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EDUCATION/TRAINING

INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	DEGREE	YEAR(S)	FIELD OF STUDY
James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA	B.A.	1995	Social Science
University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA	M.A.	2004	Clinical Psychology
University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA	Ph.D.	2007	Clinical Psychology
Residency Internship: Medical University of SC	Intern	2007	PTSD

Positions and Employment:

2002-2003 Instructor: PSYC 305/306 Research Methods and Data Analysis Lab, UVA
2003-2004 Psychology Intern Western State Psychiatric Hospital, Staunton, VA
2003-2004 Instructor: PSYC 771 Research Methods and Statistical Inference Lab, UVA
2004-2005 Clinic Administrator, Mary Ainsworth Outpatient Psychological Clinic, UVA
2004-2005 Clinic Therapist, Family Stress Clinic, UVA Department of Family Medicine
2005 Instructor: PSYC 740 Clinical Intervention Lab, UVA, Charlottesville, VA
2005-2006 Refugee Therapist: International Family Medicine Clinic, UVA Hospital
2006-2007 Psychology Intern/PTSD Specialist: National Crime Victims Center, Charleston, SC
2006-2007 Psychology Intern/PTSD Specialist: Ralph H. Johnson VA Medical Center
2007-Present Assistant Professor of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, MUSC
2007-Present Director of Research Training: MUSC Psychology Internship Program
2007-Present Associate Director; PTSD Clinical Team, Ralph H. Johnson VAMC
2008-Present Consultant: Prolonged Exposure Therapy for PTSD, national VA treatment rollout

Honors, Awards, Fellowships

VA Southeast Network Commitment to Excellence Award 2008
System-wide Ongoing Assessment & Review Strategy (SOARS) Strong Practice provider 2008
Medical University of South Carolina, Scientist-Practitioner Award 2007
MUSC Psychology Intern Program, Laura Griffin Humanitarian Award 2007
MUSC Psychology Intern Program, Research Paper Award 2007
UVA School of Medicine, Waters Society, Honorary Family Medicine Alumni 2007
U.S. Department of Education Institute of Education Sciences Fellowship (\$30,000) 2005-2006
Buffett Fellowship for applied work in the area of Children and Families (\$3,000) 2005
University of Virginia, Clinical Psychology Fellowship (\$12,000) 2001-2005
Graduate school of Arts & Sciences full scholarship (\$9,753) 2001-2005
U.S. Department of Education Institute of Education Sciences Fellowship (\$30,000) 2004-2005
Buffett Fellowship for applied work in the area of Children and Families (\$3,000) 2004
Bryant Fellowship for applied work in the area of Children and Families (\$5,000) 2003
University of Virginia, Department of Psychology Husky Award (\$500) 2003
APA award in recognition of excellence for research presentation (\$100) 2002
University of Virginia, Department of Psychology Dean's Award (\$500) 2002
President's List for Academic Excellence 1993-1994
Commonwealth of Virginia Volunteer Service Award for outstanding service 1992

Other Experience and Professional Memberships:

Scientific Peer Reviewer

Journal of Dual Diagnoses, 2008
Journal of Anxiety Disorders, 2007
Behavior Modification, 2007

Memberships in Professional Societies

American Psychological Association
Association for Psychological Science

Selected Publications

Gros, D.F., **Tuerk, P.W.**, Yoder, M., Acierno, R. (in press). Posttraumatic stress disorder. In M. Hersen, & J.C. Thomas (Eds.), Handbook of clinical psychology competencies volume II: Intervention and treatment for adults. New York: Springer.

Kathleen T. Brady, K.T., **Tuerk, P.W.**, Beck, S.E., Saladin, M.E., Waldrop, A.E., Myrick, H. (in press). Combat PTSD and Substance Use Disorders. *Journal of Addiction Medicine*.

Kathleen T. Brady, K.T., **Tuerk, P.W.** Grubaugh, A. (in press). Clinical Case Discussion: PTSD and alcohol dependence. *Journal of Addiction Medicine*.

Tuerk, P. W., Mueller, M., Egede, L. (2008). Estimating Physician Effects on Glycemic Control in the Treatment of Diabetes: Methods, Effects Sizes, and Implications for Treatment Policy. *Diabetes Care*, 31, 869-873.

Tuerk, P. W. (2005). Cognitive Behavioral Therapy Strategies for Use in General Practice: Effective psychological strategies for medical practitioners. [Book Review]. *Families, Systems, & Health*.

Tuerk, P. W. (2005). Research in the high stakes era: Achievement, resources, and No Child Left Behind. *Psychological Science*, 16(6), 419-425.

Under Review:

Tuerk, P.W., Grubaugh A., Hamner, MB., Foa, E.B. (Under review: *American Journal of Psychiatry*). Diagnosis and treatment of PTSD-related compulsive checking behaviors in veterans of the Iraq war: The Influence of military context on the expression of PTSD symptoms. Submitted to the.

Tuerk, P.W., Acierno, R.E., Ruggiero, K.J. , Gros D., Yoder, M. Open Trial of Prolonged Exposure for PTSD Delivered Via Telepsychiatry vs. In Person. Submitted to the VA's Health Services Research and Development Service 2009, 27th annual meeting.

Submitted grants

DoD New Investigator Award (scored in "Excellent Range," unfunded): *Integrating Psychophysiology Technology into Exposure-oriented Treatment for PTSD and Exploratory Genetic Analyses of Baselines and Treatment effects*

Selected Presentations and Invited Papers

Tuerk, P. W. (2007, March). *Estimating Physician Effects Using Hierarchical Linear Models: A Novel Application for VA Medical Outcomes Data*. Research presentation at the Center for Health Disparities, Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, SC.

Tuerk, P. W. (2006, March). *Estimating Statewide Achievement Gap Effects in Hierarchical Linear Models: Florida's Comprehensive Assessment Tests*. Research presentation at the U.S. Institute of Education Sciences fellowship seminar. Charlottesville, VA.

Tuerk, P. W. (2005, August). *High-Stakes Research: Teacher Quality and Achievement*. Poster session presented at the 113th annual American Psychological Association conference, Washington, D.C.

Tuerk, P. W. (2005, May). *Research in the high stakes era: Achievement, resources, and No Child Left Behind*. Poster session presented at the 13th annual meeting of the Society for Prevention Research, Washington, D.C.

Tuerk, P. W. (2004). *Student demographics, testing and teacher quality*. A policy paper presented to the Virginia State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Jo Lynne DeMary; Superintendent of Finance, Daniel Timberlake; and Senior Political Advisor to the Governor, Suzette Denslow, Richmond, VA.

Tuerk, P. W. (2004). *Teacher quality and student outcomes in Virginia: Production Functions and effect sizes*. Paper presented to the Virginia Joint Legislative Audit and Review Commission (JLARC), Richmond, VA.

Tuerk, P. W. (2004). *Teacher quality and student demographics*. Presentation delivered to the Virginia Municipal League (VML) and the Virginia Association of Counties (VACO), Richmond, VA.

Tuerk, P. W. (2004). *Teacher quality: What we know and need to know*. Power Point presentation delivered to the Virginia First Cities Coalition, Petersburg, VA.

Tuerk, P. W. (2004). *Scholastic Resources and Student Achievement in the State of Virginia*. A paper presented at the 2004 American Psychology and Law Society Annual Conference, Scottsdale, Arizona.

Tuerk, P. W. (2004). *Obsessive Compulsive Disorder and Specific Phobias*. A Case Conference Presentation at the University of Virginia Department of Psychology's Contemporary issues in Clinical psychology lecture series, Charlottesville, VA.