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## **EDUCATION**

1992	Ph.D. Social Work and Developmental Psychology University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
1990	M.A. Developmental Psychology University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
1985	MSW, concentration in interpersonal practice University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
1984	B.A., Psychology University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

## **Additional Education**

1986-1988	Post-MSS Fellowship in Child Abuse and Neglect University of Michigan School of Social Work, Ann Arbor, MI
2015	Higher Education Resource Services (HERS) HERS Bryn Mawr Summer Institute

## **HONORS and AWARDS**

Received the **McPherson Award for Excellence**, Bryn Mawr College, May, 2016. This award is given each year to one member of the faculty in recognition of excellence and service to the community.

Received the **Graduate Faculty Mentorship Award**, Bryn Mawr College GSSWSW, May, 2014. This award was given by the graduate students in recognition of excellence in mentorship.

The **Alexandra Grange Hawkins Lectureship**, Bryn Mawr College Graduate School of Social Work and Social Research, 2000-2003. Honors excellence in teaching at the GSSWSR.

Received a competitive **Rackham Dissertation Grant**, from the University of Michigan, 1990.

Awarded the **Interdisciplinary Fellowship in Child Abuse and Neglect** at the University of Michigan, 1986-1988.

Received the **Branstrom Prize for Academic Excellence**, University of Michigan, 1981.

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## SELECTED CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS

- Sousa, C., Shapiro, J., Siddiqui, M., Reddy, H. & Shanfeld, G. (under review). *Looking at it through the lens of their life: Exploring suffering and resilience among refugee parents according to service providers*. Submitted to Society for Social Work Research, New Orleans, LA.
- Sousa, C., Siddiqui, M., Reddy, H., Shapiro, J., & Shanfeld, G. (under review). *Stress and coping among refugee parents: Perspectives from service providers*. Submitted to American Public Health Association conference, Denver, Colorado .
- Shapiro, J. (2016). *Core concepts of working with children exposed to early adversity and trauma*. Professional Development Seminar, Bryn Mawr College, GSSWSR.
- Shapiro, J. (2016). *Early trauma and adversity in adolescence*. Center for Supportive Schools and Trinity Counseling Center, Princeton, NJ
- Shapiro, J. (2015). *Adolescent brain development: Implications for working with vulnerable adolescents and their families*. Professional Development Seminar, Bryn Mawr College GSSWSR
- Shapiro, J. (2014). *Unaccompanied refugee minors: Understanding the developmental impact on children*. Panel Moderator, Bryn Mawr College Annual Fallfest
- Shapiro, J. (2012). *A Child's Experience of Domestic Violence: Trauma Informed Practice*. Domestic Violence Symposium, Bryn Mawr College and Laurel House.
- Shapiro, J. (2009). *"Hidden" disabilities and psychosocial development in children and adolescents*. Panel presentation, Bryn Mawr College Graduate School of Social Work and Social Research.
- Shapiro, J. (2009). Invited presentation. *How social worker use attachment theory: A conceptual base for practice in multiple contexts*. Workshop on Attachment, Bala Cynwyd, PA.
- Shapiro, J. (2008). Invited presentation. *Attachment disruption and object loss in early life: Implications for social work with children and families*. Scott Lecture, Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr, PA.
- Shapiro, J. (2008). *The neurobiology of attachment disruption and distress*. Invited Presenter, Clinical Social Work Society, Symposium on children and families, Philadelphia, PA.
- Shapiro, J. (2007). Keynote address. *The neurobiology of affect regulation: Implications of neuroscience for social work education and practice*. Smith College School of Social Work, Northampton, MA.

- Shapiro, J. and Applegate, J. (2007). Invited presentation. *New mechanisms of neurobiology: Implications for clinical social work with children, adolescents and adults*. Philadelphia Society for Clinical Social Work.
- Shapiro, J. (2006). Invited presentation. *Affective regulation in children adopted following early attachment related trauma*. Council on Social Work Education, Chicago, Illinois.
- Shapiro, J. (2005). *Early childhood emotional health and new research in neurobiology*. Roundtable Presentation, Early Childhood Mental Health, Bryn Mawr College Graduate School of Social Work and Social Research.
- Shapiro, J. (2005). *Application of theory to practice: The meaning of research on attachment for work with vulnerable children and families*. Invited Presenter, Children's Aid Society, Trenton, NJ.
- Shapiro, J. (2004). *The Symbolic Meaning of Assisted Reproductive Technology to Parents and Child*. MCOP Annual Conference, New York, NY.
- Shapiro, J. (2004). *The impact of foster care/adoption on the psychological health of the child: A clinical perspective*. New Jersey Association for Infant Mental Health/Gateway Maternal and Child Health Consortium/ Northwest Maternal and Child Health Network Conference on "What Does Infant Mental Health Mean to Me?". New Brunswick, NJ.
- Shapiro, J. (2003). *Attachment and Loss: Implications for Infant Mental Health*. Infant Mental Health Association of New Jersey. Rutgers University.
- Shapiro, J. (2002). Invited presentation. *Attachment, loss and trauma: Implications for clinical social work with children*. The Greenstone Lecture: Loyola University of Chicago.
- Shapiro, V. and Shapiro, J. (2002). *Post foster care adoption: The splintered holding environment and the vulnerable ego*. Dynamic Social Casework Conference. Virginia Commonwealth University.
- Shapiro, J. (2001). *Contours of early attachment: Implications of new research in neurobiology*. Philadelphia Society for Clinical Social Work.
- Shapiro, J. and Applegate, J. (1999). *Cognitive neuroscience, neurobiology and affect regulation: Implications for clinical social work*. Conference of the Clinical Social Work Federation.
- Shapiro, J. and Applegate, J. (1999). *The neurobiology of affect regulation: Implications for Social Work Education and Practice*. CSWE, California.
- Shapiro, J. (1998). *Emerging issues in social work with adolescents and children*

- Shapiro, J. (1998). *The use of qualitative research methods to enhance community based social work consultation practice: A case study*. Poster presented at the Society for Social Work and Research Conference. Miami, Fla.
- Shapiro, J. (1998). *Developmental issues in Social Work with Children: Issues for Supervision*. Field Instructors' Seminar. Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr, PA.
- Shapiro, J. (1996). *Adolescent Pregnancy and Parenthood*. Bryn Mawr College GSSWSR, Continuing Education Seminar.
- Shapiro, J. (1995). *Supporting change in families*. Allegheny County Family Support Conference, Pittsburgh, PA.
- Shapiro, J. and Wexler, S. (1995). *Children's Books as Preventive and Diagnostic Tools: Implications for Clinical Work*. PA Chapter of NASW State Conference.
- Shapiro, J. (1994). *Adolescent development as a context for early motherhood*. University of Pittsburgh.
- Shapiro, J. and Wexler, S. (1993). *Child Physical and Sexual Abuse Literature for Children*. National Conference on Child Abuse and Neglect, Pittsburgh, PA.
- Shapiro, J. (1992). *Social support and parenting competence among adolescent mothers*. National Council on Family Relations, Orlando, Florida.
- Shapiro, J. and Lehn, L. (1992). *Adolescent mothers' ability to appraise infant facial cues of emotion*. Paper presented at the International Conference on Infancy Studies, Miami, Florida.
- Shapiro, J. and Mangelsdorf, S. (1991). *Individual differences in the adaptation to adolescent parenthood*. Paper presented at the Biennial meeting of the SRCD, Seattle, Washington.
- Shapiro, J. and Mangelsdorf, S. (1991). *The implementation of a school-based intervention to facilitate competence in adolescent mothers*. Paper presented at the 11<sup>th</sup> Biennial Meetings of the International Society for the Study of Behavioral Development, Minneapolis, Minnesota.
- Mangelsdorf, S., Shapiro, J. and Marzolf, D. (1989). *The development of coping behaviors in infancy*. Paper presented at the Biennial meeting of the SRCD.

## PROGRAMMATIC AND RESEARCH GRANTS

**Sousa, C., & Shapiro, J.**

**Submission Date: 8/4/2016**

Promoting family wellbeing amidst adversity: Stress and coping practices of refugee parents.

Community Based Research Partnership with the Nationalities Services Center, Philadelphia, PA

To be submitted to: William T. Grant Foundation

(requested amount: \$200,000)

**Marrow, N., Lewis, B. & Shapiro, J.**

**2016**

Policy Practice in Field Education

Areas of Foci: Integrated Health and Juvenile Justice

Council on Social Work Education

(\$10,000, *not funded* but to be resubmitted in 2<sup>nd</sup> grant cycle)

**Sousa, C., & Shapiro, J.**

**2014**

Promoting family wellbeing amidst adversity: Stress and coping practices of refugee parents.

Community Based Research Partnership with the Nationalities Services Center, Philadelphia, PA

Proposal submitted to the Silberman Foundation

(\$40,000, *not funded*)



- Shapiro, J. & Martin, M.** **2005**  
**For The Center for Child and Family Wellbeing**  
 Roundtable Conference and Working Papers Series  
 Infant and Early Childhood Mental Health  
 Proposal submitted to the Annie E. Casey Foundation  
 (\$10,100, *funded*)
- Shapiro, J. for The Center for Child and Family Wellbeing** **2004**  
 Conference on the effects of violence on children, families and communities  
 Proposal submitted to the Glenmede Trust Company  
 (\$10,000, *funded*)
- Shapiro, J. & Hasbrouck, D.** **2004**  
**For The Center for Child and Family Wellbeing**  
 Conference on Issues and challenges in child and adolescent mental health  
 Proposal submitted to PNC Financial Services Group “Grow Up Great” Program  
 (\$ 50,000, *not funded*)
- Shapiro, J. & Martin, M.** **2003**  
**For The Center for Child and Family Wellbeing**  
 G. Mildred and A. Foster Scott Family Foundation Endowed Lecture Series  
 (\$ 40,000, *funded*)
- Corwin, M., Shapiro, J. & Alexander, L.** **2002**  
 Promoting resilience in children: A public school and academic partnership  
 Submitted to the William Penn Foundation  
 (\$250,000, *not funded*)
- Shapiro, J.** **1997**  
 Examining varied patterns of adaptation amongst younger- and older-  
 Adolescent mothers  
 Proposal submitted to:  
 Bryn Mawr College Faculty Grants Program  
 (\$2,5000, *funded*)
- Green, J. and Shapiro, J.** **1993-1995**  
 The “Get a Good Start Program”  
 Proposal submitted to:  
 The Department of Health and Human Services, Washington, D.C.  
 (\$500,000, *funded*)
- Shapiro, J.** **1993**  
 The behavior of adolescent parents: A developmental perspective  
 Proposal submitted to:  
 University of Pittsburgh Faculty Grants Program  
 (\$5,000, *funded*)

**Shapiro, J., Mulvey, L., & Herman, V.**

**1992-1993**

Infant Mental Health Services in Community Based Prevention

Proposal submitted to:

Allegheny County Department of Mental Health, Pittsburgh, PA

(\$20,000, *funded*)

**Shapiro, J.**

**1990**

The parenting behavior of adolescent parents

Rackham Graduate School Dissertation Grant

(\$2,000, *funded*)

**Mangelsdorf, S. & Shapiro, J.**

**1989-1991**

Parenting Competence Among Adolescent Mothers:

Proposal submitted to:

C.S. Mott Foundation, Flint, MI

(\$15,000, *funded*)

**SERVICE TO THE GRADUATE SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK AND SOCIAL RESEARCH  
(2000-present)**

- Director, Center for Child and Family Wellbeing (2002-present)
- Curriculum Committee Member (2003-present)
- Chair, Curriculum Committee: 2012-2014; 2015-present; Chair, 2015-present; chair, 2012-2014)
- Convener, Clinical Social Work Teaching group (2014-present)
- Faculty Lead, CSWE working group, 2013-present
- Co-Leader, Faculty Working Group (2015-present)
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## **SERVICE ON BRYN MAWR COLLEGE COMMITTEES**

- Committee on Academic Priorities (2014-2018)
- Faculty mentor to Assistant Professor Heejung Park, Department of Psychology (2016-)
- Member, Faculty Advisory Committee (2015-2016)
- CAP Faculty Liaison to Board of Trustees (2015-present)
- Provost's Committee on Themed Programming:
  - Dissent, Violence and Social Justice (2014-2015)
  - Voice (2015-2017)
- Graduate Council (2009-2012)
- Ad-Hoc member, Graduate Council (2008)
- Ad-hoc Committee on Development of AB/MSS and AB/MA programming (2012-present)
- Steering Committee, Child and Family Studies Minor (2012-present)
- Search Committee (2007-2008), Department of History, Diversity Liaison, 2007-2008
- Search Committee (2007-2008), Consortium for Faculty Diversity Predoctoral Fellow
- KHHC steering committee member (2006-2009)

## **RECENT PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE**

- 2011-present            Ad Hoc Reviewer, Journal of Ethics and Social Welfare
  - 2010-present           Editorial Board, Journal of Teaching Social Work
  - 2013-2014              Research Board Member, Maternity Care Coalition, Philadelphia
  - 2010-2014              Board Member, Common Ground, Princeton, NJ
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## **Doctoral Program Courses**

- Applied Developmental Science: Using theory to inform research questions on child and family wellbeing
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Jennifer Stotter	Birth and adoption unemployment compensation
Jaqueline Lynch	Social and psychological factors that precipitate the incarceration of female youth offenders
Kristine Hitchens	The DSM and social work: 20 years after Kutchins and Kirk
Thomas Duffin	An investigation into the discordance between sexual identity and sexual behavior
Kyra Turner-Zogbekor	Educational experience of women in Ghana
Jessica Wilen	A systematic review and network meta-analysis of psychosocial interventions for adults who were sexually abused as children
Sarah Farash	Access to developmental screenings and referred services among insecurely housed children
Jennifer Jones	A Qualitative Study of Female Undergraduate and Graduate Students Who Engage in Sex Work in the Philadelphia Metropolitan Area
Margo Campbell	Precarious Attachments: Economic Vulnerability, Family Stress, and Children's Social-Emotional Competence
Jessica Lee	Health care access and utilization of Bhutanese refugees in Philadelphia
Jen Frank	auL12 -2.3bttlAv2.2elns azn Stotter

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1986-1988	<b>Post MSW Fellowship and Clinical Internship</b> Interdisciplinary Program in Child Abuse and Neglect University of Michigan Ann Arbor, MI
1987 (summer months)	<b>Staff Associate</b> National Center for Children in Poverty New York, NY
1988-1990	<b>Psychiatric Emergency Social Worker</b> Washtenaw County Community Mental Health Ann Arbor, MI
1988-1990	<b>Research Associate</b> Department of Psychology Focus: Coping Behaviors in Infancy University of Michigan
1989-1990	<b>Evaluation Consultant</b> Formative Evaluation Research Associates Ann Arbor, MI
1990-1991	<b>Clinical Social Worker</b> Family Assessment Clinic University of Michigan
1992-1995	<b>Infant Mental Health Specialist</b> Family Foundations Pittsburgh, PA
1996-present	<b>Infant and Childhood Mental Health Consultant</b>

### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

- CSWE (Council on Social Work Education)
- NJAIMH (New Jersey Association for Infant Mental Health)
- National Association of Social Workers
- World Association of Infant Mental Health
- Group for the Advancement of Doctoral Education in Social Work (2007-2014)