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EDUCATION

Furman University	1992	B.A. Psychology, Cum Laude
Louisiana State University	1997	M.A. Clinical Psychology
Louisiana State University	2002	Ph.D. Clinical Psychology (APA-approved)
		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Minor:</i> Behavioral Neurology• <i>Dissertation:</i> Treatment acceptability for the prevention of obesity and Type 2 diabetes mellitus: The effects of ethnicity, weight, and genetic predisposition
Drexel University	2003-2004	Postdoctoral Fellow

LICENSURE

- Licensed Clinical Psychologist, Florida License No. PY 8125

FUNDED RESEARCH

Source: The Children's Trust

- Title: Project RISE: Research, Inspiration, Support, & Evaluation (www.nova.edu/ProjectRISE)
- Role: Co-Investigator (PI: David Reitman, Ph.D.)
- Amount: \$3,436,000 (7/1/12-6/30/18)

Source: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation—Active Living Research Program

- Title: Evaluation of Two Contract Options for Promoting Physical Activity in Out-of-School Programs
- Role: Principal Investigator
- Amount: \$149,999 (1/15/10-1/14/11)

Source: Diabetes Foundation of Mississippi

- Title: Increasing Adherence Among Adolescents with Type I Diabetes
- Role: Co-Investigator (PI: David T. Elkin, Ph.D.)
- Amount: \$20,000 (10/1/01-9/30/02)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Project Director II 2015-present

Co-Director/Director of Training 2011-2015

Assistant Project Director/Director of Training 2007-2011

Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, FL

- Core leader of funded research and clinical services project (Project RISE) designed to improve overall quality of services provided by afterschool and youth enrichment programs funded by The Children's Trust in Miami-Dade County, FL
- Provide primary program and staff support to improve three main areas: physical activity and fitness, literacy, and behavior management
- Coordinate all administrative aspects of grant obligations, including budget creation, staff management, and submission of quarterly progress reports to funder
- Supervise team members for daily and long-term project coordination
- Statistically analyze afterschool program outcome data to inform policy decisions by funder
- Write and collaborate on grant submissions as well as manuscripts in preparation for publication
- Lead afterschool program efforts within a Results-Based Accountability framework
- Plan and coordinate delivery of training and technical support to afterschool programs, including recent release of web-based aspect of workshops.
- Provide direct training and individual technical support to afterschool provider agencies, based on needs assessments
- Working with project team to monitor the effectiveness of training and impact on outcomes in OOS programs

Research Analyst 2004-2006

Children's Services Council of Broward County (CSC), Ft. Lauderdale, FL

- *Program evaluation:*
 - Statistically analyzed treatment outcome data of funded programs serving children in Broward County
 - Created a data management system to allow assessment of program effectiveness and community impact
- Primary consultant for outcome development and instrument selection
- Researched and developed bid solicitations, providing study support for outcome development and eventual community impact evaluation
- Provided extensive training and technical assistance on instrument implementation
- Introduced an efficient data collection system to facilitate in-house statistical analysis
- Provided statistical and research support to CSC departments, as needed.
- Participated in various county and academic committees (e.g., obesity task force, NSU Quality of Life reviewer)

Postdoctoral Fellow/Adjunct Assistant Professor 2003-2004

Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA

- Coordinated all aspects of an NHLBI-funded grant of an environmentally based program to prevent weight gain (i.e., IRB, recruitment, data collection/management, statistical analysis, etc.)
- Coordinated all aspects of an NIDDK-funded grant of a weight maintenance study in primary care
- Statistical consultant to Weight Watchers, Inc.
- Collaborated on NIH-grant submissions and manuscripts in preparation for publication.

Research Associate 2001-2003**Pennington Biomedical Research Center**, Baton Rouge, LA

- Managed an eating laboratory that evaluates food intake behavior and interventions designed to modify food intake (i.e., research study design, recruitment, data collection/management, statistical analysis).
- Member of a multi-site, multidisciplinary team for an NIA-funded grant on the effects of a two-year calorie deficit on aging – conducted psychological assessments and weekly behavioral modification groups.
- Collaborated with and coordinated various departments involved in clinical trials on obesity.
- Trained and supervised research associates and undergraduate students.

Behavioral Pediatrics Research Team 2000-2003**University of Mississippi Medical Center**, Jackson, MS

- Presented ongoing research and collaborated with medical faculty on empirical investigations, involving medically ill pediatric populations (e.g., diabetes, cancer).

Graduate Research Assistant/Psychology Extern 1998-1999**Pennington Biomedical Research Center**, Baton Rouge, LA

- Administration and interpretation of psychological testing.
- Screened potential subjects for psychopathology and noncompliance.
- Collaborated on independent research studies and ran subjects in experimental protocols.
- Developed treatment manual/curriculum, as part of a larger multi-site collaborative study on the prevention of diabetes (Diabetes Prevention Project, DPP).

Research Technician 1992-1994**Medical University of South Carolina**, Charleston, SC

- Designed and conducted experiments on the effects of prenatal ethanol exposure in a laboratory animal model.
- Performed behavioral and biochemical assays.
- Additional duties included mouse colony and laboratory maintenance, data compilation, statistical analyses, and technician instruction.

Research Intern 1991**Duke University**, Durham, NC

- Summer research internship awarded by Carolinas and Ohio Science Education Network.
- Development of research study, collection of data, statistical analysis and interpretation of data, with published paper on the nature of temporal discrimination in pigeons.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Co-Founder/Treasurer 2011-present**Motivational Institute Mental Health Bridge Clinic, Inc.**, Fort Lauderdale, FL

- The Motivational Institute Mental Health Bridge Clinic is a non-profit organization that combines graduate training with affordable mental health services
- Supervise and train pre-doctoral students in psychological assessment and testing, individual outpatient psychotherapy, group therapy, and family and couple/marriage counseling
- Awarded '**Most Outstanding Practicum Site**' by Nova Southeastern University for outstanding service, training, and supervision (January 2016)

Licensed Clinical Psychologist

2011-2012

Motivational Institute of Behavioral Health, LLC, Fort Lauderdale, FL

2015-present

- The Motivational Institute for Behavioral Health, LLC provides behavioral medicine, psychological, and psychoeducational services such as individual and group psychotherapy, psychological testing, and professional training workshops.
- Primary duties include psychological assessment/testing of and individual outpatient psychotherapy for adolescents and adults. Presenting problems include mood and anxiety disorders, weight and eating disorders, chronic pain management (with evaluation for possible spinal cord stimulator surgery), bariatric pre-assessment, and substance use.
- Assessment and treatment modalities include behavioral and cognitive-behavioral therapy (CBT), acceptance and commitment therapy (ACT), and motivational interviewing (MI).

Clinical Extern/Eating Disorders Program

1996-2000,

Our Lady of the Lake Regional Medical Center, Baton Rouge, LA

2001-2003

- Psychological assessment and treatment of adolescents and adults with eating disorders, both in individual and group settings. Levels of care included inpatient, day-patient, and intensive outpatient therapy.
- Training and supervision of new and graduate staff.
- Involved in development of a multidisciplinary team approach to treatment of eating disorders in the hospital setting.

Clinical Internship (APA-approved Internship)

2000-2001

University of Mississippi Medical Center/Jackson VAMC Consortium, Jackson, MS

- ***Chief Psychology Resident***

Rotations:

- Behavioral Pediatrics (Supervisor: T. David Elkin, Ph.D., ABPP)
 - Duties: Provided inpatient consultation in a variety of settings within a medical center environment. Sites served included a children's rehabilitation center, cancer clinic, hemophilia clinic, diabetes clinic, and a children's hospital. Presenting problems included adjustment issues, disruptive behavior, feeding problems, pain management, etc.
- Clinical Neuropsychology (Supervisor: Judith O'Jile, Ph.D.)
 - Duties: Psychological and neuropsychological assessment and mental status evaluations for patients referred by neurologists and psychiatrists at the (Sonny) Montgomery VA Medical Center (the Consortium's participating VA hospital).
- Eating Disorders (Supervisor: William G. Johnson, Ph.D., ABPP)
 - Duties: Provided inpatient and outpatient assessment and treatment to adolescents and adults with eating disorders and obesity. Primary treatment modalities included interpersonal and cognitive-behavioral therapy, weight management skills training, and body image work.
- Psychophysiological Disorders/Head Pain Center (Supervisor: Donald B. Penzien, Ph.D.)
 - Duties: Conducted assessments and treatment of recurrent headache and chronic pain syndromes with a focus on non-pharmacologic/behavioral headache therapies.

Clinical Practica**Practicum in Adult Psychology/Behavior Therapy**

1995-2000

Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA

- Assessment and treatment of adolescents and adults under a licensed supervisor for students and community population, individual and group settings.
- Trained graduate students in assessment strategies, including clinical interview (structured, semi-structured), self-report measures, test interpretation, and case formulation
- Population served consisted mainly of eating disorders, mood disorders, anxiety disorders, trichotillomania, pathological gambling, and personality disorders.
- Group therapist: depression, weight loss, and trichotillomania.
- Supervisor: Donald A. Williamson, Ph.D.

Practicum in Child/Adolescent Psychology

1998-1999

Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA

- Psycho-educational and behavioral assessment of school-age children and high school adolescents; behavioral treatment approach includes parent training.
- Population served consisted mainly of school/behavior problems, anger management, ADHD, and gifted children.
- Supervisor: Mary Lou Kelley, Ph.D.

Practicum in Neuropsychology

1997-1998

Earl K. Long Medical Center, Baton Rouge, LA

- Neuropsychological and psychological assessment with written report for patients referred by neurologists at local charity hospital.
- Participated in weekly neurology clinic.
- Presenting problems included CVA, infarcts, aphasia, meningioma, epilepsy, traumatic brain injury due to MVAs, and dementia.
- Supervisor: Wm. Drew Gouvier, Ph.D.

Practicum in Neuropsychology

1996-1997

East Louisiana State Hospital, Jackson, LA

- Psychological and neuropsychological assessment, mental status evaluations, and competency to stand trial evaluations with written reports for patients.
- Adaptive behavior assessments for a token economy behavioral training program.
- Functional evaluations for transition to and out of group home environment.
- Population served consisted mainly of schizophrenia, MR, and dementia.
- Supervisors: Wm. Drew Gouvier, Ph.D. and Joseph Comaty, Ph.D.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Part-time Core Faculty

2013-present

- Instruct several graduate courses:
 - Behavioral Assessment (PSY 2509)
 - Cognitive Behavioral Case Conceptualization (PSY 4623)
 - Counseling Theories and Practice (PYCL 0502)
 - Eating Disorders: Theory and Intervention (PSY 4678)
 - Case Conceptualization and Treatment Strategies (PSY 0666)
 - Individual Evaluation and Assessment (PSY 0609; online course)
 - Interviewing Techniques (PSY 0633; online course)

Visiting Faculty

12/2010-8/2011

Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, FL

- Instructed several graduate courses:
 - Assessment: Interviewing (PSY 1502)—Winter 2011
 - Child and Adolescent Psychopathology (PSY 1408; 2 sections)—Winter 2011
 - Clinical Supervision (PSY 2702)—Winter 2011
 - Cognitive Behavioral Case Conceptualization (PSY 4623)—Summer 2011
 - Eating Disorders: Theory and Intervention (PSY 4678)—Summer 2011

Adjunct Faculty2007-12/2010;
8/2011-2013**Nova Southeastern University**, Fort Lauderdale, FL

- Instructed several graduate courses:
 - Behavioral Assessment (PSY 2509)
 - Child and Adolescent Psychopathology (PSY 1408)
 - Cognitive Behavioral Case Conceptualization (PSY 4623)
 - Counseling Theories and Practice (PYCL 0502)
 - Eating Disorders: Theory and Intervention (PSY 4678)
 - Individual Evaluation and Assessment (PSY 0609; online course)

Adjunct Assistant Professor

2003-2004

Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA

- Instructed undergraduate two-course series in statistics (Computer-Assisted Data Analysis)

Instructor

1998

Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA

- Instructed undergraduate psychology course (Counseling Psychology, PSYC 3083).
- Responsible for all aspects of designing and instructing an upper-level lecture course.
- Supervisor: Donald A. Williamson, Ph.D.

Teaching Assistant

1991-1992

Furman University, Greenville, SC

- Assisted professors in four psychology courses:
 - General Psychology
 - Physiological Psychology
 - Experimental Psychology and Statistical Methods
 - Animal Behavior

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

Thaw, J.M., Villa, M., Reitman, D., DeLucia, C., Gonzalez, V., & Hanson, K.L. (2014). Naturalistic study of evidence-based fitness promotion in an afterschool setting: Treatment fidelity and its policy implications. *New Directions for Youth Development*, *143*, 103-131. doi: 0.1002.yd

Lowe, M. R., **Thaw, J. M.**, & Kovach-Miller, K. (2004). Long-term follow-up assessment of successful dieters in a commercial weight loss program. *International Journal of Obesity*, *28*(Suppl. 1), S29.

Reas, D. L., Williamson, D. A., Greenway, F., Raum, B., Fujioka, K., Stewart, L., Blanchard, D., Arnett, C., Walden, H., **Thaw, J.**, & Antolik, E. (2003). Relationship between weight loss and body image in

- obese females seeking weight loss treatment [Abstract]. *International Journal of Eating Disorders*, 34, 13.
- Williamson, D. A., Womble, L. G., Smeets, M. A., Netemeyer, R. G., **Thaw, J. M.**, Kutlesic, V., & Gleaves, D. H. (2002). Latent structure of eating disorder symptoms: A factor analytic and taxometric investigation. *American Journal of Psychiatry*, 159(3), 412-418.
- Barbin, J. M., Williamson, D. A., Stewart, T. M., Reas, D. L., **Thaw, J. M.**, & Guarda, A. S. (2002). Psychological adjustment in children of mothers with a history of eating disorders. *Eating and Weight Disorders*, 7(1), 32-38.
- Womble, L. G., Williamson, D. A., Martin, C. K., Zucker, N. L., **Thaw, J. M.**, Netemeyer, R., Lovejoy, J. C., & Greenway, F. L. (2001). Psychosocial variables associated with binge eating in obese males and females. *International Journal of Eating Disorders*, 30(2), 217-221.
- Williamson, D. A., **Thaw, J. M.**, & Varnado-Sullivan, P. J. (2001). Cost-effectiveness analysis of a hospital-based cognitive-behavioral treatment program for eating disorders. *Behavior Therapy*, 32(3), 459-477.
- Varnado-Sullivan, P. J., Zucker, N., Williamson, D. A., Reas, D., **Thaw, J.** & Netemeyer, S. B. (2001). Development and implementation of the body logic program for adolescents: A two-stage prevention program for eating disorders. *Cognitive and Behavioral Practice*, 8(3), 248-259.
- Thaw, J. M.**, Williamson, D. A., & Martin, C. K. (2001). Impact of altering DSM-IV criteria for anorexia and bulimia nervosa on the base rates of eating disorder diagnoses. *Eating and Weight Disorders*, 6(3), 121-129.
- Martin, C. K., Williamson, D. A., & **Thaw, J. M.** (2000). Criterion validity of the Multiaxial Assessment of Eating Disorder Symptoms. *International Journal of Eating Disorders*, 28(3), 303-310.
- Williamson, D. A., Muller, S. L., Reas, D. L., & **Thaw, J. M.** (1999). Cognitive bias in eating disorders: Implications for theory and treatment. *Behavior Modification*, 23(4), 556-577.
- Higa, J. J., **Thaw, J. M.**, & Staddon, J. E. R. (1993). Pigeons' wait-time responses to transitions in interfood-interval duration: Another look at cyclic schedule performance. *Journal of the Experimental Analysis of Behavior*, 59(3), 529-541.

PRESENTATIONS AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS

- Arcidiacono, S., Mandler, L., McGregor, S., **Thaw, J. M.**, & Reitman, D. (2012, August). Direct observation of demographic disparities in youth fitness levels. Poster presented at the 120th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Orlando, FL.
- McGregor, S., Mandler, L., Reitman, D., **Thaw, J. M.**, Hanson, K. L., & Alvear, S. (2012, August). *Oral reading fluency assessment in out-of-school (OOS) programs: Benchmarks for early identification and change*. Poster presented at the 120th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Orlando, FL.
- Villa, M., **Thaw, J. M.**, Luna, Y., Reitman, D., Jarquin, V. G., DeLucia, C., Hanson, K. L., & Sanders, L. (2011, February). *Getting kids active in afterschool: A comparison of curriculum-based and standard*

- physical activity instruction*. Poster presented at the 8th Active Living Research Annual Conference, San Diego, CA.
- Thaw, J. M.**, Villa, M., Reitman, D., DeLucia, C., Luna, Y., Hanson, K. L., & Sanders, L. (2010, November). *A comparison of evidence-based physical activity curriculum to standard instruction in out-of-school programs*. Poster presented at the 44th Annual Convention of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, San Francisco, CA.
- Resnick, A., **Thaw, J. M.**, Karle, J., Luna, Y., Reitman, D., & Hanson, K. L. (2010, August). *Fitness in afterschool programs: A pilot study*. Poster presented at the 118th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, San Diego, CA.
- Thaw, J. M.**, Villa, M., Reitman, D., DeLucia, C., Luna, Y., Hanson, K. L., & Sanders, L. (2010, February). *The SPAACE (Smart Physical Activity Assessment of Curriculum-Based Exercise) Project: Evaluation of two contract options for promoting physical activity in out-of-school programs*. Poster presented at the 7th Annual Conference of the Active Living Research program of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, San Diego, CA.
- Villa, M., Reitman, D., & **Thaw, J. M.** (2009, September). *Effective behavior management*. Workshop presented at the 2009 Annual Meeting of the Florida After School Alliance, Orlando, FL.
- Reitman, D., **Thaw, J. M.**, Pierre, K. P., Valere, T., Lennertz, L., & Hanson, K. L. (2009, May). *Project RISE: Documenting Oral Reading Fluency norms and fluency gains among students enrolled in afterschool programs*. Poster presented at the 35th Annual Meeting of the Association of Behavior Analysis International, Phoenix, AZ.
- Thaw, J. M.**, Orellana, A., Pann, J., Reitman, D., & Hanson, K. L. (2007, March). *Project RISE: An out-of-school quality improvement initiative*. Poster presented at the annual Florida's 21st CCLC 2007 Conference, Daytona Beach, FL.
- Kohlmaier, J. R., Williamson, D. A., Brown, S. C., Niedrich, R. W., Jones, G. N., & **Thaw, J. M.** (2004, November). *Binge eating, body image, and obesity in African American men and women*. Poster presented at the 38th Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, New Orleans, LA.
- Lowe, M. R., **Thaw, J. M.**, & Kovach-Miller, K. (2004, May). *Long-term follow-up assessment of successful dieters in a commercial weight loss program*. Paper presented at the 13th European Congress on Obesity, Prague, Czech Republic.
- Thaw, J. M.**, & Williamson, D. A. (2003, November). *Treatment acceptability for the prevention of obesity and Type 2 diabetes*. Poster presented at the 37th Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Boston, MA.
- Reas, D. L., Williamson, D. A., Greenway, F., Raum, B., Fujioka, K., Stewart, L., Blanchard, D., Arnett, C., Walden, H., **Thaw, J.**, & Antolik, E. (2003, May). *Relationship between weight loss and body image in obese females seeking weight loss treatment*. Paper presented at 2003 International Conference on Eating Disorders, Denver, CO.

- Applegate, H., **Thaw, J. M.**, Damon, J., Griffin, K., Moll, G., Welch, D., & Elkin, T. D. (2001, March). *Psychological symptomatology and Hb_{A1c} in pediatric diabetes patients*. Poster presented at the 22nd Association for the Society of Behavior Medicine, Seattle, WA.
- Thaw, J. M.**, Williamson, D. A., & Varnado, P. J. (2000, November). *Cost-effectiveness analysis of a hospital-based cognitive-behavioral treatment program for eating disorders*. Poster presented at the 34th Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, New Orleans, LA.
- Diefenbach, G., Williamson, D., Reitman, D., Reas, D., Santa-Maria, M., Muller, S., & **Thaw, J.** (2000, November). *Behavioral group therapy for trichotillomania: A replication and extension*. Poster presented at the 34th annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy. New Orleans, LA.
- Martin, C. K., Williamson, D. A., & **Thaw, J. M.** (1999, November). *Criterion validity of the Multiaxial Assessment of Eating Disorder Symptoms: A brief self-report measure for eating disorder treatment outcome*. Poster presented at the 33rd Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Toronto, Canada.
- Varnado, P. J., Zucker, N, L., Williamson, D. A., **Thaw, J. M.**, & Reas, D. L. (1998, November). *Body Logic: Test of the efficacy of a cognitive-behavioral primary prevention program for eating disorders*. Paper presented at the 32nd annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Washington, DC.
- Williamson, D. A., Bruno, R., **Thaw, J. M.**, & Muller, S. L. (1998, November). *Cognitive-behavior therapy for eating disorders: Comparison of inpatient and partial day hospital programs*. Paper presented at the 32nd annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Washington, DC.
- Thaw, J. M.**, Williamson, D. A., & Whisenhunt, B. L. (1998, November). *An empirical test of Lowe's three-factor model of dieting: Implications for behavior therapy of eating disorders and obesity*. Poster presented at the 32nd annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Washington, DC.
- Varnado, P. J., Zucker, N, L., Williamson, D. A., **Thaw, J. M.**, & Reas, D. L. (1998, November). *Body Logic: Test of the efficacy of a cognitive-behavioral primary prevention program for eating disorders*. Paper presented at the 8th New York International Conference on Eating Disorders, New York, NY.
- Williamson, D. A., Bruno, R., **Thaw, J. M.**, & Muller, S. L. (1998, April). *Inpatient, day hospital, and outpatient treatment: A continuum of care*. Paper presented at the 8th New York International Conference on Eating Disorders, New York, NY.
- Santa Maria, M. P., **Thaw, J. M.**, Reas, D., Reitman, D., Diefenbach, G., Muller, S., & Williamson, D. A. (1997, October). *Trichotillomania: A cognitive-behavioral group therapy outcome study*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Louisiana Psychological Association, Baton Rouge, LA.
- Thaw, J. M.** (1996, November). *Validity of Lowe's three-factor model of dieting*. Paper presented at the Baton Rouge Area Society of Psychologists, Baton Rouge, LA.

Becker, H. C., Hale, R. L., Weathersby, R. T., **Thaw, J. M.**, & Chase, F. Y. (1993, June). *Effects of apomorphine and ethanol on locomotor activity in prenatal ethanol-exposed mice*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, San Antonio, TX.

Thaw, J. M. (1992, March). *Pigeons' adjustment to sudden changes in temporal patterns*. Paper presented at the National Conference for Undergraduate Research, Minneapolis, MN.

Thaw, J. M. (1991, September). *Pigeons' adjustment to sudden changes in temporal patterns*. Paper presented at the Carolinas and Ohio State Education Network Scholars Conference, Duke University, Durham, NC.

WORKSHOPS/INVITED PRESENTATIONS

Resnick, A., & **Thaw, J. M.** (2010, June). *Homework assistance*. Workshop presented at the annual Ready, Set, Go! Conference of The Children's Trust, Miami, FL.

Reitman, D., & **Thaw, J. M.** (2010, June). *Motivating kids for outcome assessment*. Workshop presented at the annual Ready, Set, Go! Conference of The Children's Trust, Miami, FL.

Thaw, J. M. (2009, October). *Quality improvement for out-of-school programs*. Workshop presented at the annual Back to School Conference of The Children's Trust, Miami, FL.

Thaw, J. M., Sawyer, Y., Molk, E., & Hardcastle, K. (2009, October). *Practical strategies to improve out-of-school quality*. Panel discussion presented at the annual Back to School Conference of The Children's Trust, Miami, FL.

Thaw, J. M. (2009, June). *Enhancing quality through SACERS*. Workshop presented at the annual Survive the Summer Conference of The Children's Trust, Miami, FL.

Thaw, J. M. (2009, June). *Effective behavior management: A primer for out-of-school programs*. Workshop presented at the annual Survive the Summer Conference of The Children's Trust, Miami, FL.

Reitman, D., & **Thaw, J. M.** (2008, May). *Effective behavior management*. Workshop presented at the annual Survive the Summer conference of The Children's Trust, Miami, FL.

Reitman, D., & **Thaw, J. M.** (2008, May). *How to improve oral reading fluency*. Workshop presented at The Children's Trust annual Survive the Summer conference, Miami, FL.

Johnson, W. G., **Thaw, J. M.**, & Polk, J. A. (2001, May). *Eating disorders*. Presentation at the 11th Annual Mental Health Community Conference for the Department of Mental Health, Jackson, MS.

Thaw, J. M. (2000, June). *Eating disorders: Q&A*. Radio interview on WFMF 102.5 FM, Baton Rouge, LA

Thaw, J. M. (1998, March). Identification of depressive and eating disorder symptoms in adolescent females. Workshop presented to the psychology and social work staff of the Louis Jetson Correctional Center for Youth, Baton Rouge, LA.

ACADEMIC HONORS AND AWARDS

External Funding Award (2010-present); Most Outstanding Practicum Site (2016); Graduate Research Travel Awards (1998); National Conference for Undergraduate Research (1992); Bony Hampton Peace, Jr. Foreign Study Scholarship (1992); Carolinas and Ohio Science Education Network Scholar (Summer 1991 Research Internship); Psi Chi National Honor Society in Psychology (1990-1992); James Buchanan Duke Honor Scholarship (1989-1992); General Academic Scholarship (1988-1992); Phi Eta Sigma National Honor Society (1988-1992)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Psychological Association (APA)
 Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT)
 Obesity and Eating Disorders Special Interest Group (ABCT) – Book Review Editor (1998-2004)
 The Obesity Society (previously known as North American Association for the Study of Obesity; NAASO)
 Academy for Eating Disorders (AED)

EDITORIAL EXPERIENCE

Reviewer:	Lytmos
Guest Reviewer:	Acta Paediatrica Appetite Behavior Research and Therapy Clinical Case Studies Clinical Psychology Review Eating and Weight Disorders Journal of Abnormal Psychology Journal of Psychopathology and Behavioral Assessment

• REFERENCES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST •