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Education

- 9/70 - 1/74 Cornell University, College of Arts and Sciences
- B.A. in an interdepartmental major entitled, "Contemporary American Personality," including Psychology, Sociology, Government and English courses.
- 9/74 - 1/78 Columbia University, Teachers College
- Program in Social Psychology
M.A. in Psychology, 10/75
M.Phil. in Psychology, 1/77
Ph.D. in Social Psychology, 1/78

Trial Strategy Consultant, Principal of Julie Blackman & Associates, LLC

- 1981 – present My associates and I provide trial strategy consultation to attorneys. Most of our cases involve white-collar crime or patents. We offer a full range of services including telephone surveys, focus groups, mock trials, design of demonstratives, and jury selection consultation. We have worked on many high profile cases. I speak regularly to attorneys on the work of trials consultants at the request of such organizations as the Association of the Bar of the City of New York and the Office of Court Administration. Julie Blackman & Associates, LLC was founded in 2004.

9/94 – 4/05 Fish & Neave
1251 Avenue of the Americas
New York, New York

At Fish & Neave, a law firm that specialized in patent law and matters of intellectual property, I was a part-time, in house trial strategy consultant.

Professional Memberships

American College of Forensic Examiners, 1996 - 2002
Diplomate, Board Certified Forensic Examiner 4/30/96
American Society of Trial Consultants
American Psychological Association
 Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues
 Member, Council, 1988 - 1989
 Chair, Court Watch Committee, 1988 - 1992
 Member, Public Policy Liaison Comm., 1988-90
 Division on the Psychology of Women
 Division on Psychology and the Law
Center for the Study of Women and Sex Roles,
 City University of New York, Graduate Center, 1979-81

Academic Positions

9/05 – 2/06 **Graduate Center of the City University of New York**
New York, New York

Visiting Scholar in the Social/Personality Program

9/88 - 12/90 **Eugene Lang College of the New School**
New York, New York

Part-Time Faculty Member

I taught "Psychology and the Law: In Pursuit of Justice" in the Fall and "Psychology and Women" or "Social Psychology" in the Spring to upper class undergraduates.

9/86 - 6/88 **Sarah Lawrence College**
Department of Psychology
Bronxville, New York

Visiting Half-Time Faculty Member

During the 1986-87 school year, I was appointed to teach one course each term, "Psychology and Women" in the Fall, and "Psychology and the Law: In Pursuit of Justice," in the Spring.

During 1987-88, I taught a year long course in "Social Psychology."

9/78 - 7/87

Barnard College of Columbia University

Department of Psychology

Assistant Professor

My teaching responsibilities included courses in Psychology of Women, Psychology and the Law, Social Psychology and Introduction to Psychology.

3/78 - 12/81

St. Luke's - Roosevelt Hospital Center

Rape Intervention Program, New York City

Steering Committee Member

This program uses trained neighborhood women to counsel and comfort rape victims in the emergency room. Under my advisement, a research and evaluation component was added to the program.

7/77 - 7/78

New York University College of Dentistry

Department of Behavioral Sciences and Community Health

Full-time Instructor

I was involved in teaching experiential seminars on the impact of values on decision-making and on problem-solving activities in the context of the dental profession. I was also a lecturer in the Behavioral Sciences lecture series.

9/77 - 12/77

Teachers College, Columbia University

6/79 - 7/79

Social Psychology Program

During the fall semester of 1977, I taught the Research Methods core course to graduate students in Clinical and Social Psychology. During summer school, I taught Social Psychology to Masters level graduate students.

8/76 - 9/77

The Rand Corporation, Santa Monica, CA.

Consultant on the Alum Rock Elementary Education Voucher Demonstration Project, and I participated in a comprehensive analysis of data collected from parents during the five-year demonstration of the voucher system, and I am a co-author of a Rand Report on the results of this investigation.

Forensic Consultation

4/79 - 2004

Forensic Social Psychologist retained by:

Women's Self Defense Law Project,
Center for Constitutional Rights
Legal Aid Society, Brooklyn, Bronx, Manhattan and Queens Office
of the District Attorney, Brooklyn, Bronx, Queens, Westchester
Counties
Office of the Public Defender, New Jersey, Pennsylvania
Private law firms in New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and
West Virginia

Expert Witness on Violent Families and Sexual Abuse

Most often, I consulted to attorneys who represented battered women in both civil and criminal matters. I interviewed these women in an effort to determine the presence, nature and severity of their experiences with violence in an intimate relationship. I testified in Family Court cases involving custody disputes and marital violence. I testified at the trials of battered women who acted in self-defense and were accused of injuring or murdering their abusive spouses. I attempted to explain the psychological consequences of chronic battering to the jurors, so that they could better understand the defendant's mental state during violent episodes. In cases of child abuse, incest and rape, I have worked with Assistant District Attorneys and have testified on behalf of the State on the characteristics of victims of such abuse.

I have consulted to attorneys representing children who have killed parents and other family members.

I have also consulted to attorneys who represented women whose children died or suffered extreme abuse as a result of their mothers' abuse, neglect and/or failure to protect.

Publications and Presentations

Book: Blackman, J. (1989).

Intimate Violence: A Study of Injustice, Columbia University Press.

Book Chapters:

Maternal violence: The social psychology of mothers who kill, In B.J. Cling, (ed.) Sexualized Violence Against Women and Children, Guilford Press, 2004.

What would an ideal world look like for young children and their families? In E.J. Erwin (Ed.) Putting Children First: Visions for a Brighter Future for Young Children and Their Families, Paul H. Brookes Publishing Co., Baltimore, MD, 1996.

At the frontier: In pursuit of justice for women, In G. VandenBos and B. Sales (Eds.) Psychology in Litigation and Legislation: APA's Master Lectures, American Psychological Association, 1994.

The language of sexual violence: More than a matter of semantics, In S.R. Sunday and E. Tobach (Eds.), Violence Against Women: A Critique of the Sociobiology of Rape, The Genes and Gender Monograph Series, Vol. 1, NY: Gordian Press, 1985.

Journal Articles

Blackman, J. Emerging Images of Severely Battered Women and the Criminal Justice System. Behavioral Sciences and the Law, 1990, Vol. 9, 121 - 130.

Blackman, J. Potential uses for expert testimony: Ideas toward the representation of battered women who kill, Women's Rights Law Reporter, 1986, Vol. 9, No. 3/4, 227-238.

Blackman, J. and Brickman, E. The impact of expert testimony on trials of battered women who kill their husbands, Behavioral Sciences and the Law, Vol. 2, No. 4, Fall, 1984, 413-422.

Blackman-Doron, J., Hirsch, S., Goldstein, G., Asen, P., Gallagher, M. and O'Mahony, T. Marketing research and the silent majority: A new approach to survey research in dental school clinics. Journal of Dental Education, November 1979.

Blackman, J. and Hornstein, H., with Divine, C., O'Neill, M., Steil, J. and Tucker, L. Newscasts and the social actuary. Public Opinion Quarterly, Fall, 1977, 41(3).

Monographs

Bridge, R.G. and Blackman, J. A study of alternatives in American Education, Vol. IV: Family choice in schooling. Rand Report R-2170-NIE, April, 1978.

Blackman, J. Voucher schools: Who participates? A prize-winning paper in a national graduate student competition sponsored by the ERIC Clearinghouse on Urban Education. Published by the Institute for Urban and Minority Education, September, 1975.

Dissertation

Arousal as a function of cognitive and moral problem solving situations, Teachers College, Columbia University, January, 1978.

Master Lecture

I was selected by the American Psychological Association to be one of five presenters on "Psychology and the Law." Lecture presented August 1993.

Topic: Legal Issues Affecting Women

Title: At the Frontier: In Pursuit of Justice for Women

Book Reviews

Violence Against Women: The Bloody Footprints edited by Pauline Bart and Eileen Geil Moran (1993). Published in Sex Roles, Vol. 29, Nos. 7/8.

Women's Rights and the Law (1993) by Laura A. Otten. Sex Roles.

Newsletter:

"Domestic Violence Report" The Domestic Violence Report was published by the Civic Research Institute, Inc., 4490 U.S. Route 27, P.O. Box 585, Kingston, NJ 08528. I was a member of the Board of Advisors and for a year I wrote a column entitled "A Psychological Perspective:"

October/November 1996: "The Natural Limits of Good Ideas." (Vol 2, No. 1, p. 9, 10).

August/September 1996: "Lethal Families: Not Possible But True." (Vol. 1, No. 6, p. 7 - 9).

June/July 1996: "Race Matters: Culture, Negative Culture and Family Violence." Vol 1, No. 5, p. 4, 15).

Feb/Mar 1996: "The Simpson Verdict and the Rights and Problems of Juries and Families." (Vol 1, No. 3, p. 5, 6).

Dec/Jan 1996: "Battered Women: What Does This Phrase Really Mean?" (Vol 1, No. 2, p. 5, 11).

Oct/Nov 1995: "Expert Testimony on Battered Women." (Vol. 1., No. 1, p. 5).

Paper Presentations on Violence Against Women

Keynote Address at Conference on "Domestic Violence and Its Impact on Our Community." Sponsored by The Mount Sinai Medical Center Community Board and the New York Women's Bar Association, October 9, 1996.

Violent Families, Society and the Courts. William Paterson College Lecture, Sponsored by The Feminist Collective. March 21, 1996.

Violent Families: What Do We Know? What Can We Do? Program sponsored by STEPS to End Family Violence: "Battered Women Striking Back," at Marymount College, March 20, 1996.

One Social Psychologist's View of Victims of Family Violence and the Courts. "Roundtable on Expert Testimony on Battered Women" sponsored by the Women Judges' Fund for Justice in Washington, D.C., April 28-30, 1995.

Expert Testimony in Cases of Battered Women Defendants. "Opening the Courthouse Doors to Survivors of Domestic Violence: A Conference on Legal and Social Issues," at Fordham University School of Law, April 27-28, 1995.

Violent Families, Society and the Courts. Domestic Violence Training Seminar for the Judiciary, Supreme Court, Kings County, New York, March 1, 1995. Defending Battered Women in Criminal Cases. National Institute of the American Bar Association, Baltimore, MD, September, 1992.

Buried Treasures: Murdered Children. Brown Bag Lunch Seminar Series, Developmental Psychology Program at the Graduate Center, City University of New York, October, 1991.

Tipping the Scales of Justice: Psychologists Advising Attorneys. Brown Bag Lunch Seminar Series, Social Psychology Program at the Graduate Center, City University of New York, October 1990.

Severely Violent Families: Values, Data, Activism and Policy. Presented at the American Psychological Association Meeting in Boston, 8/90.

Emerging Images of Severely Battered Women and the Criminal Justice System. Keynote Address at a conference entitled, "Psychological Issues in Contemporary Society," at Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, 4/90.

Emerging Images of Severely Battered Women and the Criminal Justice System. Invited address to Interdisciplinary Women's Studies Class at Smith College, Northampton, Massachusetts, 3/90.

Voir Dire Issues in Criminal Tax Cases. Presented at the American Bar Association's seminar on trial strategies in criminal tax cases. New York, NY, 12/89.

The Psychology of Battered Women. Presented as an invited talk at Suffolk County Law Day, Smithtown, NY, 3/89.

Thinking about How Battered Women Think: Impacts of Poverty and an History of Violence. Presented at the American Psychological Association Meeting, Atlanta, GA, 8/88 (ERIC/CAPS Clearinghouse on Counseling and Personnel Services ED 306475).

The Psychology of Battered Women. Presented as an invited talk at the Judicial Seminar Meetings in Rochester, NY, 7/88. (Judges in NY State attend these meetings.)

Expert Testimony for Battered Women Who Kill: Dilemmas of Objectivity and Bias. Presented at the American Psychological Association Meeting, New York, 8/87 (ERIC/CAPS Clearinghouse on Counseling and Personnel Services ED 290981).

A Narrowed Vision: Clarity and Clouds in Victims of Family Violence. Presented at the University of New Hampshire Family Violence Researchers' Conference, Durham, N.H., 7/87.

On being an expert witness in cases of battered women and abused children who kill, Invited address at Meeting of the Brooklyn Bar Association, 5/87. Battered women who

kill and the Passover question: Why is this night different from all other nights? Or Is It? Association for Women in Psychology, 3/87, Denver.

On being an expert witness, Intensive Trial Advocacy Program, Cardozo Law School, 1/86.

Conceptions of justice and the use of expert testimony on the battered woman's syndrome, Fourth Annual Adelphi University Applied Experimental Psychology Conference, 10/85.

On battered women: Expert testimony and concepts of self defense, Papers presented at two workshops and a trial advocacy seminar at the Sixteenth National Conference on Women and the Law, 3/85, New York.

Battered women who kill: New perspectives on the concept of self defense, American Psychological Association Meeting, 8/84, Toronto.

Expert testimony in cases of battered women who kill their husbands, University of New Hampshire Family Violence Researchers' Conference, 8/84, Durham, N.H. [co-presenter: E. Brickman].

Battered women who kill their husbands: New perspectives on self- defense, Workshop presentation at The Scholar and the Feminist: Women and Resistance Conference, 4/84, Barnard College.

The language of sexual violence: More than a matter of semantics, Eastern Psychological Association Meeting, 4/84, Baltimore.

Battered women who kill: New perspectives on self-defense, After the Second Sex Conference, 4/84, University of Pennsylvania.

Psychological perspectives on battered women who kill their husbands, Third Annual Conference on the Legal Rights of Battered Women, 12/83, New York City [co-presenters: B. Levinson and E. Schneider].

Battered women and rape victims: The social psychological nature of the experiences of these victims of injustice. Paper presented by E. Brickman at the International Interdisciplinary Congress on Women, Haifa, Israel, December, 1981.

Multiple victimizations: Those who suffer more than once, National Family Violence Researchers' Conference, University of New Hampshire, 7/81, Durham, N.H.

Quantitative and qualitative perspectives on violent and non-violent intimate relationships, American Psychological Association Annual Convention, 9/80, Montreal.

Conflict and violence in intimate relationships: Focus on marital rape, American Sociological Association Annual Convention, 8/80, New York.

The emergence of social problems and responsive research, American Psychological Association Annual Convention, 9/79.

The battered woman, Second National Conference on Needs Assessment in Health and Human Services, 3/78 [co-presenter: M. Fine].

A study on multi-site learning experiences in a dental hygiene curriculum, American Association of Dental Schools, 3/78 [co-presenters: S. Hirsch and A. Carter-Cunningham].

How parents choose schools in multiple options systems, American Educational Research Association, 4/76. [first author: G. Bridge, co-presenter: M. Lopez-Morillas]

Symposia

Values, science and policy. Presented at the American Psychological Association, 8/90.

Justice for battered women who kill: Theory, research, activism and expert testimony. Presented at the American Psychological Association Meeting, 8/88.

Social psychology on trial: Science and the pursuit of justice. Presented at the American Psychological Association Meeting, 8/87.

A study of injustice: Theoretical and methodological perspectives on victims of intimate violence. Presented at the Association for Women in Psychology Annual Meeting, 3/81.

Perspectives on injustice: Victims' reactions to interpersonal violence. Presented at the American Psychological Association Annual Convention, 9/80.

Intimate Violence: The problem and the social response. Presented at the American Psychological Association Convention, 9/79.

Symposium

Discussant Different perspectives on battered women. American Psychological Association Convention, 8/93.

In the lives of women: Institutionalized violence and the politics of research. American Psychological Association Convention, 8/89.

Newspaper Articles

"You and violence." A survey for the readers was published by The Sunday Record, March 25, 1979. The results of the survey, which was returned by 612 readers, were published July 1, 1979.

Grants Received

For research on marital rape:

Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues, Grant-in-Aid (with Judith Greenwald, Ph.D.) \$250.

For research on intimate violence:

Dorothy Spivack Fund: \$4,500.
Spencer Foundation: \$7,000.

Reviewer of Manuscripts

Submitted to Journals

Behavioral Sciences and the Law

New Ideas in Psychology

Psychological Bulletin

Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin

Violence and Victims

Women's Health: Research on Gender, Behavior and Policy