

# Katherine K Bellon PhD

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## EDUCATION

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- 2004-2010    **M.A., Ph.D. Fielding Graduate University**    Santa Barbara, California  
American Psychological Association-accredited doctoral program  
M.A. in Clinical Psychology received in October, 2006  
Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology received in January, 2010
- 2003-2004    **University of North Carolina – Charlotte**    Charlotte, North Carolina  
Completed continuing education courses in the Department of Psychology
- 1999-2003    **Harvard University**    Cambridge, Massachusetts  
Completed pre-medicine continuing education classes at the Extension School
- 1995-1999    **B.A. Wellesley College**    Wellesley, Massachusetts  
Major: Spanish, *cum laude*

## CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

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- 2012-Present    **Denver Integrative Assessment**    Denver, Colorado  
*Licensed Psychologist (CO #3782)*
- Private practice is exclusively focused on cognitive, educational and psychological evaluations
  - Specializing in assessment of learning differences, Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder, and emotional and behavioral difficulties
  - Psychoeducational testing for children, adolescents, and adults (ages 6 +)
  - Psychological evaluations for the Child and Adolescent Program, Adult Behavioral Hospital, Adult Partial Hospitalization Program, and Adult Intensive Outpatient Program for the Eating Recovery Center of Denver
  - Testing provided to aid in forensic evaluations
- 2011-2012    **Colorado Center for Therapeutic Assessment**    Denver, Colorado  
*Clinical Psychologist*
- Therapeutic Assessment (psychoeducational, cognitive, and emotional/behavioral assessment) for children, adolescents, and adults
  - Post-doctoral supervision provided by Hale Martin, Ph.D., national expert in therapeutic assessment

- 2009-2010 **Denver Veterans' Affairs Medical Center** Denver, Colorado  
*Clinical/Research Psychologist*
- Psychologist on a multidisciplinary suicide consult service, providing psychological evaluations and risk assessment services for Veterans with acute and chronic suicidality, in addition to providing consultation for their providers.
- 2008-2009 **Denver Veterans' Affairs Medical Center** Denver, Colorado
- Clinical psychology doctoral intern in an APA-accredited internship program
  - Completed rotations in the PTSD residential rehabilitation program, inpatient psychological assessment, neuropsychology, family focused therapy, traumatic brain injury, and suicide research and risk assessment
- 2007-2008 **Community Reach Center** Commerce City, Colorado
- Psychological assessment in outpatient community mental health
- 2006-2007 **Community Reach Center** Commerce City, Colorado
- Psychotherapy and case management in outpatient community mental health
  - Provided group, family, and individual therapy for adults and children in English and Spanish.
- 2005-2007 **Children's Hospital of Denver** Denver, Colorado
- Provided protocol-directed behavioral treatment for the TODAY study (Treatment Options for Type II Diabetes in Adolescents and Youth)
  - Treatment consisted of modification therapy for individual children and adolescents (ages 10 to 17 years) randomized to the TODAY Lifestyle Program
  - Focus on improving nutrition patterns and increasing physical activity levels to lose weight and improve overall health for better diabetes control
- 2005-2006 **Colorado Mental Health Institute-Fort Logan** Denver, Colorado
- Worked on the Adult Team I admissions unit as part of a multidisciplinary treatment team
  - Experience in Dialectical Behavior Therapy for groups and individuals, certification evaluations, cognitive and personality assessment, and psychological evaluations
- Spring 2005 **Carolinas Medical Center – Randolph** Charlotte, North Carolina
- Worked in the Partial Hospitalization Program for children ages 6 to 11 years
  - Provided group, family, and individual therapy
  - Psychological testing to assess cognitive and emotional functioning

TEACHING AND SUPERVISORY EXPERIENCE

- 2005-2007 **Fielding Graduate University** Santa Barbara, California  
*Teaching Assistant*
- Teaching Assistant for a graduate course in SPSS quantitative statistical software under the supervision of Lynne Saba, Ph.D.
- 2015-Present **University of Denver** Denver, Colorado
- Assessment supervisor for doctoral students in the Graduate School of Professional Psychology

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2009-2010 **Denver VA Medical Center** Denver, Colorado  
*Clinical/Research Psychologist*
- Managed a grant funded by the Veterans' Affairs (VA) Quality Enhancement Research Initiative (QUERI) piloting a novel suicide nomenclature (Self-Directed Violence Classification System) in two diverse clinical settings
  - Trained clinicians in nomenclature use, ran focus groups for clinicians and clinical leadership, collected qualitative and quantitative data on nomenclature use and implementation progress
  - Helped to develop a psychometric measure for rapid classification of suicidal and self-injurious behavior utilizing the Self-Directed Violence Classification System and piloted measure with Veterans and clinicians
  - Aided with preparation and submission of a \$1 million QUERI Service Directed Project Grant
  - Aided with manuscript preparation and submission for publication
- 2007-2009 **Doctoral Dissertation**
- *Individualism-collectivism, ethnicity, and therapy preference*
  - Primary data collected
- Spring 2009 **Denver VA Medical Center** Denver, Colorado
- Research rotation in the Mental Illness Research, Education, and Clinical Centers (MIRECC)
  - Protocol development and initial data collection for a study examining values, interpersonal needs, and risk for suicide among veterans.
- 2003-2008 **University of North Carolina at Charlotte** Charlotte, North Carolina  
*Research Assistant*
- Research assistant for Richard Tedeschi, Ph.D. and Lawrence Calhoun, Ph.D. Worked on studies in posttraumatic growth for publication.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- 2014-Present **International Dyslexia Association**  
*Member*

- 2012-Present **Children and Adults with Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder**  
*Member*
- 2011-Present **Society for Personality Assessment**  
*Member*
- 2009-Present **Colorado Assessment Society**  
*Member*
- 2006-Present **Colorado Psychological Association**  
*Member*
- 2004-Present **American Psychological Association**  
*Member*