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Education	2011 PhD	Silver School of Social Work, New York University
	Dissertation: "Gay male couples who decide to parent: Motivations, division of child care responsibilities, and impact on relationship and life satisfaction"	
	2000 Psychoanalytic Certificate	New Jersey Center for Modern Psychoanalysis, Fair Lawn, NJ
	1990 MSW	Silberman School of Social Work, Hunter College, City University of New York
	1987 BA	Sarah Lawrence College
Teaching Experience	2011 - Present Adjunct Assistant Professor	Silver School of Social Work, New York University
		Research I Research II Human Behavior in the Social Environment I
	2013 – 2014 Part Time Lecturer	Rutgers University, School of Social Work Clinical Social Work Practice I & II
	2012 - 2013 External Field Instructor	University of Southern California School of Social Work
	2004 Teaching Assistant	Silver School of Social Work, New York University Human Behavior in the Social Environ. III (Psychopathology) Carol Tosone, Instructor
	2001 Adjunct Lecturer	Hudson County Community College Developmental Psychology
	2001 – 2003 Fieldwork Consultant	School of Social Work, Rutgers University

Clinical Experience	<p>1992 – Present Clinical Social Worker</p> <p>1994 – 1999 Outpatient Therapist & Fieldwork Supervisor</p> <p>1990 – 1994 Crisis Intervention & Fieldwork Supervisor</p>	<p>Private Practice, Woodcliff Lake, NJ</p> <p>Comprehensive Behavioral Healthcare, Hackensack, NJ</p> <p>AIDS-Related Community Services, Elmsford, NY</p>
Publications	<p>“Ethical Care in Secret”: Qualitative Data from an International Survey of Exploratory Therapists Working with Gender-Questioning Clients <i>Journal of Sex and Marital Therapy</i>, 2024. https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/0092623X.2024.2329761</p> <p>Lessons from Reparative Therapy Applied to Post Abortion Grief Counseling. <i>Journal of Homosexuality</i>, 63:764–782, 2016.</p> <p>Child care responsibility in gay male parented families: Predictive and correlative factors. <i>Journal of GLBT Family Studies</i>, 11:248–277, 2015.</p> <p>Advocating for an end to reparative therapy: Methodological grounding and blueprint for change. <i>Journal of Gay and Lesbian Social Services</i>, 25(3):362-377, 2013.</p>	
Editorial Experience	<p>2016 Editorial Board Member for the <i>Journal of GLBT Family Studies</i></p> <p>2015 Reviewer for the <i>Journal of GLBT Family Studies</i></p> <p>2014 Reviewer for the <i>Journal of Gay and Lesbian Social Services</i></p>	
Juried Presentations	<p>2014 – “It’s <i>De Novo</i> it’s Delightful: Correlates of Relationship Satisfaction in Gay Male Parented Families”, Society for Social Work Research, San Antonio, TX</p> <p>2013 – “It’s 2:00 AM: Who Does the Feeding in Gay Male Parented Families”, Society for Social Work Research, San Diego, CA</p> <p>2013 – “The Death Rattle of Reparative Therapy: Lessons to Consider”, Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting, Dallas, TX</p>	
Presentations	<p>2016 – “Understanding the Challenges in Creating Cultural Evolution Focused on Evidence-Based Gun Violence Prevention Policy Development”, Gay Activists Alliance of Morris County, Morristown, NJ</p>	

2014 – “Mental Health Service Provision for the Sceptically Inclined”,
Skepticon 7, Springfield, MO

2012 – “Wisdom of the Ages Through Greek Mythology: Wisdom or Folly?”
Panel discussion by the Hyman Spotnitz Study Group, Fair Lawn, NJ

2011 – “Narcissistic rage in Greek mythology: Narcissus in the form of a
serial sex offender, a 15-year treatment,” Panel discussion by the Hyman
Spotnitz Study Group, Fair Lawn, NJ

2010 – “Same sex partner and single LGBT parent adoption: How to help
children handle difficult questions,” Seminar at Adoption and Family Service
Center, Ridgewood, NJ

2000 – “How to be a good parent,” Workshop at Lambda Families of New
Jersey Conference held at Montclair State University, Montclair, NJ

Mindfulness Training & Experience

2014 – 2016, Mindfulness at Midday, A program of The Ethical
2020 – 2023 Culture Society of Bergen County, Teaneck, NJ
Facilitator

2015 – Mindfulness Based Stress Reduction: 9-Day Practicum, Rhinebeck,
NY and Shrewsbury, MA

2014 – Mindfulness-Based Stress Reduction in Mind-Body Medicine: A 7-
Day Professional Training Retreat, Rhinebeck, NY

2013 – Mindfulness-Based Stress Reduction 8-Week Training with
Elisabeth Janz Mayer-Rieckh, White Plains, NY

Volunteer Experience

2024–Present: Member, Therapy First Board of Directors

2022–2023: Secretary, American Ethical Union

2021–2023: Member, American Ethical Union Board of Directors

2021–2023: Chair, American Ethical Union Personnel Committee

2020 – 2023: Leadership Advisory Committee, Ethical Culture Society of
Bergen County, Teaneck, NJ

2019 – 2021: Co-President, Bergen Chapter Brady Campaign

2016 – 2019: Founder, Gays Against Guns New Jersey Chapter

2014 – 2021: Steering Committee of Bergen Chapter Brady Campaign

Professional Memberships

Therapy First, 2022–Present

Secular Therapist Project, 2014 – Present

National Association of Social Workers, 1990 – Present

Accreditations & Awards

Excellence in Organizing, Brady Campaign to Prevent Gun Violence, 2016

Certified Clinical Supervisor, New Jersey, 2010

Licensed Clinical Social Worker, New Jersey, 1994

Academy of Certified Social Workers, 1994

Social Work Field Instructor, New York Metropolitan Region, 1994