



CURRICULUM VITAE
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Languages Fluent: English and Spanish

Education:

Undergraduate (2010) B.A. in International Relations with a Latin America focus and a minor in Spanish language, Boston University, Boston, MA

Graduate (2020) Psy.D. in Clinical Psychology
Roosevelt University, Chicago, IL

Internship (2019-2020) Adult Psychology Specialization
LSUHSC Health Sciences Center, Department of Psychiatry
New Orleans, LA

Fellowships (2017-2019) Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy Fellow
Chicago Center for Psychoanalysis, Chicago, IL

(2020-2021) Burn Psychology
LSUHSC Health Sciences Center, Department of Psychiatry
New Orleans, LA

Certifications/Trainings

(2021) American Society for Clinical Hypnosis, Level 1 Workshop

(2022) Eye Movement Desensitization & Reprocessing, Basic Training (sponsored by LSUHSC's Center for Evidence to Practice)

Licensure Clinical Psychologist, LA, #1576

Academic, Professional, and Research Appointments:

2021- present **Assistant Professor of Clinical Psychiatry**

LSU Health Sciences Center, New Orleans, LA
Department of Psychiatry, Section of Psychology

2023-present **Adjunct Instructor**
Tulane University, New Orleans, LA
Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences

Membership in Professional Organizations:

2016 to present Member
American Psychological Association

2019 to present Member
Louisiana Psychological Association

2021 to present Member
American Burn Association

2021 to 2023 Committee Chair of Convention & Continuing Education
Committee
Louisiana Psychological Association

2022 to 2024 Director on the Executive Council
Louisiana Psychological Association

Awards and Honors:

2022 *Nominee for Early Career Psychologist Achievement Award*
Presented by LSUHSC Department of Psychiatry

2023 *Nominee for Faculty Assembly Outstanding Accomplishments by
a Junior Faculty* Presented by LSUHSC School of Medicine

TEACHING EXPERIENCE AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Curriculum Development/Implementation:

Group Supervision of Supervision (2021-2023)

I co-facilitated this weekly Group Supervision of Supervision meeting for LSUHSC psychology pre-doctoral interns and postdoctoral fellows. In collaboration with two other LSUHSC faculty members, we developed a curriculum to provide an exceptional training experience using a combination of didactic training, role plays, presentations, assigned readings, and continuous feedback.

Creation of Enduring Teaching Materials:

Group Supervision of Supervision (2021-2023)

In collaboration with two colleagues, I helped to create a curriculum for LSUHSC psychology pre-doctoral interns and postdoctoral fellows. Supervisory skills and supervisory knowledge base are competency areas set forth by APA for internship training, and I assisted with teaching supervision skills and knowledge as part of a formal and structured group, using a combination of didactic training, role plays, presentations,

assigned readings, and continuous feedback. We have created a syllabus and guide that others can utilize to replicate this group model.

Departmental/Interdisciplinary Teaching Conferences:

Whiteness in Psychotherapy (1/20/2020; 11/10/2021; 3/1/2023) LSU Health Sciences Center Department of Psychiatry Psychology internship seminar series, New Orleans, LA.

Caring for Burn Survivors and the Role of Psychology (1/12/2021; 1/4/2023) LSU Health Sciences Center Department of Psychiatry Psychology internship seminar series, New Orleans, LA.

Caring for Burn Survivors and the Role of Psychology (3/16/2021; 9/19/2023) Burn Education Conference provided to multidisciplinary burn team. New Orleans, LA.

Microaggressions and Clinical Practice (1/28/2021) LSU Health Sciences Center Department of Psychiatry Grand Rounds, New Orleans, LA.

Multiculturalism and Diversity in Clinical Supervision (11/9/2021; 12/1/2022) LSU Health Sciences Center Department of Psychiatry Psychology internship seminar series, New Orleans, LA.

Group Supervision of Supervision (2021-2023, 1 hour per week; year-long)

Co-facilitated (with Dr. Sandy Hyatt) this formal, structured supervision of supervision experience for six psychology intern trainees and four psychology postdoctoral trainees to develop their competency in clinical supervision.

Looking Back to Move Forward: Structural Racism in Mental Health (1/20/2022) LSU Health Sciences Center Department of Psychiatry Grand Rounds, New Orleans, LA.

An Overview of Medical Trauma (3/16/2023), with Dr. Sandy Hyatt, LSU Health Sciences Center Department of Psychiatry Grand Rounds, New Orleans, LA.

Psychotherapy with Latinx Patients in New Orleans (6/21/2023; 1/3/2024), with Dr. Sebastian del Corral, LSU Health Sciences Center Department of Psychiatry Psychology internship seminar series, New Orleans, LA.

Burn Care in Spanish (2/7/2024), with Mario Rivera-Barbosa, LSU Health Sciences Center School of Medicine's Medical Spanish Elective for 1st Year Medical students, New Orleans, LA.

Psychotherapy with Latinx Patients in New Orleans (6/21/2023; 1/3/2024), with Dr. Sebastian del Corral, LSU Health Sciences Center Department of Psychiatry Psychology internship seminar series, New Orleans, LA.

A Primer on Treating Hispanic/Latinx Patients in Greater New Orleans (5/31/2024), with Dr. Sebastian del Corral and Dr. Shadia Maria, LSU Health Sciences Center Department of Medicine (Internal Medicine) Grand Rounds, New Orleans, LA.

Mentoring Roles:

Mentor for individual students through Scholars Committed to Opportunities in Psychological Education (SCOPE; 2021-present)

The SCOPE program pairs a future graduate student in psychology with a mentor in this field. The aim of SCOPE is to improve the recruitment and retention of Black, Indigenous, and People of Color undergraduate students into graduate programs in psychology.

Undergraduate or Medical Students Trained:

Graduate Students Trained:

1 Psychology Practicum or Predoctoral Intern student trained annually (2019-present)
Provide individual supervision to practicum students on psychotherapy and psychological testing services

Residents Trained:

Supervising 1 psychiatry resident in psychotherapy skills annually (2019-present)
Provide individual supervision to psychiatry residents on psychotherapy

RESEARCH AND SCHOLARSHIP

Current Research Projects

Grants and Contracts:

Funded

2023-present **Brief Acceptance-Based Retention Intervention for Newly Diagnosed HIV Participants (“Engage/Comprometerse” Study)**

This is a N.I.M.H.-funded R01 research project, designed by Dr. Ethan Moitra (study P.I. at Brown University) and Dr. Patricia Molina (LSUHSC site P.I.). One aim of the larger RCT is to understand how a psychological intervention might resonate with monolingual Spanish speakers who are in HIV care. This writer will assist with data collection during the qualitative phase in which we will theater test the intervention with Spanish-speaking participants.

Not Funded

2021-present **University Medical Center, Burn Center**

Collaborating with Dr. Erika Rajo (Principal Investigator) and other LSUHSC faculty and trainees to assess the relationship between anatomical location of burn injury and emotional distress using quantitative methods. IRB was approved by the institution.

Journal Publications:

Refereed:

1. **Brown, N. H., & Torres-Harding, S. (2021).** Reliability and validity of a Spanish translation of the Racial Microaggressions Scale (S-RMAS). *Journal of Latinx Psychology*. Advance online publication. Doi.org/10.1037/lat0000190

2. Rajo, E. M., **Brown, N. H.**, Hyatt, S. B., & Whitley, M. L. (2022). Adapting Psychological First Aid for Healthcare Workers Fighting COVID-19 at an Academic Medical Center and Partner Institutions. *Journal of the Louisiana Public Health Association*.
3. **Brown, N. H.**, Rajo, E. M., Danos, D., Petell, J., Hailey, T., Mercante, A., & Phelan, H. A. (2024). Association between Burn Location and Psychological Distress: A Burn Model System National Database Study. *Journal of Burn Care & Research*.

Videos, Electronic Media, and Multimedia:

- 03/01/2023 Fox8 TV Interview – Olivia Vidal: Complicated Grief
03/12/2023 The Advocate – Leslie Cardé: Anxiety disorder or normal worrying? There are ways to tell the difference
05/24/2023 Fox8 TV Interview – Kelsey Davis: Mental Health Awareness Month
10/09/2023 Fox8 TV Interview – Liz Reyes: How to Deal with Panic Attacks

Scientific Presentations:

LOCAL

Rajo, E., **Brown, N. H.**, & Smith, L. (8/16/2019) *Identifying and Responding to Vicarious Trauma*. Presentation for staff of the Advocacy Center of Louisiana, New Orleans, LA.

Brown, N. H., Cohn, D., Hyatt, S., & Rajo, E. (3/11/2021) *The Role of Psychology in an Academic Medical Center*. Panel presentation for graduate students of The Chicago School of Professional Psychology at Xavier University, New Orleans, LA.

Brown, N. H., Hyatt, S., & Rajo, E. (10/5/2023) *From Head to Toe: Stitching Together the Mind-Body Connection in Post-Op Pain*. Presentation as part of LSUHSC's multidisciplinary Opioid Mitigation Initiative, New Orleans, LA.

Brown, N. H., Hyatt, S., & Rajo, E. (1/26/2024) *Pre-Op Trauma-Informed Care*. Presentation as part of LSUHSC's multidisciplinary Opioid Mitigation Initiative, New Orleans, LA.

REGIONAL

Brown, N., Cohn, D., Phelan, H. A., & Carter, J. E. (11/5/2021). *Virtual Burn Survivor Support Groups: Adapting to a Virtual Meeting Space during the COVID-19 Pandemic*. Poster presented at the Southern Medical Association's Southern Region Burn Conference, New Orleans, LA.

Brown, N., Rajo, E. M., Phelan, H. A., & Carter, J. E. (11/11/2022). *The Association between Burn Location and Psychological Distress among Adult Burn Survivors with Prior Burn Injury*. Poster presented at the Southern Medical Association's Southern Region Burn Conference, Baton Rouge, LA.

Brown, N., Carter, J. E., Danos, D., Phelan, H. A., & Rajo, E. M. (11/5/2023). *Associations between Burn Location and Psychological Distress among Adult Burn Survivors*. Oral presentation at the Southern Medical Association's Southern Region Burn Conference, Birmingham, AL.

NATIONAL

Brown, N., Carter, J. E., Nakonezny, P. A., & Phelan, H. A. (4/7/2021). *The effects of the COVID-19 pandemic on implementation of a psychological distress screening program after burn injury*. Poster presented at the American Burn Association Annual Meeting, Virtual Meeting.

REGIONAL WITH CE CREDIT

Brown, N. & Del Corral, S. (4/7/2023). *Exploring Bilingualism and Biculturalism with Latinx Patients*. Southeastern Psychological Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA.

Brown, N., Hyatt, S., Landry, B., & Poe, L. (5/31/2024). *Health Psychology Panel*. Louisiana Psychological Association Annual Convention, New Orleans, LA.

NATIONAL WITH CE CREDIT

Gavrilova, Y., **Brown, N.**, Roaten, K., Rothbauer, M., & Wiechman, S. (4/12/2024). *Demystifying Mental Health Provider Billing and Establishing Standardized Evidence-Based Screening Measures*. American Burn Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.

Invited Presentations and Seminars with CE Credit:

Brown, N. (11/10/2022). *Burnout on the Burn Unit*. Invited address for the PT/OT Rehabilitation Workshop at the Southern Medical Association's Southern Region Burn Conference, Baton Rouge, LA.

Brown, N. & Hyatt, S. (3/2/2024). *Sutures to the Psyche: Weaving Contemporary Treatments & Psychoanalysis into Hospital-Based Trauma Recovery*. Invited by the Appalachian Psychoanalytic Society, Knoxville, TN.

Editorial Posts and Activities:

Mentored Reviewer: Journal of Clinical Psychology in Medical Settings (working under the guidance of Dr. Patrick Smith, 2021-2022)

Reviewer: Journal of Burn Care & Research (since 2023)

SERVICE AND ADMINISTRATION

University/Institutional Service:

Departmental committees

2020-2023

Committee for Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Belonging

Within the Department of Psychiatry at LSUSHC, the Committee for Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Belonging (CDEIB) represents the sections of Psychology and Social Work in the Department of Psychiatry. This committee was initially formed in 2017 to ensure that the section of Psychology was thoroughly addressing diversity through our training program and faculty development. However, this initial mission has expanded beyond training and faculty development. As co-leader of this group, I helped facilitate CDEIB's initiatives, which included hosting a monthly book club to expand cultural

awareness and racial equity; Creating an anonymous online feedback portal; and administering a yearly survey of the culture and inclusivity of our section.

2021-present **Clinical Psychology Internship Committee**

Within the Department of Psychiatry at LSUSHC, the section of Psychology has a Clinical Psychology Internship Committee that meets monthly to discuss the quality of internship program, implement any necessary changes to the training program, review selection criteria of applicants to invite for interviews and determine selection of applicants to rank for positions. As a member of this committee, I discuss individual interns' progress and contribute to the internship program's continued growth.

Professional society committees

2022-2024 **Louisiana Psychological Association Executive Council**

As an elected Director on the Louisiana Psychological Association Executive Council, effective date July 1, 2022, I was a voting member on motions presented by the Council and provided feedback to issues affecting psychologists in the state. I also served as Chair of the Convention & Continuing Education Committee from 2021-2023 and organized the annual state-wide Fall Workshop and Annual Spring Convention.

Clinical Service:

In-patient service activities

2021-present **University Medical Center Burn Center; 5 hr/week**

Primary responsibilities include inpatient screening and brief intervention and facilitation of a biweekly survivor support group.

Clinic coverage

2021-present **University Medical Center Burn Center; 15 hr/week**

Primary responsibilities include outpatient psychotherapy for burn survivors, coordinating Phoenix Society peer and group support meetings, and multidisciplinary team meetings.

2021-present **University Medical Center Behavioral Health Clinic (Psychotherapy); 15 hr/week**

Primary responsibilities include outpatient psychotherapy, in addition to co-facilitation – alongside psychiatrists, psychologists, and social workers – of the Intensive Outpatient Program for individuals with either chronic psychosis or depression/anxiety.

2023-present **University Medical Center Behavioral Health Clinic (Psychological Assessment); 5 hr/week**

Primary responsibilities include coordinating the Psychological Assessment team and conducting psychological assessments for diagnostic clarification, treatment recommendations, and much more.