000	Southern California Chapter Div. 39/Psychoanalysis-APA

1990-1993	Los Angeles Society for Clinical Psychologists – Board of Directors
1990-1991	Women in Health, Board of Directors
1988–1999	Los Angeles County Psychological Association Member, Board of Directors, and Co-Chair, Victim Treatment Committee (1992–1998) Disaster Response Team (1991–2002) Ethics Committee (1999–present)
1982–Present	American Psychological Association

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

199	00–Present	Private Practice Westwood Village, California Individual, family and couples therapy, critical incident stress debriefing for disasters; forensic evaluation/consultation/expert witness re abuse, harassment, trauma and PTSD
199	01–1998	Staff Privileges, Allied Health St. John's Hospital and Health Center Santa Monica, California
199	92-2001	Staff Privileges Century City Hospital Los Angeles, California
198	88-1990	Registered Psychological Assistant Supervisor: Kathryn Welds, Ph.D.
198	35–1990	Registered Psychological Assistant Supervisor: Jessica Schairer, Ph.D.
198	34–1985	Psychology Intern Kaiser Permanente Department of Psychiatry Hollywood, California Full-time/APA-approved. Rotations: Assessment, Child-Adolescent, Family Therapy, Consultation-Liaison, Outpatient Psychiatry, Stress Management
198	33–1984	Psychology Trainee Sepulveda VA Medical Center Sepulveda, California 30 hours/week. APA-approved. Rotations: Drug Dependence Treatment Unit, Inpatient General Psychiatry, Outpatient Mental Health, Admissions Screening, Family Therapy
198	32–1985	Therapist UCLA Post-Therapy Support Group for clients who were sexually involved with a previous therapist

1983–1984	Counselor Neighborhood Youth Association Venice, California Community outreach program for at-risk youth
1983	Psychology Trainee UCLA Fernald School for children and adolescents with learning disabilities or behavior disorders
1982–1983	Psychology Trainee Kaiser-Permanente Department of Psychiatry Downey, California 17 hours/week. Outpatient Psychotherapy, Assessment, Self-Psychology Study Group
1981-1983	Gestalt Supervision Group UCLA Psychology Clinic
1981–1984	Psychology Trainee UCLA Psychology Clinic

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

1992–2001	Assistant Clinical Professor of Psychology and Clinical Supervisor UCLA Psychology Clinic
1992–1997	Research Faculty Supervisor California School of Professional Psychology, Los Angeles
1991–1992	Assistant Professor of Psychology California School of Professional Psychology, Los Angeles
1990–1991	Staff Psychologist California School of Professional Psychology, Los Angeles
1990	Lecturer in Psychology California State University Northridge
1986–1987	Supervisor Practicum UCLA Psychology Clinic

PRESENTATIONS

10/14/00 **Preparation for Surgery**

Workshop presented with Cheryl Feldmann, Ph.D., at 12th Annual Convention of the Los Angeles County Psychological Association

4/8/00 Ethical Issues in Forensic Psychology: When Treating Therapists Testify

Symposium presentation at workshop sponsored by Los Angeles County Psychological Association Forensic Psychology Committee

11/13/99 **Sexual Harassment Litigation: The Intersection of Law and Psychology**

Mock trial expert witness and discussion leader, workshop sponsored by California Psychological Association

10/17/98 Ethics & Expertise in Civil Forensic Practice

Workshop presented with Cheri Adrian, Ph.D., and Alan Kaplan, Esq., at 10th Annual Convention of the Los Angeles County Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California

3/29/98 Nonsexual Multiple Relationships: Ethics Review & Recent Research Finding

Workshop presented with Janet Sonne, Ph.D., at 51st Annual Convention of the California Psychological Association, Pasadena, California

1/10/98 **Psychological Intervention with Victims of Violent Crime**

Presented at workshop on Clinical Work with Victims of Violent Crime, sponsored by Los Angeles County Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California

10/18/97 Giving Responsible & Ethical Deposition or Trial Testimony

Presented with Alan Kaplan, Esq., at 9th Annual Convention of the Los Angeles County Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California

11/15/95 **Psychological Damages in Sexual Harassment**

Presentation at MCLE workshop on Gender Bias and Sexual Harassment, Pacific Legal Institute, Woodland Hills, California

10/14/95 Special Considerations in Evaluation of Sexual Harassment Complaints

Paper presented at workshop on Current Issues in Forensic Psychology, 7th Annual Convention of the Los Angeles County Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California

10/29/94 **Splitting and Projective Identification in the Transference of Trauma Survivors**

Paper presented at 6th Annual Convention of the Los Angeles County Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California

10/15/94 Clients' Reactions to the Legal Process: Transference, Revictimization, and Otherwise

Paper presented at 3rd International Conference on Sexual Exploitation by Health Professionals, Psychotherapists and Clergy, Toronto, Canada

8/16/94 Issues for Treating Therapists in Interacting with the Legal System

Paper presented at 102nd Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California

7/2/94 Effective Use of Mental Health Professionals in Discovery

Paper presented at the 5th Annual Convention of the National Employment Lawyers Association, Blaine, Washington

6/4/94 Assessment Instruments Specific to Trauma Victims

Paper presented at workshop on Assessment and Treatment of Victims of Violent Crime sponsored by the Los Angeles County Psychological Association, Bel Air, California

11/20/93 **Cognitive–Behavioral Issues in Treatment of Victims of Violent Crime**

Paper presented at workshop on Assessment and Treatment of Victims of Violent Crime, sponsored by Los Angeles County Psychological Association at St. John's Hospital, Santa Monica, California

10/9/93 Chronic/Terminal Illness as a Victimization Experience: Applications from Trauma Theory

Paper presented at 5th Annual Convention of the Los Angeles County Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California

10/9/93 When Victims Sue for Damages: Issues for the Treating Therapist in Interacting with Attorneys and the Legal System

Symposium presented with Carla Barboza, Esq., at 5th Annual Convention of the Los Angeles County Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California

5/22/93 **Issues of Psychological Damages in Sexual Harassment**

Paper presented at workshop, Psychological Damages as Elements of Proof in Cases of Violence Against Women: Update for Expert Witnesses, Treating Therapists and Attorneys. Sponsored by Los Angeles County Psychological Association and California Women's Law Center, at UCLA, Los Angeles, California

3/13/93 Adjustment to Chronic Illness

Presentation to Westside Fibromyalgia Support Group, Arthritis Foundation, Santa Monica Hospital, Santa Monica, California

3/9/93 **Understanding and Treating Eating Disorders**

Workshop presentation to staff of UCLA Psychology Clinic

2/3/93 **Dual Relationships Between Therapist and Client**

Workshop presentation to staff of UCLA Student Psychological Services

12/11/92	Sexual Harassment: The Social and Psychological Perspective Panel presentation at conference on Sexual Harassment: Representing Employees, Students and Tenants, sponsored by California Women's Law Center and Los Angeles County Bar Association, Los Angeles, California
12/4/92	Understanding and Treating Reactions to Trauma in Adolescents Psychosocial conference presentation to staff of Division of Adolescent Medicine, Children's Hospital, Los Angeles, California
11/18/92	Understanding and Treating Reactions to Victimization and Trauma Continuing education workshop presentation to staff of Psychology Service at Rancho Los Amigos Hospital, Downey, California
11/17/92	Crisis Intervention in Disasters: Critical Incident Stress Debriefing Presentation of Bonnita Wirth, Ph.D., at Fuller Theological Seminary, Marriage and Family Counseling Program, Pasadena, California
10/24/92	Treatment of Patients/Victims of Therapist Sexual Misconduct Presentation with Cheri Adrian, Ph.D., 4 th Annual Convention of the Los Angeles County Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California
10/24/92	Treating Victims of Sexual Harassment in the Workplace Presentation with Abby Liebman, Esq., 4 th Annual Convention of the Los Angeles County Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California
4/8/92	Using Guided Imagery in Treatment Presentation to staff of Verdugo Mental Health Center, Glendale, California
3/12/92	Challenges of the Post-Retirement Years Presentation to Temple Beth Am Senior Citizens Group, Los Angeles, California
1/23/92	Power Plays: A Forum on Sexual Harassment for the UCLA Community Sponsored by UCLA Women's Resource Center and UCLA Student Psychological Services – Panel presentation
12/11/91	Treating Victims of Sexual Harassment Workshop presented to staff of UCLA Student Psychological Services
12/9/91 & 11/18/91	Understanding and Treating Reactions to Sexual Harassment Two-part workshop presented to staff of Airport-Marina Counseling Center, Westchester, California
11/20/91	Sexual Harassment in the Workplace: When it Happens Community lecture presented at Psychiatric Institute, Century City Hospital

10/26/91 Recognition, Understanding and Utilization of Metaphorical Material with Eating Disorders Patients: Overcoming Common Treatment Obstacles and Applications to Other Substance Abuse Disorders

Paper presented at 3rd Annual Convention of the Los Angeles County Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California

Theoretical Models for Clinical Work with Multicultural Populations

Panel presentation, 3rd Annual Convention of the Los Angeles County Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California

10/26/91 Chronic Fatigue Syndrome: Medical Background, Psychological Sequelae, and Intervention

Panel presentation, $3^{\rm rd}$ Annual Convention of the Los Angeles County Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California

6/20/91 Understanding and Treating Reactions to Victimization and Trauma

Workshop presented to staff of Coastal-Asian Community Mental Health Center, Gardena, California

4/9/91 Common Ethical Issues in Psychology Training and Practice

Invited presentation at California School of Professional Psychology, Los Angeles, California

3/26/91 **Dual Relationships and Conflict of Interest Situations Between Therapist and Client: Clinicians' Attitudes and Practices**

Colloquium presented at California School of Professional Psychology, Los Angeles, California

2/25/91 Management of Traumatic Stress in the Workplace: A Continuum of Intervention Approach

Invited workshop presentation with Kathryn Welds, Ph.D., 7th Annual Western Claim Conference, Irvine, California

10/27/90 With the Best of Intentions: Common Scenarios Preceding Dual Relationships, Their Consequences and Prevention

Presented at 2nd Annual Convention of the Los Angeles County Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California

9/12/90 Using Guided Imagery as a Tool in Psychotherapy and Behavioral Management

Invited presentation to clinical staff of the UCLA Faculty and Staff Service Center

6/86 Understanding and Treating Reactions to Victimization and Other Traumatic Events

Continuing education workshop for Psychology staff at Kaiser Permanente Department of Psychiatry, Los Angeles, California

11/1/84 Sexual Intimacy Between Therapist and Client: Transference and Countertransference Issues in Subsequent Treatment

Continuing education workshop presented with Antonio Zamudio for psychology staff, Kaiser Permanente Department of Psychology, Los Angeles, California

5/84 **Clients' Reactions to Sexual Intimacy in Therapy** (co-author)

Presented with Janet Sonne at Sexual Abuse of Patients Symposium, Annual Meeting of the American Psychiatric Association, Los Angeles, California

8/83 Finally Giving Psychology Away: Packaged Programming for Self-Help/Mutual Support Groups – Measurement Issues and Findings

Presented at symposium, 91st Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Anaheim, California

6/82 **Development of Programmed Interventions: Implementation Considerations**

Presented at 4th Annual Clinical Area Research Conference, UCLA Psychology Department

4/81 Predictors of Training Outcome for Mental Health Paraprofessionals

Symposium chair and paper presentation, Community Psychology: Models for Intervention and Training. 81st meeting of the Western Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California

12/79 **Basic Tools for More Effective Service Delivery**

Panel Discussion, NIMH Conference of Paraprofessionals in Mental Health, Los Angeles, California

PAPERS AND PUBLICATIONS

Sonne, J.L., Haviland, M.G., Borys, D.S., & Ermshar, A.F. (1998). "Nonsexual Multiple Relationships Between Therapists and Patients: Ethical Practice in the Face of Scant Research, Conflicting Theories and Vague Guidelines." Unpublished research report.

Borys, D.S. (1997). "Recognizing 'Welcomeness' Involving Mentors and Supervisors." *Sexual Harassment and Discrimination Reporter.* 2(2), 1 & 4-8.

Borys, D.S. (1996). "Using Mental Health Professionals in Discovery of Emotional Damages." *Sexual Harassment and Discrimination Reporter.* 1(7), 1 & 5-10.

Borys, D.S. (1996). "Psychological Considerations in Emotional Damages Claims." *Sexual Harassment and Discrimination Reporter.* 1(2), 2-5.

Borys, D.S. (1995). "Common Sources of Error in Forensic Evaluations of Sexual Harassment." *The California Psychologist.* 30(6) (June), 10-11.

Borys, D.S. (1994). "Maintaining Therapeutic Boundaries" The Motive is Therapeutic Effectiveness, Not Defensive Practice." *Ethics and Behavior.* 4(3), 267-73.

Van Hyning, M. (1993). "Crossed Signals: How to Stop Sexual Harassment." Los Angeles: *Infotrends*. (Psychological consultation; introduction & cover credits.)

Borys, D.S. (1992). "Nonsexual Dual Relationships with Clients: Toward Understanding and Prevention." In L. VandeCreek (Ed.), *Innovations in Clinical Practice: A Source Book.* Vol. 11, Sarasota Florida: Professional Resources Press.

Goodman, G., Jacobs, M., Hanson, C., Burstein, B., Borys, D., Falke, R., and Shoptaw, S. "Common Concern: A Packaged Program for Establishing and Assisting Self-Help/Mutual Support Groups." (audiotape series) California Department of Mental Health, 1983.

Borys, D. (1981). "Initial Level of Self-Disclosure as a Predictor of Attrition for a Communication Skills Training Program for Paraprofessionals." *ERIC*, Counseling and Personnel Services Clearinghouse, Document #ED 212-941 (microfiche).

REFERENCES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST