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## EDUCATION

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### **Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX**

Doctor of Philosophy, June 2022 (Anticipated)

Clinical Psychology

Advisor: Marcus Boccaccini, Ph.D.

Dissertation (proposal approved): *Clinical Utility of Psychopathy Subtypes Based on Latent Profile Analysis*

### **CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York, NY**

Master of Arts, June 2017

Forensic Psychology

Advisor: Thomas Kucharski, Ph.D.

Thesis: *Treatment, Supervision, and Recidivism of Individuals Convicted of a Sex Offense in the United States: A Pilot Study*

### **University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI**

Bachelor of Arts, May 2014

Major: Psychology

Minor: Crime and Justice

## CURRENT CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

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### **Assistant Forensic Evaluator**

**September 2020 – Present**

*Private Practice, Referrals from Texas and New Mexico*

- Conduct a variety of forensic evaluations (e.g., competence to stand trial, mental state at the time of the offense, mitigation, sexual offender risk) via videoconferencing consisting primarily of a comprehensive clinical interview, review of collateral records, and testing when appropriate
- Conduct pre-employment law enforcement evaluations via videoconferencing including clinical interviewing and objective personality assessment
- Formulate psycholegal opinions with the primary supervisor in accordance with state statutes
- Co-author reports for forensic evaluations and provide treatment recommendations when appropriate
- Supervisor: Jennifer Rockett, Ph.D.

### **Student Clinician and Co-Therapist**

**September 2020 – Present**

*TEAM Forensic Services, Huntsville, TX*

- Co-facilitate monthly, mandated, group treatment for individuals convicted of a sex offense
- Utilize manualized, evidenced-based treatment protocols
- Supervisor: Holly Miller, Ph.D., LSOTP

### **Assistant Forensic Evaluator**

**October 2018 – Present**

*Psychological Services Center, Huntsville, TX*

- Conduct court-ordered pre-trial forensic evaluations (e.g., competence to stand trial, mental state at the time of the offense, treatment recommendations) consisting primarily of a comprehensive clinical interview, review of collateral records, and testing when appropriate
- Co-author reports for forensic evaluations, formulate psycholegal opinions with the primary supervisor in accordance with state statutes, and provide treatment recommendations when appropriate
- Supervisors: Mary Alice Conroy, Ph.D., ABPP, Wendy Elliott, Ph.D., ABPP, and Darryl Johnson, Ph.D.

### **Student Clinician**

**September 2018 – Present**

*Psychological Services Center, Huntsville, TX*

- Conduct individual therapy with adults utilizing evidence-based interventions
- Collaborate with clients on treatment planning and closely monitor treatment goals and progress
- Conduct psychological evaluations to answer referral questions (e.g., diagnostic, treatment needs)
- Engage in suicide risk assessment and client safety planning
- Supervisors: Craig Henderson, Ph.D., Wendy Elliott, Ph.D., ABPP, Jaime Anderson, Ph.D., Temilola Salami, Ph.D., Jorge Varela, Ph.D., and Chelsea Ratcliff, Ph.D.

**PRIOR CLINICAL EXPERIENCE****Student Clinician****June 2020 – September 2020***Walker County Adult Probation, Huntsville, TX*

- Conducted psychodiagnostic and substance use assessments to provide community supervision officers with treatment recommendations regarding substance use and relevant mental health needs of individuals on probation
- Co-authored reports that were utilized to determine necessary stipulations of the evaluatee's probation
- Supervisor: Darryl Johnson, Ph.D.

**Student Clinician (Pre-Doctoral Therapist and Assessor)****June 2019 – March 2020***Montgomery County Sheriff's Office, Conroe, TX*

- Conducted brief symptomology assessments to assist jail mental health staff in determining inmates' mental health needs and relevant psychosocial history
- Engaged in long-term therapy with inmates
- Led weekly group therapy sessions focused on a variety of topics, including sleep hygiene, distress tolerance, and interpersonal effectiveness
- Provided brief interventions to inmates in acute distress
- Supervisor: Darryl Johnson, Ph.D.

**Forensic Case Manager Extern****February 2016 – May 2017***EAC Brooklyn Forensic LINK, Brooklyn, NY*

- Evaluated the eligibility of seriously mentally ill offenders who were referred to our office to receive LINK services through the use of an intake assessment
- Assessed clients using psychological assessments to help determine any appropriate treatment needs
- Collaborated with the client and other case managers to create an appropriate treatment plan
- Performed extensive outreach to clients who were not keeping up with their treatment goals
- Consulted with collateral contacts such as family members, treatment providers, attorneys, and doctors to corroborate information given in the initial assessment and investigate client's mental health history
- Participated in clinical rounds once a week, where case managers sought advice on challenging cases and staff discussed research and developments in the field of forensic psychology
- Supervisor: Dr. Melodie Foellmi, Ph.D.

**Volunteer****January 2014 – May 2014***Center for Forensic Psychiatry, Saline, MI*

- Assisted with data entry for research projects regarding treatment programs for those who plead not guilty by reason of insanity in the State of Michigan Court System
- Observed forensic mental health assessments
- Reviewed patient files before assessments took place and discussed possible treatment or community options based on patient history and current mental state
- Supervisor: Dr. Craig Lemmen, M.D.

**Major Crimes Division Intern****May 2012 – August 2012***Montgomery County Police Department, Rockville, MD***May 2013 – August 2013**

- Completed a five-day training program to be certified as a member of Montgomery County's Crisis Intervention Team
- Assisted detectives with casework as well as fieldwork
- Reorganized and prepared case files and evidence for active cold cases in the department
- Accompanied detectives to interview people of interest pertaining to cold cases
- Supervisor: Detective Brian Stafford, Ph.D.

**TEACHING AND SUPERVISORY EXPERIENCE****Peer Supervisor****May 2019 – July 2019***Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX***May 2020 – July 2020**

- Co-facilitated supervision sessions for first year doctoral students with clinic director
- Reviewed mock therapy session videos with supervisees
- Provided supervision on foundational therapeutic skills
- Served as a mock therapy client for students practicing clinical skills
- Supervisor: Mary Alice Conroy, Ph.D., ABPP

**Graduate Student Instructor – Introduction to Psychology****August 2018 – May 2019***Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX*

- Taught major themes and concepts in psychology such as biological bases of behavior, personality theories, scientific method, psychopathology, and treatment methods
- Assisted students in their learning by providing resources outside of the classroom
- Constructed exams to measure student learning within the course
- Supervisor: Jorge Varela, Ph.D.

**Teaching Assistant – Psychopathy Assessment Master's Course****August 2015 – August 2017***CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York, NY*

- Graded assignments and provided feedback to 10-18 students
- Disseminated course resources and discussed course policies and grading procedures with students
- Answered student questions about the construct of psychopathy and the scoring of the PCL-R
- Supervisor: Diana Falkenbach, Ph.D.

**Teaching Assistant – Fieldwork in Psychology Master's Course****August 2016 – June 2017***CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York, NY*

- Provided academic advisement to students regarding the externship process and how an externship appropriately fits into their academic and career goals
- Remained knowledgeable on the externship opportunities available to students
- Organized and managed extensive student paperwork
- Evaluated students' final reflection paper and submitted final grade for students
- Supervisor: Diana Falkenbach, Ph.D.

**Teaching Assistant – Mental Health Professionals, Social Science and the Law Master's Courses****August 2016 – December 2016***CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York, NY*

- Revised students' term paper outlines, as well as helped them to develop a research idea, organized introduction, and research proposal leading to clear hypotheses for their final paper
- Reviewed APA formatting and style with over 60 students
- Communicated with the professors of this course, as well as the doctoral TA, in order to ensure that the students' needs were being met and they were adequately prepared for the semester
- Supervisors: Jennifer Dysart, Ph.D. and Thomas Kucharski, Ph.D.

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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### Research Assistant weTHRIVE Lab

May 2020 – Present

*Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX*

- Assist in a skills-based training program for law enforcement funded by the Office of the Governor
- Facilitate a modified version of Affect Regulation Training groups via a telehealth platform
- Perform various duties related to the project, including participant recruitment, lab meetings, and data collection and entry
- Participate in various projects within the lab
- Mentor masters and undergraduate students
- Supervisor: Temilola Salami, Ph.D.

### Research Assistant Forensic Psychology Research Lab

August 2017 – Present

*Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX*

- Conduct statistical analyses on data for conference submissions and future publications
- Collaborate with other students in the lab on various research projects
- Perform literature reviews relevant to upcoming research projects and manuscripts
- Assist with coding and analyzing data for various projects within the lab and with researchers from other institutions (e.g. Institute of Law, Psychiatry, & Public Policy)
- Supervisor: Marcus Boccaccini, Ph.D.

### Grant Funded Research Assistant Institute of Law, Psychiatry & Public Policy

October 2018 – June 2019

*University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA*

- Coded over 400 Competency to Stand Trial and Mental Status at the Time of Offense evaluations
- Collaborated with faculty, staff, and students at Sam Houston and other universities
- Supervisors: Daniel Murrie, Ph.D., Angela Torres, Ph.D., Brett Gardner, Ph.D., and Marcus Boccaccini, Ph.D.

### Research Assistant Sex Offender Research Lab

January 2016 – June 2017

*CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York, NY*

- Developed and submitted an Institutional Review Board application for a study focusing on sex offender attitudes toward sex offender legislation and policy
- Managed research project regarding sex offender attitudes toward sex offender legislation and policy
- Coded qualitative data for a study addressing parole and probation officers' attitudes toward sex offender laws and policies
- Supervisors: Cynthia Calkins, Ph.D., M.L.S and Elizabeth Jeglic, Ph.D.

### Research Assistant Research Lab

May 2015 – September 2015

*Barnard College, New York, NY*

- Supervised and coordinated data entry using SPSS and Microsoft Excel
- Recruited participants from New York City Housing Court for a study funded by the National Science Foundation
- Attended lab meetings to discuss ideas on how to best implement the next phases of the research project
- Supervisors: Larry Heuer, Ph.D. and Steven Penrod, J.D., Ph.D.

**Research Assistant** **October 2014 – June 2017**  
**Psychopathy Research Lab**

*CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York, NY*

- Co-authored a published manuscript exploring the construct of psychopathy across gender and culture in a Lebanese sample using the Psychopathic Personality Inventory-Revised
- Supervised research collection from New York Police Department trainings
- Participated in the budget committee, submitting reimbursement forms, coordinating with the Research Foundation, and staying current on the budgetary status for the lab
- Conducted literature reviews, entered and analyzed data, and edited manuscripts for publication
- Supervisor: Diana Falkenbach, Ph.D.

**Research Assistant** **September 2014 – June 2017**  
**Forensic Psychology Research Lab**

*CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York, NY*

- Performed a literature review regarding sexual offender recidivism rates across the United States
- Coordinated with supervisor to design an effective study investigating sexual offender programming and its effects on sexual recidivism rates based on the information gathered from the literature review
- Managed research project focusing on common characteristics among successful and unsuccessful clemency petitions nationwide
- Supervisor: Thomas Kucharski, Ph.D.

**Research Assistant** **September 2012 – April 2014**  
**The Aggression Lab in the Institute for Social Research**

*University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI*

- Prepared assessment materials for data collection
- Participated in the recruitment for and administration of several studies
- Attended weekly lab meetings to discuss current research in the field of violence and aggression
- Supervisor: Rowell Huesmann, Ph.D.

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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**Student Editorial Board Member** **January 2020 – Present**  
*Law and Human Behavior*

- Review submissions to the Journal of Law and Human Behavior and provide constructive feedback
- Supervisor: Marcus Boccaccini, Ph.D.

**Graduate Student Volunteer** **June 2019, July 2020**  
*Conroe Police Department, Conroe, TX*

- Created and presented lectures for Mental Health Peace Officer and Crisis Intervention Team Trainings
- Coordinated with police sergeants to formulate a more effective mental health training for officers
- Participated in role-play exercises with officers illustrating how to effectively communicate with mentally ill individuals in the community
- Facilitated discussions and feedback sessions regarding role-plays
- Supervisor: Wendy Elliott, Ph.D., ABPP and Darryl Johnson, Ph.D.

**President of the Graduate Student Psychology Organization** **June 2019 – June 2020**  
*Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX*

- Led executive board meetings and general meetings
- Monitored progress on events and organizational goals
- Served as the point of contact for faculty in relation to organizational goals and events
- Supervisor: Craig Henderson, Ph.D.

**Vice President of the Graduate Student Psychology Organization****August 2018 – June 2019***Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX*

- Directed meetings in the President's absence
- Organized social and academic events for students and faculty in the Psychology Department
- Coordinated and participated in fundraising efforts on campus
- Supervisor: Craig Henderson, Ph.D.

**Sam Houston Area Psychological Association Extern****June 2018 – June 2019***The Woodlands, TX*

- Organized, advertised, and attended monthly meetings and professional development presentations
- Recorded and maintained business meeting minutes and other association documentation
- Attended Legislative Day, advocating for the interests of the professional psychological community
- Supervisors: Wendy Elliott, Ph.D., ABPP and Aleha Cantu, Ph.D.

**Forensic Psychology Master's Office Program Assistant****January 2015 – June 2017***CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York, NY*

- Performed advisory meetings for students seeking guidance within the Forensic Psychology Master's Program
- Responded to student and faculty inquiries regarding the Forensic Psychology Master's program
- Assisted with course scheduling, coordinating teaching interest/availability of over 30 faculty members
- Coordinated with graduate programs within the Psychology Department to address student needs
- Supervisor: Diana Falkenbach, Ph.D.

**Presidential Search Committee****December 2016 – May 2017***CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York, NY*

- Recruited and screened qualified candidates for the position of President of CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice
- Held open forums where students, faculty, and staff could express recommendations for the search
- Collaborated with members of the committee to effectively represent the students, faculty, and staff of the College

**Graduate Student Liaison****September 2015 – June 2016****Committee on Graduate Studies***CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York, NY*

- Attended committee meetings during which votes were placed regarding general policy, curriculum, admissions, degree requirements, program development, course development, and other matters pertaining to the growth and quality of all graduate programs
- Represented John Jay College of Criminal Justice graduate students and their needs within the College
- Supervisor: Anne Lopes, Ph.D. (Dean of Graduate Studies)

**Associate Delegate****August 2015 – June 2016****Committee on Graduate and Evening Services***CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York, NY*

- Developed events every semester for the students in the Forensic Psychology Master's Program
- Presided at committee meetings, voting on graduate departmental events and budgetary concerns
- Promoted the voice of graduate students within the Forensic Psychology Master's Program
- Coordinated with delegates from other committees to create programming in which all graduate students at the College can engage and create a sense of community

**Coordinator**

May 2015 – May 2016

**Master's Student Research Group***CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York, NY*

- Served as a mentor and advisor to over 60 students in the Forensic Psychology Master's program
- Organized enriching programming and informational sessions regarding doctoral programs, research and career opportunities, and professional development
- Coordinated the annual Master's Student Research Conference
- Promoted and advocated for student involvement in research
- Collaborated with members of the faculty and administration in order to better serve the student body
- Supervisors: Diana Falkenbach, Ph.D. and Gabrielle Salfati, Ph.D.

**PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS**


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**Trupp, G. F.,** Ricardo, M. M., Boccaccini, M. T., & Murrie, D. (2021). Forensic evaluators' opinions on the use of videoconferencing technology for competency to stand trial evaluations after the onset of COVID-19. *Psychology, Public Policy, and Law*.

Ditsky, M. & **Trupp, G.** (2021). Texas Psychologists' Evaluation of Wards for Guardianship Revisited. *Texas Psychologist*, 80(1), 15-16.

**Trupp, G.,** Preszler, J., Boccaccini, M. T., Marcus, D., Varela, J., & Turner, D. (in press). Generalizability of psychopathy network analysis findings to scores assigned for clinical practice. *Journal of Criminal Justice and Behavior*.

Reinhard, E., **Trupp, G.,** Ricardo, M. M. & Johnson, D. (2020). Competent to Work from Home? Forensic Evaluations in the Midst of a Global Pandemic. *Texas Psychologist*, 79(2), 8-10.

Boccaccini, M. T., Harris, P. B., **Trupp, G. F.,** & Varela, J. G. (2019). Diagnostic and risk assessment characteristics of offenders reevaluated for SVP civil commitment. *Journal of Sex Offender Treatment*, 14(1).

Issa, M., Falkenbach, D., **Trupp, G. F.,** Campregher, J., & Lapp, J. (2017). Psychopathy in Lebanese college students: The PPI-R considered in the context of borderline features and aggressive attitudes across sex and culture. *Journal of Personality and Individual Differences*, 105(15), 64-49.

**PRESENTATIONS**


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Schranz, K. N., Boccaccini, M. T., **Trupp, G. F.,** Hawes, S., & Murrie, D. C. (2020, August). *Evaluators' Use of Expressive Empathy in a Risk Assessment Interview*. Poster presented to the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC

**Trupp, G. F.,** Schranz, K. N., Boccaccini, M. T., Hawes, S., & Murrie, D. C. (2020, March). *Evaluators' Attitudes, Use, and Perceptions of Empathy in a Risk Assessment Interview*. Paper presented to the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, LA

**Trupp, G. F.,** Boccaccini, M. T., & Vera, L. (2020, March). *Triarchic Psychopathy Traits and Impression Management During a Clinical Interview*. Poster presented to the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, LA

**Trupp, G. F.** & Conroy, M. A. (2019, September). Competency Assessment. Presentation at Austin State Hospital.

- Trupp, G. F.**, Preszler, J., Boccaccini, M. T., Marcus, D. J., Varela, J. G., & Turner, D. B. (2019, March). *Network Analysis of Psychopathy as Defined by the PCL-R Within the Field*. Poster presented to the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology – Law Society, Portland, OR
- Schrantz, K. N., Boccaccini, M. T., Murrie, D. C., & **Trupp, G. F.** (2019, March). *Forensic evaluators' opinions regarding the use of empathy in forensic assessment*. Paper presented to the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Portland, OR
- Trupp, G. F.** & Boccaccini, M. T. (2018, March). *Item response theory properties of PCL-R field scores*. Poster presented to the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology – Law Society, Memphis TN
- Trupp, G. F.**, Falkenbach, D., & Issa, M.A. (2017, August). *Psychopathy across gender and culture in Lebanese and American student populations*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.
- Trupp, G. F.**, Toal, C., Boudreau, R., Hussain, S., Soto, A., Krohner, N., & Jeglic, E. (2017, August). *Individuals who have been convicted of a sex offense: Attitudes on legislation and policy*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.
- Trupp, G. F.** (2015, May). *Sex offender recidivism in the United States: The effectiveness of sex offender treatment programs based on intensity*. Poster presented at the John Jay College of Criminal Justice's Master's Student Research Group Conference, New York, NY

## HONORS, AWARDS, AND CERTIFICATIONS

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- Texas Psychological Association Mary Alice Conroy Award Honorable Mention  
*November 2020*
- American Psychology – Law Society Student Grant in Aid (\$900)  
*October 2020*
- Sam Houston State University Office of Graduate Studies Travel Fund  
*January 2018, January 2019, January 2020*
- American Psychology – Law Society Outstanding Student Poster Award  
*March 2019*
- Sam Houston State University Graduate Studies Scholarship  
*January 2018, August 2018, January 2019, August 2019*
- CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice Forensic Psychology Merit Scholarship  
*April 2017*
- CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice Graduate Research Scholarship  
*June 2016*
- CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice Graduate Scholarship  
*December 2015*
- Center for Private Security and Safety Certification of Completion for Segment Training - Forensic Interviewing  
*September 2014*
- University of Michigan Martha Robinson Hawkins Scholarship  
*September 2013*
- University of Michigan Latricia Turner Scholarship  
*January 2013*



University of Michigan Academic Excellence Award

*January 2012*

Junior Panhellenic Scholarship

*February 2011*

## **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

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Ethics in Forensic Practice

Michelle Guyton, Ph.D., ABPP

*September 2020*

Multiculturalism and Forensic Evaluations

B. Thomas Gray, Ph.D., ABPP

*September 2020*

Conducting Forensic Evaluations Using Videoconferencing Technology

Randy Otto, Ph.D., ABPP & Dave Corey, Ph.D., ABPP

*September 2020*

HIPAA for Mental Health Care Providers & Texas HB300

HIPAA Exams

*July 2020*

Telepsychology: Fundamentals and Forensics

Jana N. Martin, Ph.D.

*June 2020*

Assessment in the Time of COVID: Forensic Evaluations Using Videoconferencing Technology

Alexander Millkey, Psy.D. & Michelle Guyton, Ph.D., ABPP

*June 2020*

Telepsychology Best Practices 101

Marlene Maheu, Ph.D.

*April 2020*

Best Practices & Risk Management in Working with Suicidal Clients: Ethical and Practical Considerations

Katrina Rufino, Ph.D.

*February 2020*

Rorschach Performance Assessment System Training

Jaime Anderson, Ph.D.

*July 2019*

Cross Cultural Variations in Adult Attachment

D.C. Wang, Ph.D.

*September 2018*

Critical Thinking in Forensic Psychological Evaluation & Controversies in Forensic Mental Health Assessment

Terry Kukor, Ph.D., ABPP

*May 2018*

Working with LGBTQ Clients in the Community

Megan Mooney, Ph.D., PLLC

*April 2018*

LGBTQ Issues in Psychology and Clinical Work

Drew Miller, Ph.D.

*January 2017*

Montgomery County Maryland Crisis Intervention Team Training

Scott Davis

*June 2012*

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

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**American Psychology – Law Society**

*Student Member*

**American Psychological Association**

*Graduate Student Affiliate*

**Association for Psychological Science**

*Graduate Student Affiliate*

**Texas Psychological Association**

*Student Member*

## **CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT**

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**Psi Chi, The International Honor Society in Psychology**

CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice

*Member from May 2015 – May 2017*

**Pi Beta Phi Fraternity**

The University of Michigan

*Member from November 2010 – May 2014*