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EDUCATION

Ph.D.- School Psychology, University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, Mississippi, 1986, (APA & NASP Accredited).

M.A. - Psychology, University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, Mississippi, 1983.

B.S. - Major - Psychology. Minor - Social and Rehabilitation Services, University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, Mississippi, 1981 (Honors).

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Dean (Interim), College of Education, Nicholls State University, P.O. Box 2053, Thibodaux, LA, 70310. July 1, 2010 – To Date

Department Head, Department of Psychology and Counselor Education, Nicholls State University, P.O. Box 2075, Thibodaux, Louisiana, 70310. August, 2001- June 2010.

Coordinator of Graduate Studies, College of Education, Nicholls State University, P.O. Box 2075, Thibodaux, LA, 70310. August, 2001 - 2005.

Assistant Dean, College of Education, Nicholls State University, P.O. Box 2075, Thibodaux, LA, 70310. January, 2000 – August, 2001.

Associate Professor, Director School Psychology Program, Department of Psychology and Counselor Education, Nicholls State University, P.O. Box 2075, Thibodaux, Louisiana, 70310. August 1995 - July 2001.

Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology and Counselor Education, Nicholls State University, P.O. Box 2075, Thibodaux, Louisiana, 70310. August 1988 – July, 1994.

School Psychologist, St. Charles Parish Schools, P.O. Box 46, Luling, Louisiana, 70070. August 1986 - June 1988.

School Psychologist, Orleans Parish Public Schools, 703 Carondelet St., New Orleans, Louisiana

70130. October 1984 - June 1986.

School Psychologist Intern, Griffin Cooperative Education Service Agency, P.O. Drawer H, Griffin, Georgia 30223, July 1983 - May 1984.

Youth Services Counselor, Tenth Chancery Court District, Youth Court Division, P. O. Box 829, Hattiesburg, Mississippi, June 1981 - August 1983.

Counselor, Veterans Affairs Office, Jackson County Junior College, Gautier, Mississippi. January 1977 - August 1978.

Licensed Psychologist , LSBEP #674, 1993 – To Date.

PUBLICATIONS

Welsh, J. S., Meche, S., & Broussard C. (2010). Competency-based school psychology practica: A collaborative training model. In *Handbook of Education, Training, and Supervision of School Psychologists in School and Community Vol. II*. Kaufman, J. & Hughes, T., Eds. Rutledge, New York, NY. (pp. 37 – 54).

Welsh, J. S., Stanley, J., Wilmoth, C., (2003). Competency based pre-internship supervision of school psychologists: A collaborative training model. *The Clinical Supervisor*. Vol 1. 22(1), 177-189

Welsh, J. S. (1998). Review of the Gilliam Autism Rating Scale. *The Thirteenth Mental Measurements Yearbook*, J. C. Impare & B. S. Blake Eds., The Buros Institute of Mental Measurements, Lincoln, Nebraska. (pp. 448 - 450).

Welsh, J. S. (1998). Review of the Test of Kindergarten/First Grade Readiness Skills. *The Thirteenth Mental Measurements Yearbook*, J. C. Impare & B. S. Blake Eds., The Buros Institute of Mental Measurements, Lincoln, Nebraska. (pp. 1034 - 1035).

Welsh, J. S., Mangum, J., & Callahan, D. (1992). A review of the Hudson Educational Skills Inventory. *The Journal of Psychoeducational Assessment*. Vol. 10, 386-391.

Welsh, J. S. (1992). A review of the Childrens Autism Rating Scale. *The 11th Annual Mental Measurements Yearbook*. Buros Institute.

Welsh, J. S., Rosenthal, G. T., & Stout, L. J., (1990). Comments on the second entry level debate: A modest reply to a modest proposal. *School Psychology Review*. Vol. 19, (1), 120-123.

Welsh, J. S., Youth suicide: A book review. (1987). *School Psychology Review*. Vol. 16 (3).

Welsh, J. S., (1987). Effects of evaluation, observation, and task difficulty on social facilitation: A test of the Zajonc and Cottrell hypotheses. *Dissertation Abstracts International*_Vol. 47, 3582 - B.

Paper Presentations, POSTER PRESENTATIONS, and Symposia:

Fuselier, S. & Welsh, J.S., (2011). Reading comprehension and fluency: Text on a computer versus printed text. Poster Presentation at the Annual Convention of the Louisiana School Psychological Association, Lafayette, Louisiana, November 2011

Rosenthal, G.T., Soper, B., Boudreaux, D.L., Welsh, J.S., Boudreaux, M. & Frias, T. (2009). The Student Storm Survey©: College Students' Thoughts on Their University's Response to a Natural Disaster. Presented at the Thirty-first National Institute on the Teaching of Psychology, St. Petersburg Beach, Florida, January 3rd-6th.

Welsh, J. S. & Meche, S. (2009). Survival skills for litigation, preparation, testimony, and the Daubert challenge. Presented at the Annual Convention of the Louisiana Educational Diagnosticians Association. Baton Rouge, Louisiana, October 2009.

Welsh, J. S. & Meche, S. (2008). Survival skills for litigation, preparation, testimony, and the Daubert challenge. Presented at the Annual Convention of the Louisiana School Psychological Association. Lafayette, Louisiana, November 2008.

Kaufman, J. & Welsh, J. S., (2008). Negotiating negative adolescent norms to promote resiliency, Mini – Skills Workshop: National Association of School Psychologists, New Orleans, LA, February, 2008.

Broussard, C. & Welsh, J. S., (2007). Beyond course grades: Assessing content knowledge within and across courses. Paper Presentation: National Association of School Psychologists, New York, NY, March 2007.

Broussard C. & Welsh, J. S., (2007). Virtually assisted supervision and program evaluation for school psychology programs. Paper Presentation: National Association of School Psychologists, Dallas, TX, April 2004.

Black, K., & Welsh, J. S., (2003). Examining the myth surrounding overrepresentation of minorities in special education. Paper Presentation: National Association of School Psychologists, Toronto, Canada, April.

Welsh, J. S., & Stanley, J., (2003). Amnesty, great grandfather, or additional training? An NCSPP focus group meeting. Louisiana Association of School Psychologists, Lafayette, LA, November.

Tabor, S., & Welsh, J. S., (2002). Parental attitudes concerning the effects of school uniforms. Paper Presentation: National Association of School Psychologists, Chicago, IL. February.

Broussard, C. D., Welsh, J. S., Talbot, J., Hart, L., Martin, L., Nagakar, S., Esteve, M., & Bernard, C. (2001). Training experiences for school psychology externs. Paper Presentation: Louisiana Association of School Psychologists, Lafayette, LA, November.

- Coulter, W. A., Zurendorfer, J., Tysinger, J., Jalbert, A. & Welsh, J. S.(2001). Who will help the children: Vacancies in pupil appraisal and teaching. Paper Presentation: Louisiana Association of School Psychologists, Lafayette, LA, November.
- Tabor, S., & Welsh, J. S. (2001). Parental attitudes concerning the effects of school uniforms. Paper Presentation: Louisiana Association of School Psychologists, Lafayette, LA, November.
- Sykes, M. & Welsh, J. S. (2001). The assist program: A system level prevention program. Paper Presentation: National Association of School Psychologist, Washington DC, April.
- Ronka, C. S. & Welsh, J. S. (2001). Language processing deficits and their effect on verbally loaded vs. non-verbally loaded measures of intelligence. NSU Research Council, Funded: \$3900.00. Paper Presentation: National Association of School Psychologist, Washington DC, April.
- Kaufman, J., Crespi, T., Rosenfield, S., Welsh, J. S., Wilmoth, C., Hodnett, E. (2000). Models and techniques for the supervision of school psychologists in training. Mini-Skills Workshop: National Association of School Psychologists, New Orleans, Louisiana, April.
- Welsh, J. S., Wilmoth, C. & Hodnut, E. (1999). The benefit of early field based experiences in skills acquisition for pre-specialist students in school psychology: A competency based approach to professional preparation. Paper Presentation: Las Vegas, Nevada, April.
- Stout, L. J., Saxon, L., & Welsh, J. S. (1999). From paper to digital: Is there a Rosetta Stone? Paper Presentation: National Association of School Psychologists, Las Vegas, Nevada, April.
- Pitts, C. & Welsh, J. S. (1998). Job satisfaction: A survey of practicing school psychologists in Louisiana. Paper Presentation: Louisiana School Psychological Association, Lafayette, Louisiana, November.
- LeBlanc, W. R. & Welsh, J. S. (1998). Selective Mutism: Let's Give Them Something to Talk About. Paper Presentation: Louisiana School Psychological Association, Lafayette, Louisiana, November.
- Welsh, J. S., Boudreaux, M., Iverstine, B., Rouse, J., & Smelley, T. (1995). I can't get no satisfaction: Factors effecting job satisfaction among practicing school psychologists. Paper Presentation, Louisiana School Psychological Association, Lafayette, Louisiana, November.
- Welsh, J. S., & Stout, L. J. (1995). The status of supervision in school psychology: A summary of national surveys. Poster Presentation, Louisiana School Psychological Association, Lafayette, Louisiana, November.
- Welsh, J. S. & Stout, L. (1995). Supervision in school psychology: A national survey of clinical, counseling, and school psychology programs. Poster Presentation, National Association

of School Psychologists, Chicago, Illinois, March.

Welsh, J. S. & Stout, L. (1994). Supervision in school psychology: A national survey of specialist and doctoral programs. Poster presentation: National Association of School Psychologists. Seattle, Washington, March.

Welsh, J. S., & Stout, L.(1993). Supervision in school psychology: A national survey of state departments of education practice and policy. Poster Presentation: National Association of School Psychologists. Washington, District of Columbia, March.

Callahan, D., & Welsh, J. S. (1992). Methods of reducing self-injury and increasing task compliance in children with autism. Paper Presentation: National Association of School Psychologists. Nashville, Tennessee, March.

Welsh, J.S., Rosenthal, G.T., & Bunn, W. (1992). Something old, something new, something similar: Item type and performance on a psychology examination. Paper Presentation: Fourteenth annual National Institute on the Teaching of Psychology, St. Petersburg Beach, Florida, January.

Welsh, J. S. (1991). AIDS and child incidence rates: The storm on the horizon. Paper Presentation: National Association of School Psychologists. Dallas, Texas, March.

Callahan, D., & Welsh, J. S. (1991). Stimulus control as a means of reducing self-injurious behavior in children with Autism. Paper Presentation: National Association of School Psychologists. Dallas, Texas, March.

Welsh, J. S. (1990). The use of microcomputers in pupil appraisal case load management. Poster Presentation: National Association of School Psychologists. San Francisco, California, March.

Welsh, J. S., & Leverett, J. (1990). AIDS and child incidence rates: Current centers for disease control data. Paper Presentation: National Association of School Psychologists. San Francisco, California, March.

Leverett, J. & Welsh, J. S. (1989). AIDS: Essential concerns for school psychologists. Paper Presentation: Louisiana School Psychological Association. Lafayette, Louisiana, October.

Turco, T., Skinner, C., & Welsh, J. S. (1989). The analysis of consultee verbal responses to consultant questions. Poster Presentation: National Association of School Psychologists. Boston, Massachusetts, March.

Turco, T., Skinner, C., Lalli, P., & Welsh, J. S. (1989). Analog acceptability research: Behavioral projective testing? Paper Presentation: National Association of School Psychologists. Boston, Massachusetts, March.

Welsh, J. S. & Stout, L. (1989). Teaching prosocial behaviors in the special education classroom. Paper Presentation: Ninth Annual Super Conference on Special Education. Baton Rouge, Louisiana, February.

- Welsh, J. S., Tucker, D., Fairchild, T., Hooker, R., Mahe', K., and Turco. T. (1987). Suicide prevention and postvention: Currently used procedures. Symposium: National Association of School Psychologists. New Orleans, Louisiana, April.
- Welsh, J. S., Turco. T., Carpenter. V., Mahe', K., and Rush, R. (1987). Suicide prevention and reactionary procedures in the school setting: A symposium. Symposium: Seventh Annual Super Conference on Special Education. Lafayette, Louisiana. February.
- Turco. T., & Welsh J. S. (1987). IBM-PC computer-based case tracking. Paper Presentation: Seventh Annual Super Conference on Special Education. Lafayette, Louisiana. February.
- Stinnett, T., Welsh, J. S., Oehler-Stinnett, J., (USM) and Hebert, J. (Orleans Parish School Board) (1986). Evaluation of the effectiveness of Assertive Discipline in a school-wide intervention. Paper Presentation: National Association of School Psychologists. Hollywood, Florida, April, 1986.
- Welsh, J. S. (1982). Vocational education: A new frontier for School Psychology. Paper Presentation: Mississippi Academy of Science, Biloxi, Mississippi, March.
- Welsh, J. S., Holliman, B., and Sisemore, D. (1981). Time effect of observation on reaction time. Paper presentation: Mississippi Academy of Science, Jackson, Mississippi, March.
- Holliman, B., Sisemore, D., Welsh, J. S., and Woodward, T, (1980). A test of Zajonc's hypothesis regarding social facilitation and task difficulty. Paper Presentation: Southeastern Psychological Association, Washington, D.C., March.
- Welsh, J. S., Woodward, T., Holliman, B., and Sisemore, D. (1980). Social facilitation of a dominant response. Paper Presentation: Mississippi Academy of Science, Biloxi, Mississippi, March.
- Trainer/Facilitator, (1982). Staff Development Workshop, Diamondhead, Resort Area, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, July.
- Trainer/Facilitator, (1980). Staff Development Workshop, Emergency School Aid Act (ESSA), New Orleans, Louisiana, November.

Invited Presentations AND WORKSHOPS:

- Welsh, J. S. & Reschly, D. (2012). Survival skills tool kit for due process hearing and litigation. Workshop Presented at the Annual Convention of School Psychologists. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, February.
- Welsh, J. S. (2011). B. F. Skinner's living legacy in American education. B.F. Skinner Lecture Series, Presented at the 37th Annual Convention of the Association of Applied Behavior Analysis International, Denver, Colorado, May.
- Welsh, J. S. & Reschly, D. (2011). Survival skills for litigation, preparation, testimony, and the Daubert challenge. Workshop Presented at the Annual Convention of the National

Association of School Psychologists. San Francisco, California, February.

Welsh, J. S. (2011). Survival skills for litigation, preparation, testimony, and the Daubert challenge. Workshop presented for the Louisiana School Psychology Internship Consortium (LASPIC), Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, - Human Development Center. New Orleans, Louisiana, June.

Welsh, J. S. (2010). Survival skills for litigation, preparation, testimony, and the Daubert challenge. Workshop presented for the Louisiana School Psychology Internship Consortium (LASPIC), Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, - Human Development Center. New Orleans, Louisiana, March .

Welsh, J. S. (2009). Survival skills for litigation, preparation, testimony, and the Daubert challenge. Workshop presented for Pupil Appraisal Personnel, Terrebonne Parish Public Schools. Houma, Louisiana, January.

Benson, A. J., Beeman Phillips, Welsh, J. Steven, & Reschly, Dan, (1996). NASP Annual Past-Presidents Roast of Dr. Alan Coulter, Presented at the Annual Convention of the National Association of School Psychologists, Atlanta, Georgia, March.

Welsh, J. S. (1990). Pediatric and adolescent AIDS: The rising storm. Key Note Address, Region III First Annual Conference on At-Risk Youth, Nicholls State University, Thibodaux, Louisiana, October.

Welsh, J. S. (1990). Developing an AIDS school system policy. Workshop, Ascension Parish Public Schools, Prairieville, Louisiana, December.

Welsh, S. (1987). Crisis management with suicidal youth. Psychology Department, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, March.

Welsh, S. (1987). Developing a crisis response team. Psychology Department, University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, Mississippi, April.

Grants and Funded Projects:

Mead, T., Welsh, S., Whiting, S., Vavasseur, C., & Gautreaux, G. (2010). Nicholls Instructional Technology Funding Request, College of Education. (funded \$37,919.42)

Welsh, J. S., (2005). A Grant Proposal to the American Psychological Association: Hurricane Katrina Relief. American Psychological Association. (funded: \$5000.00)

Ronka, C. S. & Welsh, J. S., (2000). Language processing deficits and their effect on verbally loaded vs. non-verbally loaded measures of intelligence. NSU Research Council. (funded: \$3900.00).

Welsh, J. S. & Stout, L. J. (1996). Enhancement of the Guidance Counseling, Counseling, and School Psychology Training Facilities. LEQSF. (funded: \$12,400.00 funded)

Welsh, J. S. (1995). CBT Modules for Weschler Training. Goals 2000. (funded: \$575.00)

Areas of Teaching Problems and Issues in School Psychology
Intellectual Assessment
Applied Behavior Analysis
School Psychology Externship & Internship Supervision
Advanced Child Psychopathology
Child Development

Research Interests Clinical Supervision and Professional Practice in School
Psychology
Effects of Chronic Poverty on Educational Outcomes

Professional Affiliations

American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education (2005 – To Date)

Louisiana Association of Colleges of Teacher Education (2010 – To Date)

Louisiana Psychological Association (LPA)

Legislative Action Network Coordinator (1999)

National Association of School Psychologists (NASP -1988 – To Date)

Louisiana State Delegate (2002 – 2005)

Co-Chair – Committee to Develop On-Line CPD Modules (2004)

Reviewer: NASP Program Approval Board (1997 - To Date)

School Psychology Alert Network: Legislative Action Group (1994-95 & 1999)

Chair: Supervision Interest Group (1990-1993)

Committee Member: NASP Research Grant Review Board, 1987

Committee Member: 1987 Convention Paper Presentation Selection Committee

Committee Chair: 2000 Convention Paper Presentation Selection Committee -

State Coordinator

Recipient - Presidential Award for Service to Children and NASP (1999)

Trainers in School Psychology

Executive Board Member - Membership/Treasurer (Elected 1999 - To Date)

Recipient – TSP Service Award (2005)

Louisiana School Psychological Association (1988 – To Date)

President (1996 & 1999)

Regional Representative: Greater New Orleans Area (Elected 1987-88)

Chair, Professional Standards Committee: (Appointed 1989-90)

Co-chair - Legislative Committee (Appointed 2000)

Recipient - President's Award for Outstanding Service (2008)

Service

- University Level - Human Subjects Institutional Review Board (Chair 1995-2000 & 2005 – To Date)
Library Search Committee - Chair (2011)
VPAA/Provost Search Committee (2004)
SACS Steering Committee (1995)
Research Subcommittee
University Assessment Committee
Commencement Committee (1995 – 2010)
Anti Discrimination Committee (Past-Chair)
NSU Graduate Council
Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee – Ad Hoc
Faculty Advisor – NSU Veterans Club (2005)
- College Level - NCATE Steering Committee (Two review cycles)
NCATE Standard 5 Committee (Chair)
Graduate Grievance Committee (Chair)
Search Committee for Dean
Curriculum Studies Committee (Chair)
Dyslexia Center Search Committee (Chair)
- Department Level - Department Head (2001 – 2010)
Director, School Psychology Program (1995 - 2001)
Graduate Faculty Committee (1998 – 2010)
Human Subjects Review Committee (Chair)
Psychology Training Clinic Committee

PROFESSIONAL COMMUNITY Service

- Pro Bono: Bayou Community Charter School – School Board Member (2011 – To Date)
MAX Charter School- School Board Member (2010 - To Date)
Member, Behavior Intervention Committee, Peltier Lawless
Developmental Center. (1995 - 2010)
Member, St. Charles Parish Special Education Advisory Board
(Appointed 1988 – 1990)
Member, St. James Parish Special Education Advisory Board
(Appointed 1989 – 2000)
Member, School Psychology Advisory Board, Louisiana State
Department of Education, (Appointed) (1989 – 1993) & (2002 – 2008).
Member, Bulletin 1508 Revision Work Group, Louisiana State
Department of Education, 1999.
Provided Licensed Psychological Supervision for the Louisiana Center for the
Study of Dyslexia and Related learning Disorders (1998 – 2007).
Consultant, Waverly Group Home, Thibodaux, Louisiana (1995- 1998)
Consultant, Assumption Association of Retarded Citizens (1995 – 2006)
Consultant, Donaldsonville Association of Retarded Citizens (1995 – To Date)

Contracted: Consultant, Terrebonne Association of Retarded Citizens (1995 – To Date)
Provide Licensed Psychological Supervision for the Louisiana Center for the
Study of Dyslexia and Related Learning Disorders (2007 – To Date).

Military Service

United States Army, Army Security Agency, Radio Intercept Operator (05H/20-Y4),
Specialist, 4th Class, Honorable Discharge, July 1972 - July 1975.