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EDUCATION:

New York University Medical Center / Comprehensive Epilepsy Center Post-doctoral Fellowship in Clinical Neuropsychology (APPCN Accredited)	2006 - 2008
Harvard Medical School / Massachusetts General Hospital Pre-doctoral Fellowship in Clinical Neuropsychology (APA Accredited)	2004 - 2005
The Graduate Center of the City University of New York Science Fellowship Award Recipient Mentor: Joan C. Borod, Ph.D., ABPP	1999 - 2006
M.A. in Psychology	2003
Ph.D. in Psychology [Neuropsychology]	2006
Yeshiva University Magna Cum Laude Graduate B.A. in Psychology; Speech & Language Pathology; minor in Business Administration A.A. in Hebrew Language and Literature	1994 - 1998

BOARD CERTIFICATION:

American Board of Professional Psychology (ABPP) Diplomate in Clinical Neuropsychology, American Board of Clinical Neuropsychology (ABCN)	2011
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LICENSE: State of New York: Psychology License # 017696 **2008**

HONORS AND AWARDS:

SUNY Downstate Health Science University, certificate of award for providing services for 15 years	2024
American Board of Clinical Neuropsychology (ABCN), recognition for service as an oral examiner	2023
ILAE 11th European Congress on Epileptology Best Poster Award	2014
National Academy of Neuropsychology Award for Outstanding Poster	2008
Science Fellowship Award, City University of New York	2000 - 2006
Sue Rosenberg Zalk Student Travel Award, City University of New York	2006
Graduate Teaching Fellowship, City University of New York	2001 - 2003
Sue Rosenberg Zalk Student Travel Award, City University of New York	2003
University Partial Tuition Scholarship, City University of New York	2002
Psi-Chi National Honor Society, Member	1996 - 1998
Yeshiva University Honors Scholarship	1994 - 1998
Yeshiva University Dean's Honor Roll for Scholastic Achievement	1994 - 1998

CERTIFICATES:

Training in Identification and Reporting of Child Abuse and Maltreatment, NYS DOE	Updated in: 2025
HIPAA Compliance	Updated in: 2025
Infection Control and Barrier Precautions	2026
Physicians for Human Rights – Expert Training	2016
Institute of Language and Phonology – Training in the use of Compton Program	1999

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CLINICAL EXPERIENCE:

SUNY Downstate Medical Center New York, NY **01/09 - Present**

Department of Neurology

Position: Director of Neuropsychology

Academic Appointment: Clinical Professor of Neurology 03/2026
Clinical Associate Professor of Neurology 12/20 - 02/26
Assistant Professor of Neurology 01/09 - 12/20

- Establish and direct the neuropsychology assessment service for the Department of Neurology
- Evaluate patients with cognitive and psychological problems resulting from a wide range of conditions, including epilepsy, PNES, TBI, concussion, dementia, MCI, stroke, PD, HIV, and other neurological, psychiatric, and neurodevelopmental conditions
- Conduct neuropsychological and psychological evaluations of in- and outpatients, including pre-surgical assessments of patients undergoing VEEG monitoring, disability and medico-legal evaluations.
- Institute protocol for the neuropsychological component of Wada and cortical mapping and perform testing during these procedures
- Present neuropsychological data and Wada results at the multidisciplinary surgical conference
- Establish externship training in clinical neuropsychology for graduate students and provide supervision
- Attend and present at departmental didactics
- Teach residents and fellows in neurology and psychiatry
- Conduct independent research and collaborate with faculty in various research-related activities
- Supervise dissertation research for graduate students in psychology
- Perform administrative duties in accordance with responsibilities in the department of Neurology

Comprehensive Neuropsychology Services, PC New York, NY **07/17-Present**

Founder/Director; Clinical and Forensic Neuropsychologist

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New York, NY, 10016

- Conduct neuropsychological and psychological evaluations of adult and pediatric patients with a wide range of conditions, including neurodevelopmental disorders, brain injury, concussions, medical illnesses, and memory disorders. Assessments include brief screenings, comprehensive examinations, bilingual evaluations of Russian-speaking clients, and other cross-cultural evaluations.
- IMEs, medico-legal consultation, peer-reviews; provide expert opinion in reports, court testimony, and depositions
- Conduct individual psychotherapy
- Cognitive rehabilitation, including instruction in memory strategies and psychoeducation

New York University Medical Center / Rusk Institute of Rehabilitation Medicine **09/08 – 11/2010**

Department of Psychology

Position: Staff Psychologist – Outpatient Services

- Conducted individual and group cognitive remediation sessions with clients with cognitive problems resulting from a wide range of conditions, including TBI, CVA, and myocardial infarction
- Conducted individual and group psychotherapy sessions with psychiatric and neurologic patients
- Performed neuropsychological assessments (e.g., to identify areas of cognitive strengths and weaknesses in order to guide treatment; to address medico-legal and disability-related questions)
- Provided feedback to patients, their families, and multidisciplinary treatment team
- Provided supervision to psychology interns and externs
- Attended and presented at departmental didactics

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New York University Medical Center / Comprehensive Epilepsy Center, New York, NY 09/06 –09/08

Department of Neurology

Position: Post-doctoral Fellow in Clinical Neuropsychology

Supervisors: William Barr, Ph.D., ABPP-CN, Chris Morrison, Ph.D., ABPP-CN,
William MacAllister, Ph.D., ABPP-CN

- Conducted neuropsychological assessments of adult and pediatric patients with cognitive problems resulting from a wide range of conditions, including epilepsy, dementia, traumatic brain injury, neoplasms, stroke, psychiatric disorders, developmental abnormalities, and various medical illnesses
- Conducted pre- and post-surgical neuropsychological assessments, Wada tests, intra- and extra-operative cortical mapping procedures with patients undergoing treatment for epilepsy
- Presented neuropsychological and Wada test results at weekly, multidisciplinary surgical conference
- Provided consultations on the psychiatric inpatient unit
- Presented at case conferences attended by staff, trainees, and medical residents at NYU and Bellevue
- Provided supervision to externs and interns
- Attended weekly case conferences and didactics in the Department of Neurology and Psychiatry
- Conducted independent research and collaborated with faculty in various research-related activities

Harvard Medical School / Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA

07/04 - 07/05

Position: Pre-doctoral Fellow in Clinical Psychology; Neuropsychology Track

Supervisors: Janet Cohen Sherman, Ph.D., Catherine Leveroni, Ph.D., Lauren Pollack, Ph.D.,
Ellen Braaten, Ph.D., Amy Morgan, Ph.D., Margaret Pulsifer, Ph.D., Dennis Norman, Ph.D., ABPP-CN

- Conducted comprehensive neuropsychological assessments of adult and pediatric outpatients and adult inpatients with neurological conditions such as epilepsy, dementia, cerebrovascular disorder, tumor, ADHD, learning disabilities, and traumatic brain injury
- Wrote reports to inform patients, their families, and members of their treatment team about patients' neuropsychological status
- Conducted feedback sessions with patients and their families to explain neuropsychological findings and to provide specific recommendations for treatment, education and remediation needs
- Worked as part of the Acute Psychiatric Services team, evaluating patients who presented to the emergency room with acute psychiatric illness; conducted psychiatric interviews, assessed mental status, and documented findings; presented cases to attending psychiatrists and identified disposition options; presented cases to insurance company representatives in order to obtain pre-certification for inpatient psychiatric hospitalization
- Conducted weekly individual psychotherapy using the Cognitive Behavioral Therapy approach
- Presented neuropsychological data at case conferences
- Attended weekly didactics on a variety of topics in neuropsychology, psychology, and psychiatry
- Observed cognitive remediation therapy conducted with inpatients at Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital

New York University Medical Center/Comprehensive Epilepsy Center, New York, NY 09/03 – 06/04

Position: Extern

Supervisors: William Barr, Ph.D., ABPP-CN, Eric Brown, Ph.D., Charles Zaroff, Ph.D.

- Attended daily teaching rounds in the adult and pediatric inpatient video EEG monitoring units
- Conducted pre-surgical neuropsychological assessments to aid in seizure localization in epilepsy patients undergoing VEEG monitoring; wrote reports to inform patients and treatment team members about the patients' neuropsychological status and to assist in determining surgical candidacy
- Conducted neuropsychological evaluations to assist in characterization of patients' cognitive profiles
- Attended weekly didactics, case conferences, neuroradiology conferences, and brain cuttings
- Observed the intracarotid amobarbital testing and brain mapping procedures

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Rockefeller University, New York, NY

05/03 – 05/04

Position: Psychometrist / Research Assistant

Supervisor: Christina Sobin, Ph.D.

- Conducted neuropsychological assessments of children with 22q11 deletion syndrome as part of their ongoing participation in a federally-funded study of neurocognitive development
- Administered neuropsychological measures of attention (e.g., Test of Everyday Attention – Child Version), executive functioning (e.g., Delis-Kaplan Executive Functions System), language (Expressive and Receptive One-Word Tests), memory (e.g., Continuous Visual Memory Test) and motor skills (e.g., Motor Assessment Battery for Children)
- Administered questionnaires, including Child Behavior Checklist (CBCL) and Behavior Rating Inventory of Executive Function (BRIEF), to parents of participants
- Wrote comprehensive reports to inform parents, teachers, and others involved in child's care about child's neuropsychological status, as well as to provide specific recommendations for educational and remediation needs

Cornell University Memory Disorders Clinic, New York, NY

Summer 2003

Position: Extern

Supervisors: Lisa Ravdin, Ph.D., ABPP, Denise Correa, Ph.D., ABPP, Norman Relkin, M.D., Ph.D.

- Conducted neuropsychological assessments of adult outpatients with neurological diseases (e.g., Dementia of the Alzheimer's Type, Parkinson's Disease, and Normal Pressure Hydrocephalus)
- Formulated diagnosis and recommendations based on neuropsychological performance for each patient and wrote reports to inform patients, their families, as well as members of their treatment team regarding patients' neuropsychological status
- Attended weekly multidisciplinary case conferences and presented patient cases that were previously seen for neuropsychological evaluation
- Attended weekly Grand Rounds on a variety of topics

Long Island Jewish Medical Center/ Hillside Hospital, New York, NY

01/03 - 06/03

Position: Extern

Supervisors: Kenneth Perrine, Ph.D., ABPP and Faith Gunning-Dixon, Ph.D.

- Conducted neuropsychological assessments of inpatient and outpatient adults and adolescents with neurological and/or psychiatric problems
- Administered tests of cognitive functioning, intelligence, as well as personality and mood measures
- Wrote reports to inform patients, family members and physicians regarding patients' neuropsychological status and participated in feedback sessions with patients and family members
- Attended departmental neuroradiology rounds where patient cases were discussed in conjunction with results of neuroimaging exams
- Observed neurosurgical procedures involving grid implantation for seizure monitoring and localization

Transitions of Long Island, Long Island Jewish Medical Center, Manhasset, NY

09/02 - 01/03

Position: Extern

Supervisor: Deborah Benson, Ph.D.

- Interviewed and evaluated clients who have sustained brain injury as the result of head trauma, CVA, toxic exposure and substance abuse, and were participants in the residential rehabilitation program
- Consulted with speech, physical, and occupational therapists regarding patient care and focus of long-term treatment goals
- Wrote reports to inform staff members about patients' neuropsychological status and to recommend rehabilitation targeting specific areas of cognitive functioning

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- Facilitated cognitive remediation groups using computer-based programs in order to train clients' attention and memory skills; made observations of individual patient progress
- Conducted psychoeducational sessions, informing participants about basics in brain functioning, interhemispheric specialization, and memory
- Observed daily cognitive training sessions designed to rehabilitate memory, attention and social skills

Winthrop University Hospital, Division of Geriatrics, Mineola, NY

08/01 – 01/02

Position: Extern

Supervisor: Nancy Foldi, Ph.D.

- Conducted interviews with geriatric outpatients and their family members
- Administered neuropsychological and mood measures to outpatients with memory complaints
- Formulated diagnosis based on neuropsychological and psychological performance for each individual
- Wrote reports to inform physicians about the neuropsychological status of their patients
- Accompanied geriatricians on rounds of their inpatients and evaluated inpatients' cognitive status
- Attended weekly staff meetings where patient cases were discussed

Educational Alliance, Inc., New York, NY

09/97 - 6/98

Position: Therapeutic Facilitator

Supervisor: Robin Stern, Ph.D.

- Conducted weekly therapeutic groups for children ages 8-11 with emotional and behavioral problems, focusing on teaching self-expression, impulse control, and emotion recognition through music
- Presented at the Eastern Psychological Association Conference on the topic of "Emotional Intelligence: Theory and Application," describing the therapeutic intervention work conducted with children

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:

SUNY Downstate Medical Center – Department of Neurology

Fall '08 - Present

Research Support

02/01/11 – 01/31/13

Primary Investigators (Nakhutina, Grant)

UCB Biosciences Inc.

The Effects of Lacosamide (LCM) on Mood States and Quality of Life in Adult Patients with Epilepsy
\$130,876

Current research efforts also include projects focused on examining neurobehavioral correlates of medication adherence and quality of life; capacity for medication management; prospective memory in patients with epilepsy; performance validity testing (PVT) in multicultural patient population; neuropsychological functioning in diabetes and its effects of treatment adherence; patient beliefs about epilepsy/treatment in an urban, multi-cultural patient population of New York.

New York University Medical Center / Comprehensive Epilepsy Center, New York, NY 2006 – 2008
Department of Neurology

Post-doctoral Research. Title: "Test-Retest Reliability and Reliable Change Indices for the Rey-Osterrieth Complex Figure Test in Partial Epilepsy Patients."

Collaborated with faculty and post-doctoral fellows in various research-related activities. Areas of research included implications of bilingualism in pre-surgical neuropsychological assessment of epilepsy patients and issues in assessment of pediatric patients.

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The Graduate Center of the City University of New York, NY

2003 - 2006

Department of Psychology

Dissertation Research. Title: “The Effect of Educational Attainment on Cognitive Performance and Recovery in Patients with Subarachnoid Hemorrhage (SAH).”

Dissertation Advisor: Joan C. Borod, Ph.D.

Committee Members: Yaakov Stern, Ph.D., Alan Kluger, Ph.D., and Stephan Mayer, M.D.

Research Support: Science Fellowship \$36,000

Mount Sinai Medical Center, New York, NY

04/99 - 2004

Department of Neurology

Position: Researcher and Research Coordinator

Mentor: Joan C. Borod, Ph.D.

- Worked on a federally-funded grant entitled “Emotional Processing in Brain Damaged Patients”
- Administered New York Emotion Battery (NYEB) to right hemisphere-damaged, left hemisphere-damaged, Parkinson’s patients and normal elderly control subjects
- Conducted a study examining recovery of prosodic emotional expression in patients with unilateral stroke and normal controls at two times post CVA onset to investigate the natural evolution of emotional processing deficits after brain damage, and assess the instrument stability of the NYEB
- Analyzed data to compare posed lexical output of participants in order to determine whether right hemisphere damage differentially impacts ability to produce emotional output
- Trained and supervised new members of the laboratory in administering neuropsychological and emotion battery measures, as well as in other aspects of clinical research

Mount Sinai Medical Center, Clinical Trials Program, New York, NY

03/99 - 07/01

Department of Psychiatry

Position: Research Coordinator

Supervisor: Jeffrey Newcorn, M.D.

- Coordinated clinical trials pertaining to the treatment of pediatric patients with Major Depressive Disorder and pediatric and adult patients with Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder
- Recruited patients and conducted telephone interviews to screen patients for study inclusion
- Administered clinical measures to clinical trials participants, e.g., Diagnostic Interview for Children and Adolescents-IV (DICA), Barkley ADHD Scale, and Connors Continuous Performance Test
- Explained all study procedures and dosage instructions to patients and their families
- Communicated with the Institutional Review Board, pharmaceutical companies, other medical institutions, schools, patients, and their physicians
- Trained other team members in administering clinical interviews and behavioral scales
- Attended weekly Grand Rounds on a variety of topics

Learning Processes Laboratory, Queens College and The Graduate Center of CUNY **09/01 – 09/04**

Department of Psychology

Position: Researcher and Developer

Supervisor: Lanny Fields, Ph.D.

- Design novel instructional system to teach neuroanatomy, using generalized equivalence class and perceptual class analysis
- Play leading role in conceptualization, planning, design, and assessment of the computerized instructional program
- The program would accelerate learning and understanding spatial location of neural structures regardless of visual representation.

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Rusk Institute of Rehabilitation Medicine, New York University, New York, NY 06/97 - 12/97

Department of Psychology

Position: Research Assistant

Supervisors: Dvorah Simon, Ph.D., Joseph Rath, Ph.D., David Biderman, Leonard Diller, Ph.D.

- Worked as a volunteer research assistant on a federally funded research project investigating problem-solving skills in persons with acquired brain injury
- Ran a sub-study collecting normative data on new and established measures of problem solving
- Recruited subjects for the sub-study, administered and scored measures, and organized a data set
- Recruited patients with brain injury for the experimental portion of the study
- Observed weekly cognitive skills training sessions for groups of patients with acquired brain injury
- Awarded certificate of appreciation for significant assistance to the TBI research project.

Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, New York, NY

04/97 - 07/97

Department of Pediatric Oncology

Position: Research Assistant

Supervisor: Carol Manie, Ph.D.

- Administered questionnaires to pediatric inpatients and their parents, who participated in the research study entitled "Self and Parental Views of Abilities for Children with Cancer"
- Recruited participants for the hospital research study focusing on coping skills among adolescents and children with cancer
- Conducted structured interviews with participants on the pediatric inpatient unit

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

City College of the City University of New York, Department of Psychology, NY

09/01 - 01/03

Position: Adjunct Instructor

Department Chair: Brett Silverstein, Ph.D.

- Served as the principle instructor to undergraduate students in Behavioral Neuroscience 371 (3 sections) and Experimental Psychology 103 (3 sections)
- Managed all aspects of the courses, including course planning, topic selection, lecture presentation, creation of visual aids in Power Point, as well as composition of exams, quizzes, and assignments
- Monitored students' progress throughout the semester, assessed students' performance and assigned grades upon course completion
- Compiled visual materials on various topics in neuroscience and used video clips, animations, and instructional CDs to facilitate learning of complex material in the classroom

Kaplan Learning Company, New York, NY

03/99 - 06/99

Position: Instructor

- Provided instruction in mathematics, English grammar and vocabulary to groups of high school students with the goal of preparing them for successful performance on the NYS Regents Exams
- Worked to increase students' vocabulary by designing exercises that involved etymology to supplement the existing materials and created writing assignments to enable students to develop and improve their writing abilities

DOCTORAL THESIS EXAMINATION COMMITTEES:

Rachel N. Baek 2013

Seth Margolis 2014

Deborah Binko 2017

Malki Zughaft-Sears 2019

SUPERVISION/MENTORING

Neuropsychology externship students supervised

2009- present

Abigail Goldstein, 2025-Present, Ferkauf YU Graduate program in psychology
Patrick Dawid, 2024-2025; St. John's University, doctoral program in clinical psychology
Brittney Matthews, 2024; New York University, graduate program in psychology; went on internship at Atlanta VA
Mahathi Kosuri, M.A., 2022-23; City University of New York Graduate Center; Neuropsychology
Eric McConathey, M.A., 2021; Fordham Graduate program in psychology
Rachel Altman, M.A., 2020; subsequently went on to continue training in psychotherapy
Sugandha Gupta, M.A., 2018-2019; poster accepted to SBM based on research she conducted under my supervision
Solara Calderon, M.A., 2018-2018; subsequently went on to complete a competitive internship training at MGH
Ellen Park, M.A., 2016-2017; subsequently went on to complete internship training at North Bronx Healthcare
Tomas Mounsey, M.A.; 2015-2016; psychotherapist at NYU Program for Psychotherapy and Psychoanalysis
Amy Medina, M.S.; 2014-2015; proceeded in studying forensic psychology at CUNY John Jay College
Ginny Chen, M.A., 2013-2014; presented a poster at NAN based on research she conducted under my supervision
Rachel Baek, Ph.D.; 2012-2013; Clinical Neuropsychologist at Mount Auburn, MA
Hilary Hancock, Ph.D.; 2011-2012; Adjunct Instructor at NYU School of Culture, Education, and Human
Development; Licensed Clinical psychologist in private practice
Sharon Tepfer, Ph.D.; 2010-2011; proceeded to study occupational therapy
Elise Kupperman, Ph.D.; 2009-2010; completed doctoral studies, staff psychologist at NYU Rusk Institute
Ashley Spada, Ph.D.; 2009; clinical and forensic psychologist at Correctional Health Services

Women's Professional Network (WPN)

Provide mentorship for women college students in neuroscience

Undergraduate pre-med student mentorship

Ksenya Mull, 2023-2024 Binghamton University
Research project mentorship, resulting in a presentation at the International Neuropsychological Society Annual Meeting - *Development of a Culturally-Sensitive Questionnaire on Attitudes Toward Neuropsychological Assessment (ATNA): A Review of Existing Instruments.*

Medical student research mentorship/sponsorship

Gardenia Taza, 2020-2021 SUNY Downstate Medical School
Co-sponsor/mentor with Arthur Grant, MD, PhD.
Understanding Anti-Epileptic Drug Adherence Using the New York State Prescription Monitoring Program (NYS PMP). Resulted in research presented at AES in 2021.

Neurology resident research mentorship

Golnoush Kouhibabidehkordi, MD 2020-2021 SUNY Downstate Medical School
Medication adherence research. Co-authored AES presentation in 2021.

Reem Deep, MD 2018-2019 SUNY Downstate Medical School
Assessment of Performance Validity in a Clinical Sample of African-Caribbean Adults with Intractable Epilepsy.
Poster presented at the 43rd Annual Meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society in NYC, 2019.

Grant, A., Prus, N., **Nakhutina, L.** (2013). Factors Affecting Quality of Life in Epilepsy in a Multi-Ethnic Urban Population. *Epilepsy & Behavior*, 27, 283-285.

Nakhutina, L., Gonzalez, J.S., Margolis, S.A., Spada, A., Grant, A. (2011). Adherence to Antiepileptic Drugs and Beliefs about Medication Among Predominantly Ethnic Minority Patients in Epilepsy. *Epilepsy & Behavior*, 22(3), 584-6.

Bender, H.A., Zaroff, C.M., Karantzoulis, S., **Nakhutina, L.**, MacAllister, W.S., Luciano, D. (2011). Cognitive and Behavioral Functioning in Coffin-Siris Syndrome and Epilepsy: A Case Presentation. *Journal of Genetic Psychology*, 172, (1), 56-66.

Nakhutina, L., Pramataris, P., Morrison, C., Devinsky, O., & Barr, W.B. (2009). Test-Retest Reliability and Reliable Change Indices for the Rey-Osterrieth Complex Figure Test in Partial Epilepsy Patients. *The Clinical Neuropsychologist*, 24 (1), 38-44.

MacAllister, W., **Nakhutina, L.**, Bender, H., Karantzoulis, S. (2009). Assessing Effort During Neuropsychological Evaluation with the TOMM in Children and Adolescents with Epilepsy. *Child Neuropsychology*, 15, 6, 521-531.

Morrison, C. & **Nakhutina, L.** (2007). Neuropsychological Features of Lesion-Related Epilepsy in Adults: An Overview. *Neuropsychology Review*, 17 (4), 385-403.

Nakhutina, L., Borod, J.C., Zgaljardic, D.J. (2006). Posed Prosodic Emotional Expression in Unilateral Stroke Patients: Recovery, Hemisphere Specialization, and Relationship to Perception. *Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology*, 21, 1-13.

Borod, J.C., Bloom, R., Brickman, A.M., **Nakhutina, L.**, & Curko, E. (2002). Emotional processing deficits (EPDs) in individuals with unilateral brain damage. *Applied Neuropsychology*, 9, 23-36.

BOOK CHAPTERS AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Nakhutina, L. In L. Shaefer and H. Bertisch (2023). *Working with the Brain: A Guide to Careers in Neuropsychology*: England UK: Routledge Taylor & Francis Group.

Borod, J. C., Meltzer, E. P., Stafford, R. J., Twaite, J. T., Scorpio, K. A., Uguru, O., **Nakhutina, L.**, Bender, H. A., Meli, G., Saad, A. E., & Sharma, D. (2023). Transient Global Amnesia. In R. P. Roos (Editor-in-Chief), *MedLink Neurology*. San Diego, CA: MedLink Corporation.

Meltzer, E. P., Stafford, R. J., Bender, H. A., **Nakhutina, L.**, Saad, A. S., Scorpio, K. A., Sharma, D., Twaite, J. T., Uguru, O., & Borod, J. C. (May, 2020). Transient Global Amnesia. In R. P. Roos (Editor-in-Chief), *MedLink Neurology*. San Diego, CA: MedLink Corporation.

Meltzer, E., Twaite, J.T., **Nakhutina, L.**, Borod, J., & Bender, H. (2017, June 21). Transient global amnesia (update). In J. Kreutzer, J. DeLuca, & B. Caplan (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of clinical neuropsychology* (2nd ed.). New York, NY: Springer Science & Business Media, LLC.

Nakhutina, L. (2014). Psychotherapeutic and Cognitive Remediation Approaches. In Barr, W.B. and Morrison, C. (Eds), *Handbook of the Neuropsychology of Epilepsy*. New York: Springer.

Barr W.B. & **Nakhutina L.** (2009). The Neuropsychology of Epilepsy: An Application of Luria's Concepts. In L. Christensen, D. Bougakov, and E. Goldberg (Eds), *Luria's Legacy in the 21st Century*. New York: Oxford University Press.

Dumer, A., **Nakhutina, L.**, Borod, J., & Bender, H. (2011). Transient global amnesia. In B. Caplan, J. DeLuca, & J. Kreutzer (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of clinical neuropsychology*. New York, NY: Springer Science & Business Media, LLC.

Pelliteri, J., Stern, R., **Nakhutina, L.** (1999). Music: The sounds of emotional intelligence. Voices from the Middle, 7, 25-29.

MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION:

Nakhutina, L., Deeb, R., & Grant, A. Measuring Suboptimal Effort in a Clinical Sample of African-Caribbean Patients with Brain Dysfunction. Manuscript in preparation.

PRESENTATIONS AT SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS:

Matthews, B., Grant, A.C., Prasai, A., Ying-Zhen Ang, J., **Nakhutina, L.** *Community Social Vulnerability and Availability of Adult Epilepsy Care: A Comparative Analysis of Manhattan and Brooklyn*. Poster presented at the at the American Epilepsy Society, 2024.

Mull, K., Agranovich A.V., **Nakhutina L.**, Melikyan, Z.A. *Development of a Culturally-Sensitive Questionnaire on Attitudes Toward Neuropsychological Assessment (ATNA): A Review of Existing Instruments*. Presented at the International Neuropsychological Society Annual Meeting in New York, NY, February 2024.

Crook, C.L., Margolis, S.A., Davis, J., Gonzalez, J.S., Grant, A.C., **Nakhutina, L.** *The role of epilepsy knowledge and treatment beliefs in medication self-management among diverse people with epilepsy*. Presented at the Annual National Academy of Neuropsychology, October 2022.

Nakhutina, L. *Neurobehavioral Assessment in Diverse Patients with Epilepsy*. Presented orally at the Downstate Health Science University, Translational Brain Health and Resilience Research Summit, April 2022.

Taza, G., **Nakhutina, L.**, Grant, A., Kouhibidehkordi, G. *Understanding Anti-Epileptic Drug Adherence Using the New York State Prescription Monitoring Program (NYS PMP)*. Poster presented at the at the American Epilepsy Society, 2021.

Sullivan, K.L., Davis, J.D., Hallowell, E.S., Tremont, G.N., Daiello, L.A., Ott, B.R., Burke, E., **Nakhutina, L.**, Margolis, S.A. *Compensatory Strategy Use in Mild Cognitive Impairment*. Poster presented at the 45th Annual Meeting of the International Neuropsychological Soc. in San Diego, 2021.

Gupta, S., Margolis, S.A., Grant, A.C., Gonzalez, J.S., & **Nakhutina, L.** (2020, April). *Exploring illness perception and its association with depression symptoms in a diverse sample of people with epilepsy*. Annals of Behavioral Medicine, 54 (Supplement), p. S601 [Abstract].

Nakhutina, L., Deep, R., & Grant, A.C. *Assessment of Performance Validity in a Clinical Sample of African-Caribbean Adults with Intractable Epilepsy.* Poster presented at the 43rd Annual Meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society in New York City, 2019.

Nakhutina, L., Margolis, S., Kenney, L., Canderon, S., Gonzalez, J.S., & Grant, A.C. *Comparison of the GAD-7 and BAI in a Diverse Sample of Adults with Intractable Epilepsy.* Poster presented at the 43rd Annual Meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society in New York City, 2019.

Margolis, S.A., Spindell, J., Mohamadpour, M., Gonzalez, J.S., Grant, A.C., & **Nakhutina, L.** *Medication Management Capacity Assessment in Racially/Ethnically Diverse Adults with Intractable Epilepsy.* Poster presented at the 38th Annual National Academy of Neuropsychology Conference, 2018.

Margolis, S.A., Zughaft Sears, M., Solon, C., Daiello, L., **Nakhutina, L.,** Hoogendoorn, C., & Gonzalez, J.S. *Sedative/Anticholinergic Drug Burden Predicts Worse Memory Acquisition in Racially/Ethnically Diverse Older Adults with Type 2 Diabetes.* Presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society in Washington DC, 2018.

Margolis, S.A., **Nakhutina, L.,** Schaffer, S.G., Grant, A.C. & Gonzalez, J.S. (2017, March). *Perceived epilepsy stigma mediates relationships between personality and social well-being in a diverse epilepsy population.* Poster presented at the 38th Annual Meeting and Scientific Sessions of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Diego, CA.

Nakhutina, L., Park, H., Mounsey, T., Margolis, S., Grant, A.C. *The Relationship Between Prospective Memory Performance, Memory Complaints, and Depression in Ethnically Diverse Patients with Epilepsy.* Poster presented at the 41st Annual Meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society in New Orleans, 2017.

Nakhutina, L., Margolis, S., Gonzalez, J.S., Medina, A., Davidoff, K., Grant, A.C. *The Relationship Between Self-reported and Objective Measures of AED Adherence: Exploring the Role of Episodic Memory.* Poster presented at the American Epilepsy Society, Philadelphia, PA, 2015.

Nakhutina, L., Margolis, S., Gonzalez, J.S., Chen, G., Medina, A., Grant, A.C. *Prospective Memory Performance Is Associated with Antiepileptic Drug Adherence in Ethnically Diverse Patients with Epilepsy.* Poster presented at the 35th Annual National Academy of Neuropsychology Conference, Austin, TX, 2015.

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The Effects of Lacosamide (LCM) on Mood States and Quality of Life in Adult Patients with Epilepsy
Goals: 1. To examine the effects of adjunctive LCM on mood and quality of life in adult patients with partial onset seizures; 2. To examine LCM adherence in this patient population

JOURNAL REVIEW (ad hoc)

Journal of Neurology, Neurosurgery and Psychiatry; Epilepsia; Epilepsy and Behavior; Epilepsy Research; Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology; Child Neuropsychology; European Journal of Neurology

LEADERSHIP / COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP / COMMUNITY WORK:

Regional

New York Neuropsychology Group (NYNG)
Board of Directors – Member

2008-Present

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NYNG Bilingual Task Force - Co-Chair **2007-Present**
The group brings together clinicians and researchers in neuropsychology and other fields to discuss issues related to assessment and treatment of bilingual patients, as well as research initiatives with this population.

NYNG Professional Conference - Co-Chair **2024**
“Language Justice Symposium: Bridging Neuropsychology and Language Equity”

NYNG Professional Conference - Co-Chair **2011**
“Cultural Diversity and the Evolution of the Clinical Neurosciences,” Mount Sinai School of Medicine

Sanctuary for Families, Immigration Intervention Project **2012**
Conducted independent medical evaluations (IMEs) of a client; provided expert testimony in court

Physicians for Human Rights (PHR) **2009-Present**
Conducted independent medical evaluations (IMEs) of clients; provided expert testimony in court

Community of Washington Heights, Volunteer/Translator, New York, NY **1994-2003**
Assisted newly arrived Russian immigrants in getting services and with various acculturation issues
Interpreted lectures on various topics related to Jewish culture and heritage directed to Russian Immigrants

Student representative to the United Nations, New York, NY **1992**
Selected to represent Frisch School at the United Nations for the honorary signing of the first volume of Talmud to be translated into Russian

National

Oral Examiner Cadre, American Board of Professional Psychology **2015-2022**
Oral Examiner – Board Examination in Clinical Neuropsychology

MEMBERSHIPS IN ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES:

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National Academy of Neuropsychology (NAN)
American Academy of Clinical Neuropsychology (AACN)
American Board of Professional Psychology (ABPP)
International Neuropsychological Society (INS)
New York Neuropsychology Group (NYNG)
New York State Association of Neuropsychology (NYSAN)

SKILLS & INTERESTS:

Computer skills include: SPSS

International Travel/Residence: includes Europe, Asia, and North and South America

Languages: Bilingual: English and Russian; Working knowledge of Spanish, Hebrew, and French

REFERENCES: Available upon request