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University Education:

- M.S.W. Columbia University School of Social Work
New York, New York 1974
- B.A. State University of New York at Stony Brook
Stony Brook, New York 1971

Employment History:

Clinical Social Worker	Private Practice, Wellington, NS	2003 - present
Clinical Social Worker	Choices (IWK), Halifax, NS (part-time)	2007 - 2008
Clinical Social Worker	Private Practice (Emmrys, Dawe, Bates & Associates), Moncton, NB	1998 - 2007
Family Therapist	Family Service Moncton, Moncton, NB	1989 - 1998
Clinical Social Worker	Nova Scotia Commission on Drug Dependency, Halifax, NS	1988 - 1989
Social Worker	Department of Social Services, Dartmouth, NS	1988 - 1989
Clinical Social Worker	Private Practice, Halifax, NS	1984 - 1988
Social Worker	Nova Scotia Hospital, Dartmouth, NS	1982 - 1984
Social Worker	Eastern Quebec Regional School Board, Quebec City, Quebec	1980 - 1982
Social Worker	Izaak Walton Killam Hospital for Children, Halifax, NS	1974 - 1978
Director	Halifax Jewish Pre-school, Halifax, NS	1979

Counselling Skills:

- Provide treatment to individuals, couples and families in my private practice
- Application of Modern Psychoanalysis
- Specialization in the treatment of couples (Certified Imago Relationship Therapist)
- Specialization in the treatment of survivors of abuse and trauma
- Specialization in the treatment of dissociative disorders

- Provided treatment in outpatient drug treatment centre, in a family service agency, at the Nova Scotia Hospital, and at the IWK Hospital for Children
- Conducted family and individual assessments in a variety of clinical settings
- Consultant for professionals treating survivors of abuse as well as dissociative disorders
- Provided Critical Incidence Stress Debriefing sessions
- Organized and co-facilitated groups for female and male survivors of incest and sexual abuse
- Provided treatment for incestuous families
- Provided treatment for perpetrators
- Organized and led groups for hospitalized adult psychiatric patients
- Organized and led groups for children and adolescents exhibiting socialization problems
- Organized and led groups for children at the IWK Hospital for Children

Presentations, Teaching and Supervision:

- Paper Presentation: “Working with Adolescents and Their Challenging Caregivers”, ISST-D Annual Conference, Montreal, Quebec, 2011
- Presentation: “Introduction to Dissociation”, National CASW Conference, Halifax, NS, 2006
- Presentation: “Dissociative Disorders Psychotherapy Training Program”, International Society for the Study of Dissociation Conference, Toronto, 2005
- Presentation: “Group Process for Survivors of Sexual Abuse”, National CASW Conference, Moncton, NB, 2002
- Presentations to groups on “Treatment for Survivors of Sexual Abuse”
- Presentations to professionals on “Transference and Countertransference Issues”
- Supervised 4th year social work students, Université de Moncton, Moncton, NB
- Developed and taught undergraduate course: “Counselling and Psychotherapy”, Dalhousie University, Halifax, NS
- Taught course module: “Introduction to Sexual Abuse Intervention”
- Trained hospice volunteers
- Supervised, trained, and evaluated staff at the IWK Hospital for Children

Additional Professional Training:

- Center for Group Studies, New York, N.Y. (Modern Psychoanalysis) 2010 - present
- One-Year Program in Psychoanalysis: Boston Graduate School of Psychoanalysis 2009 - 2010
- Logosynthesis Therapy Level 1 and 2 and Master Class 2008, 2009

- New Centre for Advanced Psychotherapy Studies (NCAPS) Modern Psychoanalysis 2007 - present
- Whole Body Energy Psychotherapy 2006
- Advanced Dissociative Disorders Psychotherapy Training Program 2006
- American Social Work Board Item Writer 2005
- Advanced Singles Training: Imago Relationship Therapy 2005
- Characterological Growth: Imago Relationship Therapy 2004
- Working With Deeply Wounded Couples: Imago Relationship Therapy 2004
- Co-facilitating Imago Workshops for Couples 2004 - present
- Conferences: Imago Relationship Therapy 2004 - present
- Dissociative Disorders Psychotherapy Training Program 2002 - 2003
- Imago Relationship Clinical Training, Certified Therapist 2002
- Hypnosis training (ASCH & Canadian Federation of Clinical Hypnosis) 2000 - 2007
- Eye Movement Desensitization and Reprocessing, Levels I and II 1999
- Pesso Boyden System Psychomotor (PBSP) 1997
- Conference: International Society for the Study of Trauma and Dissociation 1995 - present
- Conferences: Advances in the Treatment of Survivors of Abuse and Trauma 1994 - 1996
- Course: “Chemical Dependency”
Nova Scotia Commission on Drug Dependency, Halifax, NS 1988
- Course: “Adolescence”
Atlantic Child Guidance Centre, Halifax, NS 1983 - 1985
- Course: “Externship in Structural/Strategic Family Therapy”
Atlantic Child Guidance Centre, Halifax, NS 1983 - 1984
- Course: “Structural Family Therapy Training”, Level II
Atlantic Child Guidance Centre, Halifax, NS 1983
- Program for Continuing Education
Smith College School for Social Work, Northampton, MA 1977, 1983
- Training Program for Hospice Volunteers
Victoria General Hospital, Halifax, NS 1982

Professional Affiliations:

- Nova Scotia Association of Social Workers
- Imago Relationship International
- Association of Imago Relationship Therapists (Canada)

- International Society for the Study of Trauma and Dissociation
- Canadian Society for the Study of Trauma and Dissociation
- Clinical Hypnosis Society of Nova Scotia, Past Secretary

Volunteer Work:

- Past Volunteer with Coverdale Foundation, Halifax, NS
- Past Volunteer with the Hospice Society, Halifax, NS
- Past Volunteer with the Elizabeth Fry Society, Halifax, NS
- Past Volunteer with the Multicultural Association of the Greater Moncton Area (MAGMA)
- Past Board Member of Help Line Moncton (Au-Secours 24), Moncton, NB
- Past member of Sexual Abuse Action Committee, Moncton, NB
- Past member of AIDS committee, Halifax, NS
- Past Hospice Volunteer, Victoria General Hospital, Halifax, NS
- Past Volunteer at Bethany Home for Unwed Mothers, Halifax, NS
- Past counselling at Women's Centre, Halifax, NS

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