
EDUCATION

California School of Professional Psychology at Alliant International University, Los Angeles

Psy.D. in Clinical Psychology

8/06-06/10

M.A. in Clinical Psychology

12/08

Emphasis area: Multicultural and Community Psychology

Doctoral Project: Companion Animals in Families of Choice

San Diego State University

M.S. in Rehabilitation Counseling

08/03-06/05

Member of Pi Lambda Theta and Phi Kappa Phi National Honor Societies

University of California, Riverside

08/99-06/03

B.A. in Psychology

Minor: English

Member of Psi Chi National Honor Society

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Lani Chin, Psy.D. Private Practice

Los Angeles, CA

10/11-11/18

Monterey, CA

11/18-present

Licensed Clinical Psychologist PSY 24971

Providing weekly individual and couples psychotherapy for high functioning adults with a full spectrum of disorders by utilizing psychodynamic, cognitive behavioral, and humanistic approaches. Specifically working with diverse individuals coping with symptoms of anxiety, depression, and grief as well as members of the LGBTQ community.

The Saturday Center for Psychotherapy

Santa Monica, CA

Pre Doctoral Psychology Intern

08/09-08/10

Post-Doctoral Psychology Intern

08/10-10/11

Provided weekly individual and couples psychotherapy for high functioning adults with a full spectrum of disorders by utilizing psychodynamic approaches.

United American Indian Involvement

Los Angeles, CA

Psychology Intern

08/08-08/09

Provided weekly individual psychotherapy for children and adults diagnosed with a full spectrum of disorders by utilizing psychodynamic and cognitive behavioral approaches as well as adjunctive equine assisted psychotherapy while gaining experience with DMH paperwork.

Los Angeles Gay and Lesbian Center
Hollywood, CA

08/07-08/08

Practicum Student

Provided weekly individual, couple, and crisis therapy for members of the LGBT community diagnosed with a full spectrum of disorders by utilizing psychodynamic and cognitive behavioral approaches. Also co-facilitated a weekly psychoeducational and process group treating women that were court mandated perpetrators of domestic violence.

EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Ascellus

07/23 – present

Miami, FL

Clinical Psychologist

Providing individual therapy to adults utilizing Work Based Cognitive Behavioral therapy to support injured workers with current Workers' Compensation claims. Specifically treating symptoms of anxiety, depression, and trauma to support patients with return to work.

Gary Chang, MD

05/13 – 05/15

Los Angeles, CA

Contract Psychologist

Conducting clinical assessments for a medical doctor specializing in pain disorders. Screening for symptoms of anxiety, depression, and somatization that might impact the outcome of treatment.

Canyon Ridge Hospital

10/10 – 06/11

Chino, CA

Assessment and Referral Counselor

Conducted full clinical assessments for patients on a 5150 hold or for voluntary admission in an acute psychiatric hospital. Assessments determined medical and psychological appropriateness for inpatient as well as outpatient admissions. Inpatient care included adult detox as well as mental health for adults and adolescents. Outpatient care included chemical dependency programs, intensive outpatient therapy, and partial outpatient programs for adults and adolescents. Also conducted utilization reviews for insurance companies.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Antioch University

01/14-present

Culver City, CA

Affiliate Faculty

Member of the Affiliate faculty in the Spiritual and Depth Psychology emphasis for the Masters in Psychology program. Responsible for creating outreach events that cater to student needs such as orientation, community meetings, and/or guest speakers. Also teaching classes to Masters Degree students such as Professional Ethics and the Law, Clinical Practicum, Interpersonal Psychology, Clinical Training Readiness, and Couples Counseling.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- American Psychological Association
- Lesbian and Gay Psychotherapy Association of Los Angeles
- California Psychological Association
- Los Angeles County Psychological Association
- Monterey Bay Psychological Association