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**L**LICENSURE

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**CA** 25861  
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**E**EDUCATION

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**Adult Psychoanalyst**

San Diego Psychoanalytic Center Graduate 2015-2020  
Five year post licensure training program  
American Psychoanalytic Association

**PhD** Alliant International University, Clinical Psychology September 2011  
California School of Professional Psychology  
APA Accredited Program

Dissertation Title: "The Relationship between Interpersonal Capacity Data on the Personality Assessment Inventory, the Rorschach, and the Quality of Object Relations Scale: A Validity Study"

Dissertation Chair: Donald Viglione, Ph.D.

**Fellow** San Diego Psychoanalytic Society & Institute 2010

**BA** Siena College, Psychology May 2005  
Published Author in Endocrinology

**H**HONORS AND AWARDS

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**Magna Cum Laude** 2011  
Doctor of Philosophy, California School of Professional Psychology

**Cum Laude** 2005  
Bachelor of Arts, Sienna College

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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**Dissertation**, California School of Professional Psychology, San Diego CA 2011  
Chair: Donald Viglione, Ph.D.  
● Multi-Method Clinical Interpersonal Capacity Data

**Siena College**, Siena College 2005 to 2006  
Researcher, Endocrinology

## Publications

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Klein, L. "Farewell to Bootstraps: The Fostering of a Dependent Nation" Pontus Publishing, 2014.

Klein, L., Viglione, D.V., Pignolo, C. (In Press) "Developing and Validating a Global Interpersonal Problem Index for the Personality Assessment Inventory (PAI)" *Journal of Personality Assessment*.

Boswell, K., et al. (2006) Estrodiol increases the consumption of chocolate cake mix in female rats. *Pharmacology, Biochemistry and Behavior*, 84: 84-93.

Jeff Wisniowski M.P.H., Stephen B. Woolley, D.Sc., M.P.H., John W. Goethe, M.D., Lucas Klein, Ph.D., Bonnie L. Szarek, R.N., Beth Pizzuto, R.N.(APA Poster)  
"Characteristics of Adult Psychiatric Patients Readmitted Within 30 Days After Psychiatric Hospitalization. Jeff Wisniowski M.P.H., Stephen B. Woolley, D.Sc., M.P.H., John W. Goethe, M.D., Lucas Klein, Ph.D., Bonnie L. Szarek, R.N., Beth Pizzuto, R.N."

Multiple media engagements on podcasts and news programs. Sociopolitical, mental health, general health, economics, linguistics. Newsmax, Real Clear Podcast, others.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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**Licensed Psychologist**, Private Practice (CA, OR, NY, CT) June 2013-Present

- Psychoanalysis
- Supervision of Interns for Licensure
- Individual Psychodynamic Psychotherapy: Adolescents and Adults
- Wide ranging personality testing
- Civil and criminal expert testimony regarding forensic evaluations:
  - Risk for Violence
  - Sexual Abuse
  - Post Traumatic Stress Disorder
  - Damages

- Veterans Disability Ratings (DBQ)
- Personality & Diagnostic
- Psychoeducational
- Substance Abuse
- Adoption Evaluations for Foreign Courts
- Neurocognitive
- Juvenile Forensic Evaluations
- Court Ordered Reunification Therapy
- Mental Competency for Juveniles

**Assessment Team, Correctional/Forensic Psychologist, RJ Donovan Correctional Facility**  
September 2013-September 2014.

- Hundreds of adult male inmates assessed
- Assessment and placement decisions
- Assessment Team member: linking mental health status to violations
- High Risk evaluations
- Psychotherapy
- Interdisciplinary Treatment Team Collaboration
- Group Psychotherapy

**Licensed Psychologist, Accurate Assessments of San Diego** July 2013-Feb 2014

- Psychological Assessments
  - Comprehensive
  - Neurocognitive
  - Substance abuse

**Clinician II-Psychiatric Researcher, The Institute of Living, Hartford Hospital** January 2013-May 2013  
Hartford, CT

- Adult inpatient psychiatric research
- Assessment of systems dynamics with hospital re-admission

**Licensed Psychologist, Staltaro Psychological Services, LLC** January 2013-May 2013  
East Hartford, CT

- Psychotherapy: interactive play, rational emotive, psychodynamic, cognitive.
- Psychological assessment
- Neuropsychological assessment of children
- Court ordered treatment

**Psychological Assistant, 5<sup>th</sup> & Olive Psychologists** February 2009 to Aug 2012  
San Diego, CA

- Psychotherapy and testing/assessments with individuals and couples
- Age ranges included adults and adolescents
- Intensive supervision under a senior psychologist

**Post-Doctoral Fellow, The Winston School** October 2011 to July 2012

San Diego, CA

- Provided individual and group psychotherapy for children and adolescents with emotional and learning disorders

**Psychology Intern**, San Diego Job Corps Aug 2010 to Aug 2011  
San Diego, CA

- Provided psychotherapy, assessment, group therapy with socioeconomically disadvantaged adolescents and young adults
- Trauma and crisis intervention, short term models

**Psychology Intern**, Alliant International University – Aug 2009 to Aug 2010  
Counseling Center, San Diego, CA

- Provided individual psychotherapy with college and graduate students
- Short term cognitive, behavioral, and interpersonal models
- Responsible for campus and community outreach and training

**Teaching Assistant**, Alliant International University Sep 2009 to Dec 2009  
San Diego, CA

- Advanced Psychotherapy

**Psychology Practicum Student**, Areta Crowell Center Aug 2008 to Aug 2009  
San Diego, CA

- Conducted psychotherapy and crisis services at a community mental health center

**Residential Program Manager**, NYSARC Jan 2006 to Nov 2006  
Troy, NY

- Responsible for employee oversight, organizational management, and data collection at center for developmentally disabled clients

**Recreations Counselor**, Berkshire Farms School Jan 2002 to Aug 2004  
Canaan, NY

- Provided counseling and supervision to institutionalized male youths

## **PRESENTATIONS**

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**Paper Presentation**, Multi-method Assessment of Interpersonal Capacity, Southern California Psychodynamic Research Convention, April 4, 2012.

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## **ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL TRAINING**

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### **Psychiatric Grand Rounds**

#### **Institute of Living, Hartford Hospital:**

Title: A Suicide in the Therapist's Family: Life-Changing Lessons for Practicing and Teaching Psychotherapy.

Presenter: Jerrold R. Brandell, Ph.D., BCD, Distinguished Professor, Wayne State University School of Social Work, Detroit, Michigan and Psychoanalyst, Michigan Psychoanalytic Council.

March 21, 2013

#### **Institute of Living, Hartford Hospital:**

Title: Diagnostic and Treatment Dilemmas in a Patient with Complex, Fluctuating Mental States.

Presenters: Joanna Fogg Waberski, M.D., Samira Solomon, M.D., Jennifer Jenkins, M.D., Godfrey Pearlson, M.D.

Discussant: David Stearns, M.D. Chair of Psychiatry, University of Connecticut.

March 7, 2013.

#### **Institute of Living, Hartford Hospital:**

Title: Suicide Risk Assessment and Management: Integrating Empirical Evidence into Clinical Practice.

Presenter: M. David Rudd, Ph.D., ABPP, Dean, College of Social & Behavioral Science, University of Utah, February 28, 2013

#### **Institute of Living, Hartford Hospital:**

Title: The RISC Model: Assessment of Interpersonal Violence in Adolescents.

Presenter: James DeGiovanni, Ph.D., Director of Psychology and Training, Institute of Living/Hartford Hospital.

January 3, 2013.

## **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

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#### **Pro-Bono case consultation, 2013-Ongoing**

One hour of my week is open to any student wishing to discuss a cases and learn a psychodynamic approach.

#### **Wounded Warriors**

[Volunteer/Consultant], [San Diego, CA], 2008

#### **Alliant International University, Institutional Review Board**

[Committee Member], [San Diego, CA], 2007

#### **Siena College, Judicial & Human Rights Board**

[Committee Members], [Loudonville, NY], 2003 – 2005

**Siena College, Psychology Organization**

[Vice President], [Loudonville, NY], 2004

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