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Customer Categories

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Expert Information

Specialties/Services (Area of Expertise)

Assoc. Clinical Prof, UCLA, Dept Psychology; Spanish speaking; Bi-cultural; Children, adolescents & adults. Psychological trauma (crime, accident, dog bites, fire/explosion); pediatric burns; child sexual abuse; child suggestibility; sexual harassment; wrongful death; loss of parent; immigration.

Area Served

California

Education

School Attended:	Duke University	Degree Received:	B.S.
School Attended:	UCLA	Degree Received:	M.A.
School Attended:	UCLA	Degree Received:	Ph.D.

Licenses/Credentials

PhD Psychology, UCLA; Fellow, Am Board Forensic Examiners; Phi Beta Kappa

Expert Witness Experience

Over 27 years providing plaintiff and defense psychological expert witness testimony for children, adolescents, and adults. Testified at over 14 trials.

Previous Positions & Appointments

Assistant Clinical Professor, UCLA Department of Psychiatry and Biobehavioral Sciences, David Geffen School of Medicine, UCLA, 1990-2008

Assist. and Assoc. Clinical Professor, UCLA Psychology Department, 2009-present;

Senior Community Mental Health Psychologist and Clinical Psychologist II, LA County Dept. Mental Health, 1987 - 2016

Publications

Alvarez, V., & Adelman, H.S. (1986). Overstatements of self-evaluations by students with psychoeducational problems. *Journal of Learning Disabilities*, 19, 567-571.

Adelman, H.S., Lusk, R., Alvarez, V., & Acosta, N.K. (1985). Competence of minors to understand, evaluate, and communicate about their psychoeducational problems. *Professional Psychology: Research and Practice*, 16, 426-434.

Honors/Awards

Phi Beta Kappa;

Magna Cum Laude, Duke University, 1980

Professional Societies/Affiliations

Phi Beta Kappa

American Psychological Association

National Register of Health Service Providers in Psychology

American College of Forensic Examiners

Professional References