

# Curriculum Vitae

Steven W. Spotts, PsyD

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

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Mandee Wilmot age 32), married to Ryan Wilmot (1 child)

**CAREER STATUS** Licensed Psychologist, Oregon License # 944

## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

### • Current and Primary Professional Occupation

1991-present: Licensed Psychologist, Self Employed, Beaverton, Oregon.  
1989-1991: Residency in Clinical Psychology, Community Counseling Services / Portland Adventist Medical Center in Portland, Oregon.  
Supervisor: Stephen S. Scherr, Ph.D.  
1989-1991: Residency in Clinical Psychology, Private office, Beaverton, Oregon.  
Supervisor: Stephen S. Scherr, Ph.D.

### • Additional Employment History

2005-2011: Owner, B\_Unit Productions  
2003-2008: Adjunct Instructor of George Fox Evangelical Seminary  
1991-Present: Associate Staff Member of CRU in Northwest Area, Portland, Oregon.  
1978-1991: Staff Member of Campus Crusade for Christ (CCC, now CRU)  
1989-1991: Graduate studies staff of CCC/CRU during Residency Training  
1985-1989: Graduate studies staff of CCC/CRU at Western Seminary, Portland Oregon  
1983-1985: Seminary staff of CCC/CRU at Dallas Theological Seminary, Dallas Texas  
1981-1983: Campus Staff Member of CCC/CRU and Director of Student Led Ministry at Baylor University in Waco, Texas  
1978-1983: Campus staff member of CCC/CRU at the University of Texas in Austin, Texas

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## **EDUCATION**

- 1989: Psy. D., Clinical Psychology  
Western Seminary, Portland, Oregon
- 1987: M. A., Clinical Psychology  
Western Seminary, Portland, Oregon
- 1986: M. A., Biblical Studies  
Dallas Theological Seminary, Dallas, Texas
- 1977: B. S., Criminal Justice  
Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan

## **PRE DOCTORAL INTERNSHIP SITES**

- 1988-1989: Portland Adventist Medical Center, Portland, Oregon  
Supervisors: Robert Wolgamott, M.D. and Rodger Bufford, Ph.D.  
Responsibilities: This is a half-time internship which involves accompanying psychiatrists on rounds, facilitating inpatient group therapy, writing clinical evaluations of inpatients, diagnosing, preparing treatment plans, assessments of intellectual functioning, personality assessment, individual therapy, and presenting lectures to patients in the eating disorders unit.
- 1988-1989: Western Psychological and Counseling Services, Portland, Oregon  
Supervisors: Wayne Colwell, Ph.D. and Rodger Bufford, Ph.D.  
Responsibilities: This is a half-time internship which involves outpatient intakes, individual therapy with adults and adolescents, family therapy, marital and couple therapy, weekly inservice training, group supervision, planning and executing marketing strategies, giving brief seminars at various locations in the Portland area, personality and intellectual assessment, diagnosing, and developing treatment plans.

## **PRACTICUM SITES**

- 1987-88: Western Psychological and Counseling Services, Portland, Oregon  
Supervisor: Wayne Colwell, Ph.D.  
Responsibilities: Psychotherapy with adults, adolescents, couples, and families referred by the staff of Rolling Hills Community Church

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## **PRACTICUM SITES (cont.)**

1986-87: Intensive Family Services, Hillsboro, Oregon

Supervisor: John Joseph Paul, M.A.

Responsibilities: Providing family therapy with multiple impact team under contract with Children Services Division.

1986: Intensive Family Services, Albany, Oregon

Supervisor: Rob Cooley, Ph. D.

Responsibilities: Providing family therapy with multiple impact team under contract with Children Services Division.

1984: Garland Memorial Hospital, Garland, Texas

Supervisor: Paul Meier, M.D.

Responsibilities: Patient contact and support, spiritual counseling, lead Bible studies with voluntary patient group, contribute to treatment goals.

## **OTHER EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING**

### **Continuing Education**

- The Treatment of Incest from a Family Systems Perspective: by Dr. James Maddock and Dr. Noel Larsen
- State of the Art Conference on Family Therapy: presented by the Portland Family Institute
- Diagnosis and Psychotherapy of Borderline Patients: by Dr. Otto Kernberg
- Alcohol Seminar: presented by Serenity Lane Alcohol Treatment Center
- Overcoming Childhood Trauma
- Character Formation from Birth to Late Adolescence: A Longitudinal Study: by Dr. Sylvia Brody
- Teen Suicide: by Dr. Richard Lazere and presented by Cedar Hills Hospital
- Integrating Developmental Theory into Dynamic Therapy: by Dr. Paul Feldman
- Psychodynamic Psychotherapy of Personality Disorders
- The Seduction of Christian Counseling: How Fair are our Critics? by Dr. Gary Collins at the Evangelical Theological Society
- Clinical Applications of Ego Psychology: by Drs. Robin and Gertrude Blanck
- Psychological/Medical Mimics and Interface - Diagnosis and Treatment: by Dr. Ken Erickson and others
- MMPI and MMPI-2 : by Dr. Alex Caldwell
- Modern Psychopharmacologic Approach to the Treatment of Depression: by Dr. Robert Neborsky
- Splitting and Projective Identification among Healthier Individuals: by Dr. Gregory Hamilton
- Effects of Divorce on Children: by Dr. Judith Wallerstein
- Ethics and Law for Psychologists: by Dr. Cynthia Sturm and Katie Gaetjens

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## **OTHER EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING (cont.)**

- Dissociative Response to Trauma: by Dr. David Fenstermaker
- Diagnosis and Intervention for Attention Deficit Disorder: by Dr. Grant Martin
- Marriage Therapy: In Quest of the Mythical Mate: by Dr. Ellyn Bader
- Supervision: Introduction, Theory and Practice, Legal and Professional Issues (30 hours): by Dr. Rebecca Browers
- Mental Health and the Law: by Lisa C. Brown, J.D.; Keith Meisenheimer, J.D.; and Steve Houze, J.D.
- Love Under Pressure (Surviving and Thriving with Difficult Couples): by Ellyn Bader, Ph.D.
- Reel Therapy: Cinematherapy: by Gary Solomon, MPH, MSW, Ph.D.
- Aspects of Managing the Chronic Pain Patient: by Gregory T. Smith, Ph.D. and Stan Sturgis, M.D.
- Advances in the Antipsychotic Drug Treatment of Psychosis: by Danel Casey, M.D.
- Directions in Clinical Psychology, Vol 5 (Completed 25 Hour Program): Presented by The Hatherleigh Company
- Ethics Intensive: Decision Making in Adult Psychotherapy: by Cynthia Sturm, Ph.D.
- Erotic Transference and Countertransference: Psychotherapeutic Strategies: by Glen Gabbard, M.D.
- The Seductions of the Self: by Gerald I. Fogel, M.D.
- The Nonverbal Dimension in Psychoanalysis: State and It's Clinical Vicissitudes: by Evelyn Albrecht Schwaber, M.D.
- Understanding and Managing Transference / Countertransference Phenomenon: by Ralph Klein, M.D.
- Healing ADD from the Inside Out: by Daniel G. Amen, M.D.
- Ethics, Law and Avoiding Liability in the Practice of Psychology: by Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards
- Interpretation and Containment: by Lucy Lafarge, M.D.
- Professional Ethics, Supervision, and Consultation: by Robin L. Shellcross, Ph.D., ABPP
- Post Traumatic Stress Disorder: by Paul Leung, M.D.
- The Repressed, Unrepressed, and Creative Unconscious: by Karen Lombardi, Ph.D.
- Masters & Johnson, Trauma and Compulsivity: by Mark Schwartz, Sc.D. and Daniel A. Glaser, LCSW
- Mind Over Movies: "Afterlife" Discussion Following
- Mind Over Movies: "The Sweet Hereafter" Discussion Following
- Mind Over Movies: "Amelie" Discussion Following
- Mental Health & the Law in Oregon: by Paul Cooney, JD; Lisa Brown, JD; Mary Ann Yelnosky, JD; and Patrick W. Henry, JD.
- The Multiplicity of Subjective Experience: by the Northwest Center for Psychoanalysis and Margaret Crastnopol, Ph.D.

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## **OTHER EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING (cont.)**

- Promise of Attachment Theory: Clinical Applications with Children, Families, and Adults (Interpersonal Neurobiology Series by Daniel J. Siegel, MD); by Daniel Siegel, MD; Dianna Fosha, Ph.D., Glen Cooper, M.A., Kent Hoffman, Rel.D., Bert Powell, M.A. Date: 2/27-28/04.
- Men, Emotions and Psychotherapy: by Ronald Levant, Ph.D. Date: 6/25/04
- Psychoanalytic Diagnosis: Understanding Personality Structure in the Clinical Process: by Nancy McWilliams, Ph.D. Test Completed 9/10/04
- Acceptance and Commitment Theory: by Vijay Shankar, Psy.D. and Anne Shankar, MSSW Date: 10/6/04
- Ethical and Legal Solutions to Common Clinical Dilemmas: by Eric Johnson, Ph.D. ABPP Date: 10/15/04
- Ongoing Participation in Psychoanalytically Oriented Reading and Discussion Group with participants Steve Spotts, Psy.D; Kurt Free, Ph.D.; Joe Wood, Psy.D.; Eric Mueller, Ph.D.; Doug McClure; Psy.D.

## **PSYCHOMETRIC EXPERIENCE**

- Minnesota Multiphasic Personality Inventory
- Fundamental Interpersonal Relations Orientation-Behavior
- Interpersonal Behavior Survey
- Rotter's Incomplete Sentence Blank
- Bender Visual-Motor Gestalt
- Beery Developmental Test of Visual-Motor Integration
- Wechsler Adult Intelligence Scale-Revised
- Wechsler Intelligence Scale for Children-Revised
- Wechsler Memory Scale-Revised
- Stanford-Binet Intelligence Scale: Fourth Edition
- Wide Range Achievement Test
- Diagnostic Reading Scales (Spache)
- Goldman-Fristoe Wookcock Test of Auditory Discrimination
- Peabody Picture Vocabulary Test

## **MISCELLANEOUS**

1974-94: Campus Crusade for Christ

Responsibilities: Counseling, consulting, writing, materials development, teaching various seminars and working with staff and students in the areas of vocational planning, personal problems, conflict resolution, and interpersonal staff team difficulties.

## **DISSERTATION**

"Selected Interpersonal and Demographic Variables as Predictors of Ego Identity Status Among New Staff of Campus Crusade for Christ"

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## **PUBLICATIONS**

Learning More About Depression, Rapha Treatment Centers, 1991

Learning More About Eating Disorders, Rapha Treatment Centers, 1991

## **REFERENCES**

Available upon request