Ariel Shidlo, PhD Psychologist CA #28631

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES AND CERTIFICATES

2016. Licensed as Psychologist by the California Board of Psychology License #28631.

2014. Certificate of Professional Qualification in Psychology (CPQ) The Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards.

2011. Certificate in Global Mental Health: Trauma and Recovery. Harvard Program in Refugee Trauma.

1992. Licensed as Psychologist by the State of New York. License #11402-1.

EMPLOYMENT, ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS, AND INVITED TRAININING

1992-ongoing. Independent practice in clinical and forensic psychology.

2017-ongoing. Co-Leader, Bay Area Asylum Mental Health Project. Training and mentoring mental health clinicians to conduct pro bono asylum evaluations.

2017-2020. Partnerships for Trauma Recovery, Berkeley. Yearly guest lecturer on psychotherapy with LGBTI refugees.

2016-2022. Clinical Director, Well Clinic, San Francisco.

2014-2019. Yearly guest lecturer on the forensic evaluation of LGBTI asylum seekers. Wright Institute Sanctuary Project Practicum. The Wright Institute, Berkley.

2012-2017. Clinical Assistant Professor of Psychology in Psychiatry. Weill Cornell Medical College. Weill Cornell Center for Human Rights. Trained and mentored clinicians and medical students in the forensic evaluation of asylum seekers.

2013. Trainer. Physicians for Human Rights. Funded in part by the U.S. Department of State. Week-long program in Amman, Jordan to train Syrian physicians and attorneys on using the Istanbul Protocol to document the mental health consequences of human rights violations.

2003-2010. Program Director. HIV Center, St. Vincent's Hospital Manhattan, Bilingual (Spanish) hybrid HIV prevention, mental health, and substance abuse programs. Program design, implementation, and evaluation. Recruiting, training, and supervision of psychologists, social workers, and clinical psychology doctoral students. HIV outpatient clinic, bilingual (Spanish) direct patient care and consultation services in multidisciplinary team for patients with complex mental health, substance abuse and sociocultural challenges.

1995-2004. Instructor for Clinical Psychology in Psychiatry. Columbia University, Department of Psychiatry. Psychologist and supervisor at Columbia University Center for Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Mental Health—College of Physicians & Surgeons of Columbia University, Department of Psychiatry.

1994-1997. Founding Director. St. Vincent's Hospital Manhattan, HIV Center, peer counseling and mental health services for HIV-negative gay men; sex workers' mental

health and HIV risk reduction program (When Sex is Work.) Program design, evaluation, training, and supervision. Bilingual (Spanish) clinician.

1994 to 1996. Conducted psychological evaluations of school-aged children, New York Board of Education Report of Language Proficiency to Provide Professional Services in Spanish.

1994 to 1995 John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY. Department of Psychology, Adjunct Assistant Professor.

1990-1994. Lutheran Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY. HIV/AIDS Unit. Coordinated psychological inpatient and outpatient services for HIV/AIDS patients. Clinical supervisor in APA approved pre-doctoral internship. Bilingual (Spanish) clinician.

1985-1987. State University of New York at Buffalo. Instructor.

EDUCATION

1992. PhD in clinical/community psychology (APA approved). State University of New York at Buffalo.

1988 to 1989. Pre-doctoral internship in clinical psychology (APA approved). Elizabeth General Medical Center, NJ.

1983. BA cum laude with honors in psychology. New York University.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

- **2024**. The Cornerstone of Qualified Medical Evaluations: Substantial Medical Evidence. CPA (2 hours).
- **2024**. Fundamentals of Forensic Neuropsychology. National Academy of Neuropsychology (20 hours).
- **2024**. Law and Mental Health: Specialty Guidelines for Forensic Psychology: Status & Update. The University of New Mexico (1 hour).
- **2024**. Law and Mental Health: Structured Guides for Other-Directed Violence Risk Management Training and Practice. The University of New Mexico (1 hour).
- **2024**. Law and Mental Health: Empathic Expression During a Forensic Evaluation: Clinical & Ethical Considerations. The University of New Mexico (1 hour).
- **2024.** Law and Mental Health: Optimizing the Measurement of Sexual Victimization: Overcoming Barriers to Disclosure and Increasing Equity. The University of New Mexico (1 hour).
- **2024**. Law and Mental Health: The Mental Health Professional in Court. The University of New Mexico (1 hour).
- **2024**. Demographic Factors that Impact Neuropsychological Testing: A Multicultural Perspective. CPA (1 hour).
- **2024**. The Art and Science of Expert Witness Testimony. American Academy of Forensic Psychology (4 hours).
- 2024. Risk Management Roundtable #23. The Trust (1 hour).
- **2023**. The Brain, Behavior, and the Legal System: Fundamental Neuropsychology for Forensic Evaluators. Concept Professional Training (4 hours).

- **2023**. Navigating the California Workers' Compensation System as a Neuropsychologist. CPA (2 hours).
- 2023. Ethics & Risk Management. PDR (2 hours).
- 2023. Risk Management Roundtable #22. The Trust (1 hour).
- 2023. Risk Management Roundtable #21. The Trust (1 hour).
- **2023**. Law and Ethics: Most Common Legal Consultations. San Francisco Psychological Association (2.5 hours).
- **2023**. Effective Terminations, Money Matters, and Patient Advocacy. The Trust (3 hours).
- **2023**. Professional Retirement: Best Practices for Psychologists. The National Register of Health Service Psychologists (1 hour).
- 2023. Telehealth Community Chat #15. The Trust (1 hour).
- **2022**. When Psychological and Brain Trauma Co-Occur: PTSD and mild TBI in adults. The National Academy of Neuropsychology (1.5 hours).
- **2022**. Boundary Issues: Ethics and Risk Management. The National Register of Health Service Psychologists (1 hour).
- 2022. Getting the Most Accurate [disability] Rating. CPA (2 hours).
- 2022. Advanced Flash Technique. Philip Manfield, PhD (6 hours).
- **2022**. The Flash Technique: Basic Principles and Protocols. Philip Manfield, PhD(6 hours).
- **2022**. A Common Sense Approach to Clinical Suicidology and Risk Management. The National Register of Health Service Psychologists (1 hour).
- 2022. Chronic Pain and QME Impairment Rating. CPA (2 hours).
- 2022. Forensic Tips for the Practicing Psychologist Roundtable. The Trust (1 hour).
- 2022. Telehealth Community Chat #15. The Trust (1 hour).
- 2022. Risk Management Roundtable #18. The Trust (1 hour).
- 2022. Risk Management Roundtable #17. The Trust (1 hour).
- 2022. Risk Management Roundtable #16. The Trust (1 hour).
- 2022. Risk Management Roundtable #10. The Trust (1 hour).
- **2022**. Social Determinants of Cognitive Health: How Racial and Socioeconomic Disparities Impact Cognitive Aging. PAR (1 hour).
- **2022**. MoCA Cognitive Assessment Certified Rater. MoCA Test Inc. (1 hour).
- 2022. NSA Roundtable. The Trust (1 hour).
- **2022**. Orientation to the Legal Profession: A Primer on the Consulting Relationship. The National Academy of Neuropsychology (1.5 hours).
 - **2022**. Parenting Plan Evaluations: Guidelines and Best Practices [assessing IPV]. The Trust (2 hours).
 - 2022. HIPAA Privacy Rule. The Trust (1 hour).
 - 2022. HIPAA Security Rule. The Trust (1 hour).
 - **2022**. New York State Professional Ethics For Psychologists. Zur Institute (3 hours).

- **2021**. HCR-20 V3 Workshop: Assessing and Managing Risk for General Violence. Protect International Risk and Safety Services (12 hours).
- **2021.** Ethics in Forensic Psychological Practice. Palo Alto University, Continuing & Professional Studies (8 hours).
- **2021**. Fees In Psychotherapy and Counseling: Clinical, Ethical and Management Considerations. Zur Institute (6 hours).
- 2021. Risk Management Roundtable #15. The Trust (1 hour).
- 2021. Risk Management Roundtable #14. The Trust (1 hour).
- 2021. Risk Management Roundtable #13. The Trust (1 hour).
- 2021. Risk Management Roundtable #12. The Trust (1 hour).
- **2021**. Suicide Assessment & Treatment Planning via Tele-Mental Health. Palo Alto University, Continuing & Professional Studies (1.5 hours).
- 2021. Telehealth Community Chat #11. The Trust (1 hour).
- 2021. Telehealth Community Chat #10. The Trust (1 hour).
- **2020.** Tele-Supervision: Ethical, Legal, and Clinical Aspects of E-Supervision. Zur Institute (6 hours).
- **2020.** Termination in Psychotherapy and Counseling: Ethical & Clinical Considerations. Zur Institute (4 hours).
- 2020. Suicide Assessment and Intervention. Zur Institute (6 hours).
- 2020. Risk Management Roundtable #11, The Trust (1 hour).
- 2020. Risk Management Roundtable #5. The Trust (1 hour).
- **2020.** Risk Management Roundtable #4. The Trust (1 hour).
- **2020.** Risk Management Roundtable #3. The Trust (1 hour).
- 2020. Risk Management Roundtable [#1.] The Trust (1 hour).
- 2020. Telehealth Community Chat #3. The Trust (1 hour).
- 2020. Telehealth Community Chat #2. The Trust (1 hour).
- 2019. Emotionally Focused Therapy (EFT) Externship. R. Cassidy Seminars (28 hours).
- 2018. Evaluation of Workplace Disability. Concept Professional Training (14 hours).
- **2018.** Complying with Subpoenas and Court Orders While Minimizing Your Risk. APAIT and National Register of Health Service Psychologists (1 hour).
- **2018.** Psychological Evaluation of Causation and Damages in Personal Injury Cases. American Academy of Forensic Psychology (7 hours).
- **2018.** Advanced Assessment and Treatment of Attention Deficit Disorders. American Psychological Association (3 hours).
- **2018**. Clinical Neuropsychology for the Forensic Psychologist. American Academy of Forensic Psychology (7 hours).
- **2018.** Effective and Ethical Supervision in Psychotherapy & Counseling. Zur Institute (6 hours).
- **2018.** HIPAA Awareness for Mental Health. HIPAATraining.com (1.5 hours).
- 2018. Telebehavioral Health: What Every Provider Needs to Know. SAMHSA (1 hour).

- **2017.** Personal Injury Evaluations: Law and Psychological Practice. American Academy of Forensic Psychology (7 hours).
- **2017.** New Frontiers in Hypnosis and Their Application. American Society of Clinical Hypnosis (14 hours).
- **2016.** Assessment of Malingering. Concept Professional Training (20 hours).
- **2016.** Mental Disability Law and Criminal Law: Mental Illness, Dangerousness, Risk Assessment, and Police Power. Concept Professional Training (30 hours).
- **2016.** Evaluation for Workplace Discrimination and Harassment (Best Practices for Forensic Mental Health Assessments). Concept Professional Training (6 hours).
- **2016.** Evaluation of Workplace Disability (Best Practices for Forensic Mental Health Assessments). Concept Professional Training (6 hours).
- **2016.** Contemporary Issues in Forensic Neuropsychology. American Psychological Association (3 hours).
- **2016.** Confabulation and Suggestibility: Clinical, Forensic, and Judicial Considerations. Concept Professional Training (1.5 hours).
- 2016. MMPI-2-RF: Forensic Practice Briefing. Pearson Clinical (1 hour).
- **2016.** Forensic Psychology. Professional Resource Press (36 hours).
- **2016.** Sexual Violence and Forensic Science: Exploring Forensic DNA Evidence in Complex Cases of Sexual Violence. Physicians for Human Rights (1 hour).
- **2016.** Comparing two Primary Methods for Assessing and Managing Violence Risk: Actuarial Risk Assessment versus Structured Professional Judgment. Concept Professional Training (1.5 hours).
- **2016.** Addressing Past Sexual Assault in Clinical Settings. Women's College Hospital / Ontario Network of Sexual Assault / Domestic Violence Treatment Centres (1 hour).
- **2016.** Multiculturalism and Diversity in Clinical Supervision: A Competency Based Approach. American Psychological Association (8 hours).
- **2016.** Supervision: Advanced Topics, Ethics and Law. Zur Institute (6 hours).
- **2016.** Ethical Challenges and Concerns in Teaching, Supervision and Clinical Practice: Couples & Family Psychology. American Psychological Association (3 hours).
- 2016. Ethical and Risk Management Issues in Supervision. APAIT (3 hours).
- **2016.** Clinical Practice with Immigrant-Origin Clients. American Psychological Association (3 hours).
- **2016.** Culturally Sensitive Health Promotion and Health Care Approaches for Eliminating Health Disparities. American Psychological Association (2 hours).
- **2016.** Organizational Assessment and Staff Training in Cultural Competence. National Child Traumatic Stress Network (1 hour).
- **2016.** The Role of Integrated Healthcare: Understanding the Impact of Childhood Trauma, Adversity and Toxic Stress on the Body and Mind. National Child Traumatic Stress Network (1.5 hours).
- **2016.** Supporting Caregivers of Youth with Substance Use Problems Affected by Trauma. National Child Traumatic Stress Network (1.5 hours).
- **2016.** Understanding the Unique Contexts for Immigrant Victims of Sexual and Domestic Violence. University of Arizona, Western Region Public Health Training Center (.3 hour).

- **2016.** Legal Remedies for Immigrant Victims Under the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA). University of Arizona, Western Region Public Health Training Center (.3 hour).
- **2016.** Dialectical Behavior Therapy: Treatment for Borderline Personality Disorder. Zur Institute (2 hours).
- 2016. Understanding Disordered Eating. SE Trauma Institute (1 hour).
- **2016.** Pain Management and Overmedication. California Psychological Association (3 hours).
- 2016. Psychology in the Public Sector. California Psychological Association (3 hours).
- **2016.** Diagnosis and the DSM-5: Changing Times. California Psychological Association (3 hours).
- **2016.** Couples Therapy: Counterintuitive Approaches to Working More Effectively. Zur Institute (4 hours).
- **2016.** Two Empirically Based Models for the Treatment of Complex Trauma in Adolescents: Central Components and Cultural Adaptations. International Society for Traumatic Studies (3 hours).
- 2016. Telepsychology: Managing Risk in Practice. APAIT (2 hours).
- 2015. Introduction to Corporate Giving. Foundation Center (1 hour).
- 2015. Millennial Engagement. Foundation Center (1 hour).
- **2015.** Presenting Effective Expert Testimony for Forensic Evaluation, John Jay College of Criminal Justice (7 hours).
- **2015.** Advanced Training: Forensic Evaluations of Immigrant Children. Physicians for Human Rights (1.5 hours).
- **2015.** Introduction to Forensic Documentation of Trauma: Immigrant Children (parts I and II). Physicians for Human Rights (3 hours).
- 2015. Mixed Methods Research Analyzing Survey Data with NVivo. QSR (1 hour).
- **2015.** Working with Scientists on Human Rights Projects. American Association for the Advancement of Science (1 hour).
- **2015.** Qualification of Armed Conflict and Determining the Applicable Law. International Association of Professionals in Humanitarian Assistance and Protection (1 hour).
- **2015.** Qualification of Situations: Case Studies From Recent Practice. International Association of Professionals in Humanitarian Assistance and Protection (1 hour).
- **2014.** Mental Health & Capacity In Immigration Court. Immigration Advocates Network (1.5 hours).
- 2014. Human Sexuality: Advances in Treatment. Zur Institute. (10 hours).
- **2014.** Child Abuse in Psychotherapy and Counseling. Zur Institute. (7 hours).
- **2013.** Vulnerable Populations: Representing Unaccompanied Minors and Detainees with Mental Disabilities in Immigration Court. Capital Area Immigrants' Rights (3 hours).
- 2012. Somatic Experiencing: Beginning III (24 hours).
- **2012**. Preparing for a stakeholder consultation. QSR (1 hour).
- **2012**. Classifying Data and Coding Queries. QSR (1.5 hours).
- **2012**. Analyzing Text in NVivo. QSR (1.5 hours).

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- **2012.** Foundation Fundraising. Foundation Center (6 hours).
- 2012. Somatic Experiencing: Beginning II (24 hours).
- **2012**. Intimate Partner Violence: What Health Care Providers Need to Know (1.5 hours). Saint Louis University School Of Medicine.
- 2012. Proposal Writing Seminar. Foundation Center (6 hours).
- **2012.** Somatic Experiencing: Beginning I (24 hours).
- 2011. NVivo 9 Advanced Workshop. QSR (6 hours).
- 2010. Physical and Psychological Documentation of Torture Survivors, PHR (7 hours).
- 2001. EMDR training (level 2). EMDR Institute, Inc. (17 hours).
- 1999. EMDR training (level 1). EMDR Institute, Inc. (17 hours).
- 1998. Risk Management with Potentially Dangerous Patients. APA (9 hours).
- 1996. Professional Liability and Risk Management. APA (6 hours).
- 1991. Neuropsychological Assessment. Albert Einstein College of Medicine (15 hours).

PRO BONO WORK

2013-2014. Iraqi Refugee Assistance Project. Telepsychology mental health evaluation of Iraqi LGBT forced migrants in Lebanon who are seeking UNHCR refugee status.

2010-2016. Founding Co-Executive Director, Research Institute Without Walls (riww.org). Training on the impact of human rights violations on LGBT mental health.

2005-2016. Physicians for Human Rights, Asylum Network. Psychological evaluation and immigration court expert testimony: asylum, Special Immigrant Juvenile Status, Violence Against Women Act (VAWA), and U visas.

2003-2004. Rutgers University. Individual psychotherapy supervisor of pre-doctoral clinical psychology students.

1994-1995. New York City Gay and Lesbian Anti-Violence Project.

1992-1993. Task Force on AIDS, NYS Psychological Association. Provided AIDS mental health training for graduate psychology students.

1988-1989. GMHC. Co-therapist, group therapy for couples with HIV/AIDS.

RESEARCH

2011. Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Assessment in Asylum Seekers. Development of an assessment measure.

1995-2002. Changing Sexual Orientation: Does Counseling Work? In association with the National Gay & Lesbian Task Force. Funded by the H. van Ameringen Foundation.

GRANTS

2019-2022. Morning Glory Family Foundation. \$10,000 yearly grant, The Bay Area Asylum Mental Health Project, RIWW.

2013. Fondation de France (1,000 euros) to support Research Institute Without Walls (training on impact of human rights violations on LGBT persons' mental health).

2003-2010. Multi-year grant from NYC DOH/CDC (\$196,000/yr) for HIV prevention and

mental health program at St. Vincent's Hospital Manhattan.

1997-2000. Grant from the H. van Ameringen Foundation (\$130,000) for study in collaboration with NGLTF: Changing Sexual Orientation: Does Counseling Work?

1995-1997. Multi-year grant from New York City AIDS Fund (\$90,000/yr). Peer counseling program for HIV-negative men at St. Vincent's Hospital Manhattan.

1987. Grant from Health Services, SUNY at Buffalo (\$400). Prevention of AIDS related high-risk behavior and internalized homophobia in gay male college students.

CONSULTATION & PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT

2013-2015. HIAS. Integrating Overlooked Refugee Populations into SGBV Prevention and Response Mechanisms in Chad, Kenya, South Africa and Uganda. Research Consultant (sexual minority refugees, mental health consequences of SGBV): Advisory Board.

2012. ICE LGBT Working Group. Writer of "Mental Health Fact Sheet Regarding LGBT Immigrant Detainees", a section of ICE document "Working Effectively with LGBT Detainees." Member of working group.

2008. Village Care New York. Developed and supervised training program for health care providers to provide HIV prevention primary and secondary counseling.

1994. New York University HIV/AIDS Mental Health Training Program, Curriculum Committee.

1991-1994. LMC. Employee Needle-Stick Counseling Program. Designed structured counseling program for HCWs stuck with sharps. Trained social workers and nurses in counseling HCWs with needle sticks.

BOOK

2002. Sexual Orientation Conversion Therapy: Ethical, Clinical And Research Perspectives. (Eds. Ariel Shidlo, Michael Schroeder, & Jack Drescher). Haworth Press: Binghamton, NY.

PUBLICATIONS

2016. (First author). Shidlo, A. & Gonsiorek, J. Psychotherapy with clients who have been through sexual orientation change interventions or request to change their sexual orientation. In K. DeBord, T. Perez, K. Bieschke, & A. Fischer (Eds.), *The Handbook of Sexual Orientation and Gender Diversity in Counseling and Psychotherapy.* DC: American Psychological Association.

2013 (First author). Shidlo, A. & Ahola, J. What advocates and adjudicators need to know about the mental health challenges of LGBT forced migrants. Forced Migration Review, April 2013, 9-11.

2013. (*Second author*). Theodore, J., Shidlo, A. Psychometrics of an internalized homophobia instrument for men. *Journal of Homosexuality*, 60(4), 558-574.

2010. (Second author). Yi, H., Shidlo, A., & Sandfort, T. G. Assessing maladaptive responses to the stress of being at risk of HIV Infection among HIV-Negative gay men in New York City. *Journal of Sex Research*, *47(0)*, 1–12.

- **2010.** (*Third author*). Yi, H., Sandfort, T. G. & Shidlo, A. Effects of disengagement coping with HIV risk on unprotected sex among HIV-negative gay men in New York City. *Health Psychology*, 29(2), 205-214.
- **2005.** (*First author*). Attitudes toward unprotected anal sex: Assessing HIV-negative gay or bisexual men. In P.N. Halkitis, L. Wilton, & J. Drescher (Eds.), *Barebacking: Psychosocial and Public Health Consequences*. Haworth Press: Binghamton, NY. **2005.** (*Interview*). Brooke, H. L. "Gays, ex-gays, ex-ex-gays: Examining key religious, ethical, and diversity Issues": A follow-up interview with Douglas Haldeman, Ariel Shidlo, Warren Throckmorton, and Mark Yarhouse. *Journal of Psychology & Christianity*, *24*, 343-351.
- **2002.** (First author). Changing sexual orientation: A consumers' report. Professional Psychology: Research and Practice, Vol. 33, No. 3, 249-259.
- **2001**. (Second author). Ethical issues in sexual orientation conversion therapies: An empirical study of consumers. J. of Gay & Lesbian Psychotherapy, 5(3/4), pp. 131-166.
- **2000** (APA, Joint Task Force on Guidelines for Psychotherapy With Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Clients). Guidelines for psychotherapy with lesbian, gay, and bisexual clients. *American Psychologist*, *55*, 1440-1451. (I participated in developing these guidelines as a member of the Joint Task Force on Guidelines for Psychotherapy With Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Clients).
- **1997**. Mental health issues in HIV-negative gay men. In M. Winiarski (Ed.), *HIV Mental Health for the 21st Century.* (pp. 173-189). New York: New York University.
- **1994.** Internalized Homophobia: Conceptual and Empirical Issues in Measurement. In B. Greene & Gregory M. Herek (Eds.), *Lesbian and Gay Psychology: Theory, Research, and Clinical Applications.* (pp.176-205). A publication of the Society for the Psychological Study of Lesbian and Gay Issues, Div. 44, APA. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

CONFERENCE DEVELOPMENT LEADERSHIP

Chair, Convention Program, Division 44,104th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association at New York, August 1995.

Coordinator. Panel on International Lesbian and Gay Human Rights. *Preparing Lesbian and Gay Mental Health Providers and Social Scientists for the Public Policy Debates of the 90s.* Public Policy Institute. Co-Sponsored by Division 44, APA, and National Lesbian and Gay Health Conference, NYC, June 1994.

PRESENTATIONS, CONFERENCE DEVELOPMENT, AND WORKSHOP LEADERSHIP

Shidlo. A. (2020, January). The one-year filing deadline in asylum: the role of psychological evaluations. In panel, Extraordinary and changed circumstances: getting past the one-year filing deadline in asylum. Presented at the American Immigration Lawyers Association Midwinter Conference in Curação.

Shidlo, A., Rodgers-Quaye, J. (2019, May). *Mental health challenges of LGBT asylum seekers and refugees in the U.S.* In LGBT mental health: health care, innovation, and advocacy. Presented at the Annual Meeting American Psychiatric Association at San Francisco.

- **Shidlo, A.** (2019, May). *LGBT asylum Seekers in the U.S.* In How we live now: the state of LGBTQ mental health in the current political times. Presented at the Annual Meeting American Psychiatric Association at San Francisco.
- **Shidlo, A.** (2018, April). *Understanding trauma and trauma-informed client services*. The Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights 2018 Spring Asylum Seminar. Invited presentation at the Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights of the San Francisco Bay Area.
- Theodore, J., **Shidlo, A**. (2015, August). *Gay-affirmative counseling and changes in depression and internalized homophobia*. Presented at the 123rd Annual Convention American Psychological Association at Toronto.
- **Shidlo, A.** (2013, October). *Trauma and secondary trauma in working with asylum seekers: Minimizing the re-traumatization of clients and protecting attorneys' mental health*. Invited presentation at Seton Hall Law, Newark, NJ.
- **Shidlo, A.** (2013, October). *Integrating social justice work in a career of a clinical psychologist*. Invited address to student chapter of Psychologists for Social Responsibility, LIU Post, Brookville, NY.
- Kamens, S., Kantorova, D., Keisner, R., Pecala, K., **Shidlo, A.**, Vento, E. (2013, October). *Promoting social justice in psychology programs: Faculty and student experiences and perspectives*. Roundtable presented at Psychologists for Social Responsibility Conference at New York.
- Jordan, S. & **Shidlo, A.** (2013, June). *Psychological impact of sexual orientation and gender identity persecution: Implications, assessment, and support strategies for refugee determination* [workshop co-leader]. Presented at the North American Refugee Health Conference at Toronto.
- Hunter, J. & Shidlo, A. (2013, June). *Mental health challenges of LGBT asylum seekers and refugees*. Presented at the 1st International Conference of LGBT Psychology and Related Fields at Lisbon.
- **Shidlo, A.** & Ahola, J. (2013, May). *LGBT asylum seekers in immigration detention: mental health consequences.* Presented at the Annual Convention of the American Psychiatric Association at San Francisco.
- **Shidlo, A.** & Ahola, J. (2013, May, symposium co-chairs). *Asylum seekers and refugees: mental health challenges and needs*, Presented at the Annual Convention of the American Psychiatric Association at San Francisco.
- **Shidlo, A.** & Eidelson, J. (2013, May). *LGBT asylum seekers: Assessment and Treatment Considerations*. The Wright Institute, Berkley, CA.
- **Shidlo**, A. & Jordan, S. (2013, April, workshop co-leaders). *Clinical Institute. Best Practices in Torture Treatment: Assisting Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Torture Survivors* at Heartland Alliance, Chicago.
- Ahola, J. & **Shidlo**, **A.** (2013, April, workshop co-leaders). *Mental health evaluations of asylum seekers*. Weill Cornell Center for Human Rights. New York City.
- **Shidlo, A.** (2012, October, workshop co-leader). *Immigration attorneys' collaboration with mental health experts in asylum cases*. Presented at a Human Rights First workshop for immigration attorneys at Newark, NJ.
- **Shidlo, A.** (2012, September, Web-based tele-workshop). *Unaccompanied minor LGBT immigrants' mental health needs and challenges*. Western US BCFS HHS International Children's Services.
- Eidelson, J. & **Shidlo, A.** (2012, July). *Social justice for refugees and asylum seekers: The role of psychologists*. Presented at the annual conference of Psychologists for Social Responsibility at Washington, DC.

- **Shidlo, A.** & Ahola, J., Budd M.C. (2012, July). *Mental health challenges of LGBT refugees and asylum seekers*. Presented at Double Jeopardy 2012, Protecting the Rights of LGBTI Refugees and Asylum Seekers at Greenwich University, London, England.
- Ahola, J. & **Shidlo A.** (2012, June). *The mental health assessment of LGBT asylum seekers*. Presented at the William Alanson White Institute of Psychiatry, Psychoanalysis & Psychology, New York.
- **Shidlo, A**. & Ahola, J. (2012, May). The role of the mental health professional in helping LGBT asylum seekers. A workshop presented at the Annual Conference of Association of Gay and Lesbian Psychiatrists at Philadelphia.
- **Shidlo, A.** (2012, April). Psychological issues in LGBT asylum seekers: What law school students need to know [workshop co-leader]. Presented at the Cornell University Law School, Advocacy for Lesbian Gay Bisexual and Transgender (LGBT) Communities Clinic.
- **Shidlo, A.** (2012, March). *Mental health issues in LGBT refugees* [workshop co-leader]. Presented at LGBT Refugees and Asylees: Responding to the Needs of a Hidden Population, in Philadelphia. Sponsored by Heartland Alliance, Nationalities Center, and Office of Refugee Resettlement.
- **Shidlo, A.** (2012, March). The mental health professional and the LGBT asylum seeker. Presented at the William Alanson White Institute of Psychiatry, Psychoanalysis & Psychology, in New York.
- **Shidlo, A.** (2011, February). *Psychological assessment of LGBT asylum applicants and refugees in the U.S.* Presented at the New Jersey Institute for Continuing Legal Education, in cooperation with the New Jersey State Bar Association at New Brunswick, NJ.
- **Shidlo, A.** (2007, October). *LGBT human rights and mental health: Psychiatric abuse of same-sex sexualities and Tongzhi well-being in China*. Panel convened with the participation of the Aizhixing Institute of Health Education (Beijing), Research Institute Without Walls (RIWW), and the International Gay and Lesbian Human Rights Commission (IGLHRC), at New York.
- **Shidlo, A.** (2001, May). Changing sexual orientation: Does counseling work? Presented at the 154th Annual Convention of the American Psychiatric Association at New Orleans.
- **Shidlo, A.** (August 2000). *Changing sexual orientation: Does counseling work?* Presented at the 108th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association at Washington, DC.
- **Shidlo, A.** (January 1999). *Changing sexual orientation: Clinical issues*. Presented at the Second Annual In the Family Conference at San Francisco.
- **Shidlo, A.** (August 1998). *Internalized homophobia and attitudes toward intimacy in gay men* (paper 1). *HIV-negative gay and bisexual men: Internalized homophobia and sex* (paper 2). Presented at the 106th Annual Convention American Psychological Association at San Francisco.
 - **Shidlo, A.** (August 1997). *HIV- negative gay and bisexual men: Assessment and clinical issues.* Presented at the 105th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association at Chicago.
 - **Shidlo, A.** (July 1996). *Documenting the damage of homophobic therapies: Empirical findings*. Presented at the 18th National Lesbian and Gay Health Conference at Seattle.
 - Shidlo, A. (August 1996). Assessment with lesbians, gay men and bisexuals: A review

of conceptual and empirical issues. Symposium: Joint Task Force on Psychotherapy Guidelines with Lesbians, Gay men, and Bisexuals, Div. 44 & CLGC, APA. Presented at the 104rd Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association at Toronto.

Shidlo, **A.** (July 1996). *HIV-negative identity in gay and bisexual men: Assessment issues*. Presented at the 18th National Lesbian and Gay Health Conference at Seattle.

Shidlo, A. (August 1995). *Practitioners' workshop on psychotherapy with lesbians, gay men, and* bisexuals. Presented at the 103rd Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association at New York.

Shidlo, A. (August 1995). *Multi Axial Gay Inventory-Men's Version (MAGI-M).*Preliminary data on an Internet and community samples. Presented at the 103rd Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association at New York.

Shidlo, A. (August 1994). *Interventions and psychotherapy with lesbian and gay men: A review.* Symposium: The assessment & treatment of lesbian, gay, and bisexual psychotherapy clients. Presented at the 102nd Annual Convention of the American Committee on Sexual Orientation and Gender Diversity and Division 44 of the American Psychological Association has been preparing a new APA Resolution on Sexual Orientation Change Efforts (SOCE).

Shidlo, A. (August,1994). *High risk sexual behavior in gay men: Associated psychosocial factors.* Presented at the 102nd Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association at Los Angeles.

Shidlo, A. (May 1992). Counseling HIV needle stick injuries in health professionals. Presented at 13th WONCA World Conference on Family Medicine at Vancouver.

Shidlo, A. (August, 1987). Homonegativity and gay social support: An investigation of adjustment in gay males. Presented at the 95th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association at New York City.

POLICY EXPERT TESTIMONY AND PROFESSIONAL GUIDELINES DEVELOPMENT

2022. Faculty reviewer. Asylum Medicine Training Initiative. Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity in Asylum training module. Cambridge Health Alliance, Center for Health Equity Education and Advocacy, UCSF Health and Human Rights Initiative, Physicians for Human Rights, and Society of Asylum Medicine.

2014. Expert witness. Public Forum On Legislation Barring Sexual Orientation Change "Therapy" For Minors. New York State Assembly Member Deborah Glick; New York State Senators Brad Hoylman & Michael Gianaris.

1993-2000. Member of the Joint Task Force on Guidelines for Psychotherapy With Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Clients, American Psychological Association.

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS, ADVISORY BOARDS, AND PROFFESIONAL SERVICE

2018. Invited reviewer of Committee on Sexual Orientation and Gender Diversity and Division 44 of the American Psychological Association's 2018 "Resolution on Sexual Orientation Change Efforts (SOCE)".

2016-ongoing. Advisory Council Member. Refugee Assistance & Information Network International.

2016-ongoing. Ad hoc journal peer reviewer. Culture, Health and Sexuality.

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2014-ongoing. Ad hoc journal peer reviewer. Psychology of Sexual Orientation and Gender Diversity.

2012-2017. Co-Coordinator, Political Asylum Project, Psychologists for Social Responsibility.

2002-ongoing. Editorial Board, Journal of Gay and Lesbian Mental Health.

2004-2007. Editorial Board, Journal of LGBT Family Studies.

1995. Member at Large, Executive Committee, Lesbian and Gay Division (Division 44) APA.

1993-1996. Co-Chair, Committee on Accreditation, Lesbian and Gay Division (Division 44), APA.

1993-1995. Founder, first Co-Chair, Task Force on Lesbian and Gay Psychology, NYS Psychological Association.

1993-2000. Member. Joint Task Force on Psychotherapy Guidelines with Lesbians, Gay Men, and Bisexuals, Division 44 & Committee on Lesbian and Gay Concerns, APA.

1993-1997. Feature Editor. Newsletter, Lesbian and Gay Division (Division 44), APA.

1993-1994. Chair, Task Force on AIDS, NYS Psychological Association.

LANGUAGES

English (bilingual proficiency), Spanish (New York Board of Education Report of Language Proficiency to Provide Professional Services), Portuguese (native, limited working proficiency).