

# Curriculum Vitae

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## PERSONAL:

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## EDUCATION:

High School: S.D. Lee High School, Columbus, MS, 1961-65  
College: Mississippi State University, 1965-69  
Medical School: University of Mississippi School of Medicine,  
Jackson, MS, 1969-73 (M.D. Degree)  
Externship: Mona Vale Hospital, Sydney, Australia, through the  
University of New South Wales, Jan-Mar, 1973  
Internship: Rotating 0, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY, 1973-74  
Residency: Psychiatry, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY, 1974-77

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Jan, 2000--- Director of Forensic Training, UAB/DMH at Tuscaloosa  
May 9, 1997-- Clinical Associate Professor, Department of Psychiatry,  
University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL  
Feb 11, 1997- - Part time Private Practice  
July 1, 1996 Director of Forensic Psychiatry rotation for UAB

June 15, 1995-- Webmaster, Forensic Psychiatry page, University of Alabama  
 August 1, 1993- Clinical Faculty, USA Medical School, Dept. of Psychiatry  
 August 1, 1992-- Clinical Faculty, UAB Medical School, Dept. of Psychiatry  
 Sept. 1, 1988- - Medical/Clinical Director, Taylor Hardin Secure Medical Facility,  
 Tuscaloosa, AL (Forensic Hospital)  
 Sept. 1, 1988-97 Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatry,  
 University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL  
 Feb-July, 1988 Acting Chair, Department of Psychiatry,  
 University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL  
 1987-88 Psychiatric Supervisor, Russell Student Health Center,  
 University of Alabama  
 1986-88 Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatry,  
 University of Alabama (Director of Inpatient Services)  
 1977-86 Private practice of Psychiatry, Georgetown, SC  
 1977-86 Psychiatric Consultant, Waccamaw MHC, Georgetown, SC

## **MEDICAL LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION OBTAINED:**

Certified, American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, **General Psychiatry**, 1979  
 Examiner for the Board, 1982, 1983  
 Certified, American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, for Added Qualifications in  
**Forensic Psychiatry**, 1994, **Recertified 2003**  
 – State of Alabama, 1986, # 12618 (Active)  
 Inactive:  
 – State of South Carolina, 1978, # 8672 – State of Kentucky, 1974, # 17497  
 – State of Mississippi, 1975, # 7252

## **ORGANIZATIONS:**

American Academy of Directors of Psychiatric Training -2007-  
 American Psychiatric Association - Fellow, 1990 –  
 Member of Steering Committee for Practice Guidelines in the treatment of Schizophrenia, 1997  
 Alabama Psychiatric Society - President, 1996-97  
 Editor of Newsletter 1987-92, member of Council 1988-98  
 American College of Forensic Psychiatry (9/2002)  
 American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law,  
 Member Computers in Psychiatry Committee  
 Member Peer Review Committee  
 American Medical Association 2008  
 Paul Harris Fellow, Rotary International  
 Past member of SC District Branch of APA, SC Medical Association,  
 MENSA NAMI

## TEACHING:

- 2006 Invited Lecturer, Cumberland School of Law, Birmingham, AL
- 2003/2007 Invited Lecturer, Alabama law institute training for Sheriffs
- 2002 Member of Dissertation Committee for Ph.D. candidate, Univ of Al
- 2000-09 Director of Forensic Fellowship, UAB/DMH at Tuscaloosa
- 1996-09 Director, Forensic Psychiatry Rotation, UAB Medical School
- 1995/2003/07 Invited Lecturer, Univ of Alabama Probate Judge's Training Course
- 1994- 2003 Invited Lecturer, Osler Institute Board Review Faculty for General & Forensic Psychiatry.
- 1994 Supervised Elective in Psychiatry, Sweet Briar College
- 1989-09 Supervised Psychiatry Residents on Forensic Elective for UAB Medical School
- 1987 Invited Lecturer, Alabama Law Institute, Basic and Advanced Courses
- 1987- 08 Guest lecturer, University of Alabama School of Law
- 1987 Co-Director, Law & Medicine Course for University of Al Medical Students
- 1986-09 Teaching Medical Students in various subjects, University of Alabama
- 1986-88 Taught psychiatry to Family Practice Residents, University of Alabama
- 1986 Supervised Master's level psychology graduate student on practicum from the Citadel University, Charleston, SC
- 1977-86 Supervised Nursing in-service in Psychiatry, Georgetown Memorial Hospital, Georgetown, SC
- 1979-82 Supervised M.E.C.O. Medical Student Program, Georgetown, SC

## PRESENTATIONS:

### *In the US*

- 25 October, 2008 *Using Microsoft Access in Creating Forensic Reports*  
Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Psychiatry & the Law, Seattle, WA
- 17 January, 2006 *Curing OCD-Grand Rounds, UAB Dept of Psychiatry, Birmingham, AL*
- 27 May, 2005, *Curing OCD – A Poster, Atlanta, GA – APA Annual Meeting*  
(with Anderson, D.A., Hooper, William)
- 9 October, 2004 “*Minimizing Seclusion & Restraint.*” APA Institute, Atlanta, GA
- 13 July, 2004 “*Use of a Psychiatric Expert Witness*” Southern Alabama District Attorney's Meeting, Orange Beach, AL
- 11 June, 2004 “*The Insanity Defense*” Al State LPN Convention, Tuscaloosa
- 11 April, 2003 “*Reaction Times in Chronic Psychiatric Patients*” MHCC Meeting, Kansas City, MO.
- 11 April, 2003 “*The AlaSATCom*” MHCC Meeting, Kansas City, MO.
- 21 Jan, 2003 “*The Forensic Hospital & You*” Sheriff's Training, Al Law Institute

- Tuscaloosa
- 6 July, 2002 “*Buffy the Vampire Slayer*” Southern Alabama District Attorney’s Meeting, Orange Beach, AL
- 5 July, 2002 “*The Insanity Defense*” Southern Alabama District Attorney’s Meeting, Orange Beach, AL
- 14 May, 2001 “*Buffy the Vampire Slayer*” UAB Grand Rounds
- 28 August, 2001 “*Defining Mental Illness for Probate Judges*” Alabama Law Institute Probate judges Training, Univ of Alabama School of Law
- 12 Jan, 2001 “*Tarasoff & the Duty to Warn*” Dept of Mental Health Social Work Dept., Tuscaloosa, AL
- 16 Nov, 2000 “*Psychiatry in the Lawyer's Office,*” Univ of Alabama School of Law, Tuscaloosa, AL
- 14 Sept, 2000 “*An Overview of Forensic Psychiatry*” Osler Board review, Houston, TX
- 14 June, 2000 “*Effective Use of Seclusion and Restraints*” Al Mental Health Boards, Birmingham, AL
- 23 May, 2000 “*Buffy the Vampire Slayer*” UAB grand Rounds, Birmingham
- 27 April, 2000 “*Forensic Psychiatry Overview*” Paralegals, Shelton State College
- 11 January, 2000 “*Buffy the Vampire Slayer*” Tuscaloosa County Psychiatric Society
- 17 October, 1999 “*Effective Use of Seclusion and Restraints*” American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law, Baltimore, MD
- 26 May, 1999 “*Tarasoff & The Duty to Warn*” Univ of Al at Huntsville Grand Rounds
- 14 April 1999 “*A Release scale for NGRI Acquittes*” American College of Forensic Psychiatry, Santa Fe, NM
- 25-27 Mar, 1998 Multiple Lectures, Osler Institute Forensic Board Review, Chicago, IL
- 8 August, 1997 “*Sexual Predators*” Searcy Hospital Psychology Program, Mobile, AL
- 15 May, 1997 “*Making Decisions on Competency*” - Capstone Family Practice Program, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa
- 18 October, 1996 “*Forensic Psychiatry and the World Wide Web*” American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law Meeting, San Juan, PR
- 6 May, 1996 “*Teaching on the World Wide Web*” APA - New York City
- 25 April, 1996 “*The Alabama Release Scale*” Texas State DMH Forensic Series, Vernon, TX
- 28-29 Mar, 1996 Forensic Update, Osler Institute, Chicago, IL
- 10-12 Oct, 1995 Multiple Lectures, Osler Institute Neurology Board Review, Denver, CO
- 30 August, 1995 “*Overview of Forensic Psychiatric Services,*” 21st Alabama CMH Boards, Birmingham [panel member]
- 24 August, 1995 “*Commitment and Mental Illness,*” Univ of Alabama School of Law, Probate Judge’s Training, Tuscaloosa

- 1 November, 1994 "*Psychiatry in the Lawyer's Office*," Univ of Alabama School of Law, Tuscaloosa
- 8-9 Oct, 1994 Multiple Lectures, Osler Institute Forensic Board Review, Chicago, IL
- 18-21 Aug, 1994 Multiple Lectures, Osler Institute Forensic Board Review, Los Angeles, CA
- 5 Dec, 1993 "*Overview of Forensic Psychiatry*," Southern Psychiatric Association / Southern Medical Association Psychiatric Update, Birmingham, AL
- 20 Oct, 1993 *Update on Duty to Warn*, University of South Alabama School of Medicine, Mobile
- 25 July, 1993 "*Diagnosis and Treatment of Psychiatric Disorders*," Lecture for DCH Regional Medical Center Conference for Nurses
- 10 June, 1993 "*Recent Advances in the Treatment of Depression, Part Two*," VA Medical Center Grand Rounds, Tuscaloosa VAMC
- 17 March, 1993 "*New Drugs in the Treatment of Depression, Part One*," VA Medical Center Grand Rounds, Tuscaloosa VAMC
- 16 Feb, 1993 "*Recent Advances in the Treatment of Depression*," Univ. of AL Family Practice Program, Selma, AL
- 10 Dec, 1992 "*New Drugs in the Treatment of Depression*," Pharmaceutical Symposium of Alabama, Tuscaloosa
- 8 Sept, 1992 "*New Drugs in the Treatment of Depression*," Guest Speaker, West Alabama Medical Society Meeting
- 18 June, 1992 "*New Drugs in the Treatment of Depression*," DCH Regional Medical Center CME Conference
- 31 May, 1992 "*New Drugs in the Treatment of Depression*," Georgia State Regional Hospital CME Conference, Columbus, GA
- 12 May, 1992 "*New Drugs in the Treatment of Depression*," Univ. of AL Family Practice Program, Selma, AL
- 17 Sept, 1991 "*Overview of Forensic Psychiatry*," Univ. of TN School of Medicine Grand Rounds, Memphis, TN
- 16 Sept, 1991 "*Treatment of Anxiety Disorders*," Baptist Medical Center CME Conference, Memphis, TN
- 6 Sept, 1991 "*Treatment of Anxiety Disorders*," Golden Triangle Regional Medical Center CME Conference, Columbus, MS
- 23 April, 1991 "*Confidentiality, Privilege, and the Duty to Warn*," Grand Rounds, College of Community Health Sciences, University of Alabama
- 7 March, 1991 "*Home Treatment of Agoraphobia*," Grand Rounds, Turo Infirmary, New Orleans, LA
- 18 January, 1991 "*Home Treatment of Agoraphobia*," Grand Rounds, University of Mississippi Medical Center, Jackson, MS
- 1 Nov, 1990 "*Against Peace and Dignity; Fighting the Double Stigma*,"

- Alabama Mental Health Association Fourth Annual Scientific Symposium, Birmingham, AL
- 23 Oct, 1990 “*Home Treatment of Agoraphobia*,” Southwood Psychiatric Hospital, San Diego, CA
- 13 Oct, 1990 “*Home Treatment of Agoraphobia*,” Mississippi Osteopathic Medical Association Annual Convention, New Orleans, LA
- 6 Oct, 1990 “*Mentally Ill Offenders and Criminal Justice*,” NAMI of Alabama State Convention, Birmingham, AL
- 16 Aug, 1990 “*Home Treatment of Agoraphobia*,” Middle Tennessee State University Grand Rounds, Middlesboro, TN
- 4 June, 1990 “*Home Treatment of Agoraphobia*,” LSU Medical School, Shreveport, Department of Psychiatry Grand Rounds
- 26 April, 1990 “*New Developments in Pharmacotherapy of Depression*,” Bryce State Hospital Grand Rounds
- February, 1989 “*A Suicidal Multiple Personality*,” Grand rounds at Taylor Hardin Hospital, Tuscaloosa, AL
- January, 1989 “*Neuroleptic Malignant Syndrome*,” Bryce State Hospital Grand Rounds
- September, 1988 “*Neuroleptic Malignant Syndrome*,” College of Community Health Sciences, University of Alabama
- August, 1988 “*Defending the Accused Child Molester*,” The Alabama Criminal Defense Lawyers Association, Mobile, Alabama
- May, 1988 “*Teen-age Suicide*,” and “*Teen-age Children and AIDS*,” both to national conference, National Association of Junior Auxiliaries, Jackson, MS
- April, 1988 “*The FDA and New Drugs*,” College of Community Health Sciences, University of Alabama
- December, 1986 “*Dementia and Delirium*,” College of Community Health Sciences, University of Alabama
- October, 1985 “*Medications in the Treatment of Mental Illness*,” First State Convention, SC Alliance for the Mentally Ill, Columbia, SC

#### *In Canada*

- 19 Oct, 2000 “*A Release scale for NGRI Acquittes*” American Academy of Psychiatry & the Law, Annual Meeting, Vancouver, BC, **Canada**
- 20 Oct, 2000 “*Effective Use of Seclusion and Restraints -Part II*” American Academy of Psychiatry & the Law, Annual Meeting, Vancouver, BC, **Canada**

#### *In Europe*

- 2 November, 1989 “*An Overview of American Forensic Psychiatry*,” The Sankt Hans Hospital, Copenhagen, **Denmark**

- 31 October, 1989      *"An Overview of American Forensic Psychiatry,"* The  
Institute of Psychiatry and Neurology, Warsaw, **Poland**
- 18 October, 1989      *"Defining Dangerousness in Different Legal Systems,"*  
Workshop set up for the VIII World Congress of  
Psychiatry, Athens, **Greece**  
[Chosen for section in published proceedings]
- 16 October, 1989      *"Neuroleptic Malignant Syndrome,"* (Session Chair), VIII  
World Congress of Psychiatry, Athens, **Greece**
- 13 October, 1989      *"Home Treatment of Agoraphobia,"* VIII World Congress of  
Psychiatry, Athens, **Greece**
- 9 October, 1989      *"An Overview of American Forensic Psychiatry,"* The  
Royal Free Hospital, London, **England**
- July, 1983              *Small Inpatient Psychiatric Units in the United States,"*  
(Presented for me in my absence)  
7th. World Congress of Psychiatry, Vienna, **Austria**

#### *In Africa*

- 23 October, 1989      *"An Overview of American Forensic Psychiatry,"* WHO  
Regional Office, Abou El Azayem Hospital, Cairo, **Egypt**

#### **AWARDS:**

- October, 2004      Co-Recipient, NAMI National "Gloria Huntly" Award for reducing seclusions  
& restrains
- April 10, 2003      "RESPECT" Award, Alabama Department of Mental Health
- January, 2003      Made Distinguished Fellow, APA
- February, 2001      *American Psychiatric News*, Editorial on AlaSATCom.
- December, 2000      *American Psychiatric News* article on Seclusions & Restraints
- December, 1999      Cover Story of *Clinical Psychiatry News* discussing low  
seclusion rate at SMF
- December 97 & 98      Osler Institute Teaching Awards
- February, 1994      Outstanding Forensic Psychiatrist Award, Alliance for the  
Mentally Ill in Alabama
- May, 1992              American Psychiatric Association, Certificate of Continuing  
Excellence, JCPA (for Newsletter; Highest award  
given for 5 year period after Newsletter of the Year Award)
- May, 1991              American Psychiatric Association, Certificate of Continuing Excellence,  
JCPA (for Newsletter; Highest award given for 5 year period after  
Newsletter of the Year Award)
- May, 1990              American Psychiatric Association, Newsletter of the Year
- September, 1989      American Psychiatric Association - Elected to Fellowship

1976

AMA Physician's Recognition Award - Have  
Maintained continuously since 1976

## **PUBLICATIONS:**

### *Book Chapters:*

Hooper, J F, Kramp, P, Taylor, P, et al: "*Defining Dangerousness in Different Legal Systems.*" In: C. N. Stefanis et. al., eds. PSYCHIATRY: A WORLD PERSPECTIVE,  
AMSTERDAM: ELSEVIER PUBLISHERS, 1990 VOLUME 4, PP 813-818

### *Special Report Chair(s)*

Hooper, JF, Resnick, PJ: Special Report on Forensic Psychiatry, PSYCHIATRIC TIMES. Dec, 2008

### *Papers:*

- Hooper, JF, The Insanity Defense: History and Problems, XXV ST. LOUIS U. PUB. L. REV., NO. 2, 409, 409-416 (2006)
- Hooper, J F, McLearn, A., Bennet, M.: The Alabama Structured Assessment of Treatment Completion for Insanity Acquittees (The AlaSATCom). INT J LAW PSYCHIATRY. 2005 NOV-DEC;28(6):604-12.
- Hooper, J F, McLearn, A: *Current State of the Insanity Defense*. CLINICAL PSYCHIATRY NEWS, FEB, 2002
- Hooper, J F: *Icons of Flesh - Reflections on the Art of Tattoos*. PSYCHIATRY ON-LINE. 1:11 November, 1995 [<http://www.priory.com/journals/psych.mth>]
- Hooper, J F: *House Calls and Alprazolam for Agoraphobia* [letter]. AMERICAN FAMILY PHYSICIAN. 44(4):1132-33, OCT, 1991
- Hooper, J F: *Administration of Anesthesia by Psychiatrists* [letter], THE AMERICAN JOURNAL OF PSYCHIATRY. 148:7, 953, JULY, 1991
- Hooper, J F: *New and Future Treatment of Depression*. ALABAMA MEDICINE 59(6), 23-25, DECEMBER, 1989
- Hooper, J F: *Race as a Predictor of Neuroleptic Side Effects* [letter] THE JOURNAL OF CLINICAL PSYCHOPHARMACOLOGY, AUGUST, 1989
- Hooper, J F, Herren, C, and Goldwasser, H: *Neuroleptic Malignant Syndrome: Tracking a Killer* JOURNAL OF PSYCHO-SOCIAL NURSING 27:1, 34-36, July, 1989
- Goldwasser, H, Hooper, JF, and Spears, NM: *Concomitant Treatment of Neuroleptic Malignant Syndrome and Psychosis*. THE BRITISH JOURNAL OF PSYCHIATRY. 154:102-104, JAN, 1989
- Goldwasser, H, and Hooper, JF: *Neuroleptic Malignant Syndrome*. AMERICAN FAMILY PHYSICIAN. 38(5):211-216, Nov, 1988
- Hooper, J F: *The Tuscaloosa Hostages: Organizational Lessons*. AMERICAN JOURNAL OF FORENSIC PSYCHIATRY, IX:(2):45-49, JUNE, 1988



- Hooper, J F: *Droperidol and Acute Psychosis* [letter] THE JOURNAL OF CLINICAL PSYCHOPHARMACOLOGY, 7(3): 198, JUNE, 1987
- Hooper, J F: *Anesthesia in ECT* [letter] THE JOURNAL OF CLINICAL PSYCHOPHARMACOLOGY, 5(5):312, OCT,'85
- Hooper, J F: *The Coming Generation of Antidepressant Therapy*. THE JOURNAL OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA MEDICAL SOCIETY, 79(9):471-473, SEPT, 1983
- Hooper, J F, and Minter, G: *Droperidol in the Management of Psychiatric Emergencies* [LETTER] THE JOURNAL OF CLINICAL PSYCHOPHARMACOLOGY, 4(3):262, AUG, 1983
- Hooper, J F: *An Unusual Reaction to Lithium in Toenails* [letter] THE AMERICAN JOURNAL OF PSYCHIATRY, 138(11):1519(NOV 1981)
- Hooper, J F: *Everybody's Somebody's FMG* [letter] NEW ENGLAND JOURNAL OF MEDICINE, 300(19):1120(MAY 10, 1979)
- Hooper, J F: *Drug Induced Dystonic Reactions* [letter] JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF EMERGENCY PHYSICIANS, 7(1):31(JAN, 1978)

## **RESEARCH:**

### **Personal**

- Reaction times in medicated patients -Funded by Eli Lilly Co.
- Comparison of Release Factors in Forensic Hospitals in America and Europe
- Training Hospital Staff to minimize Seclusions & Restraints.
- A 20 year study of Droperidol in Psychiatric Emergencies

### **Multicenter, 1982 to present**

- Member of PRN Research for APA
- Site Coordinator, DSM-IV Field Trials (West Alabama)
- Homebound Agoraphobia (funded by Upjohn Co.)
- McNeil Pharmaceuticals, Phase II, Etoperidone v. Amitriptyline
- Ciba-Geigy Pharmaceuticals, Phase III, Anafranil
- Eli Lilly Co., Phase III, Fluoxetine
- Burroughs-Wellcome Pharmaceuticals, Phase III, Bupropion

## **EDITORIAL POSITIONS:**

- Reviewer, Psychiatric Times (2008-)
- Reviewer, American Family Physician (1995-)
- Consulting Editor, Psychiatry On-Line (London) (1995-)
- Consulting Editor, Clinical Updates in Psychiatry: (1991)  
Educational Reviews, Birmingham, Al
- Consulting Editor, Clinical Updates in Ob-Gyn: (1991)

Educational Reviews, Birmingham, Al

Editor: APS ACTION, Newsletter of Alabama Psychiatric Association (1989-1994)

## **ADMINISTRATIVE:**

2007- Teaching Committee, UAB, Birmingham  
2007- Committee on Peer Review, American Academy of  
Psychiatry and the Law  
August 1998-05 Chair of Fellowship Committee, Alabama Psychiatric Society  
Jan, 1996-98 Committee on Psychiatry and Computers, American Academy of  
Psychiatry and the Law  
August, 1996-99 Consultant to the Steering Committee, APA Committee on Research  
May, 1996-97 **President of Alabama [State] Psychiatric Society**  
August, 1993- 98 Public Affairs Representative for the Alabama Psychiatric Society  
June, 1988 - Member of Council, Alabama Psychiatric Society  
Oct, 1988- Chief of Staff, Taylor Hardin Secure Medical Facility  
Sept, 1988- Clinical Director, Taylor Hardin Secure Medical Facility  
June, 1988-94 **Editor and Publisher, Alabama Psychiatric Society Newsletter**  
Oct, 1987- 89 Member for Psychiatry, DCH Regional Medical Center Formulary  
Committee  
1986-88 VA Hospital Medical Student and Resident Review Committee  
University of Alabama,  
College of Community Health Sciences  
Executive Committee  
Advisory Council  
Quality Assurance Committee  
Resident Selection Committee  
Post graduate Curriculum Committee  
1980-86 Georgetown Memorial Hospital, Georgetown, SC  
Executive Committee Secretary, Georgetown County Medical  
Society  
1978-81 Board of Directors, Waccamaw Mental Health Center  
1976-77 Chief Resident, University of Kentucky Medical Center, Dept. of  
Psychiatry