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## **EDUCATION**

Ph.D. Experimental Psychology/Pharmacology, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, 1978.

M.S. Experimental Psychology, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI , 1971.

B.A. Psychology, Queens College of the City University of New York, 1970.

## **ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE**

2014- Present	Dean; Behavioral Health International University for Graduate Studies Dominica, W.I.
2006- 2014	Dean; Behavioral Health International University for Graduate Studies St. Kitts, W.I.
1995- 2008	Mercy College, Dobbs Ferry, NY Professor, Department of Psychology; Teaching Experimental Psychology, Statistics, Psychobiology, Computers for the Behavioral Sciences and other courses.
1984-1994	Associate Professor, Department of Psychology
1980-1984	Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology
1998- 2008	Director, Office of Research Development, Mercy College
1998- 2005	Master's Degree Program in Occupational Therapy, Mercy College Research Coordinator
1995- Present	New York University Medical Center Lecturer, Institute of Environmental Medicine
1999- 2004	Mercy College Coordinator, Master's Degree program, Department of Psychology
1999- 2004	National Institute of Aging Networks Grant to Mercy College Consultant; Data collection and analysis; PI; Dr. L. Tepper

## CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

2005-  
Present      New York State Licensed Psychologist; License #8545  
President and Clinical Director, Senior Connections Psychological Services of NY

Provide individual psychotherapy to long-term care patients.

2000-  
Present      Consulting Psychologist; Challenge Program; Paterson, New Jersey

1998-  
Present      New York State Licensed Psychologist; License #8545; New Jersey  
Licensed Psychologist, License # 3253.  
Senior Vice President, Guardian Eldercare, P.C.

Responsibilities include: staff supervision, design and implementation of a unique cognitive stimulation program, individual and group psychotherapy, assessment of mood disorders and dementia and guardianship/competency evaluations.

1986-  
1993      Consulting Psychologist; New Rochelle Medical Center, Arden Hill  
Hospital, Our Lady of Mercy Medical Center, Nyack Hospital, Victims  
Assistance Service, Cedar Manor Nursing Home, Counseling Associates  
of Northwest Bergen County, Victoria Home, Family Recovery Center  
of Valley View.

Responsibilities included; individual and group psychotherapy, biofeedback sessions and facilitation of psychoeducational groups as well as consultation on research design.

## GRANT EXPERIENCE

1999-  
2002      Principal Investigator  
*Lower Hudson Valley Bridges to the Baccalaureate Program*  
National Institute of General Medical Sciences #1R25-GM60155.

1998-  
2008      Principal Investigator  
*Extramural Research Associates Development Award*  
National Institutes of Health Grant # 1G11-HD35965.

1994-  
1996      Principal Investigator  
*Project Prep: Professionals Relating Education to Prevention*  
U.S. Department of Education Drug Free Schools and Communities  
School Personnel Training Grant # S207A40004

## GRANT EXPERIENCE (continued)

- 1991- Principal Investigator  
1993 *An Early Start Toward Substance Abuse Prevention*  
U.S. department of Education Drug Free Schools and Communities  
School Personnel Training Grant#S207A40004
- 1986- Principal Investigator  
1987 *Sedative Drugs and Discrimination Difficulty*  
National Institute of Alcoholism and Alcohol Abuse Grant #06797
- 1982- Co-Principal Investigator  
1984 *Development of Improved Course in Psychology of Animal Behavior*  
National Science Foundation #SER8161019
- 1978- N.I.E.H.S. Post-doctoral traineeship  
1980 Institute of Environmental Medicine  
New York University Medical Center, New York, NY

## PRESENTATIONS

Daniel, S. A., and Winnick, W. A., "*The effects of two kinds of response priming on tachistoscopic recognition*", Eastern Psychological Association, Atlantic City, NY, 1970.

Daniel, S.A. and Thompson, T., "*Ethanol-reinforced responding as a function of session length*", Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL, 1977.

Daniel, S. A. and Thompson, T., "*Chronic methadone reduces the effects of delta-9-tetrahydrocannabinol on temporal discrimination*", Fed. Proc., 38:863, 1979.

Daniel, S. A. and Evans, H. L., "*The effects of delay on difference thresholds of time*", Eastern Psychological Association, Hartford, CT, 1980.

Daniel, S. A. and Evans, H. L., "*The effects of pentobarbital on the temporal control of behavior*", Behavioral Pharmacology Society, Pittsburgh, PA, 1980.

Daniel, S. A. and Knopp, M., "*The effects of ethanol on duration discrimination: Interaction with levels of stimulus control*", Eastern Psychological Association, Baltimore, MD, 1981.

Daniel, S. A., "*The effects of drugs and toxicants upon duration discrimination*" presented in a symposium entitled, "Behavioral Pharmacology and Stimulus Control: Psychophysical Approaches: American Psychological Association, Washington, DC, 1982.

### **PRESENTATIONS (continued)**

Daniel, S. A., Chair, Symposium, "*Behavioral Pharmacology and Stimulus Control: Psychophysical Approaches*", American Psychological Association, Washington, DC, 1982.

Perelle, I. B., Daniel, S. A., and Granville, D., "*Lateralized behavior in macaws*", Animal Behavior Society, Lewisburg, PA, 1983.

Daniel, S. A. and Perelle, I. B., "*Undergraduate animal behavior program: teaching and research*", presented in a symposium entitled "The Zoo as a Research Locale", American Psychological Association, Anaheim, CA, 1983.

Perelle, I.B. and Daniel, S. A., co-chairs of symposium titled, "*The Zoo as a Research Locale*", American Psychological Association, Anaheim, CA, 1983.

Daniel, S. A. and Evans, H. L., "*Acrylamide effects in pigeons: multiple behavioral endpoints*", American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada, 1984.

Daniel, S. A. and Perelle, I. B., "*Behavioral development in an infant white-handed gibbon*", Animal Behavioral Society, Cheney, WA, 1984.

Daniel, S. A., "*The Behavior of Zoo Animals*", New York State Associate of Animal Health Technicians, White Plains, NY, 1984.

Pontecorvo, M.J., Evans, H. L., and Daniel, S. A., "*Contrasting effects of toluene and n-hexane on working memory and sensory-motor performance by pigeons*", Behavioral Toxicology Society, Wilmington, DE, 1985.

Perelle, I.B. and Daniel, S. A., "*Production of an animal behavior videotape*", Animal Behavior Society, Raleigh, NC, 1985.

Daniel, S. A., Burke, J., and Burke, J., "*The effects of a pet visitation program on the psychological well-being of nursing home residents*", Journal of the Delta Society, 2; 63, 1985.

Kraetzer, M.C., Dooley, J., Daniel, S. A., Ferisin, T., Hudson, R., and Knopp, M., "*Developing computer/microcomputer competency across the psychology/sociology curriculum*", Eastern Small College Computing Symposium, Scranton, PA, 1985.

Daniel, S.A., Chair of paper session on Psychopharmacology, Eastern Psychological Association, New York, NY, 1986.

### **PRESENTATIONS (continued)**

Burke, J. and Daniel, S.A., *"Human-animal bond in the University curricula: general curriculum"*, Delta Society, Boston, MA, 1986.

Daniel, S.A., Sage, A., and Downes-King, A., *"Fear of crime in the elderly; Two Westchester communities"*, Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL, 1987.

Daniel, S.A., Burke, J., Rutel, Y. and Burke, J., *"Psychological effects of a pet visitation program: comparison of different care levels"*, Delta Society, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, 1987.

Burke, J., Daniel, S. A., Burke, J., and Strauss, B., *"Field work for the pet assisted therapy facilitation program: Mercy College and various extra-college organizations"*, Delta Society, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, 1987.

Burke, J., Daniel, S. A., Burke, J., and Rutel, Y., *"Effects of pet visitation program on diastolic blood pressure: comparison of different care levels"*, Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL, 1988.

Daniel, S. A., Discussant. *"Therapeutic animals and animal therapy"*, Fifth Annual Green Chimneys Conference on Plants, Pets, and People, Brewster, NY, 1988.

Daniel, S. A., Chair of paper session on Human Psychopharmacology, American Psychological Association, New York, NY, 1988.

Daniel, S. A., Burke, J., Burke, J., Gomprecht, J. and McLaren, T., *"The effects of an animal-assisted therapy visitation program on emotionally disturbed youth"*, Delta Society, Orlando, FL, 1988.

Burke, J., and Daniel, S. A., Burke, J., Camplone, R. and Tweedy, C. *"The effects of a residential pet therapy program on isolated nursing home residents"*, Delta Society, Orlando, FL, 1988.

Daniel, S. A., Discussant. *"Course content and design in animal-assisted therapy certification programs"*, Delta Society, Orlando FL, 1988.

Ross, S., Daniel, S. A. and Cohen, S., *"The human-animal bond and family"*, American Orthopsychiatric Association, New York, NY, 1989.

Daniel, S. A., Abner, S., Burke, J., and Burke, J., *"Animal-assisted therapy and the life threatened patient"*, presented in a symposium entitled, "Enhancing the quality of life through recreation: psychosocial issues confronting the life threatened patient", The Foundation of Thanatology, New York, NY, 1989.

Daniel, S. A., *"Enhancing therapeutic recreation programs with animal-assisted therapy"*, METRO Conference of Recreation Therapists, New York, NY, 1989.

## **PRESENTATIONS (continued)**

Daniel, S. A., "*Animal-assisted therapy; A multi-modal approach*", Franzblau Institute for Continuing Education, West Orange, NJ, 1989.

Daniel, S. A., Burke, J., Burke, J., and George, Mother H., "*Effects of an instructional animal-assisted therapy program in a correctional facility for males*", Delta Society, Parsippany, NJ, 1989.

Daniel, S. A., Burke, J., and Burke, J., "*Internship programs in animal-assisted therapy at Mercy College*", Delta Society, Parsippany, NJ, 1989.

Burke, J., Daniel, S. A., Diller, S., and Burke, J., "*Humane concerns for animals in animal-assisted therapy programs*", Delta Society, Parsippany, NJ, 1989.

George, Mother H., Burke, J., Burke, J. and Daniel, S. A., "*Animal-assisted therapy and correctional institutions: education, administration and research*", Delta Society, Parsippany, NJ, 1989.

Daniel, S. A., "*The psychology of addictions*", Correctional Education Association, Region I/ New York State Conferences, Dobbs Ferry, NY, 1990.

Daniel, S. A., "*Visual impairment and animal-assisted therapy*", The Foundation of Thanatology and The Lighthouse For the Blind, New York, NY, 1990.

Daniel, S. A., El-Fawal, H.A.N., Moon, F.R., and Evans, H. L., "*Effects of acrylamide on neurobehavioral functioning in the pigeon*", American Psychological Association, Boston, MA, 1990.

Daniel, S. A., "*Animal-assisted therapy and life-threatening illnesses: education and the human connection*", Pets and People Conference, Pace University, Pleasantville, NY, 1990.

El-Fawal, H.A.N., Moon, F.R., Daniel, S. A., and Evans, H. L., "*Altered locomotion and neuromuscular function in chronic exposure to acrylamide or methylmercury in the pigeon*", Society of Neuroscience, St. Louis, MO, 1990.

Daniel, S. A., "*Project Early Start: A comprehensive substance abuse prevention program for elementary school teaches. A preliminary report*", Conference on Drug Abuse Policy, Washington, DC, 1992.

Samuels, R.M., and Daniel, S. A., "Mental Health Needs in Nursing Homes: Meeting OBRA Guidelines", Gerontology Institute of New Jersey, Parsippany, NJ, 1994.

## **PRESENTATIONS (continued)**

Daniel, S. A., "*A Partnership in Drug Abuse Prevention: An Inner City Model*", Colloquium sponsored by the Health Education Department, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, 1995.

Daniel, S. A., "*Therapeutic Linkages Between Humans and Animals*", Workshop sponsored by the Health Education Department, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, 1995.

Samuels, R.M., and Daniel, S. A., "*Practical applications of geriatric test procedures*" National Fall Conference, Carrier Foundation, Belle Mead, NJ, 1995.

Daniel, S. A. and Samuels, R.M., "*Dealing with depression in the nursing home*", National Fall Conference, Carrier Foundation, Belle Mead, NJ, 1995.

Moore, C.A., Daniel, S. A., Dick, M. and Rao, S., "*Redefining scholarship at a liberal arts institution: Mercy College*", Fourth American Association of Higher Education Conference on Faculty Roles and Rewards, Atlanta, GA, 1995.

Lichtenberg, P.A. and Daniel, S. A., "*Emergence of subacute rehabilitation*", Symposium entitled "Changing environment of long-term care", Chairs, P.A. Lichtenberg and B.A. Macropulos, American Psychological Association, Chicago, IL, 1997.

Daniel, S. A., Reed, J. and Samuels, R.M., "*Staff development and training: Psychological aspects*", 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Convocation of the American Health Care Administrators Atlanta, GA, 1998.

Daniel, S. A., Samuels, R.M., and Reed, J., "*Psychologists: Consultants for interdisciplinary care teams in long-term facilities*", American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA, 1998.

Daniel, S. A., Samuels, R.M., and Reed, J., "*Psychological consulting to long-term care facilities*", American College of Health Care Administrators, Las Vegas, NV, 1998

Daniel, S. A., "*Psychologists' roles and responsibilities in long-term care as defined by Medicare and OBRA*", Symposium chaired by M. Norris, "Delivering Psychological Services to Older Adults in long-term Care", American Psychological Association, Boston, MA, 1999.

Daniel, S. A. and Kinnard, M., Co-chairs, Symposium entitled, "*Opportunities for underrepresented students in behavioral sciences*", American Psychological Association, Boston, MA, 1999.

## **PRESENTATIONS (continued)**

Daniel, S. A., “*Perspective from an EA-supported Hispanic serving institution and psychology faculty*”, Daniel, S. A. and Kinnard, M., Co-chairs, Symposium entitled, “Opportunities for underrepresented students in behavioral sciences”, American Psychological Association, Boston, MA, 1999.

Oforu, M., Daniel, S. A., Davis, E., Cooper, Sister Marie, “*Research in Minority and Women’s Institutions: A place at the table*”, Society for Research Administrators, Denver, CO, 1999.

**Daniel, S.A. and Taylor, B. “*Suburban Commuter Colleges Bridges Program*”, Bridges to the Future Program, Chantilly, VA, 2000.**

**Daniel, S.A. and Feroe, L.H. “*Research Development at Mercy College: A Team Approach*”, Extramural Associates Technical Assistance Workshop, Philadelphia, PA, 2000.**

Daniel, S.A., Taylor, B., Hackett, M., Humphreys, C. and Dirschel, K. “*Faculty collaboration in a Bridges to the Baccalaureate Program*”, Bridges to the Future Program, Ellicott City, MD, 2001.

Daniel, S.A. “*Maximizing the research culture at small to mid-size colleges*”, Symposium on Submitting your first grant to NIH, American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA, 2001.

Daniel, S.A. and Davis, E. “*Research advocacy and research adversity at minority institutions*” Symposium on Research Advocacy; M. Kinnard and Sister M. Cooper (Chairs), Society of Research Administrators, Vancouver, B.C., Canada, 2001.

**Daniel, S.A. “*Staff inservices and issues for long-term care facilities*” Symposium on Psychological Issues in Long-term Care; R. Intrieri and E. Rosowsky (Chairs), American Psychological Association, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, 2003.**

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Winnick, W. and Daniel, S. A., “*Two kinds of response to priming in tachistoscopic recognition*”, Journal of Experimental Psychology, 1970,84:74-81.

Guttman, A. and Daniel, S. A., “*A behavioral approach to language training in the retarded*”, in T. Thompson and J. Grabowski (Eds.), Behavior Modification in the Mentally Retarded, second edition, Oxford University Press, New York, 1977.

Daniel, S. A., and Thompson, T., “*Methadone-induced attenuation of the effects of delta-nine tetra-hydrocannabinol on temporal discrimination*”, Journal of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics, 213:247-253, 1980.



## **PUBLICATIONS (continued)**

Evans, H. L. and Daniel, S. A., "*Discrimination behavior as an indicator of toxicity*" in T. Thompson, P. Dews and J. Barrett (Eds.), Advances in Behavioral Pharmacology, (vol.4) Academic Press Co., 1984.

Daniel, S. A. and Evans, H. L., "*The effects of acrylamide on multiple behavioral endpoints in the pigeon*", *Neurobehavioral Toxicology and Teratology* 7:267-273,1985.

Pontecorvo, M.J., Evans, H. L., and Daniel, S. A., "*Contrasting effects of toluene and n-hexane on working memory and sensory-motor performance by pigeons*", *Neurobehavioral Toxicology and Teratology*,7: 530, 1985.

Daniel, S. A. and Perelle, I.B., "*Undergraduate animal behavior program: teaching and research*", *Zoo Biology*, 6:253-259, 1987.

Daniel, S. A., Burke, J. and Burke, J., "*Educational programs for pet therapy in institutional settings: An inter-disciplinary approach*", *Veterinary Technician*, 8:394-399, 1987.

Evans, H. L. and Daniel, S. A., "*Modification of conditioned responses by organo-metals*", in H. A. Tilson and S. B. Sparber (Eds.), Neurotoxicants and Neurobiological Functioning, John Wiley and Sons, New York, 267 262-278,1987.

Daniel, S. A. and Evans, H. L., "*Use of a titration duration discrimination procedure in behavioral pharmacology and toxicology*", *Drug Development Research*, 20:123-139,1990.

Daniel, S. A., El-Fawal, H. A. N., Moon, F. R. and Evans, H. L., "*Effects of acrylamide on neurobehavioral functioning in the pigeon*," *Pharmacol. Biochem. Behav.* 36:436, 1990.

Samuels, R.M. and Daniel, S. A., "*Psychotherapy with the elderly in nursing homes: A new model for the twenty-first century*", *Gerontological Institute of New Jersey*, Update on Aging, Fall 1994.

Evans, H. L. and Daniel, S. A., "*Behavioral toxicology: From the Lab to the natural environment*", in L.W. Chang (Ed.), Handbook of Neurotoxicology I: Basic Principles and Current Concepts, Marcel Dekker, Inc., New York, 443-471,1994.

Evans, H. L., Daniel, S. A. and Marmor, M., "*Reversal learning tasks may provide rapid determination of cognitive deficits in lead-exposed children.*" *Neurotoxicology and Teratology*, 16:471-477, 1994.

## **PUBLICATIONS (continued)**

Toglia, J., Golisz, K., Moulton, H. and Daniel, S. “*Research manual for the occupational therapy research colloquium*”; In K Stewart (Ed.): Scholarly Activities; Integrating Research into Occupational Therapy: A Teaching Guide (Second Edition) American Occupational Therapy Foundation, Bethesda, MD, 2001.

Golisz, K., Toglia, J., Moulton, H. and Daniel, S. “*Values and ethics in the occupational therapy research colloquium*”; In S Peloquin (Ed.): Values and Ethics; Integrating Research into Occupational Therapy: A Teaching Guide (Second Edition) American Occupational Therapy Foundation, Bethesda, MD, 2001.

Burke, J., Daniel, S.A., Burke, J. and Tweedy, C. “*Animal assisted therapy and the elderly: effects on psychological well-being*” in P. Salotto (Ed.) Pet Assisted Therapy: A Loving Intervention Delmar Thomson Learning, Albany, NY, 2001.

## **OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

- Presenter of numerous in-service program topics to staff at long-term care facilities
- Grant workshops and consultation: University of District of Columbia; Stephens College; Midway College; Sacred Heart University; Spelman College.
- Member, American Psychological Association
- Member, Behavioral Pharmacology and Toxicology Society
- Member, Gerontological Institute of New Jersey
- Member, Eastern Psychological Association
- Member, Midwestern Psychological Association
- Member, Gerontological Society of America
- Consultant, Grant from the National Science Foundation, “Microcomputer Usage in the Behavioral Sciences”, to Mercy College
- Grant Reviewer, National Institutes of Health
  - Special Study Section on Fellowships
  - Study Section on Extramural Associates Research Development Award
  - Study Section on Academic Community partnerships (NICHD).
  - Study Section on the Bridges to the Future Program
- Grant Reviewer; National Science Foundation
  - Integrative Neurobiology
  - Psychobiology
- Grant Reviewer; Delta Society, Special Programs Grant Reviewer, submitted papers, Journal of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics, Neurotoxicology and Pharmacology, Biochemistry and Behavior.
- Reviewer, submitted presentations, Eastern Psychological Association, American Psychological Association
- Presenter, Seminars on stress management and related topics for various community organizations.

