

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### EDUCATION

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Bachelor of Science:	May 2005	Oklahoma Christian University Edmond, OK Psychology, Magna Cum Laude
Master of Science:	August 2008	Oklahoma State University Stillwater, OK Clinical Psychology Thesis: The effects of causative and susceptibility genes on the development of Alzheimer's disease: A meta-analytic approach.
Doctor of Philosophy:	August 2010	Oklahoma State University Stillwater, OK Clinical Psychology Dissertation: Social acceptance of age discrimination.
Internship:	July 2009 - June 2010	Yale University School of Medicine New Haven, CT Clinical Psychology, Neuropsychology Specialty
Fellowship:	August 2010 - July 2012	Michael E. DeBakey Veterans Affairs Medical Center Houston, TX Clinical Neuropsychology Resident

### EMPLOYMENT AND ACADEMIC POSITIONS

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CEO	March 2019 – Present	Neurocognitive Specialty Group, PLLC Houston, TX
President	January 2019 – Present	HS2 Medical Services Co. Houston, TX
Owner/Sole Proprietor	March 2017 – Present	Neuropsychology Wisdom, PLLC Houston, TX

Assistant Professor	July 2012 – March 2018	Baylor College of Medicine Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences Houston, TX
Neuropsychologist	July 2012 – March 2018	Michael E. DeBakey Veterans Affairs Medical Center Houston, TX

### **OTHER POSITIONS**

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Certified Examiner	March 2017 – Present	National Football League (NFL) Baseline Assessment Program Provider
Ad Hoc Reviewer	July 2011 – Present	<i>The Clinical Neuropsychologist</i> <i>Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology</i> <i>Journal of International Neuropsychological Society</i>

### **LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS**

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Board Certification	March 2015 – Present	American Board of Professional Psychology (ABPP) Diplomate in Clinical Neuropsychology
Licensed Psychologist	February 2012– Present	State of Kansas Licensure No. 2032
	February 2017– Present	State of Texas Licensure No. 37585
	June 2019 – Present	State of Florida Licensure No. PY 10489
	March 2020– Present	State of Louisiana Licensure No. 1549
	January 2020– Present	State of Washington Licensure No. PY61006534
	May 2023– Present	State of Oregon Licensure No. 3694
CPQ Holder	July 2019 – Present	Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards Certificate of Professional Qualification in Psychology

### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

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American Academy of Clinical Neuropsychology (AACN)  
American Board of Professional Psychology (ABPP)  
Houston Neuropsychological Society (HNS)

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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Award for Outstanding Leadership of Houston Neuropsychological Society (2014)  
Distinguished Alumni Award for Outstanding Vision, Dedication, and Commitment to  
Excellence- Oklahoma Christian University (2013)  
First Place, Graduate Paper Presentation - OSU Annual Research Symposium (2009)  
Outstanding Undergraduate Student Leadership Award (2005)  
Outstanding Undergraduate Student Research Award (2004)

## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

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- Robinson, J.S., Collins, R., Miller, B. I., Pacheco, V. H. & **Wisdom, N.M.** (2018). The Severe Impairment Profile: A Conceptual Shift. *Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology*, 238-246.
- Monsivais, S., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Kruse, J., & Davis, M.C. (2016). N-acetylcysteine supplementation in an individual with glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase deficiency-associated psychosis. *Biological Psychiatry*, 71-72.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, Connor, D.R., Hogan, L.R., & Callahan, J.L. (2014). The relationship of anxiety and beliefs toward aging in ageism. *Journal of Scientific Psychology*, 10-21.
- Lippa, S.M., Pastorek, N.J., Romesser, J., Linck, J., Sim, A.H., **Wisdom, N.M.**, & Miller, B.I. (2014). Ecological validity of performance validity testing. *Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology*, 29, 236-244.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, Pastorek, N.J., Miller, B.I., Booth, J.E., Romesser, J.M., Linck, J.F., & Sim, A.H. (2014). PTSD and cognitive functioning: Importance of including performance validity testing. *The Clinical Neuropsychologist*, 28, 128-145.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, Callahan, J.L., Grice, J.W., Connor, D.R., & Nichols, E. (2013). A canonical correlation analysis of the MMPI-2 and MCMI-III. *Journal of Scientific Psychology*, 116-126.
- Kiewel, N.A., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Bradshaw, M.R., Pastorek, N.J., & Strutt, A.M. (2012). Efficacy of Digit Span performance as an indicator of poor effort in patients with probable Alzheimer's Disease. *The Clinical Neuropsychologist*, 26, 965-974.
- Benge, J.F., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Collins, R.L., Chen, D.K., Franks, R., & LeMaire, A. (2012). Diagnostic Utility of the Structured Inventory of Malingered Symptomatology for Identifying Psychogenic Non-epileptic Events. *Epilepsy & Behavior*, 24, 439-444.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, Mignogna, J., & Collins, R.L. (2012). Variability in WAIS-IV subtest performance across age. *Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology*, 27, 389-397.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, Brown, W.L., & Collins, R.L. (2012). The use of all three Test of Memory Malingering (TOMM) trials in establishing level of effort. *Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology*, 27, 208-212.

- Chen, D.K., Izadyar, S., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Collins, R.L., Franks, R., & Hrachovy, R.A. (2012). Intact vs. impaired ictal sensorium: Does it affect outcome of psychogenic nonepileptic events following disclosure of diagnosis? *Epilepsy & Behavior*, *24*, 30-35.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, Callahan, J.L., & Hawkins, K.A. (2011). The effects of apolipoprotein E on non-impaired cognitive functioning: A meta-analysis. *Neurobiology of Aging*, *32*, 63-74.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, Callahan, J.L., & Shaw, T.G. (2010). Diagnostic utility of the Structured Inventory of Malingered Symptomatology (SIMS) to detect malingering in a forensic sample. *Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology*, *25*, 118-125.
- Almstrom, C.M., **Wisdom, N.M.**, & Callahan, J.L. (2008). Beyond full scale IQ: A new WAIS-III indicator of mental retardation. *Journal of Scientific Psychology*, *3*, 9-14.
- Swift, J.K., & **Wisdom, N.M.** (2006). What should pass as evidence? *The Clinical Psychologist*, *59*, 7.

#### **PEER-REVIEWED PUBLISHED ABSTRACTS**

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- Baird, A. Mejjia, C., Collins, R., **Wisdom, N.M.** (February, 2023). Cross-cultural utility of performance validity indicators in a community sample from Kampala, Uganda. Abstract accepted to the International Neuropsychological Society Conference. San Diego, California.
- Baird, A., Smotherman, J., **Wisdom, N.M.**, & Boettcher, A. (February, 2022). Predictive utility of MMPI-2-RF symptom validity scales in TOMM performance among retired athletes. Abstract accepted to the 50th International Neuropsychological Society Conference. New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Smotherman, J., Baird, A., **Wisdom, N.M.**, & Boettcher, A., (February 2021). Trails B completion time as an indicator of performance validity in retired athletes. Poster session presented at the 49th International Neuropsychological Society Conference. San Diego, California (Virtual).
- Baird, A., Smotherman, J., Callahan, J., & **Wisdom, N.M.**, (February 2020). Administrator Effects in Cognitive Testing of Former NFL Players. Poster session presented at the 48th International Neuropsychological Society Conference. Denver, Colorado.
- Baird, A., Smotherman, J., Callahan, J., & **Wisdom, N.M.** (February 2020). Length of Career as a Predictor of Cognitive Decline in Former NFL Players. Poster session presented at the 48th International Neuropsychological Society Conference. Denver, Colorado.
- Smotherman, J., Baird, A., Callahan, J., & **Wisdom, N.M.** (February 2020). Utility of WMS-IV Recognition Subtests (LM, VPA, VR) as Indicators of Performance Validity in Neuropsychological Assessments of Retired Professional Football Players. Poster session presented at the 48th International Neuropsychological Society Conference. Denver, Colorado.
- Baird, A., Smotherman, J., Salley, S., & **Wisdom, N.M.** (February 2019). Depression and Cognitive Functioning in Former NFL Players. Poster session presented at the 47th International Neuropsychological Society Conference. New York, New York.

- Smotherman, J., Baird, A., Salley, S., & **Wisdom, N.M.** (February 2019). BDAE Complex Ideational Material as an Indicator of Performance Validity in NFL BAP Neuropsychological Assessments. Poster session presented at the 47th International Neuropsychological Society Conference. New York, New York.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, Booth, J.E., Tang, R., Miller, B., Collins, R.L., & Pastorek, N.J. (2015). An examination of cognitive deficits after controlling for respondent validity in veterans with chronic PTSD. *Journal of International Neuropsychological Society, 22, Suppl. 1*, 225.
- Booth, J.E., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Robinson, J., Chen, D.K., & Collins, R.L. (2015). Chaining likelihood ratios to detect psychogenic non-epileptic events (PNEE). *Journal of International Neuropsychological Society, 22, Suppl. 1*, 88.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, Pastorek, N.J., Miller, B.I., Booth, J.E., Romesser, J.M., Linck, J.F., & Sim, A.H. (2014). PTSD and cognitive functioning: Importance of including performance validity testing. *Journal of International Neuropsychological Society, 20, Suppl. 1*, 131.
- McCulloch, K., Pastorek, N.J., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Romesser, J., Linck, J., Sim, A.H., & Miller, B.I. (2014). Incremental classification accuracy across the Test of Memory Malingering (TOMM) Trials. *Journal of International Neuropsychological Society, 20, Suppl. 1*, 127.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, Collins, R.L., Sestito, N., Robinson, J., Proto, D., Franks, R., & Chen, D.K. (2013). Use of the Health History Checklist (HHC) to detect patients experiencing psychogenic nonepileptic events (PNEE) on a long-term monitoring unit. *Journal of International Neuropsychological Society, 19, Suppl. 1*, 259.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, Mignogna, J., Averill, L., Miller, B., Proto, D., & Collins, R.L. (2013). Normal aging and verbal memory: A comparison of tests. *Journal of International Neuropsychological Society, 19, Suppl. 1*, 137.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, Booth, J., McCulloch, K., Stinson, J., Averill, L., & Collins, R.L. (2013). Learning stories vs. word lists: The role of executive functioning. *Journal of International Neuropsychological Society, 19, Suppl. 1*, 49.
- Sestito, N., Pastorek, N.J., Miller, B.I., Lippa, S.M., Romesser, J., Linck, J., Benge, J.F., Sim, A., **Wisdom, N.M.**, & Maestas, K.L. (2013). Detection of symptom exaggeration on the Neurobehavioral Symptom Inventory. *Journal of International Neuropsychological Society, 19, Suppl. 1*, 205-206.
- Averill, L.A., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Mignogna, J., Robinson, J., & Collins, R.L. (2013). Executive functioning across the lifespan: An examination of the D-KEFS. *Journal of International Neuropsychological Society, 19, Suppl. 1*, 49.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, Brown, W.L., & Collins, R.L. (2012). Empirical support for abbreviating the administration of the Test of Memory Malingering (TOMM). *Journal of International Neuropsychological Society, 18, Suppl. 1*, 197.
- Collins, R.L., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Sestito, N., & Chen, D.K. (2012). Use of the Health Attitude Survey (HAS) to detect patients experiencing Psychogenic Non-Epileptic Events (PNEE)

on a long-term monitoring unit. *Journal of International Neuropsychological Society*, 18, Suppl. 1, 1.

Mignogna, J., **Wisdom, N.M.**, & Collins, R.L. (2011). Increased variability in Wechsler Adult Intelligence Scale, Fourth Edition (WAIS-IV) performance across adulthood. *Journal of International Neuropsychological Society*, 17, Suppl. 1, 293.

**Wisdom, N.M.**, Callahan, J.L., & Hawkins, K.A. (2009). The effects of apolipoprotein E on non-impaired cognitive functioning: A meta-analysis. *Journal of International Neuropsychological Society*, 15, Suppl. 1, 100-101.

#### MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW OR IN PREPARATION

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**Wisdom, N.M.**, Robinson, J.K., Collins, R.L., Shaw, T.G., & Chen, D.K. (In Preparation). Use of the Health Attitude Survey and Health History Checklist in the identification of Psychogenic Non-Epileptic Events (PNEE).

**Wisdom, N.M.**, & Booth, J.E. (In Preparation). Examination of verbal episodic memory measures across the lifespan.

**Wisdom, N.M.**, Booth, J.E., & Collins, R.L. (In Preparation). Learning stories vs. word lists: The role of executive functioning in dementia.

**Wisdom, N.M.**, Tang, R., & Booth, J.E. (In Preparation). Cognitive correlates of chronic posttraumatic stress disorder and dementia.

#### PEER-REVIEWED PRESENTATIONS

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Chang, J., Dunn, C., Booth, J., & **Wisdom, N.M.** (2016, February). *Discriminant validity and diagnostic utility of the Test of Practical Judgment (TOP-J)*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, Boston, Massachusetts.

**Wisdom, N.M.**, Dunn, R., Cavanagh, L., & Collins, R. (2015, November). *Statistically Combining Self-Report Inventories in the Identification of Psychogenic Non-Epileptic Events*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Academy of Neuropsychology Conference. Austin, Texas.

**Wisdom, N.M.**, Dunn, R., Cavanagh, L., & Collins, R. (November 2015). *Statistically Combining Self-Report Inventories in the Identification of Psychogenic Non-Epileptic Events*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the National Academy of Neuropsychology Conference, Austin, Texas.

**Wisdom, N.M.**, Booth, J.E., Tang, R., Miller, B., Collins, R.L., & Pastorek, N.J. (2015, February). *An examination of cognitive deficits after controlling for respondent validity in veterans with chronic PTSD*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, Denver, Colorado.

Booth, J.E., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Robinson, J., Chen, D.K., & Collins, R.L. (2015, February). *Chaining likelihood ratios to detect psychogenic non-epileptic events (PNEE)*. Poster

presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, Denver, Colorado.

**Wisdom, N.M.**, Pastorek, N.J., Miller, B.I., Booth, J.E., Romesser, J.M., Linck, J.F., & Sim, A.H. (2014, February). *PTSD and cognitive functioning: Importance of including performance validity testing*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, Seattle, Washington.

McCulloch, K., Pastorek, N.J., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Romesser, J., Linck, J., Sim, A.H., & Miller, B.I. (2014, February). *Incremental classification accuracy across the Test of Memory Malingering (TOMM) Trials*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, Seattle, Washington.

**Wisdom, N.M.**, Pastorek, N.J., Miller, B.I., & Booth, J.E. (2013, May). *Posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD) symptoms and cognitive test scores in patients passing performance validity tests*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Association of VA Psychologist Leaders, San Antonio, Texas.

Booth, J.E., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Miller, B.I., Collins, R.L. (2013, May). *The relationship between executive functioning and structure versus unstructured verbal memory in older Veterans*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Association of VA Psychologist Leaders, San Antonio, Texas.

**Wisdom, N.M.**, Collins, R.L., Sestito, N., Robinson, J., Proto, D., Franks, R., & Chen, D.K. (2013, February). *Use of the Health History Checklist (HHC) to detect patients experiencing psychogenic nonepileptic events (PNEE) on a long-term monitoring unit*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, Waikoloa, Hawaii.

**Wisdom, N.M.**, Mignogna, J., Averill, L., Miller, B., Proto, D., & Collins, R.L. (2013, February). *Normal aging and verbal memory: A comparison of tests*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, Waikoloa, Hawaii.

**Wisdom, N.M.**, Booth, J., McCulloch, K., Stinson, J., Averill, L., & Collins, R.L. (2013, February). *Learning stories vs. word lists: The role of executive functioning*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, Waikoloa, Hawaii.

Averill, L.A., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Mignogna, J., Robinson, J., & Collins, R.L. (2013, February). *Executive functioning across the lifespan: An examination of the D-KEFS*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, Waikoloa, Hawaii.

Sestito, N., Pastorek, N.J., Miller, B.I., Lippa, S.M., Romesser, J., Linck, J., Benge, J.F., Sim, A., **Wisdom, N.M.**, & Maestas, K.L. (2013, February). *Detection of Symptom Exaggeration on the Neurobehavioral Symptom Inventory*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, Waikoloa, Hawaii.

Proto, D., Robinson, J., Averill, L., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Chen, D., & Collins, R.L. (2012). *Assessing the utility of self-reported somatization symptoms in classifying individuals with epilepsy*

*and psychogenic non-epileptic events (PNEE)*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Houston Neuropsychological Society, Houston, TX

- Robinson, J.S., Booth, J., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Averill, L., Proto, D., & Collins, R.L. (2012). *The Effect of Executive Function Deficits in Structured vs. Unstructured Verbal Information*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Houston Neuropsychological Society, Houston, Texas.
- Averill, L.A., Proto, D.A., Robinson, J.S., Collins, R.L., & **Wisdom, N.M.** (2012, October). *Normal Aging and Executive Functioning: An Examination of the D-KEFS*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Houston Neuropsychological Society, Houston, Texas.
- Averill, L.A., Robinson, J.S., Proto, D.A., Miller, B.I., Collins, R.L., & **Wisdom, N.M.** (2012, October). *Verbal Memory Across the Lifespan: A Comparison of Tests*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Houston Neuropsychological Society, Houston, Texas.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, Brown, W.L., Chen, D.K., & Collins, R.L. (2012, February). *Empirical support for abbreviating the administration of the Test of Memory Malingering (TOMM)*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, Montreal, Canada.
- Collins, R.L., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Sestito, N., & Chen, D.K. (2012, February). *Use of the Health Attitude Survey (HAS) to detect patients experiencing Psychogenic Non-Epileptic Events (PNEE) on a long-term monitoring unit*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, Montreal, Canada.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, & Collins, R.L. (2011, November). *Use of the Health Attitude Survey (HAS) to detect patients experiencing psychogenic non-epileptic events (PNEE)*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Houston Neuropsychological Society, Houston, Texas.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, & Collins, R.L. (2011, November). *Empirical support for abbreviating the administration of the Test of Memory Malingering (TOMM)*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Houston Neuropsychological Society, Houston, Texas.
- Kiewel, N.A., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Bradshaw, M.R., Pastorek, N.J., & Strutt, A.M. (2011, November) *Dementia and effort test performance*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Houston Neuropsychological Society, Houston, Texas.
- Mignogna, J., **Wisdom, N.M.**, & Collins, R.L. (2011, February). Increased variability in Wechsler Adult Intelligence Scale, Fourth Edition (WAIS-IV) performance across adulthood. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, Boston, MA.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, Mignogna, J., & Collins, R.L. (2010, November). *Measuring cognitive heterogeneity across the lifespan*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Houston Neuropsychological Society, Houston, TX.
- Wisdom, N.M.**, Callahan, J.L., & Shaw, T.G. (2009, April). *Diagnostic utility of the Structured Inventory of Malingered Symptomatology (SIMS) in the Detection of Malingering in a*



*Forensic Sample*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Oklahoma Psychological Society, Edmond, OK.

**Wisdom, N.M.**, Callahan, J.L., & Hawkins, K.A. (2009, February). *The effects of apolipoprotein E on nondemented cognitive functioning: A meta-analysis*. Paper presented at the annual Oklahoma State University Research Symposium, Stillwater, OK.

**Wisdom, N.M.**, Callahan, J.L., & Hawkins, K.A. (2009, February). *The effects of apolipoprotein E on nondemented cognitive functioning: A meta-analysis*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, Atlanta, GA.

Rambo, P.L., Callahan, J.L., **Wisdom, N.M.**, Wagener, T., Collins, F.L., & Davidson, C. (2008, November). *Convergent and divergent validity of delayed discounting*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Orlando, FL.

## **CLINICAL EXPERIENCE**

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**Neuropsychology Wisdom, PLLC** (Houston, TX) March 2017-Present  
 Position: Private Practice Neuropsychologist  
 Activities: Conduct independent neuropsychological examinations.

**Michael E. DeBakey Veterans Affairs Medical Center** (Houston, TX) July 2012-April 2018  
 Position: Staff Neuropsychologist- Community Integration Program  
 Activities: Conduct neuropsychological evaluations for both in- and out-patients referred by mental health, spinal cord injury, primary care, long-term care, and others. Patients present with a range of neurological syndromes and injuries including, but not limited to: dementia, traumatic brain injury, cerebrovascular accident, parkinsonism, demyelinating disease, seizure disorder, brain tumor, chronic pain, posttraumatic stress disorder, mood disorder, and somatoform disorder.

**Michael E. DeBakey Veterans Affairs Medical Center** (Houston, TX) August 2010-July 2012  
 Position: Clinical Neuropsychology Postdoctoral Fellow  
 Supervisors: Robert Collins, PhD, ABPP-CN, Nicholas Pastorek, PhD, ABPP-CN  
 Activities: Conducted neuropsychological evaluations for both in- and out-patients referred by neurology, mental health, and polytrauma rehabilitation departments. Patients presented with a range of neurological syndromes and injuries including, but not limited to: dementia, traumatic brain injury, cerebrovascular accident, parkinsonism, demyelinating disease, seizure disorder, brain tumor, chronic pain, posttraumatic stress disorder, mood disorder, and somatoform disorder. Duties included conducting clinical interviews, selecting and administering appropriate measures, supervision of trainees, and conceptualizing and writing integrated reports. In addition, planned and conducted research projects examining cognitive heterogeneity of normal aging, malingering/effort testing, and validation of measures to better differentiate between epilepsy and psychogenic non-epileptic events. Also, provided individual psychotherapy and conducted neuropsychological assessments in an inpatient spinal cord injury rehabilitation setting for patients presenting with a range of co-morbid psychiatric conditions including: posttraumatic stress disorder, bipolar disorder, major depressive disorder, anxiety disorder, personality disorder, and substance abuse/dependence. Other duties included: assisting with Wada evaluations; completing the medical neurosciences course through Baylor College of Medicine; and holding weekly targeted workshops for cognitive rehabilitation, sleep hygiene, academic skills, and chronic pain.

**Yale University- Connecticut Mental Health Center** (New Haven, CT) July 2009-June 2010

Position: Predoctoral Psychology Fellow

Supervisors: Keith Hawkins, PsyD, Michel Jean-Baptiste, MD, Lisa Cross, PhD

Activities: Provided individual psychotherapy in an inpatient psychiatric setting for patients presenting with a range of psychiatric conditions including: schizophrenia, schizoaffective disorder, posttraumatic stress disorder, bipolar disorder, major depressive disorder, personality disorder, substance abuse/dependence, primary insomnia, and psychogenic polydipsia. Other duties included providing psychological and neuropsychological assessments and case consultations in an inpatient setting. Also, received additional training at the West Haven VA in neuropsychological testing, functional neuroanatomy, and the neurological underpinnings of psychiatric disorders.

**Comprehensive Community Rehabilitation Services (Tulsa, OK)** September 2008-June 2009

Position: Psychology Extern

Supervisors: Terry Shaw, PhD, ABN

Activities: Conducted neuropsychological evaluations in a forensic setting for patients presenting with a range of injuries and sequela including, but not limited to: traumatic brain injury, brain tumor, chronic pain, dementia, learning disorder, posttraumatic stress disorder, and somatoform disorder. Duties included conducting clinical interviews, selecting and administering appropriate measures, and conceptualizing and writing integrated reports. In addition, planned and conducted research projects examining malingering, relationship between early attachment theory and somatoform disorders, and the shared characteristics between patients with chronic pain and patients with moderate to severe levels of anxiety. Also served as an information technology assistant with a range of activities including updating the website, software installation, and troubleshooting computer/printer/network problems.

**OSU Psychological Services Center (Stillwater, OK)** July 2007-July 2008

Position: Assistant Director of Assessment Services

Supervisors: Larry Mullins, PhD

Activities: Assistant director in charge of overseeing assessments being conducted in a Psychology Department clinic. Conducted cognitive and diagnostic assessments on both adults and children with a variety of presenting problems including dementia, attention-deficit hyperactivity disorder, learning disorders, schizophrenia, and anxiety and mood disorders. Additional duties included providing supervision for all assessments in the clinic, marketing, billing, managing staff, scheduling, conflict management, and other clerical work.

**OSU Psychological Services Center (Stillwater, OK)** August 2005-June 2009

Position: Psychological Associate

Supervisors: Thad Leffingwell, PhD (2005-2006), Frank Collins, PhD (2006-2007), LaRicka Wingate, PhD (2007-2008), Matt Alderson, PhD (2008-2009)

Activities: Provided individual psychotherapy and conducted cognitive, diagnostic, and intake assessments for clients in a Psychology Department clinic. Supervised junior students in conducting individual therapy, cognitive assessments, and intake evaluations.

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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Psychology Intern Assessment Seminar (lectured on topics including ethics, test selection, and test interpretation)

Clinical Neuropsychology Case Conference/Didactic Series (lectured on topics including dementia, movement disorders, reliability/validity, test selection, ethics, parkinsonism, somatization, effort/malingering, and various case presentations)

Graduate Instructor Psychology and Law

Graduate Instructor Introduction to Psychology x8  
Graduate Teaching Assistant Quantitative Methods x4  
Graduate Teaching Assistant Psychology of Minorities

## **LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES**

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- HNS- President** (2014-2015)  
Serving as President of the Houston Neuropsychological Society. Duties include running board meetings, help in selection of cabinet officers, identify and invite national and internationally known speakers, organization of monthly speakers and biannual symposia, website management, member recruiting and retention, policy advocacy, and serving as the invited speaker for the President's Reception (including a didactic on mental health and neuropsychological correlates).
- HNS- President Elect** (2013-2014)  
Served as President-Elect of the Houston Neuropsychological Society. Duties included attending board meetings, helping select national and internationally known speakers, organization of monthly speakers and biannual symposia, and website management.
- OSU IRB Subject Pool Coordinator- Administrator** (2007-2009)  
Served as administrator and coordinator for the university's subject pool used by faculty and students from multiple departments on campus. Provided regular training workshops for instructors, researchers, and undergraduates. Additional duties included providing information technology services, helping researchers design and conduct their studies using the subject pool, overseeing the participation of several thousand undergraduate students enrolled in a variety of courses, tracking the supply of available credits and the projected numbers requested by researchers, and working with OSU's IRB to ensure that all studies were compliant and maintaining confidentiality.
- OSU Psychology Graduate Student Association- President** (2006-2008)  
Elected president of the university's Psychology Graduate Student Association. Engaged in a variety of activities including hosting many departmental events, fundraising, holding regular meetings to discuss departmental news, and sharing student concerns/grievances with the departmental faculty.
- OSU Graduate and Professional Student Government Association- Representative** (2005-2006)  
Served as the Psychology Department's student representative for the university's Graduate and Professional Student Government Association. Attended monthly meetings and recorded the information discussed which was later shared with the graduate students in the Psychology Department. Additional duties included fundraising and organizing activities such as Relay for Life.
- OC Psi Chi Chapter- President** (2004-2005)  
Elected president of the university's Psi Chi chapter. Actively identified potential candidates and provided them with the resources for applying to be a member of Psi Chi. Also provided several presentations in various courses on the benefits of becoming a member of Psi Chi as well as the necessary steps involved in the application process.
- OC Psychology Club- President** (2004-2005)

Elected president of the university's Psychology Club. Designed and conducted multiple research studies with the other members that were subsequently presented at several regional conferences. Additional duties included fundraising, scheduling speakers to come and present on applying to graduate schools, creating a website for the student organization, and holding weekly meetings to discuss relevant news.

## REFERENCES

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