

## **RESUME / CV OF DR. FELIX SALOMON**

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Clinical Psychologist, Psychoanalyst

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**NAME OF PRACTICE:** Felix Salomon, Ph.D., Psy.D. dba P.I.P.

**EDUCATION:** Psy.D. in Psychoanalysis: 6/2010  
Institute of Contemporary Psychoanalysis,  
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Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology: 2/1977  
Long Island University, Zeckendorf Campus,  
Brooklyn, New York, (APA Approved)

M.A., LIU, June 1973 in Clinical Psychology

B.A., Major: Psychology, 6/1968  
Queens College, City University of New York  
Queens, New York

**INTERNSHIP:** Nassau County Medical Center (APA Approved), East Meadow, New York  
July 1972 to July 1973.

**FELLOWSHIP:** Long Island University Teaching Fellow, Department of Psychology  
September 1971 to June 1972.

### **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:**

American Psychological Association  
Arizona Psychological Association  
Arizona Psychoanalytic Society  
Society for Personality Assessment  
Southwest Psychoanalytic Society  
International Association for Relational Psychoanalysis & Psychotherapy  
International Association for Psychoanalytic Self Psychology  
Institute of Contemporary Psychoanalysis  
American Association of Suicidology

## **CERTIFICATIONS / LICENSURE:**

Arizona State Board of Psychologists Examiners  
Licensure #0597, May 1977 to present.

California Board of Psychology  
Licensure # PSY 24181, March 2011 to present.

Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards  
CPQ # 1,010, January, 2001 to present.

National Register of Health Service Providers in Psychology  
#20064, Sept. 1977 to present.

Institute of Contemporary Psychoanalysis, Certification in Contemporary Psychoanalysis, June, 2010 to present.

Child and Family Forensic Issues  
Certified by William James College, Newport, MA.  
May 14, 2016 to present.

## **SUMMARY OF RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCES:**

In the positions described below, Dr. Salomon has worked with outpatient, inpatient, and day hospital populations. He has been supervised, primarily within a psychoanalytic framework, in the psychotherapy of children, adolescents, adults, and geriatric patients. His experiences with psychotherapy have included individual, child-play, marital, family and group modalities. Throughout, Dr. Salomon has been supervised in psychodiagnostic testing and interviewing of clients of all ages. John E. Exner, Jr., Ph.D. has personally trained him in the Comprehensive System of the Rorschach. Dr. Salomon has supervised psychology interns in psychotherapy and psychodiagnostics. He has directed an outreach community mental health center comprised of a multi-disciplinary staff, including psychiatrists, psychologists, social workers, and paraprofessionals. From 1979 to the present, Dr. Salomon had developed and directed The Phoenix Institute for Psychotherapy, a private practice, multidisciplinary, psychoanalytically-oriented mental health group. A partial list of the areas that Dr. Salomon has worked in over the past 34 years include depression, anxiety, obsessive-compulsive, personality, relationship, and substance abuse issues. During 1997 to 2000, Dr. Salomon was the Chairperson of the Arizona State Psychological Association Ethics Committee. In the Fall trimester of 1999, Dr. Salomon enjoyed greatly his teaching duties as an Adjunct Professor in the Psy.D. Clinical Psychology at the Arizona School of Professional Psychology (now named Argosy University-Phoenix). At Argosy, Dr. Salomon taught the course entitled Introduction to Psychoanalysis. From May 2003 to December 2004, Dr. Salomon is currently serving as an Advisory Board Member of Argosy University-Phoenix. Dr. Salomon served as a member of the Practice Committee of the Phoenix Group for the Advancement of Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy - Southwest Psychoanalytic Society. Dr. Salomon has earned the Psy.D. in Psychoanalysis at the Institute of Contemporary Psychoanalysis in Los Angeles. Since 2003, Dr. Salomon has developed a specialty in the evaluation and reporting of extreme and exceptional

hardship concerning Immigration Issues. He has testified before the court and has written over 30 reports, which have been presented to the court in Immigration Cases. In 2005, Dr. Salomon co-created the only psychoanalytic clinical psychology internship program in Phoenix. Dr. Salomon is the Director of Clinical Training of the Arizona Community Clinical Psychology Training Group (ACCPT-G). Please go to [www.accpt-g.com](http://www.accpt-g.com) to visit the ACCPT-G website to obtain further information. ACCPT-G's main mission is to provide psychological services to underprivileged and underserved children in our community. In the 32 years that Dr. Salomon has been practicing psychology, he has treated people of all ages, people of varying degrees of intelligence from people with mild retardation to people who are gifted intellectually, and a wide variety of psychopathology including severe mental illness (e.g., Schizophrenia and Bipolar Disorders), borderline conditions, personality disorders, and a wide variety of neurotic and situational/adjustment disorders.

## **RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCES:**

**January 2017 – Present:** Past-Senior Board Member, Board of Directors, Institute of Contemporary Psychoanalysis, Senior Training and Supervising Psychoanalyst; 10780 Santa Monica Blvd., Suite 350, Los Angeles, California 90025-4749.

**March 2012 – 2015:** Advisory Board Member, Argosy University-Phoenix.

**January 2011 – January 2013:** Regular Member, Board of Directors, Institute of Contemporary Psychoanalysis, 10780 Santa Monica Blvd., Suite 350, Los Angeles, California 90025-4749.

**September 2011 – Present:** Chairperson of the Arizona Psychological Association-Contemporary Psychoanalytic Psychology Committee.

**January 2005 – Present:** Director of Clinical Training, Arizona Community Clinical Psychology Training Group (ACCPT-G). Dr. Salomon founded in January of 2005 the only Psychoanalytic Clinical Psychology Internship in Arizona.

**May 1977 - Present:** Private-Independent practice in Clinical Psychology. Dr. Salomon founded and directed The Phoenix Institute for Psychotherapy, Ltd., a private practice, multidisciplinary, psychoanalytically-oriented mental health group. Duties: Psychoanalytically-oriented psychotherapy, (individual and group) psychodiagnostics, conjoint marital therapy, psychodynamic family therapy, child-play therapy, consultations, clinical interview evaluations and diagnosis, dynamic short-term therapy, crisis intervention, supervision and administration of associates and staff. See our website, [www.pip-mhc.com](http://www.pip-mhc.com).

**June, 2002 – Present:** Independent Consultant in Forensic Immigration Cases. Dr. Salomon received training from Steven Reich, Ph.D., J.D., Director of the Forensic Psychology Group, New York, New York to provide forensic evaluation in immigration cases that involve political asylum, extreme hardship, and/or domestic violence. Dr. Salomon feels that his status as an immigrant and naturalized citizen of the USA gives him a special empathy for the persons involved in these cases.

**December, 2001 – Present:** Trained as Disaster Mental Health Worker by the American Red Cross, Grand Canyon Chapter, Piper Center, Phoenix, Arizona. After "9-11,".

**1997 to 2000:** Chairperson, Arizona State Psychological Association - Ethics Committee (AEC). As the Chair, I developed and became the lead author on two papers: "A Supervisory Thing Happened on the Way to the Ethics Forum," and "Ethics Beyond the Grave: Impact of the Therapist's Death – Our Ethical responsibilities."

**September, 1999 to December, 1999:** Adjunct Professor, Doctoral Program in Clinical Psychology, Arizona School of Professional Psychology (now named Argosy University), Phoenix, Arizona.

**July 1990 - 1997 and February 1979 - 1985:** Adjunct Psychology Faculty, Family Practice Residency Program, Phoenix Baptist Hospital, Phoenix, Arizona.

**June 1977 - June 1978:** Clinical Psychologist-Biofeedback Therapist, Institute for Human Services, Inc., St. Luke's Hospital Medical Building, Phoenix, Arizona. Duties: Biofeedback therapy and psychotherapy, supervision of biofeedback therapist.

**August 1976 - April 1977:** Administrative Director, Hempstead Community Mental Health Center and Staff Psychologist, Nassau County Medical Center, Comprehensive Community Mental Health Center. Duties: As a staff psychologist on approximately a two-day per week basis; in addition, appointed Administrative Director at a multi-disciplinary community mental health center on approximately a three-day per week basis. Administrative duties included program development for children, adults, and geriatric patients; coordination of a multidisciplinary staff including psychologists, psychiatrists, social workers, paraprofessionals and secretarial staff.

**July 1974 - August 1976:** Staff Psychologist, Nassau County Medical Center - Comprehensive Community Mental Health Center. Duties: Psychotherapy, intake service, consultation and education service, psychodiagnostics, supervision of psychology interns, clerks and paraprofessionals, consultant to "24-hour lifeline" service, consultant to child abuse committee and research and planning coordinator.

**January 1974 - July 1974:** Staff Psychologist, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Soundview - Throgsneck Community Mental Health Center, Bronx, New York. Duties: Psychotherapy, including group psychotherapy with elementary school age children, intake service and psychodiagnostics.

**July 1973 - January 1974:** Clinic Psychologist, Queens County Family Court - Mental Health Services, Jamaica, New York. Duties: Psychotherapy, including family psychotherapy, crisis intervention, psychodiagnostics, court consultation and court testimony.

**July 1972 - July 1973:** Clinical Psychology Intern, Nassau County Medical Center, East Meadow, New York, Aaron Balasny, Ph.D., Chief, Psychology Intern Program (APA Approved Internship). Duties: Psychotherapy, "walk-in" clinic, psychodiagnostics, seminar presentations, mental status evaluations, inpatient, outpatient and day hospital services.

**September 1971 - June 1972:** Clinical Psychology Clerkship, The Payne Whitney Clinic, Cornell University, New York, New York. Duties: Psychotherapy, including group psychotherapy of ambulatory schizophrenic patients, psychodiagnostics and seminar participation.

**September 1971 - June 1972:** Teaching Fellow, Department of Psychology, Long Island University, Brooklyn, New York. Duties: Teaching and grading four sections of Introduction to Psychology.

**September 1969 - January 1971:** Special Graduate Research Assistant, to John E. Exner, Jr., Ph.D., Director, Doctoral Program in Clinical Psychology, Long Island University. Duties: Implementation of various research projects, statistical analyses, assisting in undergraduate instruction.

**September 1969 - June 1970:** Volunteer Psychologist, Brooklyn Psychiatric Center, Brooklyn, New York. Duties: Implementation of various research projects and statistical analyses.

**Summer 1970:** Research Assistant, Stony Lodge Hospital, Ossining, New York. Duties: Implementation of research projects on schizophrenia that required interviewing of patients and their families and data collection.

**September 1968 - June 1969:** Elementary School Teacher, Public School 270K, Bedford-Stuyvesant, Brooklyn, New York. Duties: Physical Health Instructor and substitute teacher for grades 3-5, including classes for the exceptional child.

**Summers 1968 and 1969:** Psychology Tester, Harlem Research Center, City College, City University of New York. Duties: Testing children ages 3-9 years under the direction of Francis Palmer, Ph.D..

## **TEACHING , RESEARCH, PUBLICATIONS, and AWARDS:**

2009: Dr. Felix Salomon received approval of the final version of his Graduation Paper from The Institute of Contemporary Psychoanalysis titled "Multi-modal Multi-member Nonlinear Dynamic Family Systems Psychoanalysis."

2004: My essay, "Maintaining a Safe Container," was selected for inclusion in the chapter on Psychoanalysis in Rita and John Sommers-Flannagan (2004) textbook, Counseling and Psychotherapy: Theories in Context and Practice. Hoboken, NJ: John Wiley and Sons, Inc.

April 30, 2003: Presentation on The Borderline Personality Organization to ASU Clinical Psychology Program – 3rd Year Graduate Student - Practicum Class.

Fall 1999: Adjunct Professor, Doctoral Program in Clinical Psychology, Arizona School of Professional Psychology, 2301 West Dunlap, Suite #211, Phoenix, Arizona 85021.

1997: I was the lead author for the following journal article: "Ethics Beyond the Grave: Dealing with the Impact of One's Death," The Arizona Psychologist, Vol. 17, No. 6. This article suggests that psychologists attend to the ethical obligation of giving thought to and provisions for our patients due to either our prolonged illness or death. The article goes into what this might mean for our patients in reference to their loss and interruption of their therapy.

1998: Dr. Salomon authored an article for The Arizona Psychologist, Vol. 18, No. 5: "A Supervisory Thing Happened on the Way to the Ethics Forum." This article explores some of the ethical issues faced by supervisors in Arizona.

1998: Dr. Salomon developed the "Interruption of Services Form" for the Arizona Psychological Association. This was part of the AzPA Ethics Committee effort to be of assistance to several patients and relatives of psychologists who suddenly died within a short span of time of each other.

1998: Distinguished Contribution to the Practice of Psychology; Awarded by the Arizona Psychological Association. This was awarded to me for my work on the AzPA Ethics Committee.

July 1990 - 1997 and February 1979 - 1985: Adjunct Psychology Faculty, Family Medicine Residency Program, Phoenix Baptist Hospital, Phoenix, Arizona. Two Recognition Awards for teaching of Family Practice Residents granted by the American Academy of Family Physicians, 1995 and 1996.

September 1971 - June 1972: Teaching Fellow, Department of Psychology, Long Island University; Brooklyn, New York.

June 1972: Co-Director of the Rorschach Tutorial at the Hotel Commodore, New York, New York: with John E. Exner, Jr., Ph.D.

September 1969 - June 1971: Special Research Assistant to John E. Exner, Jr., Ph.D., Director of Clinical Training, Department of Psychology, Long Island University. Cited in Exner, J.E., Jr. The Rorschach: A Comprehensive System (2nd ed.), vol. I. New York: Wiley, 1986.

## **ELECTED OR APPOINTED OFFICES:**

September 2011 – Present: Founder and Chairperson, Arizona Psychological Association – Contemporary Psychoanalytic Psychology Committee (AzPA-CPPC), Phoenix, Arizona.

January 2011 – December 2012: Regular member, Board of Directors, Institute of Contemporary Psychoanalysis, 10780 Santa Monica Blvd., Suite 350, Los Angeles, California 90025.

October, 2003 – Present: Member, Phoenix Practice Committee of the Phoenix Group for the Advancement of Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy-Southwest Psychoanalytic Society. This committee is primarily responsible for local programming to further psychoanalytic education in Phoenix.

June, 2002 – January, 2004: Member, Arizona Psychological Association-Public Education Committee; Al Rizzo, Ph.D., Chairperson.

1997 - Dec., 2000: Chairperson, Arizona Psychological Association - Ethics Committee (The AEC). (The AEC is devoted to providing guidance, education, and consultation to AzPA members; it has no adjudicative or disciplinary functions.)

July 1, 1990 - 1997: Adjunct Psychology Faculty, Family Practice, Residency Program, Phoenix Baptist Hospital, Phoenix, Arizona.

1982 - 1984: Founder and Chairperson, Phoenix Local Chapter, Division of Psychoanalysis (39), American Psychological Association.

1978 - 1979: Co-Founder (with Dr. Jack Elias) and Elected First President, Phoenix Psychoanalytic Study Group, (a multidisciplinary group devoted to the study of psychoanalytic theory, technique and practice), Phoenix, Arizona.

**REFERENCES:**

*References shall be supplied upon Request.*