

CURRICULUM VITAE

PART I: GENERAL INFORMATION

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Place of Birth: San Francisco, CA

Education:

1994-1998	B.A.	Rice University, Houston, TX	Anthropology
2001		Harvard Divinity School, Boston, MA	Religion & Medicine
		Harvard Medical School/ Department of Social Medicine	
1998-2003	M.D.	Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX	Medicine

Pre-doctoral Research Experience:

1995	Role of Transcription Factors in Cholesterol Homeostasis Research Associate Michael Brown, M.D. & Joseph Goldstein, M.D., Principle Investigators Department of Molecular Genetics, UT Southwestern Medical School
2001-2002	End-of-Life Care in the Curriculum: A National Study of Medical Education Deans Research Associate Susan D. Block, M.D., Principle Investigator Psychosocial Oncology Division, Dana Farber Cancer Institute
2001-2002	Caring for Women at the End of Life: Caregiving Relationships and Quality of Life for Older Women with Late Stage Cancer Research Associate Amy M. Sullivan, Ed.D., Principle Investigator

Psychosocial Oncology Division, Dana Farber Cancer Institute
 2001-2002 Efficacy of Cognitive Behavioral Therapy in Improving Quality of Life in Patients with
 Ovarian Cancer
 Senior Research Associate
 Alice Domar, Ph.D., Principle Investigator
 Mind/Body Medical Institute, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center

Postdoctoral Training:

2003-2004	Internship Internal Medicine	Newton-Wellesley Hospital, Boston, MA
2004-present	Residency Adult Psychiatry	Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA McLean Hospital, Belmont, MA
2006	International Rotation	Shanghai Mental Health Center, Shanghai, China
2006-present	Fellowship in Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy	Boston Psychoanalytic Society and Institute Boston, MA

Licensure and Certification:

2005-present	Full Medical License	Massachusetts
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Academic Appointments:

2003-2004	Clinical Fellow in Medicine, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA
2004-present	Clinical Fellow in Psychiatry, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA

Hospital Appointments:

2003-2004	Intern in Medicine, Newton-Wellesley Hospital, Boston, MA
2004-present	Resident in Psychiatry, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA
2004-present	Resident in Psychiatry, McLean Hospital, Belmont, MA

Major Administrative Responsibilities:

1999-2000	National Coordinator, Humanistic Medicine Interest Group American Medical Student Association, Washington D.C.
2004-present	Producer/Director, <i>Shrink: Psychiatric Training from the Inside Out</i> APA/SAMHSA Minority Fellowship Program Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston MA McLean Hospital, Belmont MA Erich Lindemann Mental Health Center, Boston MA
2005-present	Chief Resident of Psychotherapy Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA

Major Committee Assignments:

2004-2006	Psychiatry and Film Committee Chairperson MGH/McLean Adult Psychiatry Residency Program
2005-2006	Residency Training Committee Resident Representative Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston MA McLean Hospital, Belmont MA
2005-present	Council on Global Psychiatry Appointed Fellow American Psychiatric Association, Washington D.C.
2005-present	MGH Training Committee Outpatient Chief Resident Representative Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston MA
2006-present	MGH Psychotherapy Research Program Multimedia Education Committee Chief Resident Representative Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston MA

Professional Societies:

1998-2003	American Medical Women's Association	Member
2001-present	Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society	Member
2005-present	Massachusetts Psychiatric Society	Member
2005-present	American Psychiatric Association	Council Member

Community Service Related to Professional Work:

2000-2001	Director, Breast Cancer Support Group/American Cancer Society Ben Taub General Hospital, Houston TX
2003	Conference Volunteer, Investigating the Mind: Exchange between Buddhism and Bio-behavioral Science with His Holiness the XIVth Dalai Lama
2004-present	Director, School Consultation Program Academy of the Pacific Rim, Hyde Park MA Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston MA
2006-present	Volunteer, Refugee Health Program MGH Chelsea Community Benefits Program, Chelsea MA

Awards and Honors:

- 1998 Cum Laude, Rice University
- 2001 Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society
- 2003 Hilde Bruch Award for Excellence in Psychiatry
- 2003 Janet M. Glasgow Memorial Achievement Citation, American Medical Women's Association
- 2004 Newton Wellesley Hospital Outstanding Intern in Emergency Medicine
- 2005 APA/SAMHSA Minority Fellowship

PART II: RESEARCH, TEACHING, AND CLINICAL CONTRIBUTIONS**Funding Information:**

- 2005-present APA/SAMHSA Minority Fellowship
- With funding from the APA/SAMHSA Minority Fellowship and in consultation with Dr. Karen Suyemoto, I have developed a multicultural diversity curriculum for residency training programs. I am currently implementing and evaluating the curriculum with the MGH/McLean first and second year residents. In addition, I have been collaborating with the Academy of the Pacific Rim, a racially and ethnically diverse charter public school in Hyde Park, to develop and implement school-based mental health programs for students, parents, and staff. Lastly in collaboration with the MGH/McLean Class of 2009, I am producing and directing a documentary film chronicling the experiences of residents through their first year of psychiatry training.

Report of Local Teaching:

- 2004 Schizophrenia and Bipolar Disorders Program, Lecturer
"The Religious Content of Psychotic Delusions"
McLean Hospital, Belmont MA
- 2005 Blake 11/Medical Psychiatric Conference, Lecturer
"Depression in Cancer Patients"
Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston MA
Discussant: Donna Greenberg, M.D.
- 2005 Psychosomatics Conference, Lecturer
"Cultural Competence: Developing a Cultural Framework in Residency Training"
Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston MA
Discussant: Lawrence Park, M.D.
- 2006 Psychosomatics Conference, Lecturer
"From Freud to Frasier: Portrayals of Psychiatrists in Film"
Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston MA

- Discussant: Steven Schlozman, M.D.
- 2006 Outpatient Psychiatry Orientation, Lecturer
 “Introduction to Outpatient Psychiatry”
 Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston MA
- 2006 PGY2 Orientation Lecture Series, Lecturer
 “Introduction to Psychotherapeutic Work”
 MGH/McLean Adult Psychiatry Training Program, Boston MA
- 2006 Resident Report, Lecturer
 “An Introduction to Transference & Countertransference”
 Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston MA

Advisory & Supervisory Responsibilities:

- 2006-present Primary Supervision, MGH Outpatient Clinic
 10 PGY-2 Psychiatry Residents
- 2006-present Group Therapy Supervision, Academy of the Pacific Rim
 4 PGY-3 Psychiatry Residents

Major Curriculum Offerings:

- 1999-2000 Course Director, From Doctor to Healer: Integrating Body, Mind, and Medicine
 Baylor College of Medicine, Houston TX
- 2006-present Course Director, Race, Culture and Mental Health
 MGH/McLean Adult Psychiatry Residency Training Program, Boston MA
 Erich Lindemann Mental Health Center, Boston MA

Invited Lectures and Seminars:

- 2004 “Merging School-Based Mental Health Practices: Prevention of Grade Repetition Among
 Culturally Diverse Early Adolescents”
 Invited Lecture, 4th Annual Pan-Asian Pacific Mental Health Conference
 Shanghai Mental Health Center, Shanghai, China
- 2004 Psychotherapy Case Conference
 Invited Lecture, Shanghai Mental Health Center, Shanghai, China
- 2005 “Shanghai Mental Health Center: An Exploration of Chinese Psychiatry in the 21st
 Century”
 Invited Lecture, MGH Chelsea Health Center, Chelsea MA
- 2006 “Opportunities for Involvement in Global Mental Health”
 Invited Lecture, Harvard Medical School, Boston MA

PART III: BIBLIOGRAPHY

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4. Liaw KR. Merging School-Based Mental Health Practices: Prevention of Grade Repetition Among Culturally Diverse Early Adolescents. Proceedings of the 4th Annual Pan-Asian Pacific Mental Health Conference; 2005 Nov 14-17; Shanghai, China.