

# FLORIN SELAGEA, PH.D

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## EDUCATION

The University of Georgia, Athens, GA

**Ph.D. in Counseling Psychology**

**2017**

Dissertation: A Factor Analysis of Neuropsychological Measures of Cognitive Flexibility as an Aspect of Executive Functioning

Advisor: Linda F. Campbell, Ph.D

Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA

**M.S. Professional Counseling**

**2008**

Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI

**B.S. Psychology**

**2002**

Area of Concentration: Premed

## CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Northeast Georgia Psychological Services, Hoschton, GA

**Testing and Assessment Psychologist**

**February 2021 – May 2023**

Conducted psychological evaluations for referral questions including

Diagnostic Testing

Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder

Specific Learning Disabilities

Neuropsychological Testing

Conducted Initial Consultations

Administered, Scored, and completed comprehensive testing reports

Provided Feedback sessions to review testing findings and to discuss next steps

Completed documentation including pre-authorizations and post-testing documents upon request

Reviewed and edited testing scores and reports completed by post-doctoral interns

Focus Forward Counseling, Cumming GA

**Testing and Assessment Psychologist**

**February 2020 – February**

**2021**

Conducted psycho-educational evaluations for Children, Adolescents, and Adults

Provided Billing Summary for monthly clinical activities

Referral questions included ADHD, Learning Disorders, and Psychological diagnostics

Counseling Center at Georgia Tech, Atlanta, GA

**Testing and Assessment Coordinator**

**November 2017 – December**

**2019**

Coordinated all testing and assessment activities for the counseling center

Updated and expanded the testing library to include the most current instruments

Conducted psycho-educational evaluations and screenings for ADHD and specific learning disabilities

Provided group supervision and didactic instruction in assessment for doctoral interns

Engaged in a range of activities to support the student body of the institute

Provided individual therapy services  
 Provided psychoeducational group therapy  
 Engaged in outreach activities including educational presentations and screenings

WellStar Psychological Services, Neuropsychology, Marietta, GA

**Doctoral Fellow**

**August 2015 – August 2017**

Conducted (250+) neuropsychological consultations and neurobehavioral status examinations  
 Conducted psycho-educational evaluations  
 Conducted post-concussive evaluations  
 Administered neuropsychological testing and prepared comprehensive integrative reports  
 Instruments included neuropsychological, emotional/behavioral, academic, projective, adaptive functioning, instrumental functioning, and validity measures  
 Provided feedback consultations with patients and families reviewing results and providing recommendations for treatment and intervention  
 Patients presented with complex medical, neurological, and psychiatric comorbidities

Jefferson County Internship Consortium, Louisville, KY

**Pre-Doctoral Intern**

**May 2014 – May 2015**

Consortium provided a varied training with diverse populations, settings, and modalities within three training rotations under the collective umbrella

Kentucky Correctional Psychiatric Center (Major rotation) - A psychiatric hospital within a prison setting  
 Administered psychological test batteries for criminal responsibility and competency evaluations  
 Competed a case conference presentation on a completed assessment  
 Received training in a wide range of forensic and validity testing instruments

Seven Counties Services, Inc. (Major rotation)- A community mental health services provider  
 Provided individual and family therapy services in clinic, school, and in-home environments  
 Conducted psycho-educational testing for children with a range of referral questions  
 Conducted autism screening evaluations  
 Received training on a range of therapeutic interventions and testing instruments including:  
 Practice Wise- an empirically based treatment guidance system  
 Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule- 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition (ADOS-2)

Central State Hospital (Minor Rotation)- Adult Inpatient Psychiatric Hospital  
 Conducted group and individual therapy for adults with a wide range of diagnoses  
 Provided psychological testing for diagnostic clarification  
 Administered psychological testing for competency and criminal responsibility evaluations  
 Competed comprehensive psychological testing reports  
 Participated in team treatment planning meetings

WellStar Psychological Services, Marietta GA

**Advanced Doctoral Practicum**

**2012- 2014**

Conducted individual psychotherapy in a health psychology setting addressing:  
 Chronic health conditions  
 Bariatric surgery clearance therapy  
 Social-emotional distress

Conducted individual psychological evaluations in the context of:  
 Psychological and emotional diagnostic evaluations

Memory and cognitive functioning  
 Neuropsychological functioning  
 Psycho-educational testing  
 Bariatric surgery psychological clearance  
 Provided inpatient hospital consultations

Center for Counseling and Personal Evaluation, University of Georgia, Athens, GA

**Doctoral Practicum**

**2011- 2012**

Conducted psycho-educational and socio-emotional assessments  
 Provided written assessment reports including results, diagnoses, and recommendations  
 Provided feedback to parents regarding testing results  
 Administered and scored a variety of academic, intelligence, socio-emotional, personality, and neuropsychological tests  
 Provided individual, group, and couple's counseling services  
 Provided individual counseling with adults from the local community  
 Provided individual counseling services to university students  
 Conducted couples counseling in collaboration with a co-therapist  
 Co-facilitated a therapy group for the county department of family & children services  
 Problems addressed included depression, anxiety, anger, work stress, and sexual trauma  
 Participated in weekly interdisciplinary staffing and in-service meetings

Ridgeview Institute Psychiatric Hospital, Smyrna, GA

**Emergency Room Assessment Clinician**

**2008- 2010**

Conducted bio-psycho-social assessments with adolescents, adults, and seniors  
 Assessed for full spectrum of psychological and chemical dependency disorders  
 Assigned diagnosis and recommended level of care  
 Obtained precertification authorization from MCO by providing justification for recommended treatment  
 Received de-escalation training as well as hands-on crisis management training

Ridgeview Institute Psychiatric Hospital, Smyrna, GA

**Inpatient Adolescent Unit, Master's Practicum/Internship**

**2007- 2008**

Adolescent unit was a 30-bed inpatient psychiatric and substance abuse treatment unit in addition to corresponding partial hospitalization and intensive outpatient programs  
 Developed and documented cognitive-behavioral treatment plans based on presenting diagnoses and accompanying clinical information  
 Facilitated individual therapy, group therapy, and family therapy sessions with adolescents diagnosed with wide range of psychological and chemical dependency diagnoses  
 Led treatment groups, dialectical behavioral therapy program groups and psycho-education groups.

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

The University of Georgia, Athens, GA

**Instructor: ECHD 3020 Introduction to Counseling**

**2010-2012**

Developed syllabus and overall course structure, assigned all grades

**Instructor: ECHD 3170 Drugs, Alcohol & Society**

**2010-2013**

Developed syllabus and overall course structure, assigned all grades

**Committee Chair: Graduate Student Teaching Association (GSTA)****2011-2013**

Responsibilities included:

- Coordinated activities of GSTA executive committee
- Authored quarterly newsletter articles
- Maintained communication with APA Division 2
- Provided yearly report of activities to Division 2 at APA conference
- Introduced GSTA featured speaker at APA conferences

**Preparing Future Faculty Program****2010-2012**

The PFF program is designed to provide training and instruction to students interested in pursuing academic careers. Program includes training opportunities and formal doctoral level coursework.

## PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

- Norcross, J. C., Campbell, L. F., Grohol, J. M., Santrock, J. W., **Selagea, F.**, & Sommer, R. (2012). *Self-help that works: Resources to improve emotional health and strengthen relationships*. (4th ed.). New York: NY: Oxford University Press.
- Selagea, F.** (2013, Spring). The University of Georgia is the New Host Institution for the Graduate Student Teaching Association. *Society for the Teaching of Psychology Newsletter*.
- Selagea, F.** (2012, Fall). The University of Georgia is the New Host Institution for the Graduate Student Teaching Association. *Society for the Teaching of Psychology Newsletter*.
- Selagea, F.** (2012, Spring). The University of Georgia is the New Host Institution for the Graduate Student Teaching Association. *Society for the Teaching of Psychology Newsletter*.
- Selagea, F.** (2011, Fall). The University of Georgia is the New Host Institution for the Graduate Student Teaching Association. *Society for the Teaching of Psychology Newsletter*.
- Selagea, F.** (2011, Spring). The University of Georgia is the New Host Institution for the Graduate Student Teaching Association. *Society for the Teaching of Psychology Newsletter*.

## PRESENTATIONS

- Nevels, B, Mann, L., **Selagea, F.**, Ratliff, K., Nahai, C., Stewart, A (August 2012). Where Barnum Meets Birth Order. Poster session presented at the American Psychological Association Annual Conference, Orlando, Florida.
- Tavari, T., Gnilka, P., Noble, C., Ashby, J., Matheny, K., White, N., Luke, J., Weil, E., **Selagea, F.**, & Ray, M. (August 2009). Coping recourses, depression, and trauma. Poster session presented at the American Psychological Association Annual Conference, Toronto, Canada.
- DiPrima, A., Ashby, J., Gnilka, P., Noble, C., Luke, J., Matheny, K., **Selagea, F.**, Taylor, T., White, N., Weil, E., & Ray, M. (August 2009). The relationship between family variables and perfectionism in

adolescent students. Poster session presented at the American Psychological Association Annual Conference, Toronto, Canada.

Gnilka, P., Noble, C., White, N., Weil, E., Taylor, T., **Selagea, F.**, & Ray, M. (April 2009).

Multidimensional Perfectionism and Ways of Coping. Counseling & Psychological Services Research Expo, Atlanta, GA.

Nobel, C., Slaney, R., Gnilka P., Ashby, J., Bell, C., Horine, S., **Selagea, F.**, Prabhakar, B., Donnow, H.

Perceptions of Perfection: Prospective interviews with adaptive and maladaptive perfectionists.

Poster session at the American Psychological Association Annual Conference, San Diego, CA.

Gnika P., Nobel, C., Ashby, J., Matheny, K., Bell, C., Horine, S., **Selagea, F.**, Prabhakar, B., Donnow, H.

Multidimensional perfectionism, coping processes, and anxiety. Poster session at the American Psychological Association Annual Conference, San Diego, CA.