

Calendar of Events

May 3, 2024

National Register Special Event May 2024 Webinar: Telehealth vs In-Person: Ethics and Strategies for Treating Those at Risk **Live Webinar**

12:00 PM - 03:15 PM EST

National Register, 202-783-7663

Telehealth vs In-Person: Ethics and Strategies for Treating Those at Risk

Mary K. Alvord PhD and David Jobes, PhD

Friday, May 3 12:00 PM — 3:15 PM ET

Drs. Mary K. Alvord and David Jobes will present key ethical considerations for telehealth in this 3-hour workshop designed to meet PSYPACT and licensure renewal requirements. Telehealth is a modality that reduces barriers to care—particularly for rural, remote, diverse, and underserved populations. Drs. Alvord and Jobes will focus on criteria to help practitioners determine when it is in the client's best interest to use in-person versus telehealth sessions, or when it's appropriate to use a hybrid model and at what point in treatment. They will also discuss how practitioners can ethically offer a range of options. Dr. Jobes will discuss commonsense suggestions for managing suicide risk and emergency situations when using telehealth as a modality. He will discuss informed consent, third parties who may be asked to assist in an emergency, and provisions for problems that may come up related to using telehealth (e.g., privacy, bad connection, wifi drops the call). Dr. Jobes will also discuss decreasing exposure to malpractice liability by doing evidence-based care and documenting the clinical work well.

IPA is passing along an additional discount to all members. See email for details.

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May 10, 2024

IPA Spring Ethics Event: The Trust Sequence XIV: Ethics and Risk Management of Navigating
Live Zoom Webinar

09:00 AM - 04:30 PM EST

IPA 2024 Virtual Ethics Conference

6.0 Hours of Category I CE credit

15% off your Trust Sponsored Professional Liability Policy premium (for 2 consecutive years at policy renewal)

Friday, May 10th, 2024 9:00 am - 4:30 pm ET

Registrants will receive further information for participating via Zoom Webinar for the presentation.

The Trust Sequence XII Engaging in Challenging Conversations: Ethics and Risk Management

Program Description:

For over two decades, The Trust has worked to educate and support psychologists in improving their ethics and risk management skills and strategies by providing live workshops, webinars, risk management consultations, and expanding resources. This 14th Workshop in our Sequence series continues to emphasize applied, integrated and strategic methods to help you stay grounded in ethical principles and practices, and to protect you from adverse disciplinary and legal actions.

In today's swiftly changing landscape, psychologists are witnessing a surge of fresh opportunities and possibilities. These emerging frontiers not only broaden the scope of professional activities for aiding clients and patients through innovative methods, but also offer avenues to enhance and support practice in ways that were once unimaginable. However, these new territories also come with their own set of unique challenges, unforeseen risks, and uncertainties.

Workshop XIV is dedicated to exploring the ethical considerations and risk management strategies essential for effectively maneuvering through these novel domains in psychological practice. Specific topics include: necessary considerations for expanding one's practice into new areas, psychedelic assisted therapy (PAT), the use of artificial intelligence (AI) in psychological practice, issues related to digital security, new understandings of PSYPACT and interjurisdictional telepsychology (IJTP), and effectively managing transitions in one's practice (e.g., new employment, retirement, disability/illness, professional wills).

** This course will not fulfill requirements of all jurisdictions. It is important that potential participants review their respective state licensing board requirements prior to registering for this workshop.*

Learning Objectives:

Describe basic principles of ethics and risk management, as applied to several specific clinical situations that arise in professional practice.

List at least three areas of the ethics code relevant to expanding one's psychological practice into new directions.

Describe potential risks psychologists face when growing their business in new areas.

Summarize at least three risk management strategies that can assist in mitigating risk.

Explain the current state of legality regarding this model of treatment; identify areas of unique risk when practicing PAT; and delineate at least five specific strategies for ethically managing those risks.

Define psychedelic assisted therapy (PAT).

Differentiate between legal and illegal interjurisdictional telepsychology (IJTP) practice and explain multiple avenues for legal practice.

Define three benefits and three risks of using artificial intelligence in psychological practice.

Identify three aspects of HIPAA that apply to privacy and security in emerging technology.

Summarize four steps in preparing for transitions in professional practice, and three action steps when these changes occur.

Delineate at least four risk management strategies for IJTP, both within and outside of PSYPACT, including the management of patients in crisis across jurisdictions

Presenter: Leisl M. Bryant, Ph.D., ABPP

Dr. Bryant is a licensed New Hampshire and Massachusetts-based clinical and forensic psychologist, with board certification in Forensic Psychology by the American Board of Professional Psychology. She received her B.A. from the University of West Florida, her M.A. and Ph.D. in clinical psychology from Duquesne University, and completed a forensic postdoctoral fellowship at the University of Massachusetts Medical School Law and Psychiatry Program.

Working in both criminal and civil arenas, Dr. Bryant has maintained a private practice in clinical and forensic psychology for nearly two decades and has provided psychological services in a variety of forensic and therapeutic settings.

Dr. Bryant is a Fellow with the American Academy of Forensic Psychology, and formerly served as President and Executive Director of the New Hampshire Psychological Association (NHPA). She also served on the NHPA Ethics Committee for over ten years, received the Margaret M. Riggs Award for Distinguished Contribution to Psychology in the State of New Hampshire, and was awarded the Karl F. Heiser APA Presidential Award for Advocacy. Dr. Bryant brings extensive experience in forensic, clinical, and ethical consultation, academic instruction, and professional presentation to her role on the risk management team.

Dr. Leisl Bryant

Presenter: Marc A. Martinez, PhD, HSPP

Dr. Martinez has been an ethics and risk management consultant to mental health professionals for The Trust's professional liability insurance program since 2020. Dr. Martinez founded his private practice, Clinical and Forensic Psychology Services, in 2012 through which he provides a variety of forensic and clinical services, including evaluations and consultations related to competency to stand trial, criminal responsibility/insanity defense, sexual recidivism risk (including civil commitment of individuals who commit sexual offenses), violence recidivism risk, and disability determinations. Prior to establishing his private practice, Dr. Martinez worked as the lead forensic psychologist for a secured forensic unit at a state psychiatric hospital in Georgia and as an independent examiner for New York State's Bureau of Sex Offender Evaluation and Treatment.

Dr. Marc A. Martinez received his B.A. from Cornell University and his M.S. and Ph.D. from the University of Georgia. He completed an APA-accredited predoctoral internship and a postdoctoral fellowship at Georgia Regional Hospital in Atlanta. In 2011, Dr. Martinez became board certified by the American Board of Professional Psychology in Forensic Psychology. Dr. Martinez is currently a licensed psychologist in Indiana as a Health Service Provider in Psychology, Ohio, and New York. He also has authority to Practice Interjurisdictional Telepsychology (APIT) and Temporary Authorization to Practice (TAP) under PSYPACT.

Dr. Marc Martinez

Special Note: this CE event will not be recorded and is not available for home study

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Eligibility for The Trust Insurance Premium Discounts:

Workshop completion earns 6 CE credits and eligibility to receive a 15% premium discount on your Trust Sponsored Professional Liability Insurance for your next 2 consecutive policy periods. To obtain CE discounts, submit CE certification from an organization approved by APA to offer CE credit (must have been completed within the previous 15 months) with the insurance application. Discounts cannot be combined and are not applicable to Researcher/Academician or Student policies. Group policies become eligible for the CE discount when at least 50% of those insured under the group policy submit CE certification. All applications are individually underwritten and submission of CE certification will not guarantee insurance policy issuance or renewal.

Registration Fees:

Non-Members - Psychologists and Other Professionals \$275

IPA Basic, Emeritus-Retired Members, Academic, Post-doc, and Affiliate Members - \$225

IPA New, Premier, Emeritus-Practicing - \$200

IPA Platinum Members - \$100

Registration will close on Thursday, May 9th at 11:59 p.m.

May 16, 2024

National Register Webinar: Recognizing and Treating Body Dysmorphic Disorder
Live Webinar
02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST
National Register, 202-783-7663

Recognizing and Treating Body Dysmorphic Disorder
Sony Khemlani-Patel, PhD
Thursday, May 16 2:00 PM — 3:00 PM ET

Body dysmorphic disorder (BDD) is largely underdiagnosed and overlooked due to many factors. Individuals with BDD often seek cosmetic procedures rather than mental health treatment or do not reveal the nature of their symptoms to clinicians. BDD can present with high suicidality, multiple co-morbidities, and significant impairment in functioning requiring clinicians to address a multitude of risk and clinical factors. Dr. Sony Khemlani-Patel will help you to recognize and assess for the diagnosis, distinguish it from disorders with overlapping symptoms, and introduce evidence-based treatment strategies.

Select IPA members are eligible for a 50% discount. See email for details.

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May. 2024 IPA Webinar: Psychological Treatment Consideration in Parkinson's Disease
Live Webinar

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST

IPA 2024 Webinar Series

1.0 Hour of Category I CE credit

Friday, May 17th, 2024 at Noon

Registrants will receive further information for participating via Zoom Webinar for the presentation.

Psychological Treatment Consideration in Parkinson's Disease

The overall aim of this presentation is to educate psychologists on the disease process and mental health considerations in Parkinson's disease. We will provide recommendations for specific therapeutic approaches/considerations when working with this population, taking into consideration the specific cognitive, physical, and psychiatric symptoms these individuals experience. We will also provide attendees with resources which may benefit these specific patients.

Learning Objectives

By completing this program, participants will be able to:

- 1. Describe the cardinal symptoms of Parkinson's disease.*
- 2. Define the common psychological and neuropsychiatric symptoms of Parkinson's disease.*
- 3. Assess treatment needs of people living with Parkinson's disease and their families and select evidence-based therapeutic treatment approaches to address these needs.*
- 4. Identify local resources for individuals with Parkinson's disease.*

Presenter Bio: Angelina Polsinelli, PhD, ABPP-CN

Dr. Angelina Polsinelli is a board-certified clinical neuropsychologist and Assistant Professor of Clinical Neurology at the Indiana University School of Medicine. She sees patients for a variety of medical and neurological concerns, including individuals with Parkinson's disease. She is the neuropsychology lead for the Parkinson's Center of Excellence at IUSM and for the deep brain stimulation team and has given several talks on managing apathy, impulsivity, and speech and language challenges for the Parkinson's Foundation. She is also an investigator with the Longitudinal Early-onset Alzheimer's Disease Study (LEADS) led by Dr. Liana Apostolova and faculty with the Outreach Recruitment and Engagement (OREC) core of the Indiana Alzheimer's Disease Research Center (IADRC). She leads community outreach and education about brain health and the importance of early dementia detection through local churches, neighborhood centers, and senior living centers.

Dr. Angelina Polsinelli

Presenter Bio: Shannon Harris, PsyD

Dr. Shannon Harris graduated with her doctorate in clinical psychology from the University of Indianapolis in 2022. She completed her pre-doctoral internship with a neuropsychology emphasis at the North Texas VA Healthcare System. She is currently a second-year post doctoral fellow in clinical neuropsychology at the Indiana University School of Medicine in the Department of Neurology. She is an active participant on the multidisciplinary pre-surgical deep brain stimulation team at IU, which helps to evaluate patient candidacy for surgical interventions for Parkinson's disease and other movement disorders. She has experience conducting neuropsychological evaluations with individuals diagnosed with Parkinson's disease to assess surgical candidacy and to characterize their current cognitive functioning. Dr. Harris is expected to graduate from her post-doctoral fellowship in August 2024, and she will continue to reside in Indianapolis where she plans to pursue a career in geriatric neuropsychology in a hospital-based setting.

Dr. Shannon Harris

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Registration will close on Thursday, May 16th, 2024.

May IPA Student Event: Internship Applications 101

Live Zoom Meeting

06:00 PM - 07:00 PM EST

IPA 2024 FREE Student Event

Thursday, May 23rd, 2024, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Please share with Psychology students. All are welcome! This webinar will probably be most relevant to PhD/PsyD students in clinical or counseling psychology programs who are about to start the internship application process.

Registrants will receive further information for participating via Zoom Webinar.

Program Description: Internship Applications 101

During this virtual webinar, participants will hear about the personal experiences of Indiana clinical and counseling psychology doctoral students who have gone through the internship application process and successfully matched. This webinar will be presented in a moderated panel format.

Moderators: Sydney Majka and Sergio Maldonado Aguiñiga, IPA Student Committee Members

Panelist Bio: Denny Putra

Coming soon...

Panelist Bio: Dhriti Agrawal

Coming soon...

Panelist Bio: Sergio Maldonado Aguiñiga

Sergio Maldonado Aguiñiga, M.S. Ed., is of Mexican-descent born and raised in Southern California (Pomona and Fontana). He received his associate's degrees from Moreno Valley College and transferred to California State Polytechnic, Pomona (Cal Poly Pomona) where he obtained his B.A. in Psychology with a minor in Political Science and provided introductory to college courses within the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) and mentorship to parolees. Currently, he is a 5th year doctoral student in the Counseling Psychology program at Purdue University. His research commitment involves examining the therapeutic experiences (e.g., processes and outcomes) of the incarcerated and formerly incarcerated community to identify culturally-relevant practices that facilitates reentry post-incarceration. As a Spanish-English bilingual clinician, his clinical practice commitment involves providing therapeutic services to the Latino/a/x and economically marginalized communities in community-based settings. On the weekends, he enjoys listening to rancheras while making carne asadas. He also enjoys watching fútbol and boxing, and Franco Escamilla's stand-up specials.

Sergio Maldonado Aguiñiga

Panelist Bio: Sydney Majka

Sydney Majka, B.A. is a master's student in Ball State's Clinical Mental Health Counseling Program who will be graduating this summer. In Fall 2023, Sydney will begin her doctoral degree (Ph.D) in Counseling Psychology at Ball State University. Sydney graduated from DePauw University in 2021 with a B.A. in Psychology. While at Ball State, Sydney has investigated how attitudes and perceptions change towards individuals who cite a mental health excuse versus another type of excuse. In her doctoral program, Sydney hopes to continue conducting research on the impacts of health beliefs on psychological functioning. Sydney is currently interning at a university counseling center. In her doctoral program, Sydney hopes to gain clinical experience conducting assessments for ADHD and autism. When not studying or working with clients, Sydney enjoys spending time with friends and family, baking, reading, and

watersports.

Sydney Majka

Panelist Bio: Michelle Williams

Michelle Williams is a second-year doctoral student in clinical psychology at Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis, with an emphasis in health psychology. Michelle earned a B.S. in Psychology and a minor in Educational Studies from the University of Florida. Her research interests at IUPUI include examining the interaction between depression, anxiety, and cardiometabolic diseases, with a focus on interventions and health disparities. In her free time, she enjoys reading, salsa dancing, and doing music covers.

Michelle Williams

Panelist Bio: Alexis Pandelios

Alexis Pandelios (she/her) is a fourth-year counseling psychology doctoral student at Indiana University-Bloomington studying under the mentorship of Dr. Joel Wong and Dr. Mary Waldron. Alexis has completed research projects focused on substance use initiation among Black American youth. Currently, Alexis' research is focused on gratitude-based interventions for depression and interpersonal dynamics in gratitude exchanges. Currently, Alexis is serving as the Assistant Director of IU Bloomington's Center for Human Growth where she provides counseling services and supervises masters and doctoral-level counseling students. Upon completion of her training, Alexis hopes to secure an academic position in a university setting. In her free time, Alexis enjoys running, baking, and reading in her hammock.

Alexis Pandelios

June 2024 IPA Webinar: Challenges to Assessing and Treating Racial Trauma and How to Overcome Them
Live Webinar

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST

IPA 2024 Webinar Series

1.0 Hour of Category I CE credit

Wednesday, June 12th, 2024 at Noon

Co-sponsored by the Indiana Association of Black Psychologists (IABPsi) and IPA

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*Challenges to Assessing and Treating Racial Trauma and How to Overcome Them
Ethically, Practically, and Bravely*

In this engaging webinar, the presenters offer an overview on how to assess and treat racial trauma in people of color. We focus on (1) recognizing complexities in the social environment that make this work challenging (for example, practitioners naming or talking about "racial issues" may appear to them as though they are entering into more political than therapeutic arenas) and (2) theory-informed guidelines for navigating therapeutic/consultation interactions. We highlight the research that identifies the multiple influences of individual trauma --- developmental, physiological, and societal, and offer strategies for ethically overcoming the challenges that tend to diminish practitioners' ability to help their clients' healing processes. Case studies will be presented to illustrate successful measures to facilitate client healing. This presentation is an introduction to an extended workshop we plan to offer in the fall which will provide attendees with opportunities to engage in role-plays and receive nuanced guidance in the promotion of successful processes and outcomes in therapy and consultation.

Learning Objectives

By completing this program, participants will be able to:

- 1. Describe what racial trauma is, its symptomatology, and recent research about its manifestations in people of color.*
- 2. Summarize how racialized environments influence and can exacerbate racial trauma, thus an understanding of these environments is relevant to an understanding of this form of trauma and to ethical psychological practice.*
- 3. Apply theory and other guidelines to the ethical treatment of people of color affected by racial trauma.*
- 4. Describe how racial trauma can be integrated into a practice setting based on qualities about the client and the practitioner.*

Presenter Bio: Chalmer Thompson, PhD

*Chalmer E. Thompson, Ph.D. is Professor Emerita of IUPUI and a psychology legal consultant in Indiana. For 30 years, Dr. Thompson has built her scholarship, teaching, and practice around theory development on racialized violence and its application to individual, group, and community-level practices. She also has studied how therapists' "racial talk" can be used to be optimally effective in therapy. She has worked for over 20 years with the psychology department faculty at Kyambogo University in Kampala, Uganda on research projects in peace psychology. She is the recipient of two Fulbright Specialist fellowships and the American Psychological Association (APA) Ignacio Martín-Baró Peace Practitioner Lifetime Award. Dr. Thompson is the author of multiple journal publications, book chapters, and 3 books, including *Racial Identity Theory: Applications to Individual, Group, and Organizational Interventions* (with Robert T. Carter), *An International Casebook in Mental Health* (with senior editor Senel Poyrazli) and *A Psychology of Liberation and Peace: For the Greater Good*. She is a Fellow of APA Divisions 17 (Society for Counseling Psychology), 45 (Society for the Psychological Study of Ethnic Minority Issues), and 52 (International Psychology), and the current president of the Indiana Association of Black Psychologists.*

Dr. Chalmer Thompson

Presenter Bio: Joseph Smedley, PhD, LMHC

Dr. Joseph Smedley, Ph.D., LMHC is a native of Chicago, IL. He is Founder and President of Smedley and Smedley Consulting & Training LLC based in Noblesville IN. His firm provides solutions for businesses, healthcare, and educational organizations to develop a workplace which promotes, supports, and improves the mental health and well-being of their employees. His expertise is in the assessment of organizational culture, organization development, and facilitating professional development in Cultural Competence. He is a licensed psychotherapist in the state of Indiana. Dr. Smedley has held dual appointments as adjunct assistant professor in both the School of Education, and the Purdue School of Science - Department of Psychology, at Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis (IUPUI). He recently served as associate professor in the Graduate School of Behavioral Health and Clinical Psychology at the University of Indianapolis. He is the former Chair of the Department of Psychology at Martin University in Indianapolis. Dr. Smedley obtained his BS in psychology from Roosevelt University in Chicago, and his MS and Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology from Howard University in Washington, DC. He was also awarded a Certificate for Social Scientists in Neuroscience from the University of California, Irvine. Dr. Smedley is a published author and has conducted numerous seminars for university faculty, school counselors, psychologists, administrators, and school board members, and, has served as consultant to school districts serving the K-12 population.

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July 2024 IPA Webinar: Clinical Considerations in Alzheimer's Disease

Live Webinar

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST

IPA 2024 Webinar Series

1.0 Hour of Category I CE credit

Friday, July 26th, 2024 at Noon

Registrants will receive further information for participating via Zoom Webinar for the presentation.

Clinical Considerations in Alzheimer's Disease

About 1 in 9 adults over the age of 65 has Alzheimer's disease (AD), making it increasingly likely that psychologists who treat older adults will encounter someone with this condition. This presentation aims to help psychologists and trainees become more familiar with the clinical presentation and course of Alzheimer's disease, including the cognitive and behavioral symptoms these individuals experience. Additionally, this webinar will highlight pertinent mental health considerations and provide education on how to best support patients who either are known to have or suspected to have AD. We will discuss the unique role psychologists play among the broader care team for an individual with AD and how they can be most helpful by improving understanding of the pertinent considerations regarding safety, treatment recommendations, and caregiver support.

Learning Objectives

By completing this program, participants will be able to:

- 1. Identify the main cognitive symptoms of Alzheimer's disease.*
- 2. Describe the behavioral and psychiatric symptoms of Alzheimer's disease.*
- 3. Discuss current methods of diagnosis and treatment.*
- 4. Discuss how psychologists can help AD patients and their families.*

Presenter Bio: Nick Graub, PsyD

Dr. Graub is currently a second year Neuropsychology fellow at the Indiana University School of Medicine where he focuses on providing outpatient neuropsychological evaluations on adults and older adults. He earned his PsyD in Clinical Psychology from The Chicago School of Professional Psychology and completed his doctoral internship at the VA Southern Oregon Rehabilitation Center and Clinics with a focus in adult neuropsychology.

Dr. Nick Graub

Presenter Bio: Hannah Buck, PsyD

Hannah Buck, PsyD, is an Assistant Professor of Clinical Psychiatry at Indiana University School of Medicine. She earned her bachelor's degree from Washington University in St. Louis and a master's degree from Roosevelt University. She obtained her PsyD in Clinical Psychology from The Chicago School of Professional Psychology. She interned at Penn Medicine Lancaster General Health and completed her fellowship at Indiana University School of Medicine. Her clinical interests include dementia, concussion/traumatic brain injuries, and cognitive change in mental health disorders.

Dr. Hannah Buck

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September 18, 2024
- September 18, 2024

September 2024 IPA Webinar: Supporting Immigrant Children and Their Families
Live Webinar
12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST
IPA 2024 Webinar Series
1.0 Hour of Category I CE credit
Wednesday, September 18, 2024 at Noon

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Supporting Immigrant Children and Their Families

Research shows that the face of America is changing, with immigrant-origin children being the fastest growing population segment. These families present with various strengths. However, they also face various challenges and often require emotional and psychological support. The purpose of this seminar is to provide an overview of the profiles of immigrant families and some challenges they face, discuss points to consider when working with these families, as well as best practice in assessment and treatment of immigrant families.

Learning Objectives

By completing this program, participants will be able to:

- 1. Explain the reasons for migration.*
- 2. Discuss the challenges faced by immigrant families.*
- 3. Discuss assessment and treatment considerations when working with immigrant families.*

Presenter Bio: Juliet Aura, PhD

Dr. Aura is an assistant professor of Clinical Psychology. Prior to this, she was a postdoctoral associate at the University of Louisville. She worked as the assistant director of Cardinal Success Program (CSP); an organization that focused on providing mental health services to the underserved and insured population in west Louisville. During this time, she completed a year-long leadership training program. She graduated with her master's and doctorate degrees from Stephen F. Austin State University in Nacogdoches, Texas. Dr. Aura's interests are in psychological assessments, as well as the impact of mental health on diverse populations. She is especially interested in the provision of mental health services to meet their diverse needs.

Dr. Juliet Aura

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