

CURRICULUM VITA

Marti Loring, LCSW, PhD

EDUCATION

Emory University Graduate School, Atlanta, Georgia, 1978-1985, Ph.D. (Sociology).

Bryn Mawr College Graduate School of Social Work and Social Research, Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania, 1966-1968, MSS.

Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, New York, 1962-1966, BA.

AWARDS AND MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association

Invited Member, The American Academy of Experts in Traumatic Stress, 1997 – Present.

Licensed Clinical Social Worker, Georgia, 1985 – Present.

Certified Clinical Sociologist, 1990-Present.

Lifetime Achievement Award, The National Association of Social Workers, Georgia Chapter, September 11, 1997.

Outstanding Social Worker, The National Association of Social Workers, Georgia Chapter, 1989.

CLINICAL/PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Director, Center for Mental Health and Human Development; Atlanta, GA, 1980-Present.

Expert: Trauma; battered person syndrome; emotional/physical/sexual abuse and trauma; coercion; human development; forensic interviewing; child sex abuse; sex abusers; anger management; social history; mitigation; family dynamics/home studies; traumatic rape and false sexual abuse allegations. Training: Trauma, crisis intervention, abuse, trauma debriefing.

Forensic Consultant, 1990-Present: Trauma expert witness; trauma mitigation specialist; adult/child physical/emotional/sexual abuse specialist; home study evaluator; forensic interview specialist; cult coercion and trauma (psychotherapist and evaluator).

Refugee/Immigration trauma consultant: Texas RioGrande Legal Aid, 2018-Present.

Dekalb Resource Center (for battered women), Volunteer, 2015-2016.

United States Army, Consultant for rape trauma, 2011.

Consultant for Family Violence Unit of Georgia Department of Human Resources. Division of Family and Children Services, 1995-1996 (coordination and team development among

community agencies, child sex abuse specialist).

Coordinator, Olympic Family Trauma Project Team, Atlanta, Georgia, 1995-1997 (developed and coordinated trauma and crisis team during the Olympics).

Trauma Coordinator, Grady Hospital Department of Psychiatry: Clinical Faculty, Emory University School of Medicine, Abuse Expert, Atlanta, Georgia, 1972-80 (consulted with Dekalb Rape Crisis Center. Served on faculty of Emory University School of Medicine in Dept. of Human Services).

December Depression Hotline Coordinator, WSB-TV and Community Corporations/Agencies Coalition, Atlanta, Georgia, 1985-1991 (developed and coordinated a telephone crisis service during the December holidays).

Consultant to the National Association of Social Workers, Georgia Chapter, for the Democratic National Convention Medical Team Project, 1988.

Catholic Social Services, Family and child trauma therapist, Atlanta, Georgia, 1988-1990.

The Bridge Family Center, Atlanta, Georgia, 1986-1987 (sex abusers' counselor, child sex abuse specialist, trauma group coordinator, family therapist).

The Council on Battered Women, Atlanta, Georgia, 1984-1986 (Group therapist, public relations and community coordinator).

Assisted in the formation and training of the Dekalb Rape Crisis Center.

EDITORIAL MATERIAL

Associate Editor, *The Journal of Aggression, Maltreatment, and Trauma*, 2000-2023 (emotional, physical, adult and child sexual abuse and maltreatment, experimental interviewing, forensic interviewing).

Co-editor, *Bullying Behavior: Current Issues, Interventions, and Research*, The Haworth Maltreatment and Trauma Press, NY, 2003.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor, Department of Mental Health and Human Services, Georgia State University, Atlanta, Georgia, 1990-1997.

Instructor, Department of Psychiatry, Emory University School of Medicine, Atlanta, Georgia 1972-1980.

Temporary and Adjunct Faculty, 1987-2003: Georgia Perimeter College, Atlanta, Georgia; Georgia State University, Atlanta, Georgia; Oglethorpe University, Atlanta, Georgia; Mercer University, Atlanta, Georgia; Atlanta University School of Social Work.

COURSES TAUGHT

Growth and Development

The Psychology of Management

Introduction to Sociology

Human Service Practice

Ethics

Marriage and the Family

Social Problems

Family Violence

Violence and Society

Forensic Interviewing

Personality

Human Services

Psychopathology

Deviance

Emotional Abuse

Criminology

Trauma/Sexual Abuse

The Family

Social Work

PAPERS PRESENTED

“Fear of Failure and Success,” Georgia Association of Disability Examiners, Atlanta, Georgia, April 12, 1991.

“Reduction of Maladaptive Behavior in Emotionally Abusive Relationships,” Association for Behavior Analysis, Atlanta, Georgia, May 14, 1991.

“Human Rights: Working Together to End Violence Against Women Worldwide,” Amnesty International USA, Atlanta, Georgia, November 7, 1991.

“The Loss and Restructuring of Wholeness in Emotional Abuse,” The National Association for Women in Psychology, Atlanta, Georgia, March 12, 1993.

“Physical and Emotional Abuse,” Council on Battered Women, Atlanta, Georgia, April 5, 1993.

“The Force Called Hope” National Association of Social Workers, Atlanta, Georgia, September 24, 1993.

“Service Delivery Systems for the Aging,” Georgia Association of Homes and Services for the Aging, Atlanta, Georgia, January 15, 1994.

“Utilizing a Hotline for Crisis Intervention,” Dekalb Rape Crisis Center, Atlanta, Georgia, March 17, 1994.

“The Expert Witness,” Annual Conference of the National Organization of Forensic Social

Work, Atlanta, Georgia, April 12, 1994.

“The Effective Domestic Violence Expert Witness,” Florida Coalition Against Domestic Violence, Tampa, Florida May 4, 1994.

“The Expert Witness,” Georgia State University, Atlanta, Georgia, July 7, 1995.

“Forensics,” Georgia Association of Lawyers, Georgia State University, Atlanta, Georgia, May 22, 1995.

“Trauma of Emotional Abuse,” Medical Staff, Grady Hospital, Atlanta, Georgia, January 24, 1996.

“Interviewing Skills With A Battered Person,” Georgia Indigent Defense Council, Atlanta, Georgia, May 30-June 1, 1996.

“Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder,” Savannah Area Family Emergency Shelter, Inc., Savannah Georgia, September 3, 1996.

Master Class “Trauma: Forensic Interviewing and Intervention Skills,” NASW-GA Chapter’s 8th Annual Conference, Atlanta, Georgia, September 20, 1996.

“Abuse,” Southern Center for Human Rights, Atlanta, Georgia, October 19, 1996.

Mock Trial (Expert Witness on Family Violence), National Association of Forensic Social Work, Reno, Nevada, November 7, 1996.

“Emotional Abuse: Trauma in Recovery” (Long Distance Learning for 5 city coverage in Georgia), University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia, May 20, 1997.

“Emotional Abuse,” National Association of Social Workers, August, Georgia, June 7, 1997.

“Family Violence Leadership Summit: Violence Against Women and Children,” City of Atlanta, Georgia, July 24, 1997.

“Intervention with Battered Women,” Council on Battered Women, Atlanta, Georgia, September 7, 1997.

“Identification and Treatment of Emotional Abuse,” The University of Georgia School of Social Work, Georgia, September 17, 1997.

“Emotional Abuse,” Georgia Association of Social Workers, September 18, 2000.

“Family Violence and Abuse,” University of Georgia, March 7, 2001.

“Family Violence,” The Emotional Abuse Institute Bi-annual Master Lecture, Atlanta, Georgia, 1998-2003.

“Hope in the Twentieth Century,” GASW, Conference, Atlanta, Georgia, 2003.

"Mitigation and Forensic Interviewing," EJI national conference, Perdido Beach, Florida, October 9, 2005.

“Trauma and Abuse: Forensic Interviewing, Therapy, Emotional/Sexual Abuse, Social Histories,” Texas Community Coalition, Dallas, Texas, March 3, 2008.

“The Trauma of Rape and the Problem of False Sexual Abuse Allegations,” The United States Army, Germany, 2011.

“The Golden Age of Bullying: Bullying Hurts Physically and Emotionally,” The Augusta Unit of the National Association of Social Workers, Augusta, Georgia, March 1, 2012.

“Intimate Coercion,” Workshop and Panel Discussion, IVAT, San Diego, CA, August 25, 2015.

“Trauma,” Atlanta Police Seminar Program, Atlanta, Georgia, December 2, 2022.

PUBLICATIONS

Loring, M.T., & Powell, B. (1988). Gender, Race, and DSM-III: A study of the Objectivity of Psychiatric Behavior. Health and Social Behavior, 29 (1), 1-71.

Wimberley, E., & Loring, M. (1991). Human Services. Human Service Education, 11 (1), 17-22

Loring, M.T., & Wimberley, E. (1993). The Time-Limited Hotline. Social Work, 38(3), 344-346.

Loring, M.T., Clark, S., & Frost, C. (1994). A Model of Therapy for Emotionally Abused Women. Psychology: A Journal of Human Behavior, 31(2), 1-16.

Smith, R.W., & Loring, M.T. (1994). The Trauma of Emotionally Abused Men. Psychology: A Journal of Human Behavior, 31(2), 1-16.

Loring, M.T. (1994). Emotional Abuse. Lexington MA: Lexington Press.

Loring, M.T., Smith, R.W., & Thomas, K. (1994). Utilization of a Time-Limited Holiday Hotline by Older Adults. The Gerontologist, 34, 557-560.

Loring, M.T., Smith, R.W. (1994). Health Care Barriers and Interventions for battered Women. Public Health Reports, 109, 328-338.

Loring, M.T. (1997). Stories From the Heart: Emotional Abuse Case Studies. New York, Gordon and Breach Science Publishers.

Loring, M.T. (1997). The Erosion of Trust in the Workplace. In J. Cangemi (Ed.), Leadership in the Twenty-First Century, Moscow, University of Moscow Press.

Loring, M.T., Smith, R.W., & Bolden, T. (1997). Distal Coercion: Case Studies.

Psychology: A Journal of Human Behavior, 34(1), 10-14.

Loring, M.T., & Bedoin, Pati. (2000). Victim-Perpetrators: Types of Coercion in Family Violence. The Journal of Emotional Abuse: Interventions, Research & Theories of Psychological Maltreatment, trauma & Nonphysical Aggression, Vol 2(1)

Loring, M.T. (2003). Pet Abuse as a Form of Family Violence. The Journal of Emotional Abuse: Interventions, Research & Theories of Psychological Maltreatment, Trauma & Nonphysical Aggression, Vol 3(2).

Loring, M.T. (2005). The Erosion of Trust in the Workplace. In J. Cangemi (Ed.), Developing Trust in Organizations, p,177-188, Boston, McGraw Hill.

Loring, M.T., Geffner, R., Marsh, J. (2007). Animal Abuse and Family Violence, Linkages, Research, and Implications for Professional Practice, Binghamton, NY: Haworth Press.

Loring, M.T., Scardaville, M. (2015). Intimate Coercion: Recognition and Recovery, New York, London: Rowman and Littlefield Publishers.

RESEARCH

Violent Behavior Among Individuals Experiencing Trauma Symptoms, 2015-2019.

Men as Victims of Family Violence, 2015-2017.

Red Flags and Forensic Interviewing in Sexual Abuse Allegations, 2011-2013.

Trauma, Cocaine Use, and Post-Incident Bizarre Behavior in Family Violence, 2011-2012.

Red Flags in Child Sex Abuse Allegations- Forensic Interviews, 2010.

Post-incident Bizarre Behavior, 2005-2012.

Precursors of Relational Trauma and Violence, Emil T Foundation Grant, 2000- 2003.

Precursors of Violent/Illegal Behavior by Abused Persons: Coercion and Duress, 1997-2021.

Coercion in the Process of Victim-perpetration, General Research Funds, 1998-2019.

False allegations during divorce/custody proceedings, Emil T Foundation Grant, 2018-2020.

Trauma- Impact on Thinking, Feeling, and Behavior: Unfunded, 2022-2023.

Cults and Coercion: Emil T Foundation, 2022-2023

Trauma as Torture, Coercion, Cult Involvement, and Pet Abuse, 2022-2024.

Sexual Coercion, 2022-2024.