

Jessica Salwen

EDUCATION

Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, NY
Candidate for Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology

Hamilton College, B.A., Clinton, NY
Double Major: Psychology, Sexuality Studies
GPA: 90.13/98, 3.52/4.0
Psychology GPA: 91.33/98, 3.63/4.0

HONORS

Elihu Root Fellowship Award Winner: May 2009
Sigma Xi: Scientific Research Society, 2009
Dean's List: Spring 2006, Fall 2006, Fall 2007, Spring 2008, Fall 2008
Psi Chi: Psychology National Honor Society, Member, 2007 – present
Liberty League All-Academic Team: Student/athlete accomplishment award, 2007 – 2009
Class of 2006 Fund: Internship funding recipient; 2008

PSYCHOLOGY EXPERIENCE

Yale Parenting Center/Child Conduct Clinic, *Student Intern*, New Haven, CT
Trained under Dr. Alan Kazdin in methods of interacting with and supervising children with conduct disorders. Also trained in the administration of the WISC Block Design and Vocabulary sections and the WRAT 1 and 2, scored assessment measures (RDI, BDI, CBCL, BOS, SCL-90, FES, PSI, SSS, YRF), and coded patient information using the Hollingshead system (July 2008)

Fairfield University Sociology Department, *Research Assistant*, Fairfield, CT
Assisted Sociologist Dr. Renee White in her investigation of cultural competency, understanding it from an interdisciplinary viewpoint, and its affect on HIV/AIDS interventions using academic internet databases such as PsychINFO, Web of Science, and Academic Search Premier (May 2008 – Aug 2008)

Hamilton College Psychology Department, *Research Assistant*, Clinton, NY
Collected data and tested participants in three separate senior theses dealing with the impact of ADHD on dating relationships, the suppression of thoughts, and the impact of female stereotypes on males (Fall 2005, Spring 2007, Spring 2008)

Four Winds Psychiatric Hospital, *Mental Health Intern*, Katonah, NY
Led group therapy sessions, had one-to-one discussions with patients, sat in on therapy sessions and psychological testing of adolescents, and attended weekly classes on a psychiatric inpatient unit (June 2007 – Aug 2007)

EMPLOYMENT

Mountain Workshop/Hawk Mountain Ventures, *Field Guide*, Redding, CT
Led outdoor adventure trips for children ages 8 – 14, teaching activities such as kayaking, caving, white water rafting, rock climbing, and general outdoor survival skills (June 2009 – present)

Hamilton College Quantitative Literacy Center, *Peer Tutor*, Clinton, NY
Worked with students in Calculus I, Statistics, Symbolic Logic, Introductory Psychology, and Statistics for Psychological Research to prepare for tests and quizzes and better understand class material (Sept 2008 – May 2009)

Hamilton College Philosophy Department, *Teaching Assistant*, Clinton, NY
Taught students course material and administered/graded tests in Symbolic Logic (Sept 2007 – Dec 2007)

Project SHINE, *English Tutor*, Utica, NY
(Students Helping in the Naturalization of Elders): taught American English language and culture to immigrants in both group and individual settings (Sept 2007 – Dec 2007)

SPECIAL SKILLS

Near fluency in Oral and Written Spanish
Computer skills: PC and Mac OS; MS Excel, PowerPoint, Word; SPSS; PsyScope; PsySquash