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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts magna cum laude, Radcliffe College, 1963

Masters Degree in Cultural Anthropology, Columbia University, 1965

Doctor of Philosophy in Clinical Psychology, New York University, 1974

New York State License rec'd 1974 # 004431-1

Certificate in Psychoanalysis from the White Institute of Psychiatry,
Psychoanalysis and Psychology, 1978

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND APPOINTMENTS

1962 summer, Harvard Latin American Studies Institute Fellowship, for independent research on urbanization in Bogota, Colombia

1963 summer, Research Assistant to Dr. Oscar Lewis, working on La Vida.

1964-65, Barnard College Teaching Assistantship.

1963-64, Columbia University Fellowship in Cultural Anthropology.

1963-64, Lecturer, Peace Corps Training Program, Columbia University School of Social Work, Community Organization and Area Studies.

1964 summer, Ford Foundation Independent Research Grant administered by Columbia University Latin American Studies Institute for study of the psychological effects of urbanization.

1966 summer, Research Assistant, NIMH longitudinal research project in Perinatal factors in mental health, Children's Hospital, Boston, Mass.

1967-69, Psychotherapist, NYU Psychology Clinic: USPHS traineeship for supervised experience in long term individual psychotherapy in low cost outpatient clinic.

1967-69, Veterans Administration Internship, Manhattan VA Hospital supervised diagnostic, individual and group treatment with inpatients.

1973-1974, Adjunct Lecturer of Psychology New York University, Course Instructor in Psychology of Women.

1974 summer, Adjunct Assistant Professor, NYU Masters' Program in Psychology. Course Instructor in two sections of Interview Technique. 1974-present, Private Practice of Psychoanalysis, psychotherapy, and consultation. New York State licensure received January 1974

1974-76, NIMH Postdoctoral Fellow, Clinical Services, White Institute. Clinical Fellow in Adult and Young Adult Treatment Services and Union Therapy Project; intensive supervised experience in psychotherapy and psychoanalysis

1975-78, Adjunct Lecturer in Human Development, Columbia University Course Instructor in Development of the Person

1967-69, Instructor of Anthropology, John Jay College

1970-75, Instructor, Counseling and Anthropology, John Jay College

1975-78, Assistant Professor of Anthropology

1978- 1995, Associate Professor of Anthropology, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY: teaching graduate and undergraduate courses in Culture and Personality, Anthropology and the Abnormal, Sex Roles and Culture, Applied Anthropology. Supervision of Masters thesis research, independent studies, and CUNY BA.

1995-present, Professor of Anthropology, John Jay College
Graduate Forensic Psych. Courses presently taught: 705, Psych. of the Victim; 790, Trauma, Memory and Dissociation

1982-present, Faculty and Supervising Analyst, W.A. White Institute. Courses currently taught: Trauma and Dissociation, Psychoanalysis and Culture, Dissociative Disorders

1992-present, Supervisor of Psychoanalysis and Psychotherapy, and Faculty, Institute for Contemporary Psychotherapy

1993-2006, Associate Editor, Contemporary Psychoanalysis; appointed to Editorial Board 2006

1994-present, Editorial Board, Contemporary Psychotherapy Review, publication of the Institute for Contemporary Psychotherapy

1998-2003: Member of the Council of Fellows, governing body of the W.A. White Institute

2003-present: Training Analyst, W.A. White Institute

PUBLICATIONS

Anthropology and Community Action, Doubleday Anchor Press 1974 co-edited with Leonard Kooperman. A collection of essays and analysis of psychological factors in community integration, intended for the professional involved in community change. Sold 10,000 copies.

"Community Conflict and the Development of a Worker Elite in a Cali Barrio", analysis of the effect on class structure of the Colombian social security legislation, pp. 188-198 in Anthropology and Community Action;
"Objectivity vs. Relativity: the Basic Problem" review of George Devereux's Basic Problems in Ethnopsychiatry for Contemporary Psychology vol 26 no. 4 pp. 283-285, fall 1979;

"Patients from Different Cultural Backgrounds", [section written entirely by BH] pp. 41-45, section of Chapter 2, "Working With Patients Who Present Special Problems" [whole chapter co-authored with Jerry B Finkel] in Psychiatric Management for Medical Practitioners, edited by D. Kornfeld and J. Finkel, Grune and Stratton, 1982

"Transcultural Issues in The Medical Setting", ch. 4, pp. 71-95, in Consultation-Liaison Psychiatry: Current Trends and New Perspectives edited by Jerry Finkel, M.D., Grune and Stratton, 1983;

Chapter 37, Cross-cultural Issues in Interpersonal Psychoanalysis, pp. 301-324, Handbook of Interpersonal Psychoanalysis, Analytic Press fall 1995;

Chapter 7, "Transference issues in the analytic treatment of incest survivors: the resolution of traumatic transference" in Sexual Abuse Recalled: Treating Trauma in the Era of the Recovered Memory Debate, edited by Judith Alpert, Jason Aronson September 1995; pp. 185-214

"Reconstruction of Trauma: the Analytic Tradition", chapter in Memories of Sexual Betrayal edited by Richard Gartner; Jason Aronson, fall 1996

Chapters 3,6,7 and 10 in Valuing Emotions co-authored with Michael Stocker, Cambridge University Press, August 1996:

- Ch. 3: Emotional problems Suggest Epistemological problems;
- Ch. 6: How Emotions Help With Evaluative Knowledge;
- Ch. 7: The Interdependence of Emotions and Psychology;
- Ch. 10: The Complex World of Aristotle's Angry Man.

Chapter 7 on "Aristotelian Akrasia, Weakness of Will and Psychoanalytic Regression" pp. 135-153 in The Analytic Freud: Philosophy and Psychoanalysis edited by Michael P. Levine, Routledge 2000. Coauthored with Michael Stocker

Chapter 3: Management of Trauma-Related Affect, Defenses and Dissociative States, pp. 64-88 in Group Psychotherapy for Psychological Trauma edited by Robert Klein and Victor Schermer, Guilford Press 2000

Panel Chair, Dissociated States, Possession and shamanism; for 1997 conference "Psychoanalytic Interfaces: Dialogues Across Disciplines" chaired by Stephen Mitchell and sponsored by the William Alanson White Institute Nov. 8-9 1997, New York City
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Peer reviewed articles:

"Groups and the mediation of dissociative experience: a Western vs. non-Western comparison", Group spring 1995;

"Resolution of Traumatic Transference: two cases", Contemporary Psychoanalysis vol. 31, no. 3 July 1995;

"World View as Cultural Parataxis", Contemporary Psychoanalysis, 30 (1994) 424-441; symposium on Fromm's "Human Nature and Character";

Reviews

Fifty Years at the Tavistock by H.V. Ricks in Le Domaine Humaine, a European Journal of the Social Sciences, spring 1974;

New York Times Sunday Book Review, Camilo Torres: a Biography of a Guerrilla Priest, March 9, 1975;

New York Times Sunday Book Review, Journey by Robert and Suzanne Massey, parents of a hemophiliac son, May 12, 1975;

The Children of the Counterculture by John Rothchild and Susan Wolf: "Observing the Communal Family" in Chronicle of Higher Education, June 28, 1976;

Gerard Chrzanowski's Interpersonal Approach to Psychoanalysis in Contemporary Psychology, spring 1978;

Harold P. Blum, editor Female Psychology: Contemporary Psychoanalytic Views in APA Division 35 Newsletter, summer 1978;

Carl O'Neil's Dreams, Culture and the Individual in Psychological Anthropology fall 1978;

The Mermaid and the Minotaur by Dorothy Dinnerstein in APA Division 35 Newsletter, fall 1979;

Erika Bourguignon's Psychological Anthropology in Medical Anthropology Newsletter, February 1980;

Future Issues in Health Care by David Mechanic for Medical Anthropology Newsletter, spring 1981;

Childhood and Folklore: a Psychoanalytic Study of Apache Personality by L. Bryce Boyer, for Contemporary Psychoanalysis January 1981;

The First Pregnancy: An Integrating Principle in Female Psychology by Jellemieke Hess-Stauthamer, in Readings, journal of the American Orthopsychiatric Association, June, 1986;

Death Education II: An Annotated Resource Guide, (co-written with William Lewis), by Wass, Corr, Pacholski, and Forgar, New York: Hemisphere Pub., 1985, in Medical Anthropology Quarterly, 1986;

New York Times Sunday Book Review, Children in the Field: Anthropological Experiences, edited by Joan Cassell, appeared October 11, 1987;

New York Times Sunday Book Review, Conversations With Anorexics by Hilde Bruch appeared May 8, 1988;

New York Times Sunday Book Review, Anna Freud: The Dream of Psychoanalysis, by Robert Coles, Merloyd Lawrence/Addison Wesley, 1991, appeared May 10, 1992;

Joyce Block's Rethinking Motherhood, New York Times Book Review, Sept. 12, 1990;

Joyce McDougall's Theatres of the Body: Psychosomatics and Psychoanalysis for Readings, Journal of the American Orthopsychiatry Association, fall 1990;

Rethinking Psychiatry by Arthur Kleinman for the Journal of Human and Behavioral Sciences, 1992;

Joseph Becker and Arthur Kleinman, eds. Psychosocial Aspects of Depression, L. Erlbaum Publishers, Hillsdale NJ for premiere issue of Depression, spring 1993;

Gender and Psychoanalytic Treatment, Morton Kissen, Bruner/Mazel for Readings, review journal of the American Orthopsychiatry Association spring 1993;

Hurting for Love: Munchausen by Proxy Syndrome by Herbert Schreier and Judith Libow for Readings. review journal of the American Orthopsychiatry Association, fall 1994;

Letter the editor, Academy Forum: American Academy of Psychoanalysis vol. 38 # 4 winter 1994 title "Multiple Personality Disorder: a reply to Richard Gardner";

Get the guests: Psychoanalysis, Modern American Drama, and the Audience by Walter Davis in Readings spring 1995;

Research in Psychoanalysis: Process, Development, Outcome ed. by Theodore Shapiro and Robert Emde for Readings fall 1995

Psychoanalysis at the Political Border: Essays in Honor of Rafael Moses by Leo Rangel and Rena Moses-Hrushovski, ed. in Readings fall 1998

ADDRESSES

"Midday Live" TV program Channel 5, July 11, 1975 discussing Women and Competition;

Keynote address, Ford Foundation Conference on the Future of Authority and the Division of Labour, New York Center for the Humanities, entitled "Authoritarianism and Narcissism", February 24, 1978;

NY Women Anthropology Coalition Conference on Women and Work, New School for Social Research, April 29, 1978 entitled "How Women Dream about Work: the discovery of Collusion";

CUNY Graduate Center Conference on Anthropology and History, May 5, 1978, entitled "Personal and Historical Identity: Hobsbawm's Primitive Rebels in Colombia";

"Collective Parataxis" in Psychoanalysis 1980: Converging Views, a Symposium held in commemoration of Harry Stack Sullivan January 25-27, 1980 in New York City;

"The Hispanic Patient in the Medical Setting", May 7, 1981 session of the Society for Liaison Psychiatry;

"Belief Systems and Psychotherapy", meeting of the American Academy of Psychoanalysis on Psychoanalysis in Transcultural Perspective, December 4-7, 1980;

"Marital Violence as a Function of Status Differential in Several Cultures", presented at International Society for Psychoanalysis Conference on Violence, Helsinki, Finland, August 6, 1980;

"Transference and Countertransference in Working With The College Student", conference held by the Metropolitan College Mental Health Association November 7, 1981;

Moderator and Chairman of Workshop "Breaking Away: Ethnic and Family Factors with the New University Student", American Orthopsychiatric Association convention April 1, 1982;

"The Postpartum Experience: a Contemporary View of Childbirth", The Women's Institute Lecture Series, January 26, 1983;

Discussant, special panel on Transcultural Issues, Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Psychoanalysis, April 29, 1983;

Lecture "The Fear of Success" to the Design-Roundtable May 9, 1983;

Chair and presenter, "Dynamics of Coverage" at White Society Annual Meetings April 23, 1983; repeated by invitation at the Institute for Contemporary Psychoanalysis October 12, 1983;

"On Power and Empowerment: at Work and Elsewhere" Women's Institute Lecture Series, October 22, 1983;
Discussant, Women's Institute Lecture series November 14, 1983 on "Resistance to Change: Cultural factors";

Women's Institute Lecture series, April 7, 1984, "An attempt at Creative Feminism";

"Feminist Therapy", CUNY Graduate Center Conference November 18, 1983. Continuation of panel planned for April 27, 1984 at Brooklyn College - NY State Women's Studies Conference;

Discussant, 183rd Annual Scientific Meeting of the W.A. White Society; to Dr. Ethel Person's lecture "Male Sexuality and Power", September 19, 1984;

Speaker and Workshop Leader, Women Business Owners of New York, "Working Through the Success/Failure Syndrome in the First Five Years of Your Business," September 24, 1984;

Discussant, Richard Kluff's address to Scientific Meeting of the W.A. White Society, October 1990: Dissociative Disorders and Psychoanalysis;

"Some Comments on the Effect of Culture on Character", December 8, 1990 to Erich Fromm Anniversary Symposium, American Academy of Psychoanalysis winter Meetings, San Antonio, Texas to be published in the Academy Journal;

Invited address to the Society for Psychoanalytic Training, 6th Annual Interdisciplinary Forum: Psychoanalysis and the Humanities, at the New York Academy of Medicine, March 7 1992: "The Uses of Spirit: Dissociative Disorders and Non-Traditional Healing";

"Dissociative Disorder and the Search for Power and Identity", address to the Social Sciences Panel of the American Academy of Religion, annual meeting, Nov 23, 1992, panel title, "Abuse, Rage, Dissociation, Splitting: Some Traumatic Roots of Religious Phenomena", San Francisco, CA;

Keynote speaker, Alumni Association of Postgraduate Center for Mental Health Group Program, Workshop on Group Resolution of Trauma, June 12, 1993: "Natural Groups: Dissociative Processes and Healing in Other Cultures";

Panelist on "Life After Training", W. A. White Society yearly meeting, April 16, 1993;

"Resolution of Traumatic Transference: Two Cases" given as part of panel on The Reality of Trauma, W. A. White 50th Anniversary Conference, Psychoanalytic Innovation and the Interpersonal Heritage, Nov. 20, 1993;

"Use of Focused Trance Sessions to Break Through the Transference Impasse of the Uninvolved Mother", presented as part of a panel "Does the body keep score? Delayed memories of sexual abuse in psychoanalysis" April 16, 1994 section I, Division 39 (psychoanalysis) American Psychological Association Washington, D.C.;

"Anthropological Perspectives on Trauma: the functions of non-therapy groups in managing dissociative experience in other cultures", presented as part of a panel on Trauma, section 7, spring 1994 meetings of Division 39 of the American Psychological Association, Washington D.C.;

Keynote speaker, 1994 retreat of the Westchester Center for Psychoanalytic Study and Research, April 30 1994: Delayed Memories: A Psychoanalytic Approach;

Keynote speaker, 1994 retreat of the Society for the Institute for Contemporary Psychotherapy, May 14 1994, "A New Kind of Truth";

Interview on WKQED, Berkeley California public radio, on Delayed Memory Controversy, June 12, 1994;

Panel member, Psychoanalysis, Feminism and the Law: Rape Trauma Syndrome and the Delayed Memory Controversy, Sept. 5, 1994, NYU Postdoctoral Retreat

Panel Member, "Groups and Healing from Sexual Trauma", Eastern Group Psychotherapy Association Annual Conference, Nov. 11, 1994;

Panel Member, Conference on Memories of Sexual Betrayal; "Reconstruction of Trauma: the Analytic Tradition" sponsored by W.A. White Institute Center for the Study of Trauma, Mar. 18, 1995, N.Y. Hilton;

Discussant, panel on "Lacan and Anthropology", fall 1995 meetings of the Association for Psychological Anthropology, Oct. 6-8;

Panelist, Eastern Group Psychotherapy Association Annual Conference, "The False Memory Controversy: Searching for the Middle Ground"; Nov. 3 1995

Panelist, "A Feminist Analysis of Trauma Syndromes and Their Impact on Legal Practice", Criminal Justice Education Conference, Oct. 20 1995

Liaison, Women's Studies panel, Research Committee of the University Faculty Senate, 1995-9

Discussant, lecture by anthropologist Bradd Shore to W.A.White Scientific Meeting, March 1997

Discussant, lecture by anthropologist Richard Shweder, W.A. White Scientific meeting, January 21, 2005

GRANTS and HONORS

PSC-CUNY grants: A Participant Observation Analysis of a Multiple Personality Self-Help Group, 1993-94; Dissociation as a Cultural Phenomenon, 2002-2004

Trauma Project funded by the "45" Foundation, 1994-96, John Jay College

Executive Committee, Research Foundation of CUNY, 1995-1997; Chair, Women's Studies Panel 1996-1999

Visiting Scholar, Professor and Guest Supervisor, Hiroshima Psychoanalytic Society, August 27-Sept. 2 2003 Hiroshima, Japan

Visiting Professor and Supervisor, St Petersburg Psychoanalytic Society, June 6-13, 2005

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

President, Harry Stack Sullivan Society, White Institute, 1976-77
President, William A. White Society, 2000-1;

Fellow, W.A.White Institute, 1997-2002

Member:

American Anthropological Association;
Society for Psychological Anthropology;
W.A. White Society of graduates of the White Institute;
Fellow, the American Orthopsychiatric Association;
American Psychological Association; Division of Community; Division of Psychology of Women; Division of Psychoanalysis;
Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues;
Women's Anthropology Caucus of New York;
CUNY Women's Coalition;
NYSPA