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EDUCATION:

Postdoctoral Fellowship	Patton State Hospital (Patton, California) Forensic Psychology	August 2017
Predoctoral Internship	Patton State Hospital (Patton, California) Clinical Psychology (Forensic Track)	August 2016
Ph.D.	The University of Alabama (Tuscaloosa, Alabama) Clinical Psychology (Psych & Law Concentration) Quantitative Minor	December 2016
M.A.	The University of Alabama (Tuscaloosa, Alabama) Clinical Psychology	August 2013
B.S.	Kennesaw State University (Kennesaw, Georgia) Psychology; Applied Statistics & Data Analysis Minor	December 2009
ACADEMIC/FACULTY A	APPOINTMENTS:	
Assistant Professor, Depa Vanderbilt University Scho	rtment of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences ol of Medicine	2017-Present
Adjunct Professor, Depar Vanderbilt University	tment of Psychology	2019-Present
Graduate Faculty Affiliate Member, Department of Psychology The University of Alabama		2020-Present
LICENSURE & CERTIFIC	CATIONS:	
Licensed Clinical Psychol Tennessee #3494	ogist, Health Service Provider Designation	2017-Present
Certified Outpatient Forensic Examiner Tennessee Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services		2017-Present
Board Certified in Forensic Psychology American Board of Professional Psychology (ABPP)		2021-Present
Licensed Psychologist Texas Behavioral Health E.	xecutive Council, License #40164	2024-Present

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:

American Psychology-Law Society (APLS), Member American Psychological Association (APA), Member American Association on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (AAIDD), Member American Academy of Forensic Psychology (AAFP), Fellow

EDITORIAL/REVIEWER EXPERIENCE:

Editor, Law and Psychology Review

Chief Psychology Editor 2013-2015
Consulting Psychology Editor 2010-2013

Ad Hoc Reviewer

Assessment, Criminal Justice and Behavior, International Journal of Forensic Mental Health, International Journal of Law and Psychiatry, Law and Human Behavior, Psychological Assessment, Psychology, Crime and Law

Conference Submission Reviewer

Vanderbilt Undergraduate Summer Research Program (VUSRP)2021VUMC Office of Graduate Medical Education Research Forum2021American Psychology-Law Society Conference (Annual)2015-PresentAmerican Psychological Association Conference, Div 41 (Annual)2016-Present

RESEARCH PROGRAM:

AWARDS/RECOGNITION:

AWARDS/RECOGNITION.	
American Psychological Association Travel Award American Psychological Association	2016
MacArthur Foundation Grant-in-Aide Research Award (\$1235) American Psychology-Law Society	2016
University of Alabama Graduate Research Award (\$600) University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama	2012
University of Alabama Graduate School Research & Travel Awards University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama	2011-2012 2014-2016
American Psychology-Law Society Student Committee Paper Presentation Award American Psychology-Law Society	2014
Department of Psychology's Outstanding Student of the Year Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, Georgia	2010
Symposium of Student Scholars: 1st Place for Best Oral Presentation	2009

PUBLICATIONS and PRESENTATIONS:

*denotes a student co-author

Peer-Reviewed Publications:

- 1. **Wood, M. E.,** Brown, K. P., Bitting, A. R., Slobogin, C., & Bowerman, B. (2022). Legal admissibility of the competence assessment for standing trial for defendants with mental retardation (CAST-MR). *Journal of Personality Assessment, 104*(2), 289-301. doi:10/1080/00223891.2021.1951742
- 2. *Tansey, A., Brown, K. P., & **Wood, M. E.** (2022). Characteristics and outcomes for misdemeanants referred for court-ordered competency evaluations. *Psychological Services*, 19(2), 252-260. doi:10.1037.ser0000535
- 3. Brown, K. P. & **Wood, M. E.** (2021). Preliminary examination of an insanity defense typology: Prevalence rates and correlates. *Behavioral Sciences and the Law*, *39*(6), 695-707. doi:10.1002/bsl.2532
- 4. **Wood, M. E.,** Coffey, C. A., & Glassmire, D. M. (2021). Specificity and item endorsement rates of Personality Assessment Inventory over-reporting scales across ethnic, gender, and diagnostic groups in a forensic inpatient sample. *International Journal of Law and Psychiatry*, 74. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijlp.2020.101669
- 5. **Wood, M. E.,** *Lawson, K. M., Anderson, J. L., Glassmire, D. M., Kinney, D. I., & Nitch, S. (2019). Meeting the Unique Needs of Defendants with Intellectual Disability Adjudicated Incompetent to Proceed: The Case for Reasonable Accommodations. *The Journal of the Academy of Psychiatry and the Law Online*. doi:10.29158/JAAPL.003855-19
- 6. **Wood, M. E.,** Anderson, J. L., *Gillespie, M. L., Alexander, A. A., Backstrom-Sieh, T., & Glassmire, D. M. (2019). The association between specific competence-related abilities & competence restoration treatment. *Journal of Forensic Psychiatry & Psychology*, 30, 250-269, doi:10.1080/14789949.2018.1542448
- 7. Glassmire, D. M., **Wood, M. E.,** Ta, M. T., Kinney, D. I., & Nitch, S. R. (2019). Brief report: Examining false positive rates of Wechsler Adult Intelligence Scale (WAIS-IV) processing speed-based embedded validity indicators among individuals with schizophrenia spectrum disorders. *Psychological Assessment, 31*, 120-125. doi:10.1037/pas0000650
- 8. Anderson, J. L., **Wood, M. E.,** Tarescavage, A. M., Glassmire, D., & Burchett, D. (2018). The role of dimensional personality psychopathology in a forensic inpatient psychiatric setting. *Journal of Personality Disorders*, *32*, 447-464. doi:10.1521/pedi_2017_31_301
- 9. **Wood, M. E.,** Anderson, J. L., & Glassmire, D. M. (2017). The MacCAT-CA in a forensic inpatient hospital: Interrater reliability, factor structure, and the relationship between subtest scores and clinician opinions of competence to stand trial. *Psychological Assessment*, 29, 776-785. doi:10.1037/pas0000368

10. **Wood, M. E.,** & Brodsky, S. L. (2015). Ethical issues in third party disclosure in *Atkins* cases. *Journal of Forensic Psychology Practice*, *15*, 80-91.

Other Publications:

- 11. Salekin, K. S., & **Wood, M. E.** (in press). Adults with developmental disabilities in the criminal justice system. In A. Redlich & J. Quas (Eds.), *The Oxford Handbook of Developmental Psychology and the Law*.
- 12. Helms, J. L., & **Wood**, **M. E.** (2017). The perennial question: Where should I apply to graduate school? In M. J. Sleigh, S. Iles, & B. Cannon (Eds.) *An Eye on Graduate School: Guidance Through a Successful Application*. Chattanooga, TN: Psi Chi, the International Honor Society in Psychology.
- 13. **Wood, M. E.,** Nagle, J. E., & Pierson, P. B. (2014). A qualitative examination of self-care in lawyers. *The Jury Expert*, 26(4).
- 14. **Wood, M. E.,** Salekin, K. L., & Allen, B. (2014). Punishment and age. In Jamieson, A., & Moenssens, A. (Eds.), *Wiley Encyclopedia of Forensic Science*. Hoboken, NJ: John Wiley & Sons, Inc.
- 15. **Wood, M. E.,** & Salekin, K. S. (2014). Capital sentencing. In Cautin, R. L. & Lilienfeld, S. O. (Eds.). *The Encyclopedia of Clinical Psychology*. Malden, MA: Wiley-Blackwell.
- 16. Salekin, K. L., Allen, B. & **Schnorf, M. E.** (2013). Death penalty and age. In Jamieson, A., & Moenssens, A. (Eds.), *Wiley Encyclopedia of Forensic Science*. Hoboken, NJ: John Wiley & Sons, Inc.
- 17. Helms, J. L., & **Schnorf**, **M. E.**¹ (2009, Fall). Where should I apply to graduate school? *Eye on Psi Chi*, *14*(*1*), 20–21.

Peer-Reviewed Presentations at National & International Conferences:

- 18. Bitting, A. R., **Wood, M. E.,** & Brown, K. P. (2022, March). One jurisdiction's response to the competency services crisis. Paper presentation at the American Psychology-Law Society Conference, Denver, CO.
- 19. **Wood, M. E.** & *Wang, S. (2022, March). Competence evaluation outcomes for defendants with Intellectual Disability (ID). Paper presentation at the American Psychology-Law Society Conference, Denver, CO.
- 20. **Wood, M. E.,** *Tansey, A., & Brown, K. P. (2019, March). Hospitalization and re-arrest outcomes for incompetent misdemeanor defendants: A plea for diversion. Data blitz at the American Psychology-Law Society Conference, Portland, OR.
- *Tansey, A., Brown, K. P., & **Wood, M. E.** (2019, March). An examination of *Dusky* prong failure in misdemeanor defendants. Poster presentation at the American Psychology-Law Society Conference, Portland, OR.
- 22. **Wood, M. E.,** & Glassmire, D. M. (2018, March). Specificity and Item Endorsement Rates of Personality Assessment Inventory Over-Reporting Scales Across Ethnic,

¹Schnorf (maiden name) changed to Wood in 2013.

- Gender, and Diagnostic Groups in a Forensic Inpatient Sample. Paper presentation at the American Psychology-Law Society Conference, Memphis, TN.
- 23. **Wood, M. E.,** Anderson, J. L., *Lawson, K., & Glassmire, D. (2017, March). *Understanding and meeting the unique needs of individuals with intellectual and psychologal deficits.* Paper presentation at the American Psychology-Law Society Conference, Seattle, WA.
- 24. **Wood, M. E.,** Anderson, J. L., & Glassmire, D. (2016, August). *The MacCAT-CA: Interrater reliability & association with clinician opinion in a forensic sample.* Paper presentation the 2016 American Psychological Association Conference, Denver, CO.
- 25. Anderson, J. L., **Wood, M. E.,** Tarescavage, A. M., Glassmire, D., & Burchett, D. (2016, March). *Using the MMPI-2-RF Personality Psychopathology Five (PSY-5) scales to assess personality disorder diagnosis in a forensic psychiatric setting*. Poster presentation at the 2016 Society of Personality Assessment Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- 26. Hedge, K. A., Salekin, K. L., **Wood, M. E.,** Applegate, K. & deLacy, R. (2016, March). *Judicial decision making in Atkins cases: Examining the influence of psychological reports and judicial attitudes.* Paper presentation at the 2016 American Psychology-Law Society Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- 27. **Wood, M. E.,** Anderson, J. L., Ta, M. T., & Glassmire, D. M. (2016, March). *The Unique Contribution of Intelligence Scores to Competency to Stand Trial in a Forensic Inpatient Setting*. Poster presentation at the 2016 American Psychology-Law Society Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- 28. **Wood, M. E.,** Salekin, K. L., & Chen, D. (2016, March). *Utility of the Stanford-Binet Fifth Edition Abbreviated Intelligence Quotient in Individuals with Intellectual Disability: Forensic Implications*. Poster presentation at the 2016 American Psychology-Law Society Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- 29. **Wood, M. E.,** Salekin, K. L., & deLacy, R. L. (2016, March). *Beyond Atkins: How do the Prongs Perform during Sentencing?* Paper presentation at the 2016 American Psychology-Law Society Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- 30. **Wood, M. E.,** & Salekin, K. L. (2014, August). *Attitudes toward individuals with intellectual disability and perceptions of adaptive functioning*. Paper presentation at the 2014 American Psychological Association Conference, Washington, D.C.
- 31. **Wood, M. E.,** & Salekin, K., L. (2014, March). *The prototypical stereotype: Perceptions of functioning when categorized as intellectually disabled.* Paper presentation at the 2014 American Psychology Law Society Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana.

 [Received AP-LS Student Committee Presentation Award]
- 32. Salekin, K., **Wood, M. E.,** McGrew, K., Chen, D., & Hedge, K. (2014, March). *Convergent validity: Use of WAIS-IV vs. SB5 in intellectual functioning assessment.*Paper presentation at the 2014 American Psychology Law Society Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- 33. Chen, D., Salekin, K. L., & **Schnorf, M. E.** (2012, March). *Determinations of intellectual disability: Situational factors, crime components, and adaptive behaviors as predictors.*

- Paper presentation at the 2012 American Psychology Law Society Conference, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- 34. Chen, D., Salekin, K. L., & **Schnorf, M. E.** (2012, March). *Determinations of intellectual disability: The effects of standard of proof.* Paper presentation at the 2012 American Psychology Law Society Conference, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- 35. **Schnorf, M. E.,** & Helms, J. L. (2011, March). *An analysis of author affiliations in the top forensic psychology journals*. Poster presentation at the 4th International Congress on Psychology and Law conference, Miami, FL.
- 36. **Schnorf, M. E.,** & Helms, J. L. (2011, March). *Doctoral training of American Board of Forensic Psychology diplomats*. Poster presentation at the 4th International Congress on Psychology and Law conference, Miami, FL.
- 37. Marsil, D. F., **Schnorf, M. E.,** & May, A. (2010, May). *Grooming child victims:*Disclosure deterrents, age of victim, and gender of participant influence juror decisionmaking. Paper Presentation at the 22nd annual Association for Psychological Science
 Conference, Boston, MA.

Peer-Reviewed Presentations at Regional & State Conferences:

- 38. Auble, P., Gallagher, J., Brown, K., & Wood, M. E. (2022, October). *Ethical and legal issues at the intersection of psychology and the law*. Presentation at the Tennessee Psychological Association Conference, Nashville, TN.
- 39. **Schnorf, M. E.,** Stewart, A. J., & Marsil, D. F. (2010, March). *The influence of student major on attitudes toward juvenile offenders*. Poster presentation at the Southeastern Psychological Association annual conference, Chattanooga, TN.
- 40. **Schnorf, M. E.,** Rogers, D. T., & Helms, J. L. (2010, February). *A preliminary formative evaluation of an undergraduate peer mentoring program*. Poster presentation at the 22nd annual Southeastern Conference on the Teaching of Psychology, Atlanta, GA.
- 41. **Schnorf, M. E.**, & Marsil, D. F. (2009, April). *Differential attitudes toward juvenile offenders*. Paper presentation at the 14th annual Symposium of Student Scholars, Kennesaw, GA. [Awarded 1st place for best oral presentation]
- 42. **Schnorf, M. E.**, & Helms, J. L. (2009, March). *A preliminary analysis of author affiliations in the top forensic psychology journals*. Poster presented at the 8th annual Georgia Undergraduate Research in Psychology conference, Kennesaw, GA.

Other/Invited Presentations:

- 43. **Wood, M.E.** (2024, February). *Navigating the competency to stand trial system for individuals with intellectual and developmental disability (IDD)*. Presentation to the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration's (SAMHSA) GAINS Center for Behavioral Health and Justice Transformation. Online webinar.
- 44. **Wood, M. E.** (2023, September). *Reporting requirements & ethics of expert testimony*. Presentation to the Memphis Area Psychological Association, Memphis, TN.

- 45. **Wood, M. E.** (2023, July). Competence to stand trial and defendants with intellectual disability: The need for distinct assessment, treatment, and prediction of restorability practices. Presentation to the Center for Forensic Psychiatry, Ann Arbor, MI.
- 46. **Wood, M. E.,** Brown, K. P., & Bitting, A. R. (2023, June). *Addressing Nashville's* "competency crisis": Collaborations across disciplines and systems. Oral presentation at the Vanderbilt University Medical Center Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences Academic Psychiatry Symposium, Nashville, TN.
- 47. *Potts, H., & **Wood, M. E.** (2023, June). *Using defense attorneys' characteristics to predict success of competency referrals.* Poster presentation at the Vanderbilt University Medical Center Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences Academic Psychiatry Symposium, Nashville, TN.
- 48. **Wood, M. E.,** Bitting, A. R., & Brown, K. P. (2023, June). *The legal system and mental health: Lessons from an unlikely alliance*. Vanderbilt University Medical Center Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences Grand Rounds, Nashville, TN.
- 49. **Wood, M. E.,** & Anderson, J. (2022, September). *A review of standardized instrument use in competency to stand trial evaluations*. Society for Personality Assessment: JPA Legal Context Webinar Series. Online presentation.
- 50. **Wood, M. E.** (2022, March). *Atkins evaluations: Clarifying the adaptive behavior prong.* Tennessee Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers (TACDL): William P. Redick, Jr. Capital Defense Seminar, Nashville, TN.
- 51. **Wood, M. E.** (2021, December). *Malingering and intellectual disability (ID)*. Department of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (DIDD) Clinical Consultation Network (virtual presentation), Nashville, TN.
- 52. Brown, K. P., **Wood, M. E.,** & Bitting, A. (2021, October). *Incompetent individuals with psychosis charged with misdemeanors No place to go.* Vanderbilt University Medical Center Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences Grand Rounds Case Conference: Division of Psychology, Nashville, TN.
- 53. **Wood, M. E.** (2021, March). *Intellectual disability and competence to stand trial.*Department of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (DIDD) Clinical Consultation Network (virtual presentation), Nashville, TN.
- 54. **Wood, M. E.** (2021, February). *Mental health inequities: Conceptualization and measurement issues.* Grand Rounds Enrichment Discussion (GRED) for the Harold Jordan Diversity, Inclusion, and Social Justice Lecture (virtual presentation), Nashville, TN.
- 55. **Wood, M. E.** (2020, May). *Atkins v. Virginia* (2002): *Practical guidance for forensic examiners*. Taylor Hardin Secure Medical Facility (THSMF) Forensic Psychology Seminar Series (virtual presentation), Tuscaloosa, AL.
- 56. **Wood, M. E.** (2019, October). *Intellectual disability and competence to proceed.* Forensic Psychology Interest Group, Nashville, TN.
- 57. **Wood, M. E.** (2019, September). *Intersections of trauma & juvenile justice system involvement: Defining the problem, contextualizing the barriers, and communicating*

- *effectively with the Court.* Vanderbilt Center of Excellence (COE) for Children in State Custody and the Vanderbilt Kennedy Center Lunch and Learn Series, Nashville, TN.
- 58. Brown, K. P., & Wood, M. E. (2019, April). *The insanity defense: Not guilty by reason of insanity*. Vanderbilt University Medical Center Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences Grand Rounds Case Conference: Division of Psychology, Nashville, TN.
- 59. **Wood, M. E.,** & Brown, K. P. (2019, February). Systematic evaluation of outcomes for court-ordered evaluations of misdemeanants in Davidson County. Forensic Interest Group, Nashville, TN.
- 60. **Wood, M. E.** (2018, June). *Intellectual disability and the criminal justice system:* Lessons from Atkins. Forensic Interest Group, Nashville, TN.
- 61. **Wood, M. E.** (2017, November). *Evaluations of criminal defendants with intellectual disability.* Forensic Mental Health Evaluations in the Criminal Justice System, Vanderbilt University Law School, Nashville, TN.

TEACHING ACTIVITIES:

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Inc	tri	ıct	Λr

University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama

•	Experimental Psychology Laboratory	Summer 2011
•	Introduction to Psychology	Fall 2013

Teaching Assistant

University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama

Psychology, Law, & Justice	Fall 2010
Introduction to Psychology	Fall 2010
Social Psychology	Spring 2011
 Developmental Psychology 	Spring 2011
 Principles of Psychotherapy Laboratory (Graduate Level) 	Summer 2014
• Introduction to Ethics (Graduate Level)	Fall 2014

Guest Lecturer

Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, Georgia

Forensic Psychology	Spring 2014
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University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama

•	Psychology and the Death Penalty	Summer 2014
•	Writing Results Sections and Presenting Statistics in Psychology	Fall 2014
•	Psychology and the Legal System	Fall 2014

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Sam Houston State University, Houston, Texas

• Evaluations of Defendants with Intellectual Disability (Annual; Graduate Level) 2018-Present

Didactic Training

Patton State Hospital, Patton, California

Pre-Doctoral Internship Program (APA Accredited)

• Brief Psychiatric Rating Scale & Competency Screening Battery Fall 2016

Faculty Supervisor, Vanderbilt Undergraduate Summer Research Program (VUSF Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, TN	RP) 2021
Dissertation Committee, Psychological Sciences Department Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN Lénie Torregrossa, M.S. Title of Project: Embodiment Across the Schizophrenia Spectrum	2021
Dissertation Committee, School & Clinical Psychology Department Kean University, Union, NJ Yael Osman, M.A. Title of Project: The Relationship Between Social Dominance, Racial Bias, and Perpetrator Sentencing in Child Physical Abuse Cases	2022
Lab Director & Primary Research Supervisor, VUMC Forensic Training Program Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, TN	2023- Present
RESEARCH SUPERVISION & COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP:	
Practicum Student & Psychology Intern Peer Supervision Patton State Hospital, Patton, California	2015-2017
Child & Adolescent Psychiatry Fellowship, Forensic Rotation Supervisor Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, Tennessee	2018-2019
Predoctoral Clinical Psychology Internship, Forensic Rotation Supervisor Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, Tennessee	2018-Present
Vanderbilt Forensic Evaluation Team, Practicum Supervisor Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, Tennessee	2019-2020
Vanderbilt Forensic Psychology Postdoctoral Fellowship Supervisor & Director Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, Tennessee	2023-Present
<u>CLINICAL SUPERVISION:</u>	
	2019 2020-Present
Post-Doctoral Fellowship Program (APA Accredited) • Professional Identity Development and Navigating the Boundaries of Our Compe	tencies 2024
	2018-Present 2021-Present

Spring 2017

• Violence Risk Assessment in a Forensic Inpatient Setting

Stella Wang (Undergraduate Student)

Title of Project: Evaluation of Forensic Services for Defendants with Intellectual Disability (ID) in Tennessee

Qualifying Examination Committee, Psychological Sciences Department

2020

Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN

Lénie Torregrossa, M.S.

Title of Project: *Body Ownership Disturbances in Schizophrenia: Empirical Evidence, Etiology, and Future Directions*

CURRENT CLINICAL ROLES:

Vanderbilt Forensic Psychology Postdoctoral Fellowship

2023-Present

Clinical Director, Nashville, Tennessee

Supervise postdoctoral fellow on forensic evaluations and competence restoration treatment; coordinate fellowship activities, including didactic seminars, research project(s), and clinical supervision

Vanderbilt Forensic Evaluation Team

2017-Present

Forensic Evaluator, Nashville, Tennessee

Conduct court-ordered forensic evaluations of adjudicative competence and mental state at the time of the offense for adult and juvenile defendants in Davidson County

Vanderbilt Forensic Psychiatry Clinic

2017-Present

Forensic Evaluator, Nashville, Tennessee

Conduct forensic mental health evaluations addressing a variety of referral questions including adjudicative competence, mental state at the time of the offense, mitigation, *Atkins*, capacity to waive *Miranda*, conservatorship, etc.

PRIOR CLINICAL EXPERIENCE:

Vanderbilt Comprehensive Assessment Program (VCAP)

2017-2022

Evaluator, Nashville, Tennessee

Conduct comprehensive evaluations of referred professionals (e.g., physicians, lawyers, etc.) as member of a multidisciplinary team addressing questions about fitness-for-duty, diagnostic clarification, etc.

Patton State Hospital

2015-2017

Predoctoral Intern (2015-2016), Postdoctoral Fellow (2016-2017), Patton California Conducted evaluations addressing a variety of referral questions (e.g., competence to proceed; violence risk; malingering; psychodiagnostic concerns etc.) on patients in a large forensic hospital (i.e., committed for competency restoration and/or following an adjudication of not guilty by reason of insanity); provided long-term individual therapy and time-limited group psychotherapy services; participated in weekly didactic seminars on Assessment, Therapy, Research, and Professional Development; supervised psychology practicum students and interns

Equal Justice Initiative

2014-2015

Consultant & Evaluator (Psychology Trainee), Montgomery, Alabama

Evaluated post-adjudication clients for purpose of service matching and/or resentencing; consulted with legal team regarding psychological literature and perspectives pertaining to current cases

Indian Rivers Mental Health Center

2014

Psychology Trainee, Tuscaloosa, Alabama

Conducted comprehensive psychological evaluations of individuals receiving services at community outpatient clinic

University of Alabama Police & Security Resources Departments

2013-2015

Psychology Trainee, Tuscaloosa, Alabama

Conducted post-offer, pre-employment evaluations for police and security resource personnel; provided initial training and supervision for new examiners

Working on Womanhood Program (Department of Youth Services)

2013-2014

Evaluator (Psychology Trainee), Tuscaloosa, Alabama

Conducted initial psychological evaluations for adolescent females admitted to an intensive treatment program in the context of juvenile justice involvement

Taylor Hardin Secure Medical Facility

2012-2014

Psychology Trainee, Tuscaloosa, Alabama

Conducted intake, violence risk, and psychodiagnostic evaluations on forensically committed male patients; consulted with interdisciplinary treatment teams; facilitated group psychoeducation for newly admitted patients and time-limited group treatment with more established patients; provided individual therapy; administered and scored comprehensive battery of assessments as part of an investigation of cognitive remediation as competency restoration training

University of Alabama Psychology Clinic

2011-2015

Psychology Trainee, Tuscaloosa, Alabama

Conducted evaluations of cognitive, intellectual, emotional, and personality functioning for children, adolescents, and adults (2013-2015); served as on-call clinic supervisor (2013-2014); provided individual therapy services for a variety of individuals residing in the community (2011-2013)

Bryce State Hospital

Psychology Trainee, Tuscaloosa, Alabama

Conducted initial intake, psychodiagnostic, and violence risk assessments for civilly committed patients; facilitated group competency restoration with female forensic patients; provided individual therapy

PROFESSIONAL/SERVICE ACTIVITIES:

Committee Member, AAFP Practice Documents & Resource Library

2023-Present

American Board of Forensic Psychology (ABFP)

ABFP Examination Faculty Member

2022-Present

American Board of Forensic Psychology (ABFP)

American Psychological Association (APA) Council of Specialties (CoS) 2022-Present Representative American Board of Forensic Psychology (ABFP) Mayor's Office Task Force on Competency & Well-Being, Member 2021-2022 Metropolitan Government of Nashville & Davidson County, Nashville, Tennessee Health Sciences Committee, Human Research Protections Program 2022-Present Institutional Review Board (IRB), Vanderbilt University Medical Center Program Administrator, American Psychological Association (APA) Continuing Education (CE) **Program Committee** 2021-Present Office of Continuing Professional Development, Vanderbilt University Medical Center Member, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) Committee 2020-Present Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences, Vanderbilt University Medical Center Vice Chair, American Psychological Association (APA) Continuing Education 2019-Present (CE) Program Committee Vanderbilt University Medical Center Member, Research Committee 2021 American Psychology-Law Society Member, Academic Psychiatry Symposium Planning Committee 2020-2023 Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences, Vanderbilt University Medical Center

2020-2023

Leader, Harold Jordan Endowed Lecture Planning Committee

Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences, Vanderbilt University Medical Center