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## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

### **Education and License:**

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PhD in Social Work from The Sanville Institute – 6/05 (formerly California Institute for Clinical Social Work)

MS in Marriage, Family and Child Counseling from San Jose State University, 5/79.

BA from Stanford University, 12/61.

#### **Professional Societies:**

Clinical Member of California Association of Marriage and Family Therapists, Santa Clara Valley Chapter, and of American Association of Marriage and Family Therapists.

Member International Association for Psychoanalytic Self Psychology

Member, The Psychotherapy Institute, Berkeley.

## **Clinical Experience:**

10/81 to present - private practice in Palo Alto/Menlo Park, general MFT practice, including work with children, couples, families, and individuals. Practice expanded to Berkeley office in 1991.

9/81 - 6/96 and 9/02-present- staff consultant at Peninsula School in Menlo Park; work involved observing children in grades nursery-8th, meeting with staff and parents, and facilitating staff communication.

9/88 - 6/90 - group supervisor for Practicum students in Marriage, Family and Child Counseling masters degree program at Santa Clara University.

7/79 - 5/81- intern/trainee at Children's Health Council in Palo Alto.

6/78 - 1/79 - counselor at Harvey House, a residential treatment program of Miramonte Mental Health Services in Palo Alto.

1978-79 - trainee in San Jose State's Child and Family Counseling Services; intern/counselor at Adult and Child Guidance Center in San Jose; and co-leader of parenting group through Parental Stress Hotline in San Jose.

#### **Theoretical Orientation:**

I have had extensive training in Self Psychology which I integrate with my background in family systems theory and current interests in relational and cognitive schools of therapy. With children I do play therapy and sand tray work.

# **Related Experience:**

1970-1980 - parent coordinator of Rivendell School in Palo Alto, an alternative, parent cooperative elementary school.

# Other Employment:

1972-77 - legal worker in a community law office in Menlo Park; work included family law, bankruptcy, and non-profit incorporation.

1966-67 - social worker in Los Angeles County, Department of Public Social Services. Intake in AFDC and General Relief programs.

1962-65 - various positions with American Field Service, in New York and California.