

Teri F. Belmont, Ph.D.

CURRICULUM VITAE – 2022

Birth Name: Teri Jean Forrest

Education

2005 Doctor of Philosophy, Psychology (Clinical Emphasis; University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
2001 Master of Arts, Psychology (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
1998 Bachelor of Arts, Psychology (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)

Present Employment

2010-present Private Practice (Teri F. Belmont, Ph.D., PLLC; Henderson/Las Vegas, Nevada)

Certifications

2020-present Authority to Practice Interjurisdictional Telepsychology (APIT); Mobility Number 4865
Issued by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB) PSYPACT Commission

Professional Memberships

2020-present Society for Ethics in Egg Donation and Surrogacy (Member, Industry Professional)
2017-present American Society for Reproductive Medicine LGBTQ Special Interest Group
2014-present American Psychological Association Division 44 (Society for the Psychology of Sexual Orientation and Gender Diversity)
2013-present American Society for Reproductive Medicine (Doctoral Member)
2013-present American Society for Reproductive Medicine Mental Health Professionals Group
2008-present National Academy of Neuropsychology (Professional Member)
2006-present American Psychological Association (Member)
2006-present Nevada Psychological Association (Full Member)

Continuing Education Since 2017

1. **Gestational Carrier Estate Planning, Part One** (Rachel Wexler, Esq., Gary Lorge, Ellen E. Trachman, Esq., and Casey O'Connell, Esq., 12/15/21)
2. **An Introduction to CBT-based Sex Therapy** (Jordan Soper, Psy.D., 11/05/21)
3. **LGBTQ+ Family Building Through ART: Optimal Medical, Legal, and Psychological Support** (Robert Terenzio, J.D., Kim Bergman, Ph.D., Paula Amato, M.D., and Julia Woodward, Ph.D., 10/27/21)
4. **My Body, My Choice: COVID Edition** (Sunday Crider, Ph.D, HCLD/ELD, Joni Franklin, J.D., Brooke Kimbrough, Meryl B. Rosenberg, J.D., and John M. Norian, M.D., 10/27/21)
5. **Let's Talk about COVID** (Lisa Becht, M.D. and Said Daneshmand, M.D., 09/15/21)
6. **Advanced Interpretation of the PAI: Distorted Profile Interpretation** (Leslie C. Morey, Ph.D., 06/23/21)
7. **Subpoenas, Court Orders, and Depositions: Ethical Practice in Court** (Kathleen Bergquist, J.D., Ph.D., MSW, 05/20/21)
8. **Parenthood: How Old is Too Old?** (Andrea Bryman, LMFT and Cynthia E. Fruchtman, J.D., 05/19/21)
9. **Beyond the Basics: Complex Topics in Expanded Carrier Screening** (Lauren Isley, MS, CGC, Amy Vance, MS, LCGC, Jamie Dokson, ScM, LCGC, and Andria Besser, MS, CGC, 04/29/21)
10. **Telepsychology and PSYPACT** (Alex M. Siegel, JD, Ph.D., 04/09/21)
11. **The Psychosocial and Ethical Challenges of Embryo Donation** (Andrea M. Braverman, Ph.D. and William D. Petok, Ph.D.; 04/09/21)
12. **Beyond the Gender Binary: Genitals Don't Equal Gender** (Jamie M. Joseph, Ph.D., 04/09/21)
13. **Frozen Futures? The Future of Gamete Donation is Here** (Jaime Shamonki, M.D., 04/09/21)

14. **New Ethical Tips for The Road Home** (Andrea M. Braverman, Ph.D., Susan L. Crockin, JD, and William D. Petok, Ph.D., 04/09/21)
15. **Assisting Patients to Understand Assisted Reproduction** (Kathryn L. Go, Ph.D., HCLD, 04/08/21)
16. **What's New with the PAI-Plus? Research Developments in Selection Assessment** (John E. Kurtz, Ph.D., 04/08/21)
17. **Finding the Balance: Facilitating Secure and Successful Gestational Surrogacy Arrangements** (Nidhi Desai, JD and Margaret E. Swain, RN, JD, 04/08/21)
18. **Counseling Orthodox Jewish Couples with Infertility: Collaboration and Cultural Humility** (Dvora Entin, LCSW, PMH-C, 04/08/21)
19. **Protecting Yourself With The Challenging Patient** (Lisa A. Rinehart, RN, BSN, JD, 04/08/21)
20. **Legal Tips for Third Party Reproduction** (Margaret E. Swain, RN, JD, 04/08/21)
21. **Fertility Fraud and Its Impact on Doctor-Conceived Offspring** (Jody Madeira, JD, Ph.D., 04/08/21)
22. **Emerging Medical Developments in ART** (Jacqueline Gutmann, M.D., 04/07/21)
23. **Disruptive Legislative Developments in ART** (Sean Tipton, 04/07/21)
24. **Beyond Evaluation: Supporting Donor Recipients Through the Years** (Abby Grayson, MA, LPC, NCC and Kristen Mulheren Levitt, LCSW, 04/07/21)
25. **Legally Speaking: What's Keeping Us Up at Night Now?** (Susan L. Crockin, JD, 04/07/21)
26. **Racial Inequities and Health Disparities in Medicine** (Traci Trice, M.D., MBS, 04/07/21)
27. **Ripped from Your Offices: Challenging Cases and Controversies** (Andrea M. Braverman, Ph.D., Susan L. Crockin, JD, and William D. Petok, Ph.D., 04/07/21)
28. **Use of the MMPI-3 in Forensic Settings** (Martin Sellbom, Ph.D., 02/16/21)
29. **Moral Considerations for Challenging Agency Situations** (Society for Ethics in Egg Donation and Surrogacy, 11/18/20)
30. **Introduction to the MMPI-3 (In-Depth Training)** (Yossef S. Ben-Porath, Ph.D., 11/05/20)
31. **PAI Plus Training Webinar** (Sierra Iwanicki, Ph.D. and Kevin Lauer, Ph.D., 10/29/20)
32. **Remote Test Administration: Clinician Panel** (Patrick Moran, Ph.D., Alessia de Paola Gottlieb, M.D., Randy Kulman, Ph.D., and Mitchell Clionsky, Ph.D., 09/17/20)
33. **Donor Anonymity: Past Promises, Evolving Technologies, and Current Realities** (Melanie Mikkelsen, LCSW, MSW, Segal Klipstein, M.D., Emily Mounts, MS, CGC, and Susan Crockin, J.D., 08/28/20)
34. **Telepsychology: Clinical Applications of Technology** (Sara Smucker Barnwell, Ph.D. and Margo Adams Larsen, Ph.D., 08/28/20)
35. **Telepsychology: Managing Risk in Practice** (Sara Smucker Barnwell, Ph.D. and Margo Adams Larsen, Ph.D., 08/21/20)
36. **Telepsychology Updates: COVID-19** (Sara Smucker Barnwell, Ph.D. and Margo Adams Larsen, Ph.D., 08/20/20)
37. **Insurance Considerations During COVID** (Gary Lorge, Jason Smith, and Richard Vaughn, 08/19/20)
38. **An MMPI-3 Overview** (Yossef S. Ben-Porath, Ph.D., 07/14/20)
39. **Clinical Approaches to Suicidality: Collaborating with Patients to Make Live Liveable** (Noelle Lefforge, Ph.D. and Amy Black, Ph.D., 05/29/20)
40. **Pragmatics of Telepsychology Practice in the Age of COVID-19** (Mary K. Alvord, Ph.D., 03/20/20)
41. **Serving as a Neuropsychological Expert: Some Things to Know** (Daniel Marson, Ph.D., J.D., 11/13-16/19)
42. **Hot Topics in Traumatic Brain Injury** (Donna K. Broshek, Ph.D., Kristen Dams-O'Connor, Ph.D., and Jessica Gill, CRNP, Ph.D., 11/13-16/19)
43. **Understanding, Applying, Documenting and Billing for the 2019 Testing Codes** (Antonio E. Puente, Ph.D. and Neil H. Pliskin, Ph.D., 11/13-16/19)
44. **Taking Neuropsychology Out of the Office: Extending Our Practice through Telehealth Technology** (Kenneth Podell, Ph.D., C. Munro Cullum, Ph.D., and Gerard A. Gioia, Ph.D., 11/13-16/19)
45. **Gender Diverse and Transgender Youth: Ethics and Emerging Roles for the Pediatric Neuropsychologist** (John F. Strang, Psy.D., 11/13-16/19)
46. **Contemporary Ethical Considerations in Forensic Neuropsychology: Practical Perspectives from a Neuropsychologist and a Lawyer** (Scott D. Bender, Ph.D. and Audra M. Dickens, 11/13-16/19)
47. **Evolving Neuropsychological Considerations and Case Studies of Individuals who Identify as Transgender and Gender Non-Binary/Nonconforming** (Jeffrey Ryan Murray, Psy.D., Michelle Cuevas, Ph.D., and Krista Freece, Ph.D., 11/13-16/19)
48. **Ethics: Developing a Professional Will** (Kathleen Bergquist, J.D., Ph.D., MSW, 10/22/19)
49. **Assessing Personality Disorders with the MMPI-2-RF** (Martin Sellbom, Ph.D., 08/14/19)
50. **Remaining Current in Assessment: Adopting the MMPI-2-RF in Your Practice** (David McCord, Ph.D., 06/19/19)
51. **Roads Less Traveled: Emerging Practices in Neuropsychology** (Malissa Kraft, Ph.D., Glenn Ally, Ph.D., and Ilaina Wingler, Ph.D., 10/17-20/18)
52. **The Spectrum of Concussion: Recovery Time, Treatment and Rehabilitation, and Possible Long-Term Effects on Brain Health** (Grant L. Iverson, Ph.D., 10/17-20/18)
53. **Neuropsychological Testimony That Sticks** (Karen Postal, Ph.D., 10/17-20/18)

54. **An Updated Review of Empirical Literature on the Psychologically Complicated Pain Patient Seen in a Medicolegal Context** (Kevin J. Bianchini, Ph.D., 10/17-20/18)
55. **Contemporary Dilemmas in Ethical Decision-Making** (Michael C. Gottlieb, Ph.D., 10/17-20/18)
56. **Telehealth: Best Practices for Psychological Assessment** (Marlene M. Maheu, Ph.D., 10/17-20/18)
57. **Evidence-Based Suicide Intervention** (Noelle L. Lefforge, Ph.D., MHA, CGP, 09/28/18)
58. **HIPAA Compliance: 22 Years of Evolving Standards for Privacy and Security** (Nanci C. Klein, Ph.D., 09/14/18)
59. **Ethics and Risk Management in the Digital World 2.0** (Daniel O. Taube, J.D., Ph.D., 05/04/18)
60. **Ethics Committee Opinion: Childrearing Ability and the Provision of Fertility Services** (American Society for Reproductive Medicine; 01/25/18)
61. **Doing Business as a Psychologist: The Graduate Course You Never Had** (Larry Waldman, Ph.D., 09/29/2017)
62. **Use and Interpretation of the Personality Assessment Inventory (PAI) in Reproductive Medicine** (John E. Kurtz, Ph.D., 03/03/2017)

Honors

2003 American Psychology-Law Society Dissertation Award (Second Place)

Past Employment

2010-2014 **Consultative Examiner, State of Nevada Bureau of Disability Adjudication**
2004-2010 **Associate Psychologist/Civil Forensic Practice Coordinator (Lewis M. Etkoff, Ph.D. & Associates; Las Vegas, Nevada)**
Preparation of records reviews, case summaries, and evaluation reports; coordination of case timelines and requirements with attorneys, case managers, and other referral sources; client evaluation (interview and administration of various psychological and neuropsychological tests to children, adolescents, and adults); preparation of various materials for legal, psychoeducational seminars, etc. presented to community and private agencies.

Pre-doctoral Clinical Experience

2003-2004 **Pre-doctoral Intern (The Taylor Clinic; Brownwood, Texas)**
Adult and child psychological and neuropsychological assessment; group and individual classroom observation and evaluation; group presentations on various mental health issues; adult individual psychotherapy and biofeedback therapy; and crisis intervention.

2002-2003 **Intern Therapist (Community Counseling Center; Las Vegas, Nevada)**
Individual and group therapy (client issues included HIV / AIDS, anxiety, depression, and relationship concerns); court-mandated group therapy for individuals recovering from alcohol / drug abuse and typically after an arrest for DUI (driving under the influence); group therapy for one group of men (primarily homosexual) and one group of men and women (primarily heterosexual) concerning issues of living with HIV / AIDS.

1999-2002 **Intern/Assistant (Lewis M. Etkoff, Ph.D. & Associates; Las Vegas, Nevada)**
Child, adolescent, and adult psychological and neuropsychological assessment; compilation of records reviews in preparation for forensic evaluations; and preparation of various materials for seminars presented to community and private agencies by Dr. Etkoff and Michelle Carro, Ph.D.

2001 **Intern Therapist (Center for Individual, Couple, and Family Counseling; Las Vegas, Nevada)**
Individual and family therapy (client issues included anxiety, depression, relationship concerns, parent-child relational problems, communication problems, parenting skills, and decision-making and coping skills).

2000-2001 **Intern Therapist (UNLV Student Counseling and Psychological Services; Las Vegas, Nevada)**
Individual therapy (client issues included anxiety, depression, relationship concerns, parent-child relational problems, communication problems, and decision-making and coping skills).

1999 **Intern (Southern Nevada Adult Mental Health Services; Las Vegas, Nevada)**
Participation in intake examinations, assessments, and treatment teams for adult clients with chronic major mental disorders of varying severity.

1998-1999 **Intern (Desert Willow Treatment Center; Las Vegas, Nevada)**
Assessment and treatment of adolescent sexual offenders (ages 12-17) and children and adolescents with various major mental disorders (ages 6-17); oversight of the creation and implementation of an age-specific knowledge learning module and competency exam (completion of which was to be required of all mental health technicians); and production of a client-oriented monthly newsletter.

Instructional Experience

- 2004-2010 **Secondary Practicum Site Supervisor (Lewis M. Etkoff, Ph.D. & Associates; Las Vegas, Nevada)**
Supervision of UNLV doctoral students in clinical psychology with regard to orientation to office policies, procedures, and resources; monitoring and assisting with the administration, scoring, and interpretation of psychological and neuropsychological measures and report writing; and participation in daily supervision (as needed) and weekly group case supervision and educational seminars on relevant psychological and neuropsychological tests and conditions.
- 2002-2003 **Psychology 101 Instructor (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)**
Preparation and delivery of syllabi, lectures, and examinations; assignment of grades; and resolution of practical course administrative matters.
- 1998-2001 **Instructional Assistant (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)**
Delivery of lectures; administration and grading of examinations; maintenance of course grades; and grading course assignments.

Research Experience

- 1999-2003 **Research Assistant (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)**
Responsibilities in all research projects included the coordination and oversight of participant recruitment and data collection, entry, and analysis. Research project topics included:
- Malingering during forensic neuropsychological assessment (2002-2003)
 - Perception of facial and auditory demonstrations of emotion (1999-2001)
 - Women's health and sexuality (1999-2000)

Publications

1. Allen, D.N., **Forrest, T.J.**, Frantom, L.V., & Strauss, G.P. (2006). Neuropsychology of substance use disorders. In Snyder, P.J., Nussbaum, P.D., & Robins, D.L. (Eds.), *Clinical neuropsychology: A pocket handbook for assessment* (2nd ed., pp. 649-673). Washington, DC: American Psychological Association.
2. **Forrest, T.J.** (2006). The influence of instruction set and test format on the detection of malingering. *Dissertation Abstracts International*, 67 (05). (UMI No. AAT 3215874)
3. **Forrest, T.J.**, Allen, D.N., & Goldstein, G. (2004). Malingering indexes for the Halstead Category Test. *The Clinical Neuropsychologist*, 18, 334-347.
4. **Forrest, T.J.** (2002). The integration of facial and auditory affect: An emotional McGurk effect? *Masters Abstracts International*, 40 (01). (UMI No. AAT 1405100)

Published Abstracts

1. **Forrest, T.J.**, Allen, D.N., & Goldstein, G. (2004). Latent constructs for malingering strategies on tests of abstraction and problem solving. *Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology*, 19, 859.
2. **Forrest, T.J.**, & Allen, D.N. (2003). Influence of explicitness of coaching on malingering detection with the WCST. *Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology*, 18, 782-783.
3. **Forrest, T.J.**, Allen, D.N., & Goldstein, G. (2003). Evaluation of new malingering indices for the Halstead Category Test. *Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology*, 18, 783.
4. **Forrest, T.J.**, Allen, D.N., Hall, M.D., & Corral, I. (2002). Re-examining the meaning of surprise. *Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology*, 17, 836.
5. **Forrest, T.**, Hall, M., & Allen, D. (2002). Integration of auditory and facial affect: An emotional McGurk effect? *Journal of the International Neuropsychological Society*, 8, 238.
6. **Forrest, T.J.**, Allen, D.N., Weiner, C., Yao, J.K., Gurklis, Jr., J.A., and van Kammen, D.P. (2001). The HVA/5-HIAA ratio and cognitive function in schizophrenia. *Schizophrenia Research*, 49, 52-53.
7. **Forrest, T.J.**, Allen, D.N., & van Kammen, D.P. (2000). Validity of facial affect processing tasks in schizophrenia. *Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology*, 15, 759.

Invited Oral Presentations

1. **Different Pathways Toward Parenthood: An Educational Panel on Overcoming Infertility** (Presented by the Cade Foundation and Red Rock Fertility Center; 10/04/14)
2. **Forensic Neuropsychology: A Case Study**
Presentation to Students at Touro University Nevada, College of Osteopathic Medicine (with Lewis Etkoff, Ph.D.; 09/23/09)

3. **Expectations and Beliefs about Painful Intercourse in College Women**

Presentation to the 25th Annual Meeting of the Society for Sex Therapy and Research (with Lindsey Bocchieri, B.A. and Marta Meana, Ph.D.; March 2000)

Conference Presentations

1. Charoenchote, W., Hall, M., **Forrest, T.**, & Allen, D. (2002, April). *Use of acoustic characteristics in distinguishing between examples of emotions*. Poster presented at the 82nd Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association, Irvine, CA.
2. Corral, I., **Forrest, T.**, Hall, M.D., & Allen, D.N. (2002, April). *Is surprise a pleasant or an unpleasant emotion?* Poster presented at the 82nd Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association, Irvine, CA.
3. Meana, M., Nunnink, S., **Forrest, T.**, & Bocchieri, L. (2001, March). *Perceived etiology of dyspareunia in college women*. Poster presented at the 29th Annual Meeting of the North American Society for Psychosocial Obstetrics and Gynecology, Waikoloa, HI.