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CURRICULUM VITAE

EDUCATION

- 2013-2014 **Brown University Alpert Medical School**
Providence, Rhode Island
Clinical Psychology Resident/Predoctoral Intern
Training Director: Elizabeth McQuaid, Ph.D.
Research Advisor: Shirley Yen, Ph.D.
- 2011-2014 **Florida State University**
Tallahassee, Florida
Degree: Doctor of Philosophy, Clinical Psychology
Major Professor: Thomas E. Joiner, Ph.D.
Title of Dissertation: Acute Overarousal and the Acquired
Capability for Suicide: Understanding Acute Suicide Risk
Through the Lens of the Interpersonal Theory of Suicide
- 2008-2011 **Florida State University**
Tallahassee, Florida
Degree: Masters of Science
Major Professor: Thomas E. Joiner, Ph.D.
Title of Thesis: Examining the Factor Structure for the
Acquired Capability for Suicide Scale
- 2008 **University of Pennsylvania**
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Degree: Bachelor of Arts, Magna Cum Laude With
Distinction in Psychology
Major Field: Psychology
Honors Thesis Advisor: Robert DeRubeis, Ph.D.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2014-Present **Postdoctoral Fellow**
Harvard University, Military Suicide Research Consortium
Cambridge, Massachusetts

HONORS & AWARDS

- 2014 Jane West Award
2012 FSU Ermine M. Owenby, Jr. Travel Award
2012 Society for a Science of Clinical Psychology Dissertation Award

2012	FSU Graduate Research Development Award (Fall)
2012	FSU Dissertation Research Grant Award
2012	Military Suicide Research Consortium Dissertation Completion Award
2012	Distinguished Contribution Award for student posters given by the Society for a Science of Clinical Psychology, Association for Psychological Science Convention
2012	Graduate Research Development Award (Spring)
2008-2012	FSU Congress of Graduate Students Conference Presentation Grants
2008	Morris S. Viteles Award in Psychology, University of Pennsylvania
2006-2008	Psi Chi Psychology Honors Society, University of Pennsylvania Chapter

PUBLICATIONS: JOURNAL ARTICLES (n=24)

In Press

Ribeiro, J., Silva, C., & Joiner, T. (in press). Overarousal interacts with a sense of fearlessness to predict suicide risk in a sample of clinical outpatients. *Psychiatry Research*.

Gauthier, J.M., Zuromski, K.L., Gitter, S.A., Witte, T.K., Cero, I.J., Gordon, K.H., **Ribeiro, J.D.,** Anestis, M.D., & Joiner, T.E., Jr. (in press). The interpersonal-psychological theory of suicide and exposure to video game violence. *Journal of Social and Clinical Psychology*.

Ribeiro, J., Buchman, J., Bender, T., Nock, M., Rudd, M., Bryan, C., Lim, I., Baker, M., Knight, C., Gutierrez, P., & Joiner, T. (in press). An investigation of the interactive effects of the acquired capability for suicide and acute agitation on suicidality in a military sample. *Depression and Anxiety*.

2014

Ribeiro, J., Witte, T., Van Orden, K., Selby, E., Gordon, K., Bender, T., & Joiner, T. (2014). Fearlessness about death: The psychometric properties and construct validity of the revision to the Acquired Capability for Suicide Scale. *Psychological Assessment, 26*(1), 115-126.

Hawkins, K., Hames, J., **Ribeiro, J.,** Silva, C., Cogle, J., & Joiner, T. (2014). An examination of the relationship between anger and suicidal ideation through the lens of the interpersonal theory of suicide. *Journal of Psychiatric Research, 50*, 59-65.

Ribeiro, J., Bodell, L., Hames, J., Hagan, C., & Joiner, T. (2013). An empirically-based approach to the assessment and treatment of suicidal behavior. *Journal of Psychotherapy Integration, 23*(3), 207-221.

2013

Selby, E., **Ribeiro, J.,** & Joiner, T. (2013). What dreams may come: Emotional cascades and nightmares in borderline personality disorder. *Dreaming, 23*(2), 126-144.

Chu, C., Buchman, J., Michaels, M., **Ribeiro, J.,** & Joiner, T. (2013). Discussing disgust: the role of disgust in suicide. *International Journal of Cognitive Therapy, 6*(3), 235-257.

Smith, A., Fink, E., Anestis, M., **Ribeiro, J.**, Bardone-Cone, A., Peterson, C., Klein, M., Crow, S., Mitchell, J., Crosby, R., Wonderlich, S., Grange, D., & Joiner, T. (2013). Exercise Caution: Over-exercise is associated with suicidality in bulimia nervosa. *Psychiatry Research*, *206*(2-3), 246-255.

2012

Cramer, R., Garza, M., Henderson, C., **Ribeiro, J.**, Silva, C., Smith, A., & Joiner, T. (2012). A trait-interpersonal perspective on suicide risk in criminal offenders. *Archives of Suicide Research*, *16*(4), 334-347.

Joiner, T., **Ribeiro, J.**, & Silva, C. (2012). Non-suicidal self-injury, suicidal behavior, and their co-occurrence as viewed through the lens of the interpersonal theory of suicide. *Current Directions in Psychological Science*, *21*(5), 342-347.

Ribeiro, J., Braithwaite, S., Pfaff, J., & Joiner, T. (2012). Examination of the factor structure of the DSI-SS in a sample of elderly adults. *Suicide and Life-Threatening Behaviors*, *42*(4), 405-415.

Smith, A., **Ribeiro, J.**, Mikolajewski, A., Taylor, J., & Joiner, T. (2012). An examination of environmental and genetic influences to the determinants of suicidal behavior among male twins. *Psychiatry Research*, *197*(1-2), 60-65.

Hames, J., **Ribeiro, J.**, Smith, A., & Joiner, T. (2012). An urge to jump affirms the urge to live: An empirical examination of the high place phenomenon. *Journal of Affective Disorders*, *136*(3), 1114-1120.

Capron, D., Cogle, J., **Ribeiro, J.**, Joiner, T., & Schmidt, B. (2012). An interactive model of anxiety sensitivity relevant to suicide attempt history and future suicidal ideation. *Journal of Psychiatric Research*, *46*(2), 174-180.

Ribeiro, J., Pease, J., Gutierrez, P., Silva, C., Bernert, R., Rudd, M.D., & Joiner, T. (2012). Sleep problems outperform depression and hopelessness as cross-sectional and longitudinal predictors of suicidal ideation and behavior in young adults in the military. *Journal of Affective Disorders*, *136*(3), 743-750.

2011

Joiner, T. & **Ribeiro, J.** (2011). Assessment and management of suicidal behavior in children and adolescents. *Pediatric Annals*, *40*(6), 319-324.

Joiner, T. & **Ribeiro, J.** (2011). Assessment and management of suicidal behavior in adolescents as informed by the interpersonal-psychological theory of suicidal behavior. *Psychiatric Annals*, *41*(4), 220-225.

Ribeiro, J., Bender, T., Selby, E., Hames, J., & Joiner, T. (2011). Development and validation of a brief self-report measure of agitation: The Brief Agitation Measure. *Journal of Personality Assessment*, *93*(6), 597-604.

Krakow, B., **Ribeiro, J.**, Ulibarri, V., Krakow, J., & Joiner, T. E. (2011). Sleep disturbances and suicidal ideation in sleep medical center patients. *Journal of Affective Disorders, 131*(3), 422-427.

Anestis, M., Bender, T., Selby, E., **Ribeiro, J.**, Joiner, T. (2011). Sex and emotion in the acquired capability for suicide. *Archives of Suicide Research, 15*(2), 172-182.

2010

Selby, E., Anestis, M., Bender, T., **Ribeiro, J.**, Nock, M., Rudd, D., Bryan, C., Lim, I., Baker, I., Gutierrez, P., & Joiner, T. (2010). Overcoming the fear of lethal injury: evaluating suicidal behavior in the military through the lens of the interpersonal-psychological theory of suicide. *Clinical Psychology Review, 30*(3), 298-307.

2009

Joiner, T., Van Orden, K., Witte, T., Selby, E., **Ribeiro, J.**, & Lewis, R. (2009). Main predictions of the interpersonal-psychological theory of suicidal behavior: Empirical tests in two samples of young adults. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology, 118*(3), 634-646.

Ribeiro, J. & Joiner, T. (2009). The interpersonal-psychological theory of suicidal behavior: Current status and future directions. *Journal of Clinical Psychology, 65*(12), 1291-1299.

PUBLICATIONS: BOOK CHAPTERS (n=3)

In Press

Ribeiro, J.D., Silva, C., Hagan, C., & Joiner, T. (in press). Suicide. In R. Cautin & S. Lilienfeld (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Clinical Psychology*. Malden, MA: Wiley-Blackwell.

Selby, E. A., Joiner, T. E., Jr., & **Ribeiro, J.D.** (in press). Comprehensive theoretical models of suicidal behaviors. In M. K. Nock (Ed.). *Oxford Handbook of Suicide and Self-Injury*. Oxford University Press.

2011

Ribeiro, J. & Joiner, T. (2011). Present status and future prospects of the interpersonal-psychological theory of suicidal behavior. In R. O'Connor, S. Platt, & J. Gordon (Eds.). *International Handbook of Suicide Prevention: Research, Policy, and Practice*. Wiley-Blackwell.

MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW (n=4)

Hames, J.L., Silva, C., **Ribeiro, J.D.**, Teale, N.E., & Joiner, T.E. (under review at *Depression and Anxiety*). A social exclusion manipulation interacts with fearlessness about suicide to predict a laboratory-based proxy for suicidal behavior (especially in spring).

Ribeiro, J.D., Yen, S., Joiner, T. E., & Siegler, I. (under review at *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*). Capability for suicide interacts with states of over-arousal to predict death by suicide beyond the effects of depression and hopelessness.

Smith, A., Miller, S., Bodell, L., **Ribeiro, J.**, Maner, J., & Joiner, T. (under review at *Psychiatry Research*). Cycles of risk: Associations between hormones and suicidal desire among women.

Silva, C., **Ribeiro, J. D.**, & Joiner, T. E. (under review at *Psychiatry Research*). Diagnostic differences in the interpersonal theory of suicide.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

2011

Ribeiro, J. (2011, October). *Fearlessness about death: Five studies on the factor structure, generalizability, and convergent and discriminant validity of the Acquired Capability for Suicide Scale*. South Bend, IN.

2010

Ribeiro, J. (2010, October). *Suicide and suicidal behavior*. Invited presentation for To Write Love on Her Arms, Florida State University. Tallahassee, FL.

Ribeiro, J. & Vinco, M. (2010, August). *Adolescent suicidal behavior*. Franklin County, FL.

Ribeiro, J., Smith, A., & Vinco, M. (2010, April). *Assessment and Management of Adolescent Suicidal Behavior*. Invited presentation for Leon County school psychologists. Tallahassee, FL.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2014

Ribeiro, J. (2014, April). Overarousal and fearlessness about death in acute suicidal behavior. In *Military Suicide Research Consortium Pre-Conference Training Day*. Talk presented at the annual American Association for Suicidology conference, Los Angeles, CA.

2013

Ribeiro, J., Silva, C., & Joiner, T. (2013, November). Overarousal interacts with a sense of fearlessness to predict suicide risk in a sample of clinical outpatients. In E. Kleiman (Chair), *Current status and new directions in suicide research: The interpersonal-psychological theory of suicide and beyond*. Symposium accepted for presentation at the annual Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies conference, Nashville, TN.

Ribeiro, J., Buchman, J., Bender, T., Nock, M., Rudd, M.D., Bryan, C., Lim, I., Baker, M., Knight, C., & Joiner, T. (2013, April). An investigation of the interactive effects of the acquired capability for suicide and acute agitation on suicidality in a military sample. In **J. Ribeiro** (Chair), *The Interpersonal Theory of Suicide: Further Developments and Novel Extensions*.

Symposium accepted for presentation at the meeting of the American Association of Suicidology, Austin, TX.

2012

Ribeiro, J., Witte, T., Van Orden, K., Selby, E., Gordon, K., Bender, T., & Joiner, T. (2012, April). Psychometric properties and construct validity of the Fearlessness About Death subscale of the Acquired Capability for Suicide Scale. Talk presented at the annual Graduate Research Day at Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL.

Ribeiro, J., Witte, T., Van Orden, K., Selby, E., Gordon, K., Bender, T., & Joiner, T. (2012, April). Psychometric properties and construct validity of the Fearlessness About Death subscale of the Acquired Capability for Suicide Scale. Talk presented at the 45th annual meeting of the American Association of Suicidology, Baltimore, MD.

Capron, D.W., Cogle, J.R., **Ribeiro, J.D.**, Joiner, T.E., & Schmidt, N.B. (2012, April). An Interactive model of anxiety sensitivity relevant to suicide attempt history and future suicidal ideation. In J. Sareen (Chair), *Anxiety and suicide risk: Understanding the mechanisms and discussing DSM-V implications*. Symposium presented at the annual meeting of the Anxiety Disorders Association of America, Arlington, VA.

CONFERENCE POSTERS

2014

Buchman-Schmitt, J.M., **Ribeiro, J.D.**, Chu, C., Podlogar, M., & Joiner, T.E. (2014). Differential item responding on a suicide measure in the military: An evaluation of the Depressive Symptoms Inventory – Suicidality Subscale. Talk presented at the 46th annual meeting of the American Association of Suicidology, Baltimore, MD.

2013

Smith, C, **Ribeiro, J. D.**, Bodell, L., Hames, J., & Joiner, T. (2013, November). Disgust with Life in suicidal ideation: the mediating roles of thwarted belongingness and perceived burdensomeness. Poster accepted at the 46th annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Nashville, TN.

Hames, J., **Ribeiro, J.**, & Joiner, T. (2013, November). Interpersonal consequences of an interpersonal risk factor for suicide: Perceived burdensomeness predicts excessive reassurance seeking. Poster accepted at the 46th annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Nashville, TN.

2012

Ribeiro, J. D., Bodell, L., & Joiner, T. E. (2012, November). Disgust with self, others, and world in suicidality. Poster accepted at the 46th annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, National Harbor, MD.

Gauthier, J., Zuromski, K., Witte, T., Gitter, S., **Ribeiro, J.**, Anestis, M., & Joiner, T. (2012, November). Interpersonal theory of suicide and violent video games: The effect of exposure

to virtual violence. Poster accepted at the 46th annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, National Harbor, MD.

Silva, C., **Ribeiro, J.**, & Joiner, T. (2012, November). Diagnostic differences across the constructs of the interpersonal theory of suicide. Poster accepted at the 46th annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Baltimore, MD.

Hames, J. L., Silva, C., **Ribeiro, J. D.**, Teale, N. E., & Joiner, T. E. (2012, May). A social exclusion manipulation interacts with fearlessness about suicide to predict a laboratory-based proxy for suicidal behavior (especially in spring). Poster presented at the 24th annual meeting of the Association for Psychological Science, Chicago, IL.

2011

Silva, C., **Ribeiro, J. D.**, Teale, N. E., & Joiner, T. E. (2011, November). Self-esteem moderates the relationship between rejection sensitivity and non-suicidal self-injury. Poster presented at the 45th annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Toronto, Canada.

Ribeiro, J. & Joiner, T. (2011, April). Development and validation of a brief self-report measure of agitation: The Brief Agitation Measure. Poster presented at Graduate Research Day at the Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL.

Cramer, R. J., Garza, M. J., **Ribeiro, J.**, Silva, C., Smith, A. R., Hernderson, C. E., Joiner, T. E., & White, J. (2011). A trait-interpersonal perspective on suicide risk in Australian criminal offenders. Paper presented at the Australian Psychological Society Forensic College National Conference, Noosa, Queensland.

2010

Ribeiro, J., Braithwaite, S., Pfaff, J., & Joiner, T. (2010, November). Examination of the factor structure of the DSI-SS in a sample of elderly adults. Poster presented at the 44th annual meeting of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, San Francisco, CA.

2008

Juarascio, A., **Ribeiro, J.**, Fournier, J. & DeRubeis, R. (2008, November). The role of personality on coping: Constructive pain as a potential coping mechanism. Poster presented at the 42nd annual meeting of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Orlando, FL.

2007

Hunt, M., Hill, R., Jekal, A., & Ribeiro, J. (2007, November). The Rorschach versus the Implicit Associations Test in detecting cognitive vulnerability to depression. Presented at the 41st annual meeting of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Philadelphia, PA.

GRADUATE RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Graduate Student/Graduate Research Assistant, Joiner Lab, Florida State University
September 2008 - Present

Responsibilities Conduct original research projects; prepare findings for review at peer-reviewed journals; disseminate findings at national conferences; actively involved in two Department of Defense grant-funded research projects (*Military Suicide Research Consortium*: USARMC award W81XWH-10-2-0178, PIs: Thomas Joiner, Ph.D. and Peter Gutierrez, Ph.D.; *Optimizing Screening and Risk Assessment for Suicide in the U.S. Military*: USARMC award W81XWH-09-1-0737, PI: Thomas Joiner, Ph.D.); assist in the preparation and writing of new grant proposals; conduct comprehensive suicide risk assessments with at-risk participants; conduct structured diagnostic interviews with study participants; trained in use of computerized pressure algometer, neurosensory analyzer, and negative stimulus (i.e., shock) generator.

Supervisor Thomas Joiner, Ph.D.

EDITORIAL SERVICE

Ad hoc Journal Reviewer

American Journal of Psychiatry
European Journal of Personality Assessment
Journal of Abnormal Psychology
Journal of Affective Disorders
Journal of Clinical Psychology
Journal of Clinical and Consulting Psychology
Suicide & Life Threatening Behavior

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Clinical Psychology Resident, Brown University Alpert Medical School

July 2013 – June 2014

Responsibilities Provide empirically-supported individual and group assessment and intervention in outpatient, inpatient, emergency room, and partial hospital settings. Supervised clinical psychology practicum student.

Supervisors Ellen Costello, Ph.D., Shannon Erisman, Ph.D., James Ingram, M.D., Gabor Keitner, M.D., Jennifer Lambert, Ph.D., Ashlee McGrath, Ph.D., Wendy Ossman, Psy.D., Abigail Mansfield, Ph.D., William Unger, Ph.D., Lauren Weinstock, Ph.D., Jeffery Wincze, Ph.D.

Psychological Trainee, Florida State University Crisis Management Unit

July 2010 – June 2013

Responsibilities Provide 24-hour on-call evaluation and intervention for acute suicidal or homicidal urges or other severe psychological impairment that poses an imminent threat to life, limb, or property.

Supervisor Joyce Carbonell, Ph.D.

Psychological Trainee, Florida State University Psychology Clinic

August 2009 – August 2011

Responsibilities Provided empirically-supported individual and group therapy services; conducted empirically-based suicide risk assessment and intervention with clients ranging from low to imminent/severe suicide risk; conducted structured clinical diagnostic interviews; administered, analyzed, and interpreted a range of assessment measures for major mental disorders, personality disorders, learning disabilities, developmental disorders, and neurocognitive conditions; co-led Dialectical Behavior Therapy Skills Training groups; trained incoming therapists in Dialectical Behavior Therapy; conducted screening evaluations. Disorders treated included (but not limited to): Borderline Personality Disorder, Mood Disorders, Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder, Anorexia Nervosa, Generalized Anxiety Disorder, Alcohol and Substance Dependence, Psychotic Spectrum Disorders.

Supervisors Thomas Joiner, Ph.D., Pamela Keel, Ph.D., & Donald Kerr, Ph.D.

Psychology Practicum Student, Florida State Hospital

August 2009 – January 2010

Responsibilities Provided empirically-supported individual and group therapy for inpatient residents suffering from severe and persistent mental illnesses; administered, analyzed, and interpreted a range of assessment measures for major mental disorders, personality disorders, learning disabilities, developmental disorders, and neurocognitive conditions; administered, analyzed, and interpreted a range of symptom validity assessments; worked as part of an interdisciplinary team with psychiatrists, nurses, psychologists, and social workers.

Supervisors Mark Reeves, Ph.D., Ellen Resch, Ph.D., & Kristin Adams, Psy.D.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Guest Lecturer, Abnormal Psychology, Florida State University

25 February 2013

Responsibilities Prepared a presentation on social anxiety disorder. Topics included: phenomenology, risk factors, theoretical perspectives, and intervention efforts for social anxiety disorder.

Guest Lecturer, Introductory Psychology, Florida State University

9 April 2012

Responsibilities Prepared a presentation on mood disorders and suicidal behavior that integrated basic information on the phenomena with novel

research findings. Topics included: phenomenology, risk factors, theoretical perspectives, and intervention efforts for mood disorders and suicidal behavior.

Supervisor, Honors Thesis, Florida State University
Summer 2010 – Spring 2011

Responsibilities Facilitated the conceptualization and design of a research study for an undergraduate student pursuing an Honors thesis in Psychology; supervised all aspects of the study; met with the student regularly to discuss topics pertaining to data collection, data management, data analysis, and writing a manuscript for publication; student obtained three awards for her project; manuscript is currently in preparation for submission to a peer-reviewed journal.

Teaching Assistant, Conditioning and Learning, Florida State University
Summer 2009 – Fall 2010

Responsibilities Developed lesson plan and lectures for lab section of a larger Conditioning and Learning undergraduate course; attended 6-hour training on the proper handling and treatment of laboratory animals; supervised weekly laboratory studies using animal models to demonstrate basic principles of conditioning and learning; developed and graded quizzes, literature review assignments, and laboratory reports. Topics included: basic conditioning and learning principles, ethical treatment of research animals, research methodology, and scientific writing.

Guest Lecturer, Introductory Psychology, Florida State University
11 April 2011

Responsibilities Prepared a presentation on suicidal behavior, integrating basic information on the phenomenon with novel research findings. Topics included: nomenclature, epidemiology, risk factors, theoretical perspectives, common misunderstandings, and intervention efforts.

Guest Lecturer, Psychology, Lincoln High School
25 March 2010

Responsibilities Prepared a lecture for high school students on suicidal behavior, integrating basic information on the phenomenon with novel research findings. Topics included: epidemiology, risk factors, theoretical perspectives, common misunderstandings, and intervention and prevention efforts.

OTHER TRAINING EXPERIENCES

Workshop Series in Statistical Modeling with MPlus: Basic, Intermediate and Advanced Techniques

Given by: Bengt Muthén, Ph.D., Tihomir Asparouhov, Ph.D., Rens van der Schoot, Ph.D., Gitta Lubke, Ph.D., Katherine Masyn, Ph.D., Hanno Petra, Ph.D., Gitta Lubke, Ph.D., & Karen Nylund-Gibson, Ph.D.

13-17 August 2012

Description

Presented a series of short courses on statistical modeling with Mplus. Topics included: path analysis, factor analysis, and SEM; special topics in SEM (e.g., multiple group modeling, latent growth curve modeling IRT, etc.); Bayesian analysis; multilevel variable modeling; general SEM multilevel modeling with 3-level, crossed-random effect, random factor loadings in multiple-group analysis, and random subjects and random items/contexts using new features in Mplus, version 7.0; new latent transition analyses specification syntax, causally-defined mediation effect estimation, and new Bayesian analysis features in Mplus version 7.0. Total hours: 56.

Training in the Art of Grantsmanship: Writing Winning Grants

Given by: John D. Robertson, Ph.D.

1 June 2012

Description

Presented comprehensive information on practical and conceptual aspects of proposal-writing process; emphasis placed on idea development, identification of appropriate granting agency, techniques for writing for reviewers; techniques to foster successful and fundable grant submissions for NIH and NSF grants were introduced and reviewed. Total hours: 8.

Treating Posttraumatic Stress Disorder in Suicidal Individuals with BPD: Dialectical Behavior Therapy plus an Exposure-Based PTSD Protocol

Given by: Melanie S. Harned, Ph.D. & Kathryn E. Korlund, Ph.D., ABPP

14 April 2011

Description

Introduced a newly developed Posttraumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) protocol (adapted from Prolonged Exposure Therapy) that can be added to standard Dialectical Behavior Therapy to treat PTSD among suicidal and/or self-injuring individuals with Borderline Personality Disorder; emphasis placed on determining readiness to begin combined PTSD treatment, describing the structure and procedures of the PTSD protocol and addressing common difficulties encountered during treatment; role plays and video clips used to demonstrate treatment strategies. Total hours: 8.

Suicide Prevention

Given by: Thomas E. Joiner, Ph.D.

3 June 2009, 4 October 2011

Description

Addressed suicide prevention by providing a deeper understanding of suicide in order to understand how to effectively assess, treat, and prevent suicidal behavior; discussed risk factors, theoretical perspectives, and intervention efforts for suicidal behavior;

particular emphasis placed on examining these topics through the lens of the Interpersonal Theory of Suicide. Total hours: 16.

Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule (ADOS): Training for Clinicians

Given by: Amy N. Esler, Ph.D., L.P.

7-8 June 2010

Description

Provided comprehensive introduction the ADOS, including theoretical underpinnings related to Autism Spectrum Disorders; Demonstrated administration of ADOS; introduced coding conventions; provide background information necessary for further research use. Total hours: 16.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- 2007-present *Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies* (student affiliate)
- 2009-present *American Association of Suicidology* (student affiliate)
- 2012-present *Association for Psychological Science* (student affiliate)

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Native: English, Portuguese
Proficient: French, Spanish

REFERENCES

Available upon request.