

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Division of Addiction Psychiatry

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CITIZENSHIP: USA

UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION:

University of Michigan
Ann Arbor, MI
09/1989 - 06/1990

Rutgers College, Rutgers University,
New Brunswick, NJ
Bachelor of Arts (Psychology Major, English Minor)
09/1990 - 06/1993

GRADUATE EDUCATION:

New School for Social Research
Masters in Psychology Program
New York, NY
09/1996 – 06/1997

Ferkauf Graduate School of Psychology
Yeshiva University, Bronx, NY
Master of Arts in Psychology, January, 2000
Doctorate of Psychology, Clinical Psychology, September, 2002
09/1997 – 09/2002

PRE and POSTGRADUATE TRAINING:

National Development Research Institutes, Inc
Medical and Health Research Association of New York City, Inc
Behavioral Sciences Training Program,
New York, NY (NIDA 2T32DA007233-16)
Pre-Doctoral Fellow (6/2000 – 9/2002)
Postdoctoral Fellow (9/2002 – 1/2004)

UMDNJ Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
Piscataway, NJ
Clinical Intern
09/2001 – 08/2002

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS:

Department of Psychiatry
UMDNJ Robert Wood Johnson Medical School,

New Brunswick, NJ
Adjunct Instructor 2/2002 – 6/2005

Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences
Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Yeshiva University
Bronx, NY
Instructor 01/2004 – 07/2005

Department of Medicine
Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Yeshiva University
Division of General Internal Medicine
Bronx, NY
Instructor 07/2005 – 09/2008

Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences
Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Yeshiva University,
Bronx, NY
Assistant Professor 07/2005 – 09/2008

Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences
Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Yeshiva University,
Bronx, NY
Assistant Clinical Professor 09/2008 – 11/2009

Department of Medicine
Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Yeshiva University
Division of General Internal Medicine
Bronx, NY
Assistant Clinical Professor 09/2008 – 11/2009

Department of Psychiatry
UMDNJ-Robert Wood Johnson Medical School,
New Brunswick, NJ
Instructor 12/2009 – 6/2011

Department of Psychiatry
UMDNJ-Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
New Brunswick, NJ
Assistant Professor 07/2011 – 06/2013

Department of Psychiatry
Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
New Brunswick, NJ
Assistant Professor 07/2013 - 06/2016

Cancer Institute of New Jersey
UMDNJ
New Brunswick, NJ
Member 2011- 6/2013

Rutgers Cancer Institute of New Jersey
Rutgers Biomedical Health Sciences
New Brunswick, NJ
Member 07/2013-Present

Department of Psychiatry
Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
New Brunswick, NJ
Associate Professor 07/2016 - Present

Center for Alcohol and Substance Abuse Studies

Rutgers Graduate School of Applied and Professional Psychology
Piscataway, NJ
Affiliate Member 08/2019 - Present

Rutgers Addiction Research Center
Rutgers University
Executive Board
Chair, Treatment and Recovery 04/2022 - Present

HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS:

Psychology Department
Montefiore Medical Center
Bronx, NY
Attending Psychologist 06/2005 – 12/2009

Department of Psychiatry
Consult Liaison Service
Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital
New Brunswick, NJ
Attending Psychologist 7/2015 – 03/2024

LICENSURE: NJ Psychology License #35SI00546600, NY Psychology License ##016269

MEMBERSHIPS, OFFICES AND COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES:

1997 - present Member, American Psychological Association, Division 38 (Health Psychology),
Division 50 (Addiction Psychology)
2004 - 2010 Member, Society of Behavioral Medicine
2005 - 2010 Member, Motivational Interviewing Trainers Network
2006 - 2010 Member, Association for Medical Education and Research in Substance Abuse
2012 - 2016 Member, Association for the Treatment of Tobacco Use and Dependence
2007 - present Member, Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco
2014 – 2017 Member, Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco, Treatment Network Co-
Morbidity Workgroup
2014 - 2017 Member, New Jersey Psychological Association
2021 – Present Member, College on Problems of Drug Dependence

HONORS AND AWARDS:

1991-1993 Dean's List,
1991-1993 Golden Key National Honor Society
1992-1993 Psi Chi Psychology Honor Society
1996 New School Scholarship
1997-1998 Yeshiva University Scholarship
1999 Judith and Frank S. Greenberg Scholarship
2003 Unpublished Manuscript Award, Association for Women in Psychology
2004-2012 National Institute of Health (NIH) Loan Repayment Program
2010 Second Prize: Best poster Presentation at the Texas Chapter of the American
College of Physicians Annual Meeting
2012 – 2013 Selected for Early Career Reviewer (ECR) program at the Center for Scientific
Review (CSR), NIH.
2017 Selected to participate in National Cancer Institute (NCI) and Cancer Research
United Kingdom (CRUK) Sandpit Workshop

SERVICE ON NATIONAL GRANT REVIEW PANELS, STUDY SECTIONS, COMMITTEES:

2013 Ad Hoc Reviewer
National Institutes of Health

Center for Scientific Review
Community-Level Health Promotion Study Section

- 2017 Reviewer
National Institutes of Health
Office of Scientific Review, National Center for Complementary and Integrative Health
Special Emphasis Panel
- 2018 Reviewer
National Institutes of Health
Center for Scientific Review
2018/10 ZRG1 RPHB-R (80) A,
Risk Prevention and Health Behavior (RPHB; AREA Review)
- 2019 Reviewer
National Institutes of Health
Center for Scientific Review
Risk Prevention and Health Behavior (RPHB) Integrated Review Group; Special
Emphasis Panel.
- 2020 Reviewer
National Institutes of Health
Center for Scientific Review
NIDCR Special Emphasis Panel ZDE1 JK (24)
- 2018, Ad-Hoc Reviewer
2019, National Institutes of Health
2021 Center for Scientific Review
Interventions to Prevent and Treat Addictions (IPTA) Study Section
- 2021 Reviewer
National Institutes for Health
Center for Scientific Review
ZRG1 RPHB M (02) Member Conflict Meeting
- 2021 Reviewer
Veterans Administration
Office of Research and Development
Neurobiology of Addiction Study Section
- 2022 Reviewer
National Institutes for Health
Center for Scientific Review
ZDA1 SXC-G (09) HEAL Initiative: Recovery Support Services for Individuals Treated
with Medications for Opioid Use Disorder
- 2022, Reviewer
2023, New Jersey Department of Labor
2024 Pathways to Recovery grant applications

SERVICE ON MAJOR COMMITTEES:

A. National/International:

Abstract Reviewer: Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco Annual Meeting 2012

Advisory Board, Rutgers School of Social Work and Center for Alcohol Studies, Addiction
Counselor Training (ACT) Certificate Program 2012 – 2013

Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco Treatment Network, Co-Morbidity Workgroup
2014-2017

Cancer Research United Kingdom, United Kingdom and United States Cancer and Health Behavior Research collaboration committee, 2017-2021

NIH HEAL Integrative Management of chronic Pain and OUD for Whole Recovery (IMPOWR) Network, 2023 - Present

B. University:

Rutgers Biomedical and Health Sciences Strategic Planning Tobacco/Addiction Workgroup, 2014

Opioid Workshop Planning Committee, Rutgers University, 2018

Robert Wood Johnson Medical School Robert Wood Johnson Medical School Summer Research Fellowship Selection Committee, 2021

RBHS Director of Rutgers University Addiction Research Center Search Committee, 2019-2021

Rutgers Center of Alcohol and Substance Use Studies WinR Community Advisory Board, 2021-Present

Rutgers Behavioral Health Sciences, Clinical Trials Office, Scientific Review Board, 2021-Present

Rutgers Addiction Research Center, Executive Board, Chair, Treatment and Recovery, 2022 - Present

Chair, Rutgers Addiction Research Center, Associate Director of Treatment and Recovery Search Committee, 2022 – Present

Rutgers Research-Community-Partnership (RCP) Committee, Rutgers Addiction Research Center, 2022-Present

Motivational and Affective Neuroscience Focus Area Working Group, Rutgers Brain Health Institute, 2022-Present

C. Department:

UMDNJ RWJMS Department of Psychiatry Research Committee 1/2013 – 6/2013

Residency Candidate Interviewer Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Psychiatry Residency Program, 2010-Present

D. Ad Hoc Reviewer:

Psychology, Health and Medicine, 2004, 2005

Journal of Urban Health, 2006

Journal of General Internal Medicine, 2005, 2006, 2012

AIDS Care, 2011

Journal of Substance Abuse Treatment, 2012, 2014, 2017

International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health, 2012

Current Drug Abuse Reviews, 2012

International Journal of STD & AIDS, 2012

Journal of Health Disparities Research and Practice, 2013, 2014

Journal of Dual Diagnosis, 2014

Journal of Health Psychology, 2016

Drug and Alcohol Review, 2016

Drug and Alcohol Dependence, 2018

Nicotine and Tobacco Research, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2019

American Journal of Public Health, 2021

Mindfulness, 2024

SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY:

- 2000-2004 Participated in weekly peer mentoring meetings, Behavioral Sciences Training Program, National Development Research Institutes, Inc. and Medical and Health Research Association of New York City, Inc., New York, NY
- 2004-2009 Participated in monthly peer mentoring research meetings, Center for AIDS Research, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Bronx, NY
- 2004-2009 Participated in weekly peer-mentoring meetings in the Division of General Internal Medicine, Albert Einstein College of Medicine and Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, NY
- 2004-2009 Faculty Evaluator, Objective Structured Clinical Examinations for internal medicine and family medicine residents, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, NY
- 2008-2009 Organized and participated in monthly peer mentoring research meetings, Division of Substance Abuse, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Bronx, NY
- 2012-2020 Participates in peer mentoring, Rutgers Addiction Research Consortium meetings, Rutgers University.
- 2010-Present Residency Candidate Interviewer Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Psychiatry Residency Program
- 2010-Present Faculty Evaluator, Objective Structured Clinical Examinations for medical students, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
- 2013-Present Psychology Internship Program Interviewer Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Rutgers University Behavioral Health Care
- 2022-Present Motivational and Affective Neuroscience Focus Area Working Group, Rutgers Brain Health Institute
- 2022-Present Rutgers Research-Community-Partnership (RCP) Committee, Rutgers Addiction Research Center

TEACHING RESPONSIBILITIES:

Lectures or Course Directorships:

Lecturer. *Anxiety among the Elderly*. Presentation to geriatric psychiatry training seminar at Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Piscataway, NJ (March, 2002) 1.5 hours

Lecturer. *Treating Individuals with HIV/AIDS*. Presentation to psychology interns at Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Piscataway, NJ (July, 2002) 1.5 hours

Course Director and Lecturer. *Motivational Interviewing in the Primary Care Setting*. Course for internal medicine residents at Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, NY (regularly, January, 2004 – December, 2009) 6 hours per year

Course Director and Lecturer. *Motivational Interviewing for Health Behavior Change*. Training for family and social medicine residents at Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, NY (regularly, January, 2004 – December, 2009) 6 hours per year

Lecturer. *Motivational Interviewing*. Presentation to the clinical psychology interns at Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, NY (April, 2005) 1.5 hours

Lecturer. *Motivational Interviewing for Health Behaviors*. Presentation to undergraduate students at City University of New York, Hunter College, New York, NY (October, 2005) 1.5 hours

Lecturer. *Motivational Interviewing for Children and Their Parents*. Training for pediatric residents, Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, NY (March, 2007) 3 hours

Course Director and Lecturer. *Motivational Interviewing for Adherence to Antiretroviral Medications*. Training for adherence counselors in the Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Division of Substance Abuse methadone clinics and the Montefiore Medical Center methadone clinics, Bronx, NY (January, 2004 – September, 2008). Ongoing, 1.5 hours per week

Course Director and Lecturer. *Motivational Interviewing and Telephone Interventions for those with Chronic Illness*. Training for contract management organization nurses at Montefiore Medical Center, Yonkers, NY (regularly, December, 2004 – December, 2005) 10 hours, total

Lecturer. *Motivational Interviewing in the Primary Care Setting*. Professional training for family and social medicine faculty at Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, NY (January, 2005) 1.5 hours

Course Director and Lecturer. *Motivational Interviewing for Treating Substance Abuse in Methadone Clinics*. Training for clinical supervisors and substance abuse counselors in the Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Division of Substance Abuse and Montefiore Medical Center methadone clinics, Bronx, NY (May, 2005 – October, 2005) 9 hours, total

Lecturer. *Controversial Issues in Substance Abuse Treatment*. Presentation to undergraduate students at City University of New York, Hunter College, New York, NY (February, 2006) 1.5 hours

Course Director and Lecturer. *Motivational Interviewing*. Two half-day trainings for psychologists and psychiatrists at the Brooklyn Veterans Administration Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY (January, 2007) 8 hours, total

Lecturer. *Heroin Abuse and Dependence*. Substance Abuse Lecture to PGY1 and PGY2 Robert Wood Johnson Medical School Department of Psychiatry, Piscataway, NJ (May, 2010) 1.5 hours

Lecturer. *Drug Use and HIV Risk*. Substance Abuse Lecture to PGY1 and PGY2 Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Department of Psychiatry, Piscataway, NJ (May, 2010) 1.5 hours

Lecturer. Journal Club. Robert Wood Johnson Medical School Psychiatry Residency, Piscataway, NJ (2011-2015) 1.5 hours, annually

Lecturer. *Motivational Interviewing and Health Literacy*. Presentation to medical and public health students, Mount Sinai College of Medicine, New York, NY (June, 2011) 1.5 hours

Lecturer. *Developing a Clinical Research Career*. Seminar for Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Department of Psychiatry Residency Program, Piscataway, NJ (June, 2011) 1.5 hours

Course Co-Director and Lecturer. *Tobacco Policy Change in Addiction Treatment Setting.*, Continuing medical education training at Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, New Brunswick, NJ (November, 2011). 8 hours

Course Director and Lecturer. *Motivational Interviewing for HIV Testing*. CE training for New Jersey substance abuse treatment providers, Princeton, NJ (2014) 8 hours

Lecturer. *Treating Tobacco Dependence in Mental Health Settings*. CE course, Austin Travis County Integral Care, Austin, TX (2014) 2.5 hours.

Lecturer. *Opiate Use Disorders*. Robert Wood Johnson Medical School Psychiatry Residency, Piscataway, NJ (2014-2015) 1 hour.

Lecturer. *Treating Tobacco Dependence in Mental Health Settings*. CE course, American Lung Association, Duluth, MN (2016) 4 hours.

Course Director and Lecturer. *Mindfulness Based Relapse Prevention*. East Orange Substance Abuse Treatment, East Orange, NJ; Jersey Shore Addiction Treatment, Neptune, NJ; and Lennard Clinic, Newark, NJ. (2016-2017) 4 hours

Lecturer. *Treating Tobacco Dependence in Mental Health Settings*. CE course, Texas Department of State Health Services, El Paso, TX. (2017) 4 hours

Lecturer. *Treating Tobacco Dependence in Mental Health Settings*. CE course, Panhandle Prevention Coalition, Scottsbluff, NE. (2017) 4 hours

Lecturer. *A path towards developing an effective smoking cessation intervention for individuals in methadone treatment for opioid use*. Research Lunch Lecture for RWJMS medical students. (2018) 1 hour.

Lecturer. *Substance use disorders, HIV, and Harm Reduction*. Robert Wood Johnson Medical School Psychiatry Residency, Piscataway, NJ, (2017- Present) 1 hour, annually.

Lecturer. *Personality disorders among individuals with substance use disorders*. Robert Wood Johnson Medical School Psychiatry Residency, Piscataway, NJ, (2017-present) 1 hour, annually.

Lecturer. *Treating Tobacco Dependence in Mental Health Settings*. CE course, NY Office of Mental Health, Creedmore Psychiatric Center, Queens Village, NY. (2016) 4 hours

Lecturer. *Harm Reduction*. For Robert Wood Johnson Medical School students Psychiatry and Research Interest Group students. (2019) 1 hour

Lecturer/Discussion group facilitator. Substance Use Disorders Case Discussion. Case discussion group for 2nd year Robert Wood Johnson Medical School students (2010 - Present) 1.5 hours, annually

Lecturer. *Assessment of Substance Abuse and Dependence*. Presentation to psychology interns, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Piscataway, NJ (2011-- resent) 3 hours, annually

Faculty discussant. Case discussion group for psychology interns, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Piscataway, NJ (2011-- present) 3 hours, annually

Lecturer. *Treating Tobacco Dependence in Mental Health Settings*. CE course, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, New Brunswick, NJ (2012 - 2017, annually) 9 hours, annually

Course Director and Lecturer. *Critical Review of the Literature*. Robert Wood Johnson Medical School Psychiatry Residency, Piscataway, NJ (2015-present) 8 hours, annually

Course Co-Director and Lecturer, *Intro to Opioids*, Elective Course, Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, 1st and 2nd year medical students. 8 hours, annually (2018 – Present)

Lecturer. *Harm Reduction*. Presentation for Introduction to Opioids course for Robert Wood Johnson Medical School students. (2018 - Present) 1 hour, annually

Lecturer. *Motivational Interviewing*. Presentation for Introduction to Opioids course for Robert Wood Johnson Medical School students. (2019 - Present) 1 hour annually

Lecturer/Discussion Group Facilitator. *Transitioning to Research Independence*. Presentation to University of Utah, Social Work PhD students. (2023) 1 hour

Lecturer/Discussion Group Facilitator. *Transitioning to Research Independence*. Presentation to NIH IMPOWR Network Early Career Investigators. (2023) 1 hour

Research Mentoring:

Thesis Defense Committee Member. Howard Newville, Ferkauf Graduate School of Psychology, Yeshiva University, Clinical Health Psychology Ph.D. student. (November, 2009)

Thesis Defense Committee Member. Francesca Parker, Ferkauf Graduate School of Psychology, Yeshiva University, Clinical Health Psychology Ph.D. student (January, 2010)

Research Mentor. Cara Church, Fielding University, Clinical Psychology Ph.D. student (December, 2009 - August, 2011)

Research Mentor. Jessica Huang, UMDNJ--Robert Wood Johnson Medical School and UMDNJ--School of Public Health, MD/MPH student (May, 2011 – May, 2012)

Research Mentor, Malissa Gilanchi, Hofstra University, undergraduate Community Health student (July, 2012-August, 2012 and February, 2014 –June, 2014)

Research Mentor, Christopher Hughes, Rutgers University, Clinical Psychology Ph.D. student (July, 2015 – Sept, 2015)

Ph.D. Qualifying Exam Committee Member. Allison Borges, Rutgers University, Clinical Psychology Ph.D. student (November, 2017)

Research Mentor. Arpun Shah, Rutgers School of Public Health, Masters in Public Health student (Sept, 2018-May, 2019).

Research Mentor. Ralph Foglia, Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School summer medical school research fellow (May, 2019-August, 2019).

Research Mentor, Parthi Dasondi, Rutgers School of Arts and Sciences Honors Program, (May, 2020-April, 2021)

Research Mentor. Jose Cruz, Rutgers-Newark Urban Systems PhD. Student (Sept, 2018- Aug, 2023)

Research Mentor, Tanya Singh, Rutgers University Behavioral Health, Psychology Intern (Sept, 2021-Aug, 2022)

Research Mentor, Calvin Chatlos, MD, Rutgers University Behavioral Health, Faculty Investigator, (May, 2022 - Present)

Research Mentor, Kevin Fredericks, Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School summer medical school research fellow (May, 2023-Present)

Research Mentor, Maxwell Everett, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School 4th year medical student (July, 2023-Present)

Research Mentor, Ann M. Nguyen, PhD MPH, Assistant Research Professor, Rutgers Center for State Health Policy (November, 2023—Present)

F31 Mentoring Team, Emmanuel Alvarez, Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School Neuroscience PhD student (February, 2024—Present)

Faculty Mentor, Marilyn Piccirillo, PhD, Assistant Professor, Rutgers Division of Addiction Psychiatry and the Rutgers Addiction Research Center (May, 2024 – Present)

Clinical Supervision:

Clinical Supervisor. Five HIV adherence counselors (Rosa Rodriguez, Mark Flores, Marc King, Lisa Mosley, Edwin Roman). Albert Einstein College of Medicine and Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, NY (2004-2007)

Practicum Co-Supervisor. Dawn Berger, Fairleigh Dickenson University, Clinical Psychology Ph.D. student (2011-2012)

Practicum Supervisor. Erica Burd, Monmouth University, Masters in Counseling student (2011-2012)

Practicum Supervisor. Ciara Guile, Monmouth University, Masters in Counseling student (2011-2012)

Practicum Supervisor. Samantha Kunz, College of New Jersey, Masters in Counseling student (2012-2013)

Practicum Co-Supervisor, Yardana Galler, Graduate School of Applied and Professional Psychology, Rutgers University, School/Child Psychology Psy.D. student (2012-2013)

Practicum Co-Supervisor, Grishma Mehta, Rutgers University, Masters in Social Work student (2013-2014)

Post-Doctoral Fellowship Co-Supervisor, Rakhee Krishna, Ph.D. (2013-2014)

Clinical Supervisor, Sarah Grace Helton, Rutgers University, Clinical Psychology Ph.D. student (2017-2018)

Clinical Internship Supervisor, Wendy Alfaro, Kean University, Clinical Psychology, Ph.D. student (2017-2018)

Clinical Supervisor, Rachel Rosen, Rutgers University, Clinical Psychology Ph.D. student (2018-2020)

Clinical Supervisor, Matthew Murnin, MD, Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Psychiatry Resident (2020-2021)

Clinical Supervisor, Caitlin Schroen, MD, Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Psychiatry Resident (2020-2021)

Clinical Supervisor, Zachary Shuler, MD, Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Psychiatry Resident (2021-2022)

Clinical Supervisor, Travis Downey, MD, Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Psychiatry Resident (2021-2022)

Clinical Internship Supervisor, Adelya Urmanche, Adelphi University PhD student, Rutgers University Behavioral Health Center, Psychology Internship Program (2021-2022)

Clinical Supervisor, Anantharam Peesapati, MD, Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Psychiatry Resident (2021-2023)

Clinical Supervisor, Katerina Christodoulides, MD, Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Psychiatry Resident (2021-2023)

Clinical Internship Supervisor, Silvana Agterberg, Yeshiva, Ferkauf Graduate School of Psychology, PhD student, Rutgers University Behavioral Health Center, Psychology Internship Program (2022-2023)

Clinical Internship Supervisor, Kaitlyn Lipuma, Rutgers School of Social Work Masters in Social Work student (2023-2024)

Clinical Internship Supervisor, Nicole Khauli, Palo Alto University PhD student, Rutgers University Behavioral Health Center, Psychology Internship Program (2023-2024)

Clinical Practicum Supervisor, Liezl Bosch, Rutgers Graduate School of Applied and Professional Psychology PsyD student (2023 – Present)

CLINICAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

Extern: Beth Israel Medical Center, Inpatient General Psychiatric Unit, New York, NY 1996-1997

Extern: Princeton House, Women's Trauma Program, Princeton, NJ 1998-1999

Extern: Rutgers College Counseling Center, New Brunswick, NJ 1999-2000

Extern: Yeshiva University, Ferkauf Graduate School of Psychology, Parnes Psychology Clinic, Bronx, NY 2000-2001

Clinical Intern: Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Piscataway, NJ 2001-2002

Smoking Cessation Counselor, Division of Substance Abuse, Albert Einstein College of Medicine and Montefiore Medical Center Substance Abuse Treatment Program, 2006

Clinical Research Evaluator, Evaluating Adverse Events in a Global Smoking Cessation Study (Pfizer A3051123) 2012

Research Therapist and Clinical Supervisor, Developing and Smoking Cessation for Methadone Maintained Smokers study (NIDA K23DA025049) 2011 – 2014

Research Therapist, Persistence Target Smoking Cessation study (NIDA R34DA030652) 2013 – 2014

Research Therapist, Feasibility of Dialectical Behavior Therapy Skills Training for Smoking Cessation among Methadone Maintained Smokers (NIDA K23DA025049) 2015

Psychologist, Consult-Liaison Service, Psychiatry Department, Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital 2015 - 2017

GRANT SUPPORT:

A. As Principal Investigator:

NIH L30 DA018588: “*Efficacy and Cost of HAART DOT in Methadone Clinics*” and “*Developing a Smoking Cessation Intervention for Methadone Maintained Smokers.*” NIH Loan Repayment Program. 2005-2012; \$70,000

Albert Einstein College of Medicine; “*A Pilot Study of HIV In Sex Workers and Housewives Attending a Women’s Health Clinic in Mumbai, India Center for AIDS Research (CFAR)*”; Mentor: Ellie Schoenbaum, MD: The purpose of this study is to gather pilot data on HIV-seroprevalence, risk behavior, and knowledge, attitudes and beliefs about HIV-infection among women at a women’s health center in Mumbai, India. 2005 – 2009; \$35,000

NIDA K23DA025049: “*Developing a Smoking Cessation Intervention for Methadone Maintained Smokers;*” Mentor: Jill Williams, MD. The purpose of this study is to develop and evaluate a smoking cessation intervention for methadone-maintained smokers. 2009 – 2015; \$816,725

NJ Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services. *Opiate Overdose Prevention Network*. The purpose of this project is to distribute naloxone and train individuals across NJ to recognize opioid overdose and administer naloxone. 2016 – 2021; \$2,909,091.

Arnold Ventures/Laura and John Arnold Foundation: *Emergency Department Peer Recovery Support for Opioid Overdose Survivors*. The purpose of this study is to evaluate the effectiveness of an emergency department-based program that is designed to link individuals with an opioid overdose and naloxone reversal with medication-assisted treatment (MAT). 2018-2023; \$1,945,000

NCCIH/NIDA HEAL R21/33 AT010109: *Mindfulness Oriented Recovery Enhancement as an Adjunct to Methadone Treatment for Opioid Use and Chronic Pain*. The purpose of this project is to evaluate Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement in methadone treatment for opioid relapse prevention and chronic pain management. 2018-2022; \$1,819,870

NJ Department of Labor. *Pathways to Recovery Initiative Pilot*. The purpose of this project is to gather information on implementation and participants of the Opioid Recovery Employment Program and to distribute naloxone and train program employers, grantees, and staff on naloxone administration and the opioid epidemic. 6/30/19-8/31/20; \$380,000

NJ Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services. *Opiate Overdose Prevention Network Expansion Project*. The purpose of this project is to train peer recovery specialists across New Jersey to provide training on opioid overdose and naloxone administration to their clients. 9/1/21-3/31/24; \$1,608,300

NJ Department of Labor. *Pathways to Recovery Initiative*. The purpose of this project is to gather information on implementation and participants of the Opioid Recovery Employment Program and to distribute naloxone and train program employers, grantees, and staff on naloxone administration and the opioid epidemic. 1/5/22-1/31/23; \$230,000

NJ Department of Labor. *Pathways to Recovery Initiative*. The purpose of this project is to gather information on implementation and participants of the Opioid Recovery Employment Program and to distribute naloxone and train program employers, grantees, and staff on naloxone administration and the opioid epidemic. 2/1/23-8/1/24; \$648,203

NJ Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services. *Opiate Overdose Prevention Network*. The purpose of this project is to distribute naloxone and train individuals across NJ to recognize opioid overdose and administer naloxone. 9/2023 – 8/2028; \$3,230,000.

NIDA R01 DA056537: *Implementation and Effectiveness of Mindfulness Oriented Recovery Enhancement as an Adjunct to Methadone Treatment for Opioid Use Disorder*. The purpose of this project is to evaluate mindfulness-oriented recovery enhancement effectiveness and implementation strategies in methadone treatment. 9/1/22-8/31/27; \$3,882,577

NIDA/HEAL R01 DA057631: *Motivational Interviewing and Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement for Tobacco Dependence and Other Drug use in Methadone Treatment*. The purpose of this project is to evaluate the effectiveness and implementation of motivational-interviewing and mindfulness-oriented recovery enhancement for opioids, tobacco, and other drug use in methadone treatment. 9/1/22-8/31/27; \$3,900,536.00

NIDA/HEAL R01 DA058621: *Optimizing Patient-Centered Opioid Tapering with Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement*. The goal of this study is to test whether adding Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement to patient-centered opioid tapering can reduce opioid-related harms and chronic pain while improving quality of life among patients in primary care. 8/1/23-6/30/28. \$5,743,191

B. As Site Principal Investigator:

C63941/A25647 Cancer Research United Kingdom: *Changing How People Think and Feel about Cancer Prevention Behaviours: Translating Neuroscience into Population Health*. The objective of this study is to empirically test the unique and combined effects of positive affect and positive episodic future thinking interventions on temporal discounting and food choices and to develop collaborative relationships between investigators in the United States and United Kingdom. 2017-2018, \$53,493

C. As Co-Investigator:

NIDA 1R01DA015302: *'Efficacy and Cost of HAART DOT in Methadone Clinics'*; Principal Investigator: Julia Arnsten, MD, MPH; The purpose of this study is to determine the cost, feasibility and effectiveness of directly observed therapy for HAART within methadone clinics. 2004 – 2009 - \$4,835,908

NIDA 1R21DA017812; *'Strategies to Help ER Patients Quit Smoking'*; Principal Investigator: Steven Bernstein, MD; The purpose of this study is to examine whether a multicomponent intervention delivered in the ER by a Lay Educator to adult smokers interested in quitting is more likely to result in cessation than usual care: 2005-2007 - \$301,961

NJ Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services; *Rapid HIV Testing Support*; Principal Investigator: Gratian Salaru, MD. 2012-2018 \$5,400,000

NJ Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services. *Medication Assisted Treatment Outreach Program*; Principal Investigator: The purpose of this project is to increase medication assisted treatment and integrated care for individuals in NJ with opiate dependence. Principal Investigator: Jill Williams, MD. 2015 – 2018 \$375,000

NJ Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services. *New Jersey Family Surveys on Drug Use and Health*. The purpose of this project is to conduct a statewide telephone household survey and series of special population studies examining substance abuse and mental health in New Jersey residents. PI: Anna Kline, Ph.D. 2018-2021. \$1,581,342

UL1 UL1TR002366, KUMC Frontiers Pilot award: *Changing How The Brain Responds When Making Decisions: Translating Neuroscience To Population Health.*; Pilot study to examine brain activation, temporal discounting, food demand and food choices related to positive affect and episodic future thinking guided imagery. PI: Laura Martin, Ph.D. 09/01/2018 - 06/30/2019. \$20,000

NIH/NIDA R01DA054201, *Decision Neuroscience of Craving*. The purpose of this project is to discover what happens in the brain when we experience “craving”, the strong and specific motivational state for a particular object or experience, how the brain can arbitrate between one type of craving (eg for food) versus another (eg for drugs), and how this circuitry is reshaped when craving becomes pathological, as in addiction. PI: Anna Konova, Ph.D. 09/2021-06/2026

NIH/NIDA R01DA053282, *Computational Psychiatry Investigation of the Role of Unrealistic Optimism in Opioid Use Disorder and Relapse*. The purpose of this project is to test a psychological model of relapse to opioid use which predicts that optimistic beliefs about harm (a cognitive process associated with an under-appreciation of risk and resistance to unfavorable information) can cause people accept more risk in everyday activities, and consequently take actions that precipitate drug reuse, relapse, and treatment failure. PI: Anna Konova, Ph.D. 03/2021-12/2025

2022 Brain Health Institute/Center for Advanced Human Brain Imaging Research (CAHBIR) -Grants Program. *Validating and Exploring Promoted Spiritual Experience: A Pilot Study*. The purpose of this study is to evaluate the potential impact of a novel behavioral intervention to address substance use through promoting spiritual experience among people with a substance use disorder and to collect pilot fMRI data. PI: Danielle Dick, Ph.D. 6/1/22—5/31/24; \$37,000

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32. **Cooperman, NA, Rizvi, SL, Hughes, CD, Williams, JM.** Piloting a dialectical behavior therapy skills training based smoking cessation intervention among opiate dependent women in methadone treatment. Poster presented at 50th Annual Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT) Convention. New York, NY. October, 2016
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36. **Cooperman, N, Hanley, A., Kline, A, Dooley-Budsock, T., Garland, E.** Impact of Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement on Opioid Craving Among Individuals with Chronic Pain in Community-Based Methadone Maintenance Therapy. Abstract presented at the Society of Social Work annual meeting, January, 2020.
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39. **Cooperman, N.A, Kline, A., Hanley, A.W., & Garland, E.L.** Pilot study of Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement for individuals with opioid use disorder and chronic pain in methadone maintenance treatment. Poster presented at the 2020 Annual Meeting of The College on Problems of Drug Dependence, June, 2020.
40. **Cooperman, N.A, Kline, A., Hanley, A.W., & Garland, E.L.** A pilot randomized clinical trial of Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement (MORE) as an adjunct to methadone treatment for people with opioid use disorder and chronic pain. Poster presented at the 2021 annual HEAL Investigators Meeting, May, 2021.

41. Garland, E.L, Parisi, A. Hanley, A.W., & **Cooperman**, NA. Healing Addiction and Pain in Communities Fighting Racism and Poverty with Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement. Presentation at Society for Social Work and Research 26th Annual Conference - Social Work Science for Racial, Social, and Political Justice, January, 2022.
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46. **Cooperman**, NA, Garland, EL. A randomized controlled trial of telehealth Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement as an adjunct to methadone treatment as compared to methadone treatment as usual. Symposium presented at the 2023 American Academy of Addiction Psychiatry annual meeting, December, 2023.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS:

1. **Cooperman** N & Simoni J. Sexual and physical trauma among HIV+ women. In J. Simoni (Chair), Women of color living with HIV/AIDS: Stress, strength, and resilience. Roundtable conducted at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Boston, MA, August 1999.
2. **Cooperman**, N. Time Management. Rutgers College Counseling Center outreach presentation to first year students at Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, October, 1999.
3. **Cooperman**, N. Stress Management. Rutgers College Counseling Center outreach presentation to sorority members at Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, April, 2000
4. **Cooperman** N & Simoni, J. Trauma, social support, and depression among heterosexual, bisexual, and lesbian HIV-positive women. Plenary award presentation at the meeting of the Association for Women in Psychology, Jersey City, NJ, March, 2003.
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6. **Cooperman** N, Parsons J, Chabon B, Berg K, & Arnsten J. The development and feasibility of an intervention to improve HAART adherence among HIV-positive patients receiving primary care in methadone clinics. Presentation and poster at Elements of Success: An International Conference on Adherence to Antiretroviral Therapy, Dallas, TX, December, 2004.
7. **Cooperman** N, Parsons J, Kaswan D, Chabon B, Berg K, & Arnsten J. Intervening to improve utilization of and adherence to antiretroviral therapy among HIV-infected drug users receiving primary care in methadone maintenance treatment programs. Oral presentation at the HIV Prevention Conference, Atlanta, GA, June, 2005.

8. **Cooperman, N.** *Heroin Use, Abuse, and Dependence*. Presentation to the Comprehensive Health Care Center (CHCC) staff, Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, NY, July, 2005.
9. **Cooperman N, Richter K, Alford D, Nahvi S, & Arnsten J.** Treating nicotine addiction in methadone maintained substance abusers. Workshop conducted at the Association for Medical Education and Research in Substance Abuse 30th annual conference, Washington DC, November, 2006.
10. **Cooperman, N. and Bauman, J.** Progress in the Research and Treatment of Human Immunodeficiency Virus: From Bench Science to Clinical Intervention. Public presentation at Northampton Community College, Tannersville, PA, April, 2007.
11. **Cooperman, N.** Motivational Interviewing for Health Behaviors. Invited presentation at the Fourth Annual Advanced Diabetes Symposium, “Unraveling the Maze of Diabetes Care”, White Plains, NY, May, 2007.
12. **Cooperman, N.** A Pilot Study of HIV Prevalence, Knowledge, and Risk Behaviors among Women in Mumbai, India. Presentation to faculty in the Center for AIDS Research, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Bronx, NY, June, 2009.
13. **Cooperman, N. and Nahvi, S.** *Smoking among Persons with Substance Use Disorders*. Invited presentation at the American Society for Addiction Medicine’s Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, April, 2011.
14. **Cooperman, N.** *Tobacco Use and Smoking Cessation Treatment among Methadone Maintained Smokers*. Presentation to clinical staff at New Horizon Treatment Services, Trenton, NJ. February, 2012.
15. **Cooperman, N.** *Developing a Smoking Cessation Intervention for Methadone Maintained Smokers*. Grand Rounds presentation to the Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Department of Psychiatry, Piscataway, NJ, June, 2013
16. **Cooperman, N.** *Developing a Smoking Cessation Intervention for Methadone Maintained Smokers*. Presentation for the Division of Cancer Prevention and Control at the Cancer Institute of New Jersey, New Brunswick, NJ, July, 2013
17. **Cooperman, N.** *HIV and Tobacco Dependence Treatment*. Invited presentation for the Peter Ho Infectious Disease Clinic staff at Saint Michael’s Medical Center, Newark, NJ, September, 2013
18. **Cooperman, N.** *Behavioral Tobacco Dependence Treatment for Smokers with Mental Illness*. Invited presentation at the National Conference on Tackling Tobacco Use in Vulnerable Populations. Bethesda, MD, October, 2015.
19. **Cooperman, N.** *A Journey Towards Developing a Smoking Cessation Intervention to Address the Needs of Smokers in Opiate Dependence Treatment—Previous Work, Current Status, and Future Directions*. Grand Rounds presentation to the Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Department of Psychiatry, Piscataway, NJ, December, 2016
20. **Cooperman, N.** HIV Testing in Substance Abuse Treatment. Invited presentation at meeting for NJ substance use treatment administrators and staff whose programs may implement HIV testing in their programs, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School - Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, Princeton, NJ, April, 2017
21. **Cooperman, N.** *Personality Disorders and Substance Use*. Grand Rounds presentation to the Jersey Shore Medical Center, Department of Psychiatry, Neptune, NJ, May, 2017.
22. **Cooperman, N.** *Mental Health and Tobacco Use*. Invited presentation at 21st Annual Family Medicine Conference and Tobacco Coalition Symposium, Little Rock AR, October, 2017.
23. **Cooperman, N.** *Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement (MORE) As an Adjunct to Methadone Treatment for People with Opioid Use Disorder and Chronic Pain*. Invited presentation at the NIH/HEAL Behavioral Research to Improve MAT (BRIM) Investigator Meeting, May, 2022.

24. **Cooperman, N.** *Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement (MORE) As an Adjunct to Methadone Treatment for People with Opioid Use Disorder and Chronic Pain.* Invited presentation at the Rutgers Addiction Research Center Retreat, September, 2022.
25. **Cooperman, N.** *Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement (MORE) As an Adjunct to Methadone Treatment for People with Opioid Use Disorder and Chronic Pain.* Invited presentation at the New Brunswick Counseling Center and Burlington Comprehensive Services, March, 2023.
26. **Cooperman, N.** *Transitioning to Research Independence.* Presentation to University of Utah, Social Work PhD students. (2023)
27. **Cooperman, N.** *Transitioning to Research Independence.* Presentation to NIH IMPOWR Network Early Career Investigators. (2023)
28. **Cooperman, N.** *Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement (MORE) As an Adjunct to Methadone Treatment for People with Opioid Use Disorder and Chronic Pain.* Invited presentation for the Rutgers Center for Alcohol Studies, Emerging Addiction Science Seminar Series, April, 2023.
29. **Cooperman, N.** *Telehealth Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement (MORE) As an Adjunct to Methadone Treatment for People with Opioid Use Disorder and Chronic Pain.* Invited presentation for the NIH, National Center for Complimentary and Integrative Health (NCCIH) Council Meeting, May, 2023.
30. **Cooperman, N.** *Telehealth Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement (MORE) As an Adjunct to Methadone Treatment for People with Opioid Use Disorder and Chronic Pain.* Invited presentation for the NIH, Behavioral Research to Improve Medication-Based Treatment (BRIM) Investigators Meeting, May, 2023.
31. **Cooperman, NA, Garland, EL.** *A randomized controlled trial of telehealth Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement as an adjunct to methadone treatment as compared to methadone treatment as usual.* Invited symposium presented at the 2023 American Academy of Addiction Psychiatry annual meeting, December, 2023.
32. **Cooperman, NA.** *Mindfulness Oriented Recovery Enhancement (MORE) for Prevention and Treatment of Opioid Use Disorder and Chronic Pain.* Invited seminar to the Columbia University Medical Center, New York State Psychiatric Institute, Division on Substance Use Disorders, January, 2024.
33. **Cooperman, NA.** *Mindfulness Oriented Recovery Enhancement (MORE) for Prevention and Treatment of Opioid Use Disorder and Chronic Pain.* Grand Rounds presentation to the Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School and New Jersey Medical School, Departments of Psychiatry, February, 2024.
34. **Garland, EL, Cooperman, NA.** *Healing the Opioid Crisis with Mindfulness-Oriented Recovery Enhancement: A New, Neuroscience-Informed and Evidence-Based Treatment for Addiction and Chronic Pain.* Invited briefing at the Addiction Treatment and Recovery Caucus of the U.S. Congress, Washington, DC, March, 2024.