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EDUCATION

Predocctoral Fellow Completed 06/13	Yale School of Medicine, New Haven, Connecticut Forensic Drug Diversion Program
Doctoral Degree Received 08/13	Fordham University, Bronx, New York Clinical Psychology Doctoral Program
Masters in Clinical Psychology Received 06/08	Fordham University, Bronx, New York Clinical Psychology Doctoral Program
Bachelor of Arts Received 06/05	Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois Bachelor of Arts in Psychology and International Studies

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Competency to stand trial evaluations (correlating demographic variables, quality of reports); Effect of group membership (e.g., culture, intellectual ability) on validity in forensic assessment; Cultural validity of psychiatric disorders

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2020 – Present	Associate Professor, Department of Psychology John Jay College, New York, NY
2020 – Present	Associate Professor, Department of Psychology CUNY Graduate Center, New York, NY
2013 – 2019	Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology John Jay College, New York, NY
2014 – 2019	Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology CUNY Graduate Center, New York, NY
2014 - Present	Private Practice / Evaluator for Physicians for Human Rights Clinical Psychologist, License #020873 Department of Education, State of New York

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

**Indicates Undergraduate Student Author

*Indicates Graduate Student Author

Lee, J.,* & Weiss, R. A. (in press). Help-seeking in a crisis: COVID-19-related racial discrimination and Asian American College students' mental health. *Journal of College Student Mental Health*.
<https://doi.org/10.1080/28367138.2024.2365641>

Weiss, R. A., & Berenson, J. (2024). The reliability of jointly versus individually conducted competency to stand trial evaluations. *Journal of Forensic Psychiatry and Psychology*, 35(4), 611-621. <https://doi.org/10.1080/14789949.2024.2344261>

- Woodruff, M.,* Polinsky, A.,* & **Weiss, R. A.** (2024). Equity depends on the definition: Examining the impact of segregation definitions on equity in school-based mental health. *Psychology, Public Policy and Law*, 30(3), 314-325.. <https://doi.org/10.1037/law0000428>
- Woodruff, M.* & **Weiss, R.** (2022). Associations between school-based mental health and education outcomes: Analyzing public data with multilevel modeling. *SAGE Research Methods Cases*. <https://doi.org/10.4135/9781529603552>
- Rosinski, A.,* & **Weiss, R. A.** (2021). Competency to stand trial in immigration proceedings. *Translational Issues in Psychological Science*, 7, 55-64. <https://doi.org/10.1037/tps0000244>
- Harris, S.**, **Weiss, R.** (2018). The impact of defendants' race in competency to stand trial referrals. *International Journal of Law and Psychiatry*, 57, 85-90. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijlp.2018.01.003>
- Lin, L.**, & **Weiss, R.** (2018). Personality assessment with Asian Americans in legal settings. *Journal of Forensic Psychology: Research and Practice*, 18, 299-314. <https://doi.org/10.1080/24732850.2018.1490681>
- Weiss, R. A.** (2018). Evaluating the validity of feigned psychological symptoms across cultural boundaries. In *SAGE Research Methods Cases*. <http://dx.doi.org/10.4135/9781526437518>
- Rosinski, A. *, **Weiss, R.**, & Clatch, L.* (2018). Childhood adverse events and adult physical and mental health: A national study. *Psi Chi Journal of Psychological Research*, 23, 40-50. <https://doi.org/10.24839/2325-7342.JN23.1.40>
- Weiss, R.**, & Rosenfeld, B. (2017) Identifying feigning in trauma-exposed African immigrants. *Psychological Assessment*, 29, 881-889. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1037/pas0000381>
- Ramos-González, N. N.* , **Weiss, R.**, Schweizer, J.**, & Rosinski, A.* (2016). Fitness to stand trial in immigration proceedings. *Canadian Psychology/Psychologie canadienne*, 57, 284-290. <https://doi.org/10.1037/cap0000070>
- Stimmel, M., Cruise, K., Ford, J. & **Weiss, R.** (2014). The relationship between types of trauma exposure, post-traumatic stress disorder symptomatology and aggression in male juvenile offenders. *Psychological Trauma*, 6, 184-191. <https://doi.org/10.1037/a0032509>
- Weiss, R.**, Oberleitner, L., & Easton, C. (2013). Family preservation versus child wellbeing under the Indian Child Welfare Act. *Journal of the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law*, 41, 125-127.
- Muench, F., **Weiss, R.**, Kuerbis, A., & Morgenstern, J. (2012). Developing a theory driven text messaging intervention for addictions by assessing adaptive design and tailoring. *Psychology of Addictive Behaviors*, 27, 315-321. <https://doi.org/10.1037/a0029963>
- Weiss, R.**, & Rosenfeld, B. (2012). Navigating cross-cultural issues in forensic assessment: Recommendations for practice. *Professional Psychology: Research & Practice*, 43(3), 234-240. <https://doi.org/10.1037/a0025850>

Weiss, R., Rosenfeld, B. & Farkas, M. (2011). The utility of the Structured Interview of Reported Symptoms in a sample of individuals with intellectual disabilities. *Assessment, 18*(3), 284-290. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1073191111408230>

Brice, L., **Weiss, R.,** Wei, Y., Satwani, P., Bhatia, M., George, D., Garvin, J., Harrison, L., Cairo, M. & Sands, S. (2011). Health related quality of life (HRQoL): The impact of medical and demographic variables upon pediatric recipients of hematopoietic stem cell transplantation. *Pediatric Blood and Cancer, 57*, 1179-1185. <https://doi.org/10.1002/psc.23133>

Sands, S., Pasichow, K., **Weiss, R.,** Garvin, J., Gardner, S., Dunkel, I. J. & Finlay, J. L. (2011). Quality of life and behavioral follow-up study of Head Start I pediatric brain tumor survivors. *Journal of Neuro-Oncology, 10*(2) 287-295. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11060-010-0260-3>

Weiss, R., & Rosenfeld, B. (2010). Cross-cultural validity in malingering assessment: The DCT in a rural Indian sample. *The International Journal of Forensic Mental Health, 9*(4). 300-307. <https://doi.org/10.1080/14999013.2010.526680>

BOOK CHAPTERS, MAGAZINE ARTICLES, ENCYCLOPEDIA ARTICLES & COMMENTARIES

***Indicates Graduate Student Author**

+Article chosen as cover story

Woodruff, M.* & **Weiss, R.** (in press). Commentary on translational impact: Applying the bilingual problem size effect to cognitive assessment. *Translational Issues in Psychological Science*. <https://doi.org/10.1037/tps0000392>

+Weiss, R. A., & Tamura, K.* (2023, April 3). The hidden costs of applying for graduate school and suggestions to reduce them. *Eye on Psi Chi, 27* (4) 24-27. <https://doi.org/10.24839/2164-9812.Eye27.4.24>

Castillo, L.,* & **Weiss, R.** (2023). Contraceptives, oral: jealousy. In T. Shackelford (Ed.). *Encyclopedia of Sexuality and Behavior*, New Delhi, India: Springer Nature.

Castillo, L.,* & **Weiss, R.** (2023). KAFA- "Enough" (Lebanese social movement). In T. Shackelford (Ed.). *Encyclopedia of Domestic Violence*, New Delhi, India: Springer Nature.

Fingerhut, M.,* & **Weiss, R.** (2023). Femininity: LGBTQ populations. In T. Shackelford (Ed.). *Encyclopedia of Sexuality and Behavior*, New Delhi, India: Springer Nature.

Weiss, R. A. (2022, October 31). Applying your psych major toward a career in criminal justice. *Eye on Psi Chi, 27*(2), 30-33. <https://doi.org/10.24839/2164-9812.Eye27.2.30>

Weiss, R., & Massey, C.* (2017). Gender bias in the DSM. In K. L. Nadal (Ed.). *The SAGE Encyclopedia of Psychology and Gender*. Thousand Oaks, CA: SAGE Publications

Weiss, R., & Massey, C.* (2017). Psychological measurements, gender bias in. In K. L. Nadal (Ed.). *The SAGE Encyclopedia of Psychology and Gender*. Thousand Oaks, CA: SAGE Publications

Weiss, R. A., & Sepowitz, P. (2017). Student-directed research collaborations between higher education and K-12 classrooms. In R. Obeid, A. Schwartz, C. Shane-Simpson, & P. J. Brooks. (Eds.). *How we teach now: The GSTA guide to student-centered teaching*. New York, NY: Society

for Teaching of Psychology. Retrieved from the Society for the Teaching of Psychology web site:
<https://teachpsych.org/ebooks/howweteachnow/>

Weiss, R., Rosinski, A.* (2016). Ethical considerations in cross-cultural forensic assessment. In T. Masson (Ed.). *Inside Forensic Psychology*. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO/Praeger Publishers.

Weiss, R. (2016). Forensic assessment IV: Conveying evaluation findings and opinions: Commentary. In G. Pirelli, R. Beattey, & P. A. Zapf (Eds.). *The ethical practice of forensic psychology: A casebook*. New York, NY: Oxford University Press.

Weiss, R. (2016). Identifying the client and professional services: Commentary. In G. Pirelli, R. Beattey, & P. A. Zapf (Eds.). *The ethical practice of forensic psychology: A casebook*. New York, NY: Oxford University Press.

Rosenfeld, B., & **Weiss, R.** (2008). Hopkins Competency Assessment Tool. In B. Cutler (Ed.). *The Encyclopedia of Psychology and Law*, (pp 360-361). Thousand Oaks, CA: SAGE Publications, doi: 10.4135/9781412959537.n140

NATIONAL & INTERNATIONAL PRESENTATIONS (TOTAL = 81)

****Indicates Undergraduate Student Author**

***Indicates Graduate Student Author**

++ Indicates Award Nomination (n = 1)

+ Indicates Award Winning Presentation (n = 5)

Medina, S. **, Woodruff, M.* & **Weiss, R.** (2024, August). *Bilinguals working memory regarding age of acquisition* [Poster presentation]. American Psychological Association Convention, Seattle, WA.

Betances, S.*, **Weiss, R.**, Perez, Y. * & Martinez-Gomez, A., (2024, August). *Formally trained interpreters perspectives on working with clinicians. Study one.* [Poster presentation]. American Psychological Association Convention, Seattle, WA.

Perez, Y. * **Weiss, R.**, Betances, S.*, & Martinez-Gomez, A., (2024, August). *Effectively communicating: Formally trained interpreters on mental health training needs. Study two.* [Poster presentation]. American Psychological Association Convention, Seattle, WA.

Woodruff, M.* Polinsky, A.* & **Weiss, R.** (2024, August). *Subjectivity in data-based policy: The impact of definitions on equity in school-based mental health* [Poster presentation]. American Psychological Association Convention, Seattle, WA.

Martinez-Gomez, A., Betances, S. *, Perez, Y.* & **Weiss, R.**, (2024, March). *Collaborative student-faculty research to educate interpreters in mental health.* Panel discussion presented at CUNY Inclusion, Diversity, Equity and Access (C-iDEA) conference, New York, NY

Weiss, R., Woodruff, M.*, Castillo, L.*, & Tamura, K.* (2023, August). *Linguistic equity in assessment.* Critical Conversation presented at the American Psychological Association Convention, Washington, DC.

Fingerhut, M.* & **Weiss, R.** (2023, August). *A systematic review on publishing inequality in LGBTQIA+ research in psychology* [Poster presentation]. American Psychological Association Convention, Washington, DC.

- Lee, J.,* & **Weiss, R.** (2023, August). *COVID-19 associated racial discrimination and help-seeking among Asian Americans: A systematic review* [Poster presentation]. American Psychological Association Convention, Washington, DC.
- Lee, J.,* Liang, C.,** Kim, S.** & **Weiss, R.** (2023, August). *Asian Americans' help-seeking patterns in response to COVID-19 racial discrimination* [Poster presentation]. American Psychological Association Convention, Washington, DC.
- Mejia, K.,** Ghumman, L.,** K Medina, S.** & **Weiss, R.** (2023, August). *Social isolation during a time of digitalization: Impacts on stress and political extremism* [Poster presentation]. American Psychological Association Convention, Washington, DC.
- Polinsky, A.,* Woodruff, M.* & **Weiss, R.** (2023, August). *Linguistic impact on the use of Digit Span for performance validity in a sample of bilingual adults* [Poster presentation]. American Psychological Association Convention, Washington, DC.
- Castillo, L. *, **Weiss, R.**, Woodruff, M. *, & Polinsky, A. * (2023, March). *The original and revised Structured Interview of Reported Symptoms in a sample of bilingual individuals* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Philadelphia, PA.
- ++Dhillon, A.,* & **Weiss, R.** (2022, August). *Resiliency of mental health clinicians during the COVID-19 pandemic* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Minneapolis, MN.
- Lee, J.**, Fingerhut, M.*, Macri, D.**, Bergenstock, R.* & **Weiss, R.** (2022, August). *Variation in media coverage for Asian and White perpetrators of school shootings* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Minneapolis, MN
- Alarcon, L.**, Ceren, M.**, Woodruff, M.,* & **Weiss, R.** (2022, March). *Assessing the impact of Matter of A-B- (2018) on asylum claims* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Denver, Colorado.
- Arriaran, M. A. *, Chung, E.,* & **Weiss, R.** (2022, March). *Inconsistent responding on the Triarchic Psychopathology Measure*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Denver, Colorado.
- Castillo, L. *, & **Weiss, R.** (2022, March). *Efficacy of trial 1 on the Test of Memory Malingering for Spanish-speaking individuals* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Denver, Colorado.
- Rosinski, A. *, **Weiss, R.** & Shiva, A. (2022, March). *A comparison of simulated schizophrenia in experts and genuine schizophrenia in psychiatric patients* Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Denver, Colorado.
- Woodruff, M.,* Irwin, B.* & **Weiss, R.** (2022, March). *School-based mental health and policing: Examining student mental health crisis response in New York City district schools* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Denver, Colorado.

- Chung, E., Alarcon, L., & **Weiss, R.** (March, 2021). *Psychopathic subtypes and COVID-19 anxiety* [Poster presentation]. Eastern Psychology Conference. Virtual Conference.
- Gary, D.*, & **Weiss, R.** (2020, August). *Strong or silenced? Correlates of the Strong Black Woman schema* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington DC
- Martinez-Gomez, A., & **Weiss, R.** (2020, April). *Mental health interpreting: Perspectives from clinicians, clients and interpreters*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Translation and Interpreting Studies Association, Santa Barbara, CA.
- Woodruff, M.*, Rosinski, A.*, Cusumano-Marci, D.**, & **Weiss, R.** (2020, March). *Study of assessment manual recommendations for testing individuals with limited English proficiency* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.
<https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.14722.63687>
- Tazi, K.**, & **Weiss, R.** (2020, March). *Outcomes of justice-involved youth in community programming* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Dhillon, A.**, Aria, D.**, & **Weiss, R.** (2019, August). *Factors associated with increase in political engagement for young adults* [Poster presentation]. Poster to be presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
- Ramos-González, N.*, & **Weiss, R.** (2019, August). *Factors predicting success in extreme hardship waivers* [Poster presentation]. Poster to be presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
- Rodriguez, C.**, & **Weiss, R.** (2019, August). *Sexual harassment on public transportation* [Poster presentation]. Poster to be presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
- Betances, S.*, Tazi, K.**, & **Weiss, R.** (2019, March). *The impact of gender and culture on service providers' strategies for success in diversion programs*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Portland, Oregon.
- Rajkumar, A.,** Rodriguez, C.**, & **Weiss, R.** (2019, March). *Help-seeking behaviors after sexual trauma* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Portland, Oregon.
- Tazi, K.**, Betances, S.*, & **Weiss, R.** (2019, March). *The role of countertransference in risk assessments of juvenile offenders* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Portland, Oregon.
- Tazi, K.**, Lin, L.*, & **Weiss, R.** (2018, August). *Measuring psychopathy in Asian American defendants: A literature review* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.

- Haxhirai, E.** , Betances, S.* , & **Weiss, R.** (2018, August). *The impact of theater participation on stress levels in college students* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Rani, S.** , Rosinski, A.* , & **Weiss, R.** (2018, August). *Political engagement, concerns, and related emotional impact at a Minority-Serving Institution* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Aveson, O.* , Berenson, J., Simeone, S.* , & **Weiss, R.** (2018, March). *Annual competency to stand trial evaluations: Revisiting a commonly cited estimate* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Memphis, TN.
- Rosinski, A.* , & **Weiss, R.** (2018, March). *Examining state statutes for definitions of intellectual disability in capital punishment cases* [Poster presentation]. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Memphis, TN.
- Galicia, B.* , Rosinski, A.* , & **Weiss, R.** (2017, August). *Analyzing ataque de nervios in an ethnically diverse student sample* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington DC.
- Quezada, Y.,* Rodriguez, J.* & **Weiss, R.** (2017, August). *The effect of acculturation on depression in subgroups of Hispanics* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington DC.
- Rosinski, A.* , & **Weiss, R.** (2017, August). *The impact of the Ebola outbreak among West and Central Africans living in the U.S.* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington D.C.
- Soto, A. S.* , Tellez, D.* , Recarey, J.* , & **Weiss, R.** (2017, August). *Substance-related symptoms associated with language but not acculturation in Hispanic sample* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington DC.
- Tancin, N.* , & **Weiss, R.** (2017, August). *Academic abilities and related factors* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington DC.
- Tellez, D.* , & **Weiss, R.** (2017, August). *Effects of acculturation, perceived discrimination and country of origin on cannabis use in Hispanics* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington DC.
- Weiss, R.** (2017, August). *Theory versus practice: Substance use disorders in competency to stand trial evaluations.* Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington DC.
- +Harris, S.* , & **Weiss, R.** (2017, March). *Predictors of competency to stand trial referrals in an attorney sample.* Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Seattle, Washington.
- Rosinski, A.* , Verkulien, J., & **Weiss, R.** (2017, March). *The factor structure of post-traumatic stress disorder: Cross-cultural validity in a West and Central African sample.* Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Seattle, Washington.

- Weiss, R.,** & Berenson, J. (2017, March). *Consistency in jointly versus individually conducted competency to stand trial evaluations*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Seattle, Washington.
- Li, Q.*, **Weiss, R.,** Lin, L.*, & Gonzalez, G.* (2016, August). *Social media use among college students* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Denver, Colorado.
- Harris, S.*, **Weiss, R.,** & Weinberger, E.* (2016, August). *Racial disparity in the referrals of African American and Caucasians for competency screening evaluations* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Denver, Colorado.
- Rosinski, A. *, **Weiss, R.,** & Levitz, A.** (2016, June). *The impact of participant experience, knowledge, and strategies on successful feigning*. Paper presented at the 16th Annual International Association of Forensic Mental Health Services Conference, New York, NY.
- Rosinski, A. *, **Weiss, R.,** & Levitz, A.** (2016, May). *Undergraduate students participants' ability to successfully feign increases in a student-applicable scenario* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the 28th Annual American Psychological Science Convention, Chicago, IL.
- Weiss, R.,** Rosinski, A.*, Tellez, D.*, & Galcia, B.* (2016, March). *Language and culture in forensic assessment: Appropriate normative data in a Hispanic sample*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Atlanta, Georgia.
- Li, Q.*, & **Weiss, R.** (2015, October). *Cultural etiology of depression*. Paper presented at the National Association of African American Studies & Affiliates, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.
- Clatch, L.*, **Weiss, R.,** & Rosinski, A.* (2015, August). *Utilizing a representative US sample: Discrimination and its effects on perceived health and mental stress* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.
- Galicia, B.*, **Weiss, R.,** Sevilla, K.*, & Schweizer, J.* (2015, August). *Translation and adaptation considerations: The use of the Spanish SIRS* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.
- Cabrera, Y.*, & **Weiss, R.** (2015, August). *An examination of the link between acculturation, depression and suicidal ideation among Latinos* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.
- Galicia, B.*, **Weiss, R.,** Schweizer, J.*, Rodriguez, J.*, & Levitz, A.** (2015, May). *Cultural variables predict treatment utilization in a representative Hispanic sample* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Convention of the Association for Psychological Science, New York, New York.
- +Rosinski, A.*, **Weiss, R.,** & Clatch, L.* (2015, March). *Youthful resilience: The effect of childhood maltreatment on adult physical and mental health* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, San Diego, California.
- Weiss, R.,** Supelana, C., Keatley, E., Lerner, E., & Rosenfeld, B. (2014, June). *Cross-cultural validity in forensic psychology: Measures of feigning and suspect effort in an African sample*. Paper

presented at the International Association for Forensic Mental Health Services. Toronto, Canada.

+Weiss, R. (2014, March). *Differentiating feigned and genuine Posttraumatic Stress Disorder in a sample of torture survivors*. Invited poster at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Keatley, E.*, Supelana, C.*, Scheiner, D., **Weiss, R.**, Annunziato, R., & Rosenfeld, B. (2014, February). *Neuropsychological sequelae of TBI among refugee survivors of torture*. International Neuropsychological Society, Seattle, WA.

+Weiss, R., Supelana, C., A.*, Pinzon, D.*, & Rosenfeld, B. (2013, March). *Feigned posttraumatic stress: The impact of strategy, acculturation and effort in a sample of Africans*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Portland, Oregon.

Cruise, K., Stimmel, M., & **Weiss, R.** (2012, November). *The impact of callousness and PTSD symptoms on aggression in male juvenile offenders: Implications for identification and intervention*. Paper presented at the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies, Los Angeles, CA.

Jopp, D. S., Park, M.P., Cavanagh, A., Meschian, Y., DeFeo, M., Paggi, M., Raghavan, S. & **Weiss, R.** (2012, November). *Valuation of life in centenarians: preliminary results from the Fordham Centenarian Study*. Paper presented at the 65th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, CA.

Weiss, R., & Muench, F. (March, 2012). *The paradox of legally mandated addictions treatment: The feasibility of preferred behavioral change strategies*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Puerto Rico.

Weiss, R., Rosenfeld, B., & Rasmussen, A. (March, 2012). *Cross-cultural validity in forensic psychology: The efficacy of measures of effort in a sample of West Africans*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Puerto Rico.

Muench, F. & **Weiss, R.** (November, 2011). *Developing mobile health interventions with tailored user driven content* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Toronto, Canada.

Weiss, R., Sands, S. & Weiss, J. (August, 2011). *Effect of parent outcomes on quality of life in pediatric brain tumor survivors* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington DC.

Weiss, J., **Weiss, R.** & Sands, S. (August, 2011). *The relationship between pain, internalizing and externalizing behaviors in pediatric brain tumor survivors* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington DC.

Muench, F. & **Weiss, R.** (August, 2011). *Integrating interactive SMS into addiction continuing care*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington DC.

Muench, F. & **Weiss, R.** (June, 2011). *Tailoring text messaging to treatment stage*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Mobile Health Expo, New York City, New York.

Muench, F. & **Weiss, R.** (May, 2011). *What really works: Using SMS to improve health*. Invited address at Mobile Health 2011 at Stanford University, Palo Alto, California.

Weiss, R., Farkas, M. & Rosenfeld, B. (March, 2011). *Utility of the SIRS & SIRS-2*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Miami, Florida.

Sands, S., Pasichow & **Weiss, R.** (June, 2010). *Quality of life and behavioral follow-up study of Head Start I pediatric brain tumor survivors*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Symposium of Pediatric Neuro-Oncology, Vienna, AUS.

Weiss, R., Belfi, B. & Green, D. (March, 2010). *Efficacy of trial 1 of the Test of Memory Malingering as a screening measure in a forensic sample*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Vancouver, Canada.

Sands, S., Brice, L., **Weiss, R.**, Wei, Y., Satwani, P., Bhatia, M., George, D., Garvin, J., Harrison, L., & Cairo, M. (October, 2009). *Health related quality of life in pediatric recipients of hematopoietic stem cell transplantation* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at Congress of the International Society of Pediatric Oncology, Sao Paulo, Brazil.

Weiss, R., Farkas, M. & Rosenfeld, B. (June, 2009). *Feigned mental retardation: Efficacy of the subtests of the SIRS*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Association of Forensic Mental Health Services, Edinburgh, Scotland.

Cruise, K., Stimmel, M. & **Weiss, R.** (June, 2009). *Investigating proactive and reactive aggression in male juvenile offenders: The impact of emotional processing deficits, callousness and PTSD symptoms*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Association of Forensic Mental Health Services, Edinburgh, Scotland.

+**Weiss, R.**, Cruise, K. & Stimmel, M. (March, 2009). *Study I: The influence of traumatic life events, callousness, and emotional processing on aggression in male juvenile offenders* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, San Antonio, Texas.

Stimmel, M., Cruise, K. & **Weiss, R.** (March, 2009). *Study II: The relationship between specific trauma events, PTSD symptomatology and aggression in male juvenile offenders* [Poster presentation]. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, San Antonio, Texas.

Cruise, K., Pitchal, E. & **Weiss, R.** (March, 2008). *Parental involvement in juvenile interrogations: Review of state statutes and implications for research and practice*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Jacksonville, Florida.

Weiss, R. (March, 2008). *Cross-cultural validity in malingering assessment: The Dot Counting Test in a rural Indian sample*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Jacksonville, Florida.

GRANT FUNDING

- **Co-Principle Investigator**

2019-2024: CUNY / Interdisciplinary Research Grant Program. Lost in Translation: Improving Mental Health Care for Spanish-Speaking Communities

Co-PI: Aída Martínez-Gómez / Department of Modern Languages & Literatures

Full award amount: \$40,000

- **Principle Investigator**
2023-2024: The Professional Staff Congress-City University of New York (PSC-CUNY),
Assessment Across Linguistic Barriers
Full award amount: \$5,973.70
- **Principle Investigator**
2022-2023: Psi Chi, Mamie Phipps Research Grant, Interdisciplinary Research in Bilingual
and Multicultural Settings: The Lost in Translation Project
Full award amount: \$2,000
- **Co-Principle Investigator**
2019-2020: OAR Seed Money Program. Interdisciplinary Research in Bilingual and
Multicultural Settings: The Lost in Translation Project
Co-PI: Aída Martínez-Gómez / Department of Modern Languages & Literatures
Full award amount: \$2,000
- **Co-Principle Investigator**
2019-2020: Presidential Student/Faculty Research Collaboration Award. Interdisciplinary
Research in Bilingual and Multicultural Settings: The Lost in Translation Project
Co-PI: Aída Martínez-Gómez / Department of Modern Languages & Literatures
Full award amount: \$7,000
- **Principal Investigator**
2018-2019: The Professional Staff Congress-City University of New York (PSC-CUNY),
Factors predicting success in extreme hardship waivers.
Full award amount: \$5,842
- **Principal Investigator**
2017-2018: The Professional Staff Congress-City University of New York (PSC-CUNY),
Jointly versus individually conducted competency to stand trial evaluations.
Full award amount: \$4,530
- **Principle Investigator**
2014-2016: American Psychology-Law Society Early Career Grant-in-Aid, The effect of
culture and language in forensic assessment: Appropriate normative data in a Hispanic
Sample.
Full award amount: \$5,000
- **Principal Investigator**
2015-2016: The Professional Staff Congress-City University of New York (PSC-CUNY), The
effect of culture and language in forensic assessment: A monolingual Spanish sample.
Full award amount: \$2,164
- **Principle Investigator**
2014-2015: CUNY: Diversity Projects Development Fund. Culture & learning: Student run
research studies.
Full award amount: \$2,174

- **Principle Investigator**
2014-2015: CUNY: Office of the Advancement of Research, Emergency Fund Program. Effect of Ebola on West African communities in New York.
Full award amount: \$995.21.
- **Principle Investigator**
2011-2012: American Psychology-Law Society: Minority Affairs Committee, Diversity in Research and Law Award
Full award amount: \$1,000
- **Principle Investigator**
2011-2012: Psi Chi, Mamie Phipps Research Grant, Identifying feigning in a trauma-exposed West African sample
Full award amount: \$1,000
- **Principle Investigator**
2011-2012: American Psychology-Law Society Student Grant-in-Aid, Identifying feigning in a trauma-exposed West African sample
Full award amount: \$750
- **Principle Investigator**
2011-2012: Fordham University GSAS Dissertation Grant
Full award amount: \$500

HONORS/FELLOWSHIPS

2023	Above & Beyond Mentoring Award, John Jay McNair Program
2019	Above & Beyond Mentoring Award, John Jay McNair Program
2019	Outstanding Scholarly Mentoring Award, John Jay
2016	Kwando Kinshasa Excellence in Mentoring Award, John Jay
2013	Research Intensive Course Design Competition, John Jay
2013	APLS Dissertation Award, Second Place
2011	Joseph F. Kubis Memorial Scholarship, Fordham University
2011	American Academy of Forensic Dissertation Award
2011-2012	Senior Teaching Fellowship, Fordham University
2010-2011	Teaching Associate Fellowship, Fordham University
2009-2010	Law Clinic Fellowship, Fordham University
2006-2009	Bennet Fellowship, Fordham University
2006-2009	Presidential Scholarship, Fordham University
2006-2009	GSAS Summer Fellowship, Fordham University

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Doctoral Graduate Courses

Cognitive Assessment
Personality Assessment

Master's Graduate Courses

Mental Health, Social Science & the Law

Undergraduate Courses

Abnormal Psychology
Psychology & Law
Human Values
Personality Theories
Service Learning Seminar
Learning & Memory
Health Psychology

INVITED COMMUNITY/PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

02/24	<i>Competency to Stand Trial Evaluations Across Linguistic Barriers</i> Arkansas State Hospital
09/23	<i>Competency to Stand Trial Evaluations Across Linguistic Barriers</i> University of New Mexico Law and Psychology Series
10/19	<i>Use of Interpreters in Psychological Assessment/ Webinar</i> Buros Center for Testing; University of Nebraska-Lincoln
05/18	<i>The Role of Psychology in Asylum Evaluations</i> American Psychology-Law Society Webinar Series
12/14	<i>Cross-Cultural Validity in Forensic Assessment</i> Grand Rounds at Mid-Hudson Forensic Psychiatric Center
03/14	<i>Women in Science Night</i> East Side Community School
06/10	<i>Women in Science</i> Workshop at the Long Island Children's Museum
04/09	<i>The Rorschach in a Forensic Setting</i> Workshop at Kirby Psychiatric Center
08/08	<i>Dialectical Behavior Therapy in Addictions Treatment</i> St. Luke's Hospital / Addictions Institute

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Psychological Association
American Psychology-Law Society
Association for Psychological Science
International Association for Forensic Mental Health Services

AD HOC JOURNAL REVIEWER

<i>The International Journal of Forensic Mental Health</i>	<i>Disability and Rehabilitation</i>
<i>Health & Justice</i>	<i>Law and Human Behavior</i>
<i>Journal of Forensic Psychiatry and Psychology</i>	<i>Journal of Nervous and Mental Disease</i>
	<i>Children and Youth Services Review</i>

SUPERVISED CLINICAL TRAINING EXPERIENCES

2009-2014	Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center / Adult Oncology <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Conducted individual CBT therapy with women with gynecological cancers▪ Completed assessments per research protocol
2012-2013	Yale School of Medicine / Forensic Drug Diversion Clinic & West Haven Mental Health Community Center <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Conducted individual / family / couples therapy▪ Conducted intakes and assessments▪ Coordinated client care with multidisciplinary team
2011-2013	Bellevue Hospital / Program for Survivors of Torture <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Conducted post-asylum assessments for research purposes▪ Connected clients to educational & psychological services
2009-2010	Columbia Medical Center / Child & Adolescent Oncology Center <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Conducted individual / family / couples therapy

- Conducted intelligence, personality and neurological assessments
- Co-led skills group for children with DBD; Co-led support group for parents

2009-2010

Fordham University Law School

- Consulted with law students regarding their clients
- Conducted intelligence, personality and neurological assessments

2009-2010

New York County Defenders Services

- Consulted with lawyers regarding their clients
- Conducted intelligence, personality and neurological assessments

2008-2009

Kirby Forensic Psychiatric Center

- Conducted individual therapy
- Co-led DBT skills group
- Conducted fitness for trial, risk, intelligence, personality and neurological assessments

2008

Addiction Institute of New York

- Led MICA groups in inpatient unit; Co-led supportive and didactic groups
- Conducted monthly lectures on DBT skills
- Conducted diagnostic/intake interviews; neuropsychological testing as needed

2007-2008

New York State Psychiatric Institute / Columbia University
Neuroscience Division

- Conducted DBT with patients with BPD; trained in CBT
- Conducted telephone coaching as needed during crises
- Co-led DBT skills group
- Conducted testing for several studies regarding suicidality