# JULIAN P. NOLEN, Ph.D.

# LICENSED PSYCHOLOGIST ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

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#### **EDUCATION**

Colorado State University: Fort Collins, CO

Doctor of Philosophy, Counseling Psychology

Master of Science, Counseling Psychology

July 2013

Cumulative GPA: 4.0

Fully accredited by the American Psychological Association

Advisor: Lee Rosén, Ph.D.

Our Lady of the Lake University: San Antonio, TX

Master of Science, Marriage and Family Therapy

July 2011

Cumulative GPA: 4.0

Fully accredited by the American Psychological Association

Willamette University: Salem, OR

Bachelor of Arts, Psychology and English May 2008

Graduated cum laude

#### RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

President July 2017 - present

Montana Counseling and Assessment

Helena, MT

Responsibilities:

- Provide counseling and assessment services for high-risk children and families in a private practice community setting.
- Provide consultation and professional training services to human services workers and organizations.
- Collaborate with multidisciplinary community care providers in order to facilitate compassionate and effective client/family care.
- Provide crisis intervention and response services to clients/families suffering from acute distress.

Assistant Professor Psychology Internship Director August 2018 – present

Carroll College

Helena, MT

Responsibilities:

• Design, implement, and administer undergraduate psychology courses in a private liberal arts

college setting.

- Collaborate with faculty and students to support a positive campus culture and environment.
- Provide guidance and support to students in order to facilitate their optimal learning and career development.
- Supervise student internships in collaboration with community organizations.
- Network and develop relationships with local organizations in order to support student employment and community outreach.
- Plan, develop, and implement a new Social Work MSW program.
- Select, interview, and hire new administrative staff and faculty.

#### **Licensed Psychologist**

January 2017 – October 2019

# Psychological/Neurodevelopmental Assessment Specialist

Intermountain Children's Home

Helena, MT

Responsibilities:

- Provided psychological and neurodevelopmental assessment services for high-risk children and families in community, residential, and school settings.
- Conducted supervision and training of multidisciplinary staff members in a variety of mental health settings.
- Provided clinical guidance and leadership during organizational development processes.
- Collaborated with school professionals, medical providers, and community caregivers to provide multidisciplinary support to at-risk youth and families.
- Provided psychoeducation and intervention training to parents, teachers, and administrative staff.

#### **Adjunct Professor**

January 2017 – August 2018

Carroll College

Helena, MT

Responsibilities

- Designed, implemented, and administered undergraduate psychology courses in a private liberal arts college setting.
- Collaborated with faculty and students to support a positive campus culture and environment.
- Provided guidance and support to students in order to facilitate their optimal learning and career development.

# **Psychology Resident and CSCT Therapist**

August 2015 – January 2017

Intermountain Children's Home

Helena, MT

Supervisor: Elizabeth Kohlstaedt, Ph.D.

Responsibilities:

- Provided counseling and assessment services for high-risk youth and their families in a public-school setting.
- Collaborated with school professionals, medical providers, and community caregivers to provide multidisciplinary support to at-risk youth and families.
- Provided regular crisis intervention and safety assessment/planning services to youth experiencing acute distress.
- Participated in multidisciplinary treatment planning for a wide variety of client needs and

considerations.

• Provided psychoeducation and intervention training to parents, teachers, and administrative staff.

# Predoctoral Intern

August 2014 – July 2015

Casa Pacifica Child and Family Services

Camarillo, CA

Fully accredited by the American Psychological Association

Supervisors: Kelsie Tatum, Psy.D.; Robert Kretz, Psy.D.; Leslie Singer, Ph.D.

Responsibilities:

- Provided counseling and assessment services for high-risk youth in a multidisciplinary residential treatment facility.
- Collaborated with direct care staff, school professionals, medical providers, and community caregivers to provide multidisciplinary support to youth throughout the course of residential care and transition.
- Provided regular crisis intervention and safety assessment/planning services to youth experiencing acute distress.
- Participated in multidisciplinary treatment planning for a wide variety of client needs and considerations.
- Attended weekly didactic seminars and supervision sessions.

Clinical Extern July 2012 – July 2014

Platte Valley Youth Services

Greeley, CO

Supervisor: Kevin M. Powell, Ph.D.

Responsibilities:

- Provided counseling and assessment services for detained and committed youth in a maximumsecurity correctional facility.
- Provided weekly support services for detained and committed youth as part of a multidisciplinary team of care providers.
- Provided crisis intervention, evaluation, and psychotherapy, including Suicide Precaution Monitoring and responses to acute distress.
- Participated in multidisciplinary treatment planning for a wide variety of client needs and considerations.
- Developed and facilitated transition plans for youth when transferring to another facility or returning home.
- Integrated a variety of treatments incorporating cognitive behavioral, family systems, interpersonal, and humanistic theory in order to meet the diverse needs of at-risk youth.

**Staff Therapist** 

August 2011 – July 2014

Psychological Services Center

Colorado State University

Fort Collins, CO

Supervisors: Lee A. Rosén, Ph.D., Larry Bloom, Ph.D., Kathryn Rickard, Ph.D.

Responsibilities:

- Conducted client intake assessments.
- Provided a variety of counseling and psychoeducation services for individuals and families in

the Fort Collins community.

- Conducted comprehensive psychological examinations for clients with diverse backgrounds and presenting concerns.
- Participated in weekly didactic training workshops.
- Attended weekly supervision sessions.

Senior Counselor June 2014 - August 2014

Rocky Mountain Adventure Camp June 2013 - August 2013

Fort Collins, CO June 2012 - August 2012

Supervisors: Kim Miller, Ph.D., Lee A. Rosén, Ph.D.

Responsibilities:

- Facilitated strengths-based group counseling for children of military families.
- Incorporated interventions from cognitive-behavioral, family systems, interpersonal process, mindfulness, and adventure therapy models.
- Provided 24-hour behavioral management and emotional support services for at-risk youth.
- Conducted both physical and emotional crisis interventions (i.e., suicide assessment, first aid).
- Designed, developed and implemented interventions and activities for a variety of presenting problems.
- Participated in interviewing, hiring, and training (e.g., behavioral management, clinical intervention) of other staff members.

Instructor May 2014 – July 2014

Adventure Therapy: Theory and Practice

Colorado State University

- Designed and implemented an innovative undergraduate course for Junior and Senior-level students.
- Developed safe practices for off-campus outings and engagement in life-enriching experiences (e.g., hiking, rock-climbing), within the context of academic environments.

# **Adolescent Social Skills Group Leader**

August 2011 – July 2013

Psychological Services Center Colorado State University Fort Collins, CO

Supervisor: Lee A. Rosén, Ph.D.

Responsibilities:

- Designed and implemented experiential social skills group training sessions for adolescents with a wide range of social skills deficits or disorders (e.g., autism spectrum, anxiety, ADHD).
- Helped group members and their families to identify and pursue appropriate interpersonal goals, as well as developing and introducing interventions specifically targeted at the achievement of said goals.
- Assigned "achievements" for group members to pursue in the home setting, in order to best facilitate the generalization of skills practiced in group.
- Provided psychoeducation and individualized progress reports to the parents and guardians of group members.

Guest Lecturer February 2012 – July 2014

Various Courses, Department of Psychology, Colorado State University

- "Autism Spectrum Disorders," Child Psychopathology and Exceptionality
- "Therapeutic Techniques for Resistant Populations," Counseling Skills Seminar
- "The Roles of Nature, Exercise, Adventure, and Experience in Therapeutic Change," Therapeutic Lifestyle Changes for Mental and Physical Health
- "Psychological Assessment of Children and Adolescents," Child Psychopathology and Exceptionality

# **Graduate Teaching Assistant**

January 2012 - May 2012

Human Sexuality Dr. Larry Bloom, Ph.D. Colorado State University

# **Graduate Teaching Assistant**

August 2011 - May 2012

Introduction to Psychology Dr. Karla Gingerich, Ph.D. Colorado State University

Clinical Intern January 2011 - May 2011

Any Baby Can San Antonio, TX

Supervisor: Richard Brake, Psy.D.

Responsibilities:

- Provided counseling services for families with children suffering from chronic physical or psychological illnesses.
- Participated in frequent case-consultation and treatment planning in collaboration with other healthcare professionals.
- Tracked client progress and therapeutic relationships via standardized evaluation measures.
- Participated in weekly group supervision meetings.

Clinical Intern August 2010 - May 2011

ChildSafe

San Antonio, TX

Supervisor: Fred A. Borroel, M.S., LPC-S

Responsibilities:

- Provided individual and family psychotherapy for predominantly low-SES and minority victims of sexual abuse.
- Conducted planning, organization, and execution of adventure-based therapy activities (i.e., camping, rock climbing, kayaking, etc.).
- Worked as part of a multidisciplinary team responsible for the evaluation and treatment of abuse victims, as well as the prosecution and/or rehabilitation of offenders.
- Participated in weekly group and individual supervision meetings.

Staff Therapist August 2010 - May 2011

Community Counseling Service

San Antonio, TX

Supervisor: Bernadette Solorzano, Psy.D.

Responsibilities:

- Provided psychotherapy services for individuals, couples, and families from predominantly low-income and minority demographics.
- Tracked client progress and therapeutic relationships via standardized evaluation procedures.
- Participated in weekly group supervision meetings.

#### **Clinical Intern**

August 2010 - December 2010

Haven for Hope San Antonio, Texas

Supervisor: Monte Bobele, Ph.D.

Responsibilities:

- Provided individual and family psychotherapy services to residents of a community homeless shelter.
- Collaborated with a multidisciplinary team of professionals for the provision of counseling, case-management, and transition services.
- Tracked client progress and therapeutic relationships via standardized evaluation procedures.
- Attended weekly group supervision meetings.

**Summer Counselor** 

May 2009 - August 2009

Intermountain Children's Home

May 2008 - August 2008

Helena, MT

May 2005 - August 2005

Responsibilities:

- Provided compassionate emotional and physical care for severely abused and/or neglected children in a nationally-acclaimed residential treatment facility.
- Provided supportive emotional and behavioral guidance for children aged 4-14.
- Planned, organized, and executed adventure therapy and outdoor recreation activities.

# PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS

Licensed Psychologist, Montana. License #2196

Certified Clinical Anxiety Treatment Professional

Certified Clinical Telemental Health Provider

Certified Trauma-Focused Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy Provider

Certified Child and Adolescent Trauma Professional

Certified ROPES Facilitator

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

#### **Dissertation**

Department of Psychology, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO July 2013 – July 2015 Nolen, J. (2015). Risk and resilience: The role of physical activity and related factors in adult psychological functioning after exposure to childhood maltreatment.

#### Master's Thesis

Department of Psychology, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO March 2012 - June 2013 Nolen, J. (2013). The role of physical activity in resilience to psychological trauma.

# **Undergraduate Thesis**

August 2007 - May 2008

Department of Psychology, Willamette University, Salem, OR Nolen, J. (2008). Environmental neurotoxins and autism epidemiology.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- O'Donnell, M. B., Maples, L. A., Park, S. S., **Nolen, J. P.,** Gibbons, A. M., & Rosén, L. A. (2018). The college adjustment questionnaire: A measure of student's educational, relational, and psychological adjustment to the college environment. *Journal of College Student Development*, 59, 116-121.
- Nolen, J. P. (2017). Adventures in Adolescence: Youth Connections Magazine, June 2017, 7-9.
- **Nolen, J. P. (2017)**. Building Family Resilience in the Winter Months. *Montana Parent, January 2017,* 51-53.
- Maples, L.A., Park, S.S., **Nolen, J. P.**, & Rosén, L.A.. Resilience to child abuse and neglect in college students. *Journal of Aggression, Maltreatment & Trauma, 23*, 1001-1019.
- Nolen, J.P. (2011). A review of Graff, Birkenstein, and Durst's They Say, I Say. gtPathways, 5, 2.

#### PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

- **Nolen, J.P.** (2022). Trauma-Informed Care: The Basics and Beyond: Presented at the CSPD IV Conference. Dillon, MT, June 26.
- **Nolen, J.P.** (2022). Experiential Therapy: Theory and Practice. Presented to the Bitterroot Valley Education Cooperative. Stevensville, MT, April 24.
- **Nolen, J. P.** (2021). Safety and Success: Working with Trauma-Exposed Youth. Presented to the Bitterroot Valley Education Cooperative. Stevensville, MT, August 16.
- **Nolen, J.P.** (2021). Mental Health 101: Staying Sane During Insane Times. Presented to students and faculty members of Carroll College. Helena, MT, May 3.
- **Nolen, J. P.** (2019). Maintaining Optimism while Making Change. Presented to the School Administrators of Montana. Helena, MT, December 16.
- **Nolen, J.P.** and Honzel, N. (2019). Navigating Student Mental Health Concerns and Crises. Presented to faculty members of Carroll College. Helena, MT, November 14.
- Nolen, J.P. (2019). Strengths and Struggles of the Adolescent Brain. Presented at the Beaverton School

District Summer Symposium. Beaverton, OR, June 18-19.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2019). Innovative Approaches to Trauma-Informed Care. Presented to the Stevensville School District. Stevensville, MT, April 23.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2019). Seeing the Strength: Identifying and Fostering Resilience in Trauma-Exposed Youth. Presented to the Montana Child Abuse and Neglect Conference, Missoula, MT, April 1.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2019). Innovative Approaches to Trauma-Informed Care. Presented to the Montana Child Abuse and Neglect Conference, Missoula, MT, April 1.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2019). Innovative Approaches to Trauma-Informed Care. Presented to the Montana Council for Exceptional Children. Helena, MT, February 22.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2018). Integrating Trauma-Informed Care into Communities and Schools. Presented at PIR Days. Bozeman, MT, September 28.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2018). Healing the Whole Child: A Multidiscipinary Approach to Understanding and Supporting Victims of Developmental Trauma. Presented to the Montana Educator's Association, Helena, MT, October 18-19.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2018). Integrating Trauma-Informed Care into Communities and Schools. Presented to the Kalispell Evergreen School District, Kalispell, MT, August 20-21.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2018). Compassion and Case Conceptualization. Presented at the Montana Preschool Development Grant Summer Institute. Helena, MT, August 8.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2018). The Basics of Trauma-Informed Care. Presented at the Montana Preschool Development Grant Summer Institute. Helena, MT, August 8.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2018). A Strengths-Based Approach to Trauma-Informed Care. Presented at the Montana Child Abuse and Neglect Conference, Missoula, MT, April 26.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2018). Strengths of the Adolescent Brain: Supporting Psychological Well-Being in the Lives of our Teenagers. Presented at the Montana Child Abuse and Neglect Conference, April 25.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2018). Putting the Mask on First: Maintaining Self-Care in a Career of Self-Sacrifice. Presented to Anaconda School District staff, Anaconda, MT, February 26.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2018). The Basics of Trauma-Informed Care. Presented to the Ennis School District, Ennis, MT, January 15.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2018). Trauma Town Hall: an Open Forum for Discussion of High-Risk Students. Training provided to Anaconda School District staff, Anaconda, MT, January 8.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2017). Compassion and Clinical Case Conceptualization. Training provided to Anaconda School District staff, Anaconda, MT, October 9.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2017). Mental Wellness and the Teenage Brain. Presented at the ChildWise Institute Fall Summit, Helena, MT, September 29.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2017). An Introduction to Experiential Therapy. Training provided to Intermountain School-Based Services staff, Helena, MT, September 25.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2017). The Basics of Trauma-Informed Care. Presented to the Anaconda School District, Anaconda, MT, August 29.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2017). ACEs and Beyond: Compassionately and Effectively Working with Trauma-Exposed Youth. Presented at the Montana Para-Educator's Conference, Helena, MT, August 7 and 8, 2017.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2017). Understanding and Responding to Trauma-Exposed Youth. Presented at the Helena School District PLC Conference, Helena, MT, June 13, 2017.

**Nolen, J.P.** (2016). Trauma-informed care in communities and schools. Presented at the Montana School Counselor's Association Fall Conference, Bozeman, MT, April 15, 2016.

Borroel, F., & **Nolen, J. P.** (2010). The family enrichment through adventure therapy (FEAT) program. Presented at the ChildSafe Child Abuse Conference, San Antonio, TX, November 13, 2010.

# ORGANIZATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Co-Chair Carroll College Curriculum Committee	August 2021 – present
Member Carroll College GSA Club	August 2021 – present
Faculty Advisor/Chapter Head Psi Chi, The International Honor Society in Psychology	July 2021 – present
Faculty Advisor Carroll College Psychology Club	July 2021 – present
Founding Member Montana Task Force for Native Youth Outdoor Programming	March 2020 – present
Grant Reviewer Montana Academy of Sciences	April 2019 – present
Student Thesis Reader/Advisor	August 2018 –present

#### Member

Carroll College Career Services Hiring Committee May 2022 – July 2022

**Member and Documentarian** August 2020 – July 2021

Carroll College Curriculum Committee

Member November 2020 – June 2021

Psychology Department Hiring Committee

Member

MSW Program Development/Hiring Committee

June 2019 – October 2020

# **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

American Psychological Association (APA) Division 17, Society of Counseling Psychology Division 58, Trauma Psychology

# SELECTED AWARDS

Nomination for Outstanding Teaching Award, Carroll College, 2023 Artaza Grant Recipient (\$3000), Carroll College, 2023 Nomination for Outstanding Teaching Award, Carroll College, 2022 International scholarship funding recipient (\$1800), Carroll College, 2021 Completed with Distinction: Colorado State University Comprehensive Ethics Examination, 2012

National Merit Finalist, 2003-2004