Psych 741R Syllabus

Integrative Practicum

Fall, Winter, Spring 2017-2018

Location

285 TLRB (Taylor Building) Comprehesive Clinic

Instructor Information

Instructor

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Course Description

This is a practicum course for Clinical Psychology doctoral students. Students will meet each week (Thursdays 9-11 AM) for supervision and we will often meet individually for additional supervision.

Learning Outcomes

1. Evaluate client concerns, formulate intervention strategies. Students will appropriately evaluate Comprehensive Clinic client mental health concerns through psychological assessment and will formulate and implement empirically-supported intervention strategies. Measurement: a) The practicum supervisor will evaluate the student's work with Comprehensive Clinic clients using the Practicum Rating Form which is based on the American Psychological Association's Assessment of Competency Benchmarks. b) The practicum student will pass the Psychodiagnostic Assessment Comprehensive Exam at the end of the second year and the Psychotherapy Comprehensive Exam at the end of the third year.

Requirements

You will be required to complete 1 psychological evaluation per semester in Fall and Winter semesters and carry 3-4 therapy clients. During Spring term you will need to complete 1 psychological evaluation and continue to carry your therapy clients. We will also have readings and some small assignments. These will be discussed in class.

Course Policies

BYU Honor Code

In keeping with the principles of the BYU Honor Code, students are expected to be honest in all of their academic work. Academic honesty means, most fundamentally, that any work you present as your own must

in fact be your own work and not that of another. Violations of this principle may result in a failing grade in the course and additional disciplinary action by the university. Students are also expected to adhere to the Dress and Grooming Standards. Adherence demonstrates respect for yourself and others and ensures an effective learning and working environment. It is the university's expectation, and my own expectation in class, that each student will abide by all Honor Code standards. Please call the Honor Code Office at 422-2847 if you have questions about those standards.

Preventing Sexual Discrimination and Harassment

As required by Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, the university prohibits sex discrimination against any participant in its education programs or activities. Title IX also prohibits sexual harassment—including sexual violence—committed by or against students, university employees, and visitors to campus. As outlined in university policy, sexual harassment, dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking are considered forms of "Sexual Misconduct" prohibited by the university.

University policy requires any university employee in a teaching, managerial, or supervisory role to report incidents of Sexual Misconduct that come to their attention through various forms including face-to-face conversation, a written class assignment or paper, class discussion, email, text, or social media post. If you encounter Sexual Misconduct, please contact the Title IX Coordinator at t9coordinator@byu.edu or 801-422-2130 or Ethics Point at https://titleix.byu.edu/report-concern or 1-888-238-1062 (24- hours). Additional information about Title IX and resources available to you can be found at titleix.byu.edu.

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Plagiarism Policy

Writing submitted for credit at BYU must consist of the student's own ideas presented in sentences and paragraphs of his or her own construction. The work of other writers or speakers may be included when appropriate (as in a research paper or book review), but such material must support the student's own work (not substitute for it) and must be clearly identified by appropriate introduction and punctuation and by footnoting or other standard referencing.