

# RÉSUMÉ

## ROBERT J. PORTER, Ph.D.

Licensed Psychologist in Louisiana #263 and Florida PY6542

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### Clinical and Consulting Psychologist Medical Psychology Offices

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### Professor Emeritus of Psychology,

University of New Orleans

### Adjunct Professor of Psychology:

University of Tampa (Occasional)  
Argosy University (Occasional)

### *Clinical skills*

- Individual and group psychotherapy
- Family/child therapy: Trauma/abuse, anxiety, ADHD, depression, special medical problems
- School group therapy & adjustment groups: anger management, divorce, bullying/teasing
- Psychoeducational outreach: Parenting, substance abuse, therapy choice

### *Experienced with a variety of client populations*

Children, pre-teens, adolescents, and families:

Medical Patients in Family Medicine, Neurosurgery, Neurology, & ENT,  
Child trauma/abuse, anxiety, ADHD, behavior problems, depression, special medical problems

Adults: Trauma, anxiety, depression, dissociative disorders

Gay & lesbian youth and adults

Elders, nursing home residents, homeless, chronically mentally ill

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### *Additional strengths*

- Medical Psychology/Behavioral Medicine
- Trauma, abuse, PTSD treatment
- Psychological Assessment
- Administration & Management
- Supervision
- Teaching & Training

## EXPERIENCE

### **Clinical and Consulting Psychologist**

*Medical Psychology, Patients First Family Medicine &*

*Gulf Coast Pediatrics, Westchase and Citrus Park, Tampa, FL, 2004 – Current*

### **Psychologist and Outpatient Therapist, Children and Families Outpatient Clinic,**

*Children and Adolescent Individual and group psychotherapy; Teen Girls with Abuse History Group; Middle school therapy groups, grief group, divorce & family change group, rap group. Directions for Mental Health, Clearwater, FL, 2000 – 2005, Marsha Rockey, Psy.D., Clinical Director*

### **Psychology Resident and Director “RAVS” Adolescent Treatment Program,**

*Children and Adolescent Individual and group psychotherapy; “RAVS” after-school therapeutic group program for at-risk adolescents; Directions for Mental Health, Clearwater, FL.,2000 – 2001, Marsha Rockey, Psy.D., Supervisor*

### **Psychology Intern,**

*Individual and group therapy, adults, children, families, couples, GLBT youth, and Alzheimer's in-patients, Center for Group Counseling, Boca Raton, FL, 1999-2000 Supervisors: Denise Sparks, Ph.D. (Clinical Training Director), Israel Rosenzweig, LCSW, Paul Greenwald, Ph.D., Judy Averbach, Psy.D. External Rotation: Gay & Lesbian Community Center (GLBT youth).*

### **Psychology Extern,**

*Directions for Mental Health, Clearwater, FL., 1998-1999; Community Mental Health Center serving St. Petersburg/Clearwater FL Individual and group therapy.. Children, families, adults, chronically mentally ill, homeless. Supervisor: Marsha Rockey, Psy.D.*

### **Professor of Psychology (Currently *Professor Emeritus*)**

*University of New Orleans, Department of Psychology, New Orleans, LA, 1971-1997 Activities: Associate Chair, Undergraduate Program Director, Graduate Program Director, Applied Biopsychology and Applied Developmental Psychology graduate program, teaching, administration, program development, supervision, research, assessment, grant writing..*

### **Clinical Professor, Louisiana State University Medical School**

*Speech, Hearing, and Language Research, Department of Otorhinolaryngology and Biocommunication, 1971-1997 Neuropsychological evaluation and research, with Behavioral Neurology and Neurosurgery Departments, student supervision, research, grant writing.*

## LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION

*Licensed Psychologist, Florida, PY 6542 -- Licensed Psychologist ,#263 (1977), Louisiana*

## **SUPERVISORY EXPERIENCE**

- **Supervisor**, Psychology Psy.D. and LMHC externs, Directions for Mental Health
- **Supervising Director, RAVS Adolescent Treatment Program**, Directions for Mental Health, Clearwater, FL., 2000 – 2001, In-school and after-school group-therapy program for at-risk middle-school students. Supervised student externs and lay counselors.
- **Neuropsychology Consulting/Testing and Practicum Supervision** (with William Black, Ph.D.): LSU Department of Neurology and Charity Hospital Neurosurgery Clinic.
- **Gerontology Practicum Supervision**, Alzheimer's patients, University of New Orleans and various off-campus sites.
- **Thesis and Dissertation Supervision** for approximately 12 masters and Ph.D. students University of New Orleans, LSU medical school, and Tulane University); mentor/major-advisor for three doctoral students. Thesis and dissertation topics included applied research in the treatment of Alzheimer's, neuropsychological evaluation, reading and learning disorders, and developmental psychopathology.
- **Director/Supervisor**, Adult Development and Aging Center, Department of Psychology, University of New Orleans; Co-Director, Rosa Keller Campus (College Course Program for Seniors), 1995-1997.
- **Associate Chair**, Department of Psychology, University of New Orleans
- **Director, Graduate Program**, Department of Psychology, University of New Orleans.
- **Director/Principal Investigator**, various grants and research & development projects.

## **EDUCATION**

- **Florida School of Professional Psychology** Three-year (1997-2000), full-time, Clinical Respecialization Certification Program. 63 Credit Hours. Completion: August 31, 2000
- **University of Connecticut**. Major: Psychology. Ph.D.
- **Hollins College**. Major: Psychology. M.A.
- **Georgia Institute of Technology**. Major: Applied Psychology.

## **ACADEMIC CAREER**

*In 1997, I completed an academic career at the University of New Orleans and LSU Medical School. I retired, early, in order to pursue clinical psychology practice. I enrolled in the Florida School of Professional Psychology to enhance and develop my clinical skills. I completed that work in 2000. A summary of my academic experience and other information is provided on the attached Additional Information page. A Curriculum Vitae with detailed information is available upon request.*

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

### ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE (SELECTED)

- Professor Emeritus, Department of Psychology, University of New Orleans, New Orleans, LA. (Various administrative and teaching positions.)
- Clinical Professor Emeritus, Department of Otorhinolaryngology & Biocommunication, Kresge Hearing Research Laboratory of the South, Louisiana State University Medical Center, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- President, 1998-1999; 1999-2000 Society for Chaos Theory in Psychology and Life Sciences. Editor of SCPLS Newsletter, 2000-current.
- Chair, International Nonlinear Science Conference, Vienna, Austria, Feb. 2003.
- Visiting Scientist, Center for Complex Systems, Florida Atlantic University, 1996.
- Fellow, Wolfson College, and Visiting Scientist, Phonetics Laboratory, Oxford University, Oxford, United Kingdom.
- Visiting Psychologist, Aphasia Research Center, Department of Neurology, Boston Veterans Administration Medical Center and Boston University.
- Fulbright-Hays Senior Research Fellow in Speech Physiology, Phonetics Laboratory, Institute of Linguistics, University of Stockholm.
- NIMH Cognitive and Computational Neuroscience Study Section (Reserve Member), 1992-1994.
- Member and Fellow, Acoustical Society of America (Chair, Speech Technical Committee)
- Member, American Psychological Association.
- Member, American Psychological Society.
- Member, American Speech, Hearing, Language Association.
- Member, American Association for the Advancement of Sciences.

### GRANTS

Principle or co-investigator on over a dozen research and service grants and contracts from NIH, NSF, and other local and national granting agencies. List available upon

request.

### PUBLICATIONS

List of refereed journal publications (30+), book chapters (3), and professional presentations (40+) available upon request.

### COURSES TAUGHT

Neuropsychology; Clinical Psychology, Graduate Seminar in Developmental Psychology; Developmental Psychology: Child; Adolescent; Educational Psychology; Psycholinguistics; Seminar in Program Evaluation; Tests and Measurements; Introductory, Intermediate, and Advanced Statistics; History and Systems

### WORKSHOPS

Workshops and community group presentations in the areas of parenting, childrearing, PTSD, child development, medical errors and ethics, personal growth, volunteerism and fundraising, and related topics.

### OTHER SKILLS

- Administration, management, budgeting.
- Grant writing; fund-raising; volunteer coordination.
- Program evaluation.
- Research design and data analysis: Standard statistical analysis (ANOVA, MANOVA, etc.); qualitative analysis; structural equation modeling; linear and nonlinear process analysis; complex systems analysis.
- Computer skills: Word-processing; spreadsheets; presentation software; web-page and www development; statistical analysis software; applications development & programming; computer system & network configuration and design.

**References, a complete list of publications and grants, and additional details of experience, are available upon request.**