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Field of Specialization:

School Psychology/Child and Adolescent Psychopathology

Academic Training:

2001 BS, Fordham University, Major: Psychology/Sociology, Cum Laude

2004 MS, Tulane University, School Psychology

2007 Ph.D., Tulane University, School Psychology,
Advisor: Stacy Overstreet, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *"Symptoms of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder in Adolescent Females Following Hurricane Katrina: Coping as a Moderator"*

License:

2010 Connecticut State License in Psychology (#003055), Issued 8/31/10

2010 New York State License in Psychology (# 018675-1), Issued 6/30/10

Traineeship:

2006-2007 Predoctoral Internship at Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, The Kennedy Krieger Institute, Baltimore, MD

2008-2010 Postdoctoral Fellowship/Residency in Clinical Psychology, The Institute of Living, Hartford Hospital, Hartford, CT

Employment:

2010-2012 Staff Psychologist, Anxiety Disorders Center/Center for Cognitive Behavioral Therapy, The Institute of Living, Hartford Hospital, Hartford, CT

2012-2015 Senior Clinician, Coordinator of the School Refusal Accelerated Program, Columbia University Clinic for Anxiety and Related Disorders (CUCARD), New York, NY

2015-Present Senior Clinician, Director of the School Refusal Accelerated Program, Columbia University Clinic for Anxiety and Related Disorders-Westchester (CUCARD-W), Tarrytown, NY

Professional Organizations and Societies:

2000-Present American Psychological Association Member (APA)

2002-2007 Louisiana School Psychological Association Student Member

2006 National Association of School Psychologists (NASP) Student Member

2002-2007 Society for Research on Adolescence (SRA/SRCD) Student Member

2008-Present Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT)
 2013-Present New York State Psychological Association
 2014-Present Westchester County Psychological Association

Academic Appointments:

2012-2015 Instructor of Medical Psychology (In Psychiatry), Department of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York, NY
 2015-Present Assistant Professor of Clinical Psychology (In Psychiatry), Department of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York, NY

Hospital Appointments:

2010-2012 Attending Psychologist, Department of Psychology, Hartford Hospital, CT
 2012-Present Assistant Professional Psychologist, New York Presbyterian Hospital, New York

Honors:

1999-2001 Psi Chi, Psychology Honor Society
 2001-2006 Graduate Teaching Assistantship; Tulane University
 2002 & 2004 Robert E. Flowerree Fund Summer Research Grant, Tulane University
 2004-2005 Robert E. Flowerree Travel Grant, Tulane University

Departmental and University Committees:

2003-2004 School Psychology Graduate Student Representative
 2004-2005 Psychology Colloquium Committee

Teaching Experience and Responsibilities:

2001-2004 Teaching Assistant, *Introductory Psychology* (Fall 2001, Spring 2002), *Intensive General Psychology* (Fall 2002, Fall 2003), *Child & Adolescent Social Development* (Spring 2003), *Family Psychology* (Spring 2003), *Childhood Behavior Disorders* (Spring 2004), Tulane University
 2004-2006 Lab Course Instructor, *Stress and Trauma*, (Fall 2004, Spring 2005),
Psychological Assessment I: Cognitive and Academic Assessment (Fall 2005),
Psychological Assessment II: Personality and Psychodiagnostic Assessment (Spring 2006), Tulane University
 2008-2010 Associate Instructor, Cognitive Behavior Therapy Course at The Institute of Living
 2009-2012 Supervise clinical psychology graduate students and postdoctoral fellows at the Anxiety Disorders Center at The Institute of Living
 2010-2011 Dissertation Committee Member, University of Hartford, Department of Psychology, Psy.D. Candidate, Dissertation Title: "Life After Dog: The Experience of Pet Loss and Bereavement and Their Implications for Healthcare Providers"
 2012-Present Guest Lecturer, First Year Fundamentals of Psychotherapy Course, NYPH Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Residency Training Program of Columbia & Cornell Universities

2012-Present Cognitive Behavioral Therapy Supervisor at the Columbia University Department of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry- Supervision of post-doctoral fellows and graduate student externs

Academic Presentations:

Hannan, S.E., Davis, E., Morrison, S., & Tolin, D.F. (2014). *Intensive Group Treatment for Pediatric OCD: Results from an Outpatient Treatment Setting*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Hannan, S.E., Davis, E., Morrison, S., Worden, B., Gilliam, C., Moore, E., Diefenbach, G., & Tolin, D.F. (2014). *Effectiveness of Intensive Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy for School Refusal*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Nave, A.M., Stevens, M., Villavicencio, A., DiMauro, J., Morrison, S., & Tolin, D.F. (2011, November). *Neural Correlates of CBT Treatment for Hoarding Disorder: A Pilot Study*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Toronto, Canada.

Morrison, S., Hidalgo, D.M., Whiting, S.E., Hannan, S.E., & Tolin, D. F. (2009, November). *Predicting response to treatment in anxious youth: The impact of parent-child agreement of psychosocial impairment*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, New York, New York.

Gilliam, C. M., Hannan, S. E., Norberg, M. M., Morrison, S., Villavicencio, A., & Dufresne, D. (2009, November). *Group CBT for compulsive hoarding: An effectiveness study*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, New York.

Mathews, T. & Morrison, S. (2007, March). *Attention problems as a mediator between PTSD and academic performance among children exposed to community violence*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Boston, Massachusetts.

Morrison, S., Overstreet, S., Efreom, Y., & Weeks, C. (2006, March). *Moderators of exposure to community violence outcomes: The school context*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, San Francisco, California.

Morrison, S. & Monacell, H. (2005, April). *The relation between severity of exposure to community violence and depression: Perceptions of safety at school as a mediator*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Atlanta, Georgia.

Morrison, S. (2004, March). *Exploring the Relation Between Exposure to Community Violence and Peer Rejection: The Role of Gender Specific Mechanisms*. Tulane University

Colloquia Lecture Series.

Morrison, S. & Overstreet, S. (2004, March). *Exploring the relation between exposure to community violence and peer rejection*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, Baltimore, Maryland.

Morrison, S., Bevans, K.B., & Efreom, Y. (2003, April). *Exposure to community violence and externalizing behavior: Peer rejection as a mediator*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Tampa, Florida.

Other Professional Activities:

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| 2002 | 5 th Annual Mississippi Conference on Autism Spectrum Disorders |
| 2002 | Functional Analysis and Treatment of Severe Behavior Disorders; Workshop presented by Dr. Brian Iwata |
| 2004 | Louisiana School Psychological Association (LSPA) Annual Convention |
| 2004 | <i>Autism and other Pervasive Developmental Disorders</i> . In-service presented to staff and mental health professionals at Jefferson Parish Human Services Authority (JPHSA). |
| 2005 and | Undoing Racism Workshop; Presented by the People's Institute for Survival Beyond |
| 2005 | Attended meeting of the Louisiana Children's Law Institute Subcommittee: Juvenile Competency and Reverse Waiver Procedures |
| 2005 Jefferson | "Empowering Children and Families," Workshop presented by the Parish Human Services Authority |
| 2006 to with | The Healing Curriculum," A school wide prevention and intervention program help children cope with the trauma of Hurricane Katrina and effectively deal various stressors they encounter in their lives |
| 2008 | Speaker, Institute of Living Psychology Colloquium, Topic: The Nature and Treatment of Compulsive Hoarding |
| 2008-2010 | Guest Lecturer, Nursing Trainee Seminar, The Institute of Living, Topic: Nature and Treatment of Anxiety Disorders |
| 2010 | Staff Professional Development Seminar, Conducted in-service workshop at Greenwich Public Schools, Topic: Nature and Treatment of School Refusal |
| 2013-Present | Guest Lecturer, CBT Training Seminar, Weill Cornell Medical College, New York-Presbyterian Hospital Westchester Division, Topic: Nature and Treatment of Hoarding Disorder |
| 2014 | Staff Professional Development Seminar, Conducted in-service workshop at New Milford Public Schools, Topic: Nature and Treatment of School Refusal |
| 2015 | Selected Panel Member/Discussant, <i>NYCCAP's Collaborative Care Committee</i> "Approaches to School Refusal: A Multidisciplinary Panel Discussion" |
| 2015 | Staff Professional Development Seminar, Guest Lecturer at New Rochelle Public Schools, Topic: Nature and Treatment of School Refusal |
| 2015 | Staff Professional Development Seminar, Guest Lecturer at Mamaroneck Public Schools, Topic: Nature and Treatment of School Refusal |
| 2015 | Key Note Speaker, Stony Brook Children's Hospital's (Division of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology) Annual School Intervention and Re-entry Program's |

- 2015 “Educating the Educators” Conference. Topic: Every Day Counts: School Refusal in Children with Chronic Medical Conditions
Staff Professional Development Seminar, Conducted in-service workshop at Katonah Public Schools, Topic: Nature and Treatment of School Refusal

Media Appearances:

- 2011-2014 Regularly appearing expert on TLC’s “Hoarders: Buried Alive”
2011 Appeared on the local Connecticut Fox 5 morning news as an expert discussing Hoarding Disorder
2011 Appeared on “Better Connecticut” as an expert discussing Hoarding Disorder
2011 Appeared on “The Today Show” as an expert discussing Hoarding Disorder
2011 Regularly appearing expert on Animal Planet’s “Confessions: Animal Hoarding”
2012 Appeared on MSNBC’s “Caught on Camera” as an expert discussing Hoarding Disorder

Bibliography:

PEER REVIEWED ARTICLES:

1. Morrison, S. & Pulifiaco, A.C. (2015, Oct 20). Managing Back-To-School Anxiety. *Medscape*. Retrieved from <http://www.medscape.com/viewarticle/852657>.
2. Rodriguez CI, Bender J Jr, Morrison S, Mehendru R, Tolin DF, Simpson HB (2013). Does extended release methylphenidate help adults with hoarding disorder?: a case series. *Journal of Clinical Psychopharmacology*.
3. Tolin, D.F., Stevens, M.C., Nave, A, Villavicencio, A.L., & Morrison, S. (2012). Neural Mechanisms of Cognitive Behavioral Therapy Response in Hoarding Disorder: A Pilot Study. *Journal of Obsessive-Compulsive and Related Disorders*.
4. Gilliam, C.M., Norberg, M.M., Villavicencio, A., Morrison, S., Hannan, S.E., & Tolin, D.F. (2011). Group Cognitive Behavioral Therapy for Hoarding Disorder: An Open Trial. *Behaviour Research and Therapy*.

CHAPTERS AND BOOKS:

1. Ginsberg, R., Morrison, S., & Pulifiaco, A.C. (In Press). Pediatric OCD: Clinical Course, Phenomenology, and Assessment. In C. Pittenger (Ed.), *Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder: Phenomenology, Pathophysiology, and Treatment*. New York: Oxford University Press.
2. Tolin, D.F. & Morrison, S. (2010). Impulse control disorders. In M.M. Antony & D.H. Barlow (Eds.), *Handbook of Assessment and Treatment Planning for Psychological Disorders*. New York: Guilford.

REVIEWS, EDITORIALS, LETTERS: