

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION:

B.S. Wake Forest University, Winston-Salem, N.C., 1968

M.D. University of Kentucky College of Medicine, Lexington, Ky., 1972

Psychiatric Residency, Department of Psychiatry, University of Kentucky College of Medicine, 1972-75

Specialized training in family therapy including live supervision with Jay Haley and Cloe Madanes, two two-week residential workshops in Italy and several briefer supervisory experiences in this country with Luigi Boscolo and Gianfranco Cecchin, and three to five days of live case consultation with Michael White every year for eighteen years

LICENSURE:

Illinois Department of Registration and Education (Physician) No. 036066572

BOARD CERTIFICATION:

Diplomate, American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology (Psychiatry) No. 17356

SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS:

Society of Teachers of Family Medicine
 American Family Therapy Academy

POSITIONS HELD:

2009-present Attending Psychiatrist
 Director of Behavioral Science, Family Medicine Residency Program
 NorthShore University HealthSystem

2005-2009 Director of Behavioral Science Education, Cook County-Loyola-Provident
 Hospital Family Medicine Residency Program

1995-2005 Attending Physician and Consultant, Department of Family Practice,
 Cook County Hospital

1980-2005 Private practice of psychiatry

- 1988-2005 Co-director, Evanston Family Therapy Center
- 2003-2004 Consultant, Cancer Wellness Center, Deerfield, IL
- 1989-1995 Consultant, Mainstay Youth Service, Park Ridge, IL
- 1975-80 University of Kentucky College of Medicine
'79-80 Director of Residency Education
'79-80 Director of Inpatient Psychiatric Services
'75-79 Associate Director of Inpatient Psychiatric Services

ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS:

- 2009-present Clinical Associate Professor, University of Chicago/NorthShore University HealthSystem (Director of Behavioral Science, Family Medicine Residency Program)
- 2005-present Volunteer Faculty, Evanston Family Therapy Center
- 1989- present Volunteer Faculty, Chicago Center for Family Health
- 2005-2009 Associate Professor, Stritch School of Medicine, Loyola University Chicago
- 1990-2005 Adjunct Faculty, Chicago Center for Family Health
- 2000 (Fall) Visiting Research Fellow, Faculty of Theology, University of Praetoria, Praetoria, South Africa
- 1984-86 Clinical Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, Northwestern University Medical School
- 1980-83 Clinical Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, University of Kentucky College of Medicine
- 1975-80 Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, University of Kentucky College of Medicine

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

Director of Behavioral Science Education, Family Medicine Residency Program, University of Chicago/NorthShore University HealthSystem

Course Director, *Behavioral Medicine and Psychiatry*, the basic course in those topics for second-year medical Students, Stritch School of Medicine, Loyola University of Chicago. (2007 – 2008)

Design curriculum, provide direct patient care, supervise and teach residents, teach in faculty development program, and other general faculty responsibilities, Cook County-Loyola-Provident Hospital combined Family Medicine Residency Program. (2005 - 2008)

Design curriculum, coordinate faculty assignments, supervise, and teach at Evanston Family Therapy

Center, a post-graduate training institution offering specialized training in Narrative Therapy (1988 to 2005 - present)

Teach workshops, courses, and classes in narrative therapy and family systems medicine at Chicago Center for Family Health, an independent affiliate of the University of Chicago (1990 - present)

Design curriculum, teach a year-long course each year, and provide supervision to family practice residents at Cook County Hospital Department of Family Practice (1995 to 2005)

Design and delivery of numerous post-graduate professional workshops and seminars in the U.S.A., Mexico, Europe, Africa, Asia, New Zealand, and Australia on various aspects of family and systems-oriented psychotherapy (1980 to present)

Individual and group supervision of psychotherapists-in-training, including family systems medicine fellows, with emphasis on systemic approaches to therapy and family systems medicine (1975-present)

Director of Residency Education, University of Kentucky College of Medicine, Department of Psychiatry (1979-80)

Director of Medical Student Psychiatric Education, University of Kentucky College of Medicine, Department of Psychiatry (1977-79)

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION:

Member, editorial review board, *Family Process*, 2012 – present.

Member, editorial review board, *Journal of Systemic Therapy*, 2010 – present.

Member, editorial review board, *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy*, 2006 – 2011.

Editor, *AFTA Update*, the newsletter of the American Family Therapy Academy, 2006-2008

Director, American Family Therapy Academy (AFTA) Board of Directors, 2004-2011

Commissioner, Commission on Accreditation in Marriage and Family Therapy Education (COAMFTE), 1998-2004

Executive director, committee to organize the North American Conference on Narrative Therapy and Community Work, Norris Center, Northwestern University, August, 2003

Member, Editorial Review Board, *American Journal of Marriage and Family Therapy*, 1998-2012

Member, International Advisory Group, *International Journal of Narrative Therapy and Community Work*. 1996-present

Book reviewer for *American Journal of Marriage and Family Therapy*, 1996-1998

Member, Conference Advisory Planning Committee for the Institute for Juvenile Research Annual Family Conference, University of Illinois at Chicago, 1996 and 1997 conferences

Co-chair, AFTA Social Constructionist/Narrative Interest Group, 1995-97

Founding member, AFTA Social Constructionist/Narrative Interest Group

Co-chair, AFTA Postmodernism Interest Group, 1994-96

Psychiatric Advisor, Illinois Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Gender and Minority Committee, 1993-95

Member, editorial board, *Proceedings for the 1983 International Congress on Ericksonian Approaches to Hypnosis and Psychotherapy*, 1983-84

AWARDS:

American Family Therapy Academy Award for Innovative Contribution to Family Therapy (with Jill Freedman), 2009.

Award for outstanding contributions and leadership to the association, American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (AAMFT), 2004.

Award for outstanding teaching, Family Practice Program, Cook County-Loyola-Provident Hospitals, 2003.

Main Selection, Behavioral Science Book Service, for Freedman, J. & Combs, G. (1996) *Narrative Therapy: The social construction of preferred realities*. New York: Norton

Main Selection, Behavioral Science Book Service, for Combs, G. & Freedman, J. (1990). *Symbol, Story, and Ceremony: Using metaphor in individual and family therapy*. New York: Norton

Golden Apple Award for outstanding teaching of medical students, University of Kentucky College of Medicine, 1979.

BOOKS:

Freedman, J. & Combs, G. (2002). *Narrative therapy with couples... and a whole lot more!* Adelaide, S. Australia: Dulwich Centre Publications.

Freedman, J. & Combs, G. (1996) *Narrative Therapy: The social construction of preferred realities*. New York: Norton.

Combs, G. & Freedman, J. (1990). *Symbol, Story, and Ceremony: Using metaphor in individual and family therapy*. New York: Norton.

ARTICLES IN REFEREED JOURNALS :

Jeff Chang, Gene Combs, Yvonne Dolan, Jill Freedman, Tracy Mitchell, Terry S. Trepper, (2013). From Ericksonian Roots to Postmodern Futures. Part II: Shaping the Future, *Journal of Systemic Therapies*, 32, 2, 35-45.

Combs, G. & Freedman, J. (2012) Narrative, Poststructuralism, and Social Justice: Current Practices in Narrative Therapy. *The Counseling Psychologist* 40 (7) pp. 1033-1060.

Freedman, J. & Combs, G. (2009). Narrative Ideas for Consulting with Communities and Organizations: Ripples from the Gatherings. *Family Process* 48(3), September, pp. 347-362.

Patrick, G., Combs, G., & Gavagan, T. (2009). Initiating antidepressant therapy? Try these two drugs first. *Journal of Family Practice* 58:365-369.

Combs, G. & Freedman, J. (2002). Relationships not boundaries. *Theoretical Medicine and Bioethics* 23(3), 2002, pp. 203-217.

Freedman, J. & Combs, G. (2001). Facilitating a Narrative Culture in a School. *Journal of Systemic Therapies* 20(3), Fall 2001, pp. 49-59.

Freedman, J. & Combs, G. (2000). Therapy relationships that open up possibilities for us all. *Dulwich Centre Journal* (1 & 2), pp. 17-20.

Combs, G. & Freedman, J. (1998). Tellings and retellings. *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy*, 24(4), pp. 405-408.

Combs, G. & Freedman, J. (1998). Reflections on adoption. *Gecko: A Journal of Deconstruction and Narrative Ideas in Therapeutic Practice*, 3, pp. 72-78.

Schneider, M. F. (1998). A narrative dialogue: An interview with Jill Freedman and Gene Combs. *The Journal of Individual Psychology*, 54(4), Winter, pp. 416-430.

Freedman, J. & Combs, G. (1996). Gender stories. *Journal of Systemic Therapies* 15(1), Spring pp. 31-46

INVITED BOOK CHAPTERS:

Freedman, J. & Combs, G. (2015). Narrative Couple Therapy. In A. Gurman & N. Jacobson (eds.) *Clinical Handbook of Couple Therapy (revised edition)*. New York: Guilford.

Freedman, J. & Combs, G. (2009). Narrative Couple Therapy. In A. Gurman & N. Jacobson (eds.) *Clinical Handbook of Couple Therapy (revised edition)*. New York: Guilford.

Freedman, J. & Combs, G. (2005). Gender and culture in the narrative approach to helping. In C. L. Rabin (ed.) *Understanding gender and culture in the helping process: Practitioners' narratives from global perspectives*. Belmont, CA: Thomson Wadsworth.

Combs, G. & Freedman, J. (2004). A Poststructuralist approach to narrative work. In L.E. Angus & J.

McLeod (eds.) *The handbook of narrative and psychotherapy: Practice, theory, and research.*. London: Sage.

Freedman, J. & Combs, G. (2004). Relational identity in narrative work with couples. In S. Madigan (ed.) *Therapy from the Outside In*. Vancouver: Yaletown Family Therapy.

Freedman, J. & Combs, G. (2002). Narrative Couple Therapy. In A. Gurman & N. Jacobson (eds.) *Clinical Handbook of Couple Therapy*. New York: Guilford.

Combs, G. (2001). Foreword, in Nylund, D. *Treating Huckleberry Finn: A narrative approach to working with kids diagnosed with ADD/ADHD*. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass.

Combs, G. & Freedman, J. (2000). Narrative therapy with couples. In Dattilio, F. M. & Bevilacqua, L. (eds.), *Comparative treatments for relationship dysfunction*. New York: Springer.

Combs, G. & Freedman, J. (1999). Developing relationships, performing identities. In *Narrative therapy and community work: A conference collection*. Adelaide, Australia: Dulwich Centre Publications, pp. 27-32.

Cohen, S. M., Combs, G., DeLaurenti, B. DeLaurenti, P., Freedman, J., Larimer, D., & Shulman, D. (1998). Minimizing hierarchy in therapeutic relationships: A reflecting team approach. In Hoyt, M. F. (ed.), *The handbook of constructive therapies: Innovative approaches from leading practitioners*. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass.

Freedman J. & Combs, G. (1997). Before and after Lily Hua. in C. White & J. Hales (eds.) *The Personal Is The Professional: Therapists reflect on their families, lives, and work*. Adelaide, Australia: Dulwich Centre Publications.

Freedman, J. & Combs, G. (1997). Lists. in C. Smith & D. Nylund (eds.) *Narrative Therapies with Children and Adolescents*. New York: Guilford.

Hoyt, M. F. & Combs, G. (1996). On ethics and the spiritualities of the surface: A conversation with Michael White. In Hoyt, M. F. (ed.), *Constructive therapies 2*. New York: Guilford.

Combs, G. & Freedman J. (1994). Narrative intentions. in M. Hoyt (ed.) *Constructive Therapies*. New York: Guilford.

Combs, G. & Freedman, J. (1994). Milton Erickson: Early postmodernist. in J. Zeig (ed.) *The Essence of the Story: Ericksonian Methods in Clinical Practice*. New York: Bruner/Mazel.

Freedman, J. & Combs, G. (1993). Invitations to new stories: Using questions to explore alternative possibilities. In S. Gilligan & R. Price (eds.) *Therapeutic conversations*. New York: Norton.

Combs, G. & Ludwig, A. (1982). Dissociative disorders. In J. Griest, J. Jefferson, & R. Spitzer (eds.), *Treatment of mental disorders*. New York: Oxford University Press.

PROFESSIONALLY PRODUCED VIDEOTAPES:

Zimmerman, J.; Dickerson, V.; Adams-Westcott, J.; Combs, G.; Freedman, J.; Lax, W.; Madigan, W.; & Madsen, W. (1997). 1997 Narrative Therapy Track.. AAMFT, Washington, DC.

Freedman, J. & Combs, G. (1997). Partners in Strength: A Couple Interview with Jill Freedman and Gene Combs. Produced by Masterswork Videotapes, Los Angeles, CA.

Combs, G. & Freedman, J. (1994). Narrative Therapy: Using Questions and Reflections. Produced by The Milton H. Erickson Foundation, Inc. Phoenix, AZ.

Combs, G. & Freedman, J. (1992). Demonstrations III. Produced by The Milton H. Erickson Foundation, Inc. Phoenix, AZ.

PLENARY ADDRESSES:

“Reflections on What We Treasure in this Work” keynote address at Conversation-fest 2013, a conference of collaborative and narrative approaches to therapy co-sponsored by the Hincks-Dellcrest Centre of Toronto, Canada, and the Houston-Galveston Institute of Houston, Texas. March 13 – 16, 2013, League City, Texas.

“Innovations in Narrative Therapy with Couples” plenary address for the American Family Therapy Academy Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana, June 2010.

“Linking Lives through Shared Purposes: Narrative Approaches to Community Problems” plenary address for Social Work Day at the University of Kansas, School of Social Welfare, Lawrence, Kansas, USA, April 2009

“Perhaps It’s a Life” plenary address for the International Narrative Therapy Symposium at the Church Conference Center, Playa del Carmen, Mexico, February 2009

“A Narrative Approach to Working with Couples” plenary address at the annual Illinois Association for Marriage and Family Therapy conference, Glen Ellyn, Illinois, March 2008

“Implications of the Narrative Metaphor for Working with Partner Relationships” plenary address at *Kenniscentrum voor Relatieproblematiek De Keerkring*, Beilin, Holland, April 2006

“Community and the Performance of Meaning” plenary address at the 2nd annual International Summer School of Narrative Practice, Dulwich Centre, Adelaide, Australia, November, 2004.

“Relationships and Ethics” plenary address at the North American Narrative Therapy and Community Work Conference, Evanston, IL, August, 2003.

“Conversations about Ethics, Accountability, and Re-membering: What Really Matters in Our Practice” opening plenary for the Australian Narrative Therapy and Community Work Conference, Canberra, Australia, April, 2002.

“Helping People Live out Meaningful Stories of Their Relationship with Illness” plenary address at Family Stories: Meeting the Challenges of Chronic Illness a conference organized by the Cancer Wellness Center, Northbrook, IL, April, 2002.

“A Narrative Approach to Therapy” plenary address for the 33rd Annual Southwestern School for Behavioral Health Studies, Tucson, AZ, July, 2001.

“Stories of Health: Narrative Therapy and Family Practice,” plenary address at the 19th Forum for the Behavioral Sciences in Family Medicine Conference, “The Promise of Family Practice: It’s All in the Relationship,” Chicago, IL, October, 1998.

“Narrative Therapy” keynote address for Illinois Counselors Association Annual Meeting, Indian Lake Resort, IL, November, 1998.

“Gender Stories: Reauthoring Roles in Relationships” plenary address for the Chicago Center for Family Health Annual Conference, February, 1994.

“Gender Stories: Facilitating Role Choice through Narrative Therapy” plenary/workshop for the Arkansas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Little Rock, October, 1992.

RECENT INVITED PRESENTATIONS AND WORKSHOPS:

“Narrative Couple Therapy” a panel discussion at the Annual Meeting of the American Family Therapy Academy, Vancouver, Washington, June 6, 2015.

“Development of a Web-based Intervention for Dating Violence in Emerging Adults,” Indiana University School of Nursing, Indianapolis, Indiana, September 22, 2014.

“Current Controversies in Psychiatry: What Family Doctors Need to Know.” A one-hour lecture discussion at the 35th Forum for Behavioral Science in Family Medicine, Chicago, IL, September 19, 2014

“Listening, Witnessing, and Intimate Relationships: Narrative Therapy with Couples” a two-workshop for The Bridges Institute, Halifax, Nova Scotia, April 24-25, 2014.

“Recent Developments in Narrative Therapy” a one-day workshop for Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Sugar Land, Texas, March 8, 2014

“Narrative Therapy Training Program” a part of a two-year training for Zhuhai Medical Association: Mental Health Branch, Zhuhai, China, March 26-30, 2014

“*Lunch Panel*” a one-day workshop for Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Sugar Land, Texas, March 7, 2014

“Witnessing, Listening, and Intimate Relationships: Using Narrative Ideas In Therapy with Couples” a two-day workshop for Bay Area Narrative Therapy Resource, San Francisco, California, January 11-12, 2014

“The Mystery of Conversation” a workshop for Hincks-Dellcrest at Winds of Change 6: ConversationFest 2013, Little League, Texas, March 16, 2013

“Histories of the Present” a workshop for Hincks-Dellcrest at Winds of Change 6: ConversationFest 2013, Little League, Texas, March 16, 2013

“Community Consultation: Linking Lives Through Sharing Documents” an afternoon session for the American Family Therapy Academy Annual Conference at Coupling Today: Love, Parenting, Community: Systemic Practices with Couples & Families in their Social Contexts, Chicago, Illinois, June

6, 2013

“Linking Lives in Ways Large and Small” a ninety-minute workshop at Winds of Change 5: Conversations on the Margins: Therapeutic Change, Social Change, Social Justice for Hinks-Dellcrest and Gail Appel Institute, Ottawa, Canada, June 15, 2012

“Narrative and Identity: How are we becoming other than who we’ve already been?” a one day workshop for the Southern California Counseling Center, Los Angeles, CA, January 8, 2011

“Narrative Responses to Trauma” five-day training at the Ibuka National Association for Survivors of the Genocide, Rwanda, Africa, November 2010

“Narrative Therapy with Couples and Relationships” a two hour workshop in Toronto, Canada for the Dulwich Centre, July 2010

“Initiative and agency: Narrative Therapy and Acts of Change” a two hour workshop in Toronto, Canada for the Dulwich Centre, July 2010

“Narrative and Identity” a two-day workshop at Grupo Campos Eliseos, Mexico City, Mexico, February 2010

“Narrative Work in Communities and Organizations” workshop for the Culture and Mental Health: Emerging Trends in Psychotherapy and Social Programs (International and Cuban Approaches) conference for the World Psychiatric Association at the International Conference Center, Havana, Cuba, February 2009.

OTHER PRESENTATIONS OF NOTE (a selected list):

“Integrating Narrative Skills Training into the Overall Fabric of an Evidence-Based Family Medicine Residency” roundtable discussion at the 33rd Forum for Behavioral Science in Family Medicine meeting, September 2012

“A Workshop in Imaginative Pastoral Counseling” three-day workshop at the Center for Contextual Ministry, University of Pretoria, Pretoria, South Africa, August 2008

“Working with Genocide Survivors” four-day workshop at the Ibuka National Association for Survivors of the Genocide, Rwanda, Africa, August 2008

“Narrative Skills: Questions, Documents, and Listening with a Poetic Ear” three-day workshop, Cape Town, South Africa, August 2008

“The Craft of Composing Questions and Documents in Narrative Therapy” two-day workshop at the Academy of Human Development PTE LTD, Singapore, April 2008

“Becoming Other Than We Have Already Been” one-day workshop at the Narrative Therapy Cuba Conference, Havana, Cuba, January 2007

“Introduction to Narrative Therapy” three-day workshop at the Narrative Therapy Cuba Conference, Havana, Cuba, January 2007

“Narrative Therapy with Couples” one-day post-conference workshop at the Narrative Therapy Cuba Conference, Havana, Cuba, January 2007

“Consultation from a Narrative Therapy Perspective” workshop at the 28th Annual Meeting for American Family Therapy Academy, Chicago, Illinois, June – July 2006

“Narrative Therapy with Couples” two-day workshop at the Vermont Psychological Association Conference, Burlington, Vermont, May 2006

“Implications of the Narrative Metaphor for Working with Partner Relationships” a two-day workshop at the Kenniscentrum voor Relatieproblematiek De Keerkring, Beilen, Netherlands, April, 2006

“Listening for Everyday Miracles” two-day conference for the Brief Therapy Training Centres International, Halifax, Nova Scotia, June 2005

“Narrative Therapy with Couples: Implications of a Relational Approach to Identity” four-day workshop for the Yaletown Family Therapy, Vancouver, Canada, May 2005

“Changing Identities/Revising Relationships: The Poetics of Narrative Work” one-day workshop for the Chicago Center for Family Health, Chicago, Illinois, April 2005

“Unpacking the Narrative Worldview: Relationships, Meaning, and Poetry in the Details of Everyday Life” two-day workshop for Charing Cross Narrative Therapy, Sydney, Australia, November, 2004.

“Asking Questions that Make a Difference” two-day preconference workshop at the 2nd annual International Summer School of Narrative Practice, Dulwich Centre, Adelaide, Australia, November, 2004.

“Unpacking Everyday Miracles: Learning to Listen and Question with a Poetic Ear” a workshop at the 2nd annual International Summer School of Narrative Practice, Dulwich Centre, Adelaide, Australia, November, 2004.

“A Narrative Approach to Working with Couples” two-day pre-conference workshop at the 6th International Narrative Therapy and Community Work Conference, Oaxaca, Mexico, July, 2004.

“Asking Questions that Make a Difference” workshop at the 6th International Narrative Therapy and Community Work Conference, Oaxaca, Mexico, July, 2004.

“Narrative Approaches to Couples with Illness” a workshop at the Chicago Center for Family Health Summer Institute, Chicago, June, 2004.

“Narrative Therapy with Couples: Implications of a Relational Approach to Identity” a workshop at the Therapeutic Conversations 5: Therapy from the Outside In conference, Toronto, May, 2004.

“It Takes a Community: Practical Ways of Linking Lives Through Shared Purposes” workshop at the North American Narrative Therapy and Community Work Conference, Evanston, IL, August, 2003.

“A Narrative Approach to Working with Couples” two-day preconference workshop at the International Narrative Therapy and Community Work Conference, Liverpool, England, July, 2003.

“Questions We Have Found Helpful in Working with the Effects of Violence and Abuse” workshop at the International Narrative Therapy and Community Work Conference, Liverpool, England, July, 2003.

“Narrative Therapy with Couples” an all-day workshop for The Kenwood Therapy Center, Minneapolis, MN, May, 2003.

“Believing in Each Other’s Preferred Selves: A Narrative Approach to Working with Couples” an all-day workshop for the Family Institute of Cambridge, Cambridge, MA, November, 2002.

“Believing in Each Other’s Best Selves: A Narrative Approach to Working with Couples” a two-day workshop for the California Division of AAMFT (CAMFT), Los Angeles, California, July, 2002.

“A Narrative Approach to Working with Couples” workshop at the International Narrative Therapy and Community Work Conference, Spelman College, Atlanta, GA, June, 2002.

“Five-day Intensive Workshop in Narrative Therapy” pre-conference workshop at the International Narrative Therapy and Community Work Conference, Spelman College, Atlanta, GA, June, 2002.

“An Introduction to Narrative Therapy” all-day preconference workshop at the Australian Narrative Therapy and Community Work Conference, Canberra, Australia, April, 2002.

“Poetry and Meaning Matter” workshop at the Australian Narrative Therapy and Community Work Conference, Canberra, Australia, April, 2002.

“A Poststructuralist Look at Evidence-Based Therapy” an Advanced Session at the AAMFT Annual Meeting, Nashville, TN, October, 2001.

“A Narrative Approach to Therapy” a workshop at the 33rd Annual Southwestern School for Behavioral Health Studies, Tucson, AZ, July, 2001.

“Narrative Therapy: Changing Identities/Revising Relationships” an all-day preconference workshop at the IAMFT Annual Conference, Oakbrook, IL, April, 2001.

“Narrative Approaches to Panic, Fear, Grief, and Loss” a two-day workshop for The Christchurch Narrative Network, Christchurch, New Zealand, February, 2001.

“Five-Day Intensive Workshop for Experienced Practitioners of Narrative Therapy.” preconference workshop at the International Narrative Therapy and Community Work Conference, Dulwich Centre, Adelaide, Australia, February, 2001.

“Poetics and Narrative Work” workshop at the International Narrative Therapy and Community Work Conference, Dulwich Centre, Adelaide, Australia, February, 2001.

“Narrative Therapy: Changing Identities/Revising Relationships” a two-day workshop for the Association of Family Therapists of Northern California 37th Annual Conference, Marin, CA, October, 2000.

“Five-Day Intensive Workshop in Narrative Therapy” School of Theology, University of Praetoria, Praetoria, South Africa, October, 2000.

“The Craft of Composing Questions” an all-day workshop for The South African Association of Marital and Family Therapy, Johannesburg, South Africa, October, 2000.

“Taking Lives Back from the Effects of Violence and Abuse: A Narrative Approach” and all-day

workshop for the South African Association of Marital and Family Therapy, Johannesburg, South Africa, October, 2000.

“Narrative Approaches to Family Therapy” a two-day workshop for the Durbin Association for Marital and Family Therapy, Durbin, South Africa, October, 2000.

“Narrative Therapy in Clinical Practice” a two-day workshop for The Academy for Human Development, Singapore, September, 2000.

“A Narrative Approach to Identity: Relational Notions of Self in Therapy with Couples and Families.” An all-day post-conference institute, Kentucky Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Louisville, KY, March, 2000.

“Therapy Relationships that Open Possibilities for Us All: Exploring the Narratively Informed Therapeutic Relationship.” workshop at the International Narrative Therapy and Community Work Conference, Adelaide, Australia, February, 2000.

“Five-Day Intensive Workshop on Narrative Therapy.” preconference workshop at the International Narrative Therapy and Community Work Conference, Dulwich Centre, Adelaide, Australia, February, 2000.

“Conversations about Despair and Death in Chronic Illness” workshop at the Collaborative Healthcare Coalition Conference *The State of the Art: Collaborative Family Healthcare*, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland, February, 1997.

"Postmodern Romance: Reauthoring Relationships" pre-conference institute at The AAMFT 54th Annual Conference, Toronto, Ontario, October, 1996.

"Re-membering: Narrative Therapy and Communities of Choice" a workshop at the AAMFT 54th Annual Conference, Toronto, Ontario, October, 1996.

"Narrative Therapy and Supervision" pre-conference institute at the AAMFT 52nd Annual Conference on Family Therapy, Chicago, 1994.

"Power, Privilege and Intimacy: Collaborating for Change" workshop at the AAMFT 52nd Annual Conference on Family Therapy, Chicago, 1994.

"Gender Stories: Reauthoring Roles with Narrative Therapy" pre-conference institute at the AAMFT 51st Annual Conference on Family Therapy, Anaheim, 1993.

"Reflecting Team as a Supervision Process" supervision track workshop at the AAMFT 51st Annual Conference on Family Therapy, Anaheim, 1993.

"Co-creating Rituals" workshop at the 1st World Family Therapy Congress, Dublin, 1989.

"True Stories: On-the-spot strategies for generating metaphors" workshop at the AAMFT 47th Annual Conference on Family Therapy, San Francisco, 1989.

"Questions as Suggestions: Bateson meets Erickson" short course at the Fourth International Conference On Ericksonian Approaches To Hypnosis And Psychotherapy, San Francisco, 1988.

"True Stories: A strategy for generating metaphors" short course at the Fourth International Conference On Ericksonian Approaches To Hypnosis And Psychotherapy, San Francisco, 1988.

"How Did Erickson Get People to Do Those Things? Utilizing Client's Response Styles" short course at the Third International Conference On Ericksonian Approaches To Hypnosis And Psychotherapy, Phoenix, Arizona, 1986.

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