

CURRICULUM VITAE

BRANNON STEINER La FORCE

Office

Castlebrook Counseling, Inc.
5920-G Grelot Road, Suite B
Mobile, Alabama 36609
(251) 343-2993
(251) 343-3767

E-Mail: bslaforce@castlebrook.org

EDUCATION

Walden University, Minneapolis, MN Clinical and Health Psychology
PhD Candidate, 2007 Dissertation Chair: David Dillon, PhD

University of South Alabama, Mobile, AL Agency Counseling
Master's of Science, 1989

Asbury College, Wilmore, KY Major: History
Bachelor of Arts, 1985

EMPLOYMENT

Castlebrook Counseling, Inc. February, 1991—Present
Self-employed
Mobile, Alabama

Position: Senior Counselor and Founder

Responsibilities: Own and operate all aspects of this private counseling practice where an average of 30 psychotherapy sessions is conducted each week. Facilitate a variety of groups. Please see www.castlebrook.org for more information. Supervise 7 therapists; Lead Conferences and Workshops (Parenting, Grief, Sexuality, Stress Management); Administer all Business Office Operations; Pursue and Negotiate Managed Care Contracts with Insurance Companies and Preferred Provider Contracts with Key Referral Groups; Supervise Certified Psychometrist and Administer Psychological Assessments, Including Sex Offender Evaluations; Oversee Secondary Office in Robertsdale, AL; and Provide Expert Testimony in both Domestic and Sex Offender Cases.

Castlebrook Rehabilitative Services, LLC. May, 2006—Present
Co-Owner
Mobile, Alabama

Position: Clinical Director and Founder

Responsibilities: Oversee the Overall Clinical Delivery of Services to Incarcerated and Post Adjudicated Sex Offenders. This Include Development and Maintenance of the Service Programming, Supervision and Training of Clinical Staff, Quality Assurance and

Outcome Measures, Supervision of Clinical Services, and Coordination With the Department of Corrections and other Governmental Agencies.

Walden University

155 Fifth Avenue South
Minneapolis, MN 55401

August, 2004—March, 2006

Supervisor: James Nolan, PhD

Position: Graduate Assistant for Field Training

Responsibilities: Maintain Policy and Procedure for Practicum and Internship for PhD Psychology Students; Assist PhD Students in Locating, Securing, and Completing Practicum and Internship Experiences.

Springhill College

4000 Dauphin St
Mobile, AL 36608

1996 to 1999

Supervisor: Robert MacAleese, PhD

Position: Adjunct Instructor

Responsibilities: Taught Undergraduate General Psychology and Abnormal Psychology.

New Haven Programs, PC

820 South University Blvd, Suite 2K
Mobile, AL 36609

1991 to 1992

Supervisor: Dennis Chipman, MD

Position: Administrator and Therapist

Responsibilities: Developed Budget and Programs; Developed and Implemented Marketing Strategies; Provided Inpatient and Outpatient Therapy; Supervised Office Staff of 2; Conducted Professional Counseling Seminars.

Charter Hospital of Mobile

5800 Southland Drive
Mobile, AL 36693

1989 to 1991

Supervisor: Keith Cox, Administrator

Position: Manager, Needs Assessment and Referral Center

Responsibilities: Conducted Crisis Evaluations of Psychiatric and Substance Abuse Patients; Supervised 6 Crisis Counselors in 24-hour Intake Office; Supervised Utilization Review Department of 2; Coordinated Chapel Services for Children, Adolescents, and Adults; Served as Liaison between Clergy and Hospital; Developed and Implemented Marketing Strategies; Led Professional Workshops and Seminars; Hosted Live Call in Radio Talk Show; Recruited and Interviewed Extensively for Clinical Positions; and Provided Outpatient Therapy.

HONORS AND AWARDS

Psi Chi Psychology Honor Society, 2005

Kappa Delta Pi, International Honor Society in Education, 1989

Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities, 1985

Phi Alpha Theta, International Honor Society in History, 1983

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Psychological Association
Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers
American Association of Christian Counselors
Exodus International
National Association for the Treatment and Research of Homosexuality

LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION

Licensed Professional Counselor—State of Alabama, License 1029
National Certified Counselor, Certification 28569
Certified Counseling Supervisor—State of Alabama, Certification 258
Licensed Clinical Professional Counselor—State of Kansas, License 354

PRACTICA/PREDOCTORAL INTERNSHIP PSYCHOTHERAPY EXPERIENCE

Larned State Hospital September, 2006—August, 2007
Larned, KS Supervisor: John Reid, PhD
Internship Secondary Supervisor: Mayda Nel Strong, PhD
Position: Human Services Counselor
Responsibilities: Treatment Team Leader for the Competency to Stand Trial Unit with the State Security Program. Provide Assessment and Treatment of Forensic Patients Remanded to Treatment by the District Courts of the State of Kansas for Competency Evaluations, Care and Treatment. Manage Staff of 30. Report Writing, Including Psychological, Competency, and Forensic Evaluations.

Additional Rotations Include:

Larned Correctional Mental Health Facility.

Position: Mental Health Professional
Provided Mental Health Treatment to 30 High Risk Segregated Inmates from the Kansas Department of Corrections in an Effort to Reintegrate Them into the General Prison Population.

Sexual Predator Treatment Program, Larned State Hospital

Position: Human Services Counselor
Responsibilities: Provided Treatment for 13 Post Adjudicated Sexual Predators as well as Assessment and Psychological Report Writing.

Larned State Hospital December, 2005—May, 2006
Larned, KS Supervisor: Reba Glidewell, PhD
Practicum
Provide Assessment and Treatment for Patients on the General Forensic Unit.

Cottage Hill Baptist Church

Mobile, AL
Practicum

January, 1989—March, 1989

Supervisor: James Headrick, EdD

Provided Individual Weekly Psychotherapy for Five Individuals over a 10 Week Period

Southeast College of Technology

Mobile, AL
Internship

January, 1989—March, 1989

Supervisor: Suzanne Peake, LPC

Assisted Career Counselor with Assessment and Evaluation of Potential and Current Students

PROVISION OF PSYCHTHERAPY SUPERVISION

Castlebrook Counseling, Inc.

Mobile, AL

January, 1997—Present

Conduct Weekly Supervision for Average of Three Associate Licensed Counselors

RESEARCH

Reducing Sexual Deviance and Compulsivity among Sex Offenders

PROGRAMS AND GROUPS

SILOAM (Sexual Integrity Lived Out by Authentic Men)

A Sex Offender Specific Intensive Treatment Program for Pre- and Post-Adjudicated Men (2004-Present)

Living Waters

A 30 Week Co-Ed Program for Individuals with Sexual Abuse, Sexual Addiction, Emotional Dependencies, and Relational Difficulties (1992-2004)

Men of Honor

A 12 Week Group to Enable Men to Establish a Life Purpose Statement, Life Goals Build Relational Skills, and Practice Accountability (2004 to Present)

Falling Forward

A 20 Week Group for Men Who Struggle with Sexual Addiction (2002-2004)

Faithful and True

A 12 Week Group for Men Who Struggle with Sexual Addiction (1997-2001)

Dialectical Behavior Therapy Group

A One Year Group for Women Diagnosed with Borderline Personality Disorder (2001)

COURSEWORK

Walden University: Advanced Psychological Testing; Psychological Assessment: Social/Emotional; Psychoneuroimmunology; Psychological Assessment: Cognitive; Behavioral Nutrition; Ethics; Neuropsychology; Health Psychology; Advanced Psychopathology; Theories of Psychotherapy; Psychology of Learning; History and Systems of Psychology; Psychology of Personality; Developmental Psychology; Tests and Measurements; Biological Psychology; Psychology and Social Change; Professional Development Seminar.

Auburn University: Assessment of Adults; Internship (Springhill College); Applied Educational Statistics I; Research and Evaluation; Group Processes in Counseling; Directed Reading (Male Homosexuality); Alternative Residency: Professional Issues Seminar; Counseling Theory II; Counseling Diverse Populations; Seminar: Marriage and Family Counseling.

University of South Alabama: Advanced Social Psychology; Educational Research and Evaluation; Internship (Southeast College of Technology); Practicum (Cottage Hill Baptist Church); Special Topic: Discipline; Behavioral Counseling; Theories of Counseling; Cultural Foundations of Education; Human Growth and Development; Tests, Measurements and Evaluation; Directed Study and Research: Foster Care; Seminar in Counseling: Issues and Problems; Educational, Occupational, Information Systems in Counseling; Programs, Planning, Development, and Management in Counseling.