



**Course Syllabus**

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HAWAI'I SCHOOL of  
PROFESSIONAL PSYCHOLOGY

**Course Number:** PP8203

**Course Title:** Intervention Practicum & Seminar IV

**Department Name:** Hawai'i School of Professional Psychology

**College/School/Division Name:** College of Education and Behavioral Sciences

**Term:** Spring 2020 (January 6, 2020 – April 26, 2020)

**Course Credits:** 3.0

**Class Meeting Days:** Tuesdays

**Class Meeting Hours:** 5:00pm – 6:20pm

**Class Location:** Brogan Hall 102

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**Office Hours:** By Appointment

**University Catalogue Course Description**

The two years (four semesters) of practicum provide supervised clinical field experience.

In addition to the required hours working at the assigned training site, students enrolled in practicum meet weekly in a practicum seminar led by a core faculty member. The overall practicum experience may be structured such that either the first year of practicum experience (Practicum I and Practicum II) will focus on assessment issues and the second year on psychotherapy (Practicum III and Practicum IV), or that both assessment and intervention experience will be intermixed over the two years of practicum.

**Course Overview**

The Intervention Practicum provides students with supervised clinical experience and allows for the further refinement of assessment, intervention, and relationship skills. The Intervention Clinical Case Evaluation (CCE) evaluates the student's skills in case conceptualization, appropriateness of choice of interventions, analysis of therapy process, and self-evaluation. In addition to the required hours working at the training site, students meet weekly in a practicum seminar led by a faculty member. The Intervention Seminar provides both didactic experience in psychological intervention, case conceptualization and experience in peer consultation.

**Marianist Values**

This class represents one component of your education at Chaminade University of Honolulu. An education in the Marianist Tradition is marked by five principles and you should take every opportunity possible to reflect upon the role of these characteristics in your education and development:

- Education for formation in faith
- Provide an integral, quality education
- Educate in family spirit
- Educate for service, justice and peace
- Educate for adaptation and change

### **Native Hawaiian Values**

Education is an integral value in both Marianist and Native Hawaiian culture. Both recognize the transformative effect of a well-rounded, value-centered education on society, particularly in seeking justice for the marginalized, the forgotten, and the oppressed, always with an eye toward God (Ke Akua). This is reflected in the 'Ōlelo No'ēau (Hawai'ian proverbs) and Marianist core beliefs:

1. Educate for Formation in Faith (Mana) E ola au i ke akua ('Ōlelo No'ēau 364) May I live by God
2. Provide an Integral, Quality Education (Na'auao) Lawe i ka ma'alea a kū'ono'ono ('Ōlelo No'ēau 1957) Acquire skill and make it deep
3. Educate in Family Spirit ('Ohana) 'Ike aku, 'ike mai, kōkua aku kōkua mai; pela iho la ka nohana 'ohana ('Ōlelo No'ēau 1200) Recognize others, be recognized, help others, be helped; such is a family relationship
4. Educate for Service, Justice and Peace (Aloha) Ka lama kū o ka no'ēau ('Ōlelo No'ēau 1430) Education is the standing torch of wisdom
5. Educate for Adaptation and Change (Aina) 'A'ohe pau ka 'ike i ka hālau ho'okahi ('Ōlelo No'ēau 203) All knowledge is not taught in the same school

### **Program Learning Outcomes: HSPP Aims and Competencies**

The Hawai'i School of Professional Psychology at Chaminade University of Honolulu's clinical psychology doctoral program's aim is to educate and train students employing a practitioner-scholar model so that they will be able to function effectively as clinical psychologists. To ensure that students are adequately prepared, the curriculum is designed to provide for the meaningful integration of psychological science, theory, and clinical practice. The clinical psychology program at the Hawai'i School of Professional Psychology is designed to emphasize the development of knowledge, skills, and attitudes essential in the training of health service psychologists who are committed to the ethical provision of quality, evidence based services to diverse populations and who are able to apply multiple theoretical perspectives to clinical issues.

The Hawai'i School of Professional Psychology at Chaminade University of Honolulu's clinical psychology doctoral program subscribes to the APA Standards of Accreditation. As such, students are expected to establish an identity in and orientation to health service psychology by acquiring the necessary discipline-specific knowledge and profession-wide competencies as follows:

1. Students will demonstrate knowledge of ethical and legal standards relevant to the practice of clinical psychology, including professional ethics that guide professional behavior.
2. Students will develop both communication and interpersonal skills, to include utilization of clear, informative, well-integrated communication, critical thinking, and effective interpersonal skills in professional interactions.
3. Students will demonstrate knowledge of professional values and attitudes as well as self-reflective practice and openness to supervision and feedback.
4. Students will demonstrate competency in individual and cultural diversity, including knowledge of theoretical models and diversity research that serve to guide the application of diversity competence.
5. Students will have knowledge of the history and systems of psychology as well as the basic areas in scientific psychology, including affective, biological, cognitive, developmental, psychopharmacological, and sociocultural aspects of behavior.
6. Students will demonstrate competency in the science of psychology, including knowledge and application of psychometrics, statistical analyses, and quantitative and qualitative research methods.
7. Students will demonstrate competency in psychological assessment, including the ability to administer, interpret, and integrate psychological test results and apply knowledge of strengths and psychopathology to the assessment process.
8. Students will demonstrate competency in clinical intervention, including case formulation, theoretical conceptualization, developing and applying evidence based treatment plans, and evaluating treatment effectiveness in work with clients.

9. Students will evidence knowledge of consultation models and practices, and demonstrate interprofessional and interdisciplinary skills in consultative services.
10. Students will evidence knowledge of supervision models and practices.

### Course Learning Outcomes

- Students will practice and refine their therapeutic skills (i.e., initiating the therapeutic process, establishing the therapeutic alliance, interviewing and history gathering). (Competency 8) [Classes]
- Students will refine their clinical integration skills (i.e., formulating and developing a case conceptualization and treatment plans, integration of assessment data). (Competency 7 & 8) [Classes]
- Students will further develop and refine their theoretical orientation for case conceptualization and intervention. (Competency 8) [Classes]
- Students will increase their awareness and understanding of diversity issues and refine ability to apply awareness to all aspects of the therapeutic process. (Competency 4 & 8) [Classes]
- Students will Increase their awareness of ethics and professional behavior as they relate to the application of knowledge and skills in real world settings. Students will consider potential ethical relevancies and professional responses as they apply to the practicum experience. (Competency 1 & 3) [Classes]
- Students will critically examine and evaluate different aspects of their and their peers' therapeutic cases (i.e., diversity factors, case conceptualization, ethics, treatment planning) (Competency 8 & 9) [Classes]
- Students will utilize and provide constructive peer feedback to further develop their theoretical orientation and therapeutic skills. (Competency 2, 3, & 10) [Classes]

### Course Prerequisites

PP7100 (Professional Issues: Ethics, Conduct, Law); PP7342 (Evaluation and Treatment of Diverse and Marginalized Populations); PP7373 (Integrative Assessment); PP8010 (Cognitive-Behavioral Theory and Therapy)

### Required Learning Materials

American Psychiatric Association. (2013). *Diagnostic and statistical manual of mental disorders (5th ed.)*. Washington, D.C.: APA. ISBN: 978-0-89042-555-8

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### Additional Reading:

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**Course Requirements/Methods of Evaluation:**

**1. Attendance and Participation**

- It is expected that students be respectful and sensitive towards their peers and their instructor.
- Given the course's focus on didactic, discussion, participation, and especially experiential learning, the student is expected to attend all classes and be on time.
- Students are asked to contact the instructor ahead of time if an absence is anticipated.
- Any absences will require the completion of additional academic assignments. Two or more unexcused absences may result in a loss of credit for the course.

**2. Peer Supervision**

- Students will offer respectful, thoughtful, and critical feedback of the cases that are presented as a means of providing peer supervision. In addition, the peer supervisors are encouraged to discuss and provide observations of the therapeutic process in order to empower and support their peers as evolving clinicians.

**2. Professional and Clinical Development Paper**

- Each paper should be no longer than 8 pages, double spaced, and set in APA format. Provide a narrative of your theoretical orientation and how you apply this to your practice. Discuss the origins, evidence base, and main developers of the theories from which you derive your orientation. Also describe the change process and limitations. Provide a balanced critique of your theoretical orientation and integrate any ethical and cultural/diversity considerations.

**3. Case Report**

- Guidelines for the case report are provided for you on the HSPP shared drive. The case report is based on the client you will be presenting the Clinical Case Evaluation (CCE). This report is due one week before the oral presentation and recording review.

**4. Transcript and Analysis**

- After obtaining proper consent to audio or video tape a session for educational purposes, transcribe a session with your client and provide an analysis of the session process alongside the session discourse. An example will be provided on the HSPP shared drive for this course. Be sure to number each page as well as each line (indicate "c" for client and "t" for therapist). Include therapeutic process markers relevant to your orientation, therapeutic intentions, understanding of the client's experience, and any reflections, questions, and critiques that may come up for you. The transcript and analysis are due at the same time/date of your oral presentation.

**4. Mock CCE Presentation**

- Present a clinical case to the class in preparation for your final Clinical Case Evaluation that must be passed by Summer Semester. See the HSPP Clinical Training Manual and CCE rubric by which your competencies are evaluated. Provide an introduction to your case that includes the relevant background information you used to conceptualize your case. Explain the orientation from which you are conceptualizing and a complete formulation from which you ground your intervention. The formulation must include your rationale for how change occurs in therapy.
- Introduce the segment of the video or audiotape we will be reviewing. Provide the location on your transcript where the review begins and ends. Orient the class to your therapeutic intentions, questions, and desired feedback. Play 15 – 20 minutes of your video or audiotape.
- When the review is complete, stop the video or audiotape and summarize your conceptualization of the case and formulation of treatment. Open up the presentation for questions and feedback from your classmates and professor.
- Respond to any questions and feedback in a professional manner.

**Grading:**

Project/ Assignment	% of Grade
Attendance/Participation (Including Discussion)	10
Clinical Development Paper	15
Case Report	20
Transcription and Analysis	15
Mock CCE Presentation	25
Peer Supervision	15
Total:	100

*Note: An Incomplete Grade will be given to a student who is experiencing hardship. He or she will be responsible for discussing their need for an incomplete grade and submitting the necessary paperwork in a timely manner.*

The student will either receive a Credit or No Credit. A No Credit may be given if the student has 2 or more unexcused absences. Credit is given if the final grade average is 80% or better. An Incomplete Grade may be given to a student who is experiencing hardship. The student will be responsible for discussing his or her need for an incomplete grade with the Professionalization Group facilitator and submitting the necessary paperwork in a timely manner.

**Grading Requirements:**

<b>CR</b>	100-80
<b>NC</b>	79 and below

**Course Policies**

**Instructor and Student Communication**

Questions for this course can be emailed to the instructor. Online, in-person, and phone conferences can be arranged. Response time will take place up to 2 days.

**Cell phones, tablets, and laptops**

Out of consideration for your classmates, please set your cell phone to silent mode during class. Students are encouraged to bring laptops or tablets to class as the instructor will assign online activities and readings that will require the use of a laptop or tablet. Laptops and tablets should not be misused, such as checking distracting websites. Use your best judgment and respect your classmates and instructor.

**Disability Access**

If you need individual accommodations to meet course outcomes because of a documented disability, please speak with me to discuss your needs as soon as possible so that we can ensure your full participation in class and fair assessment of your work. Students with special needs who meet criteria for the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) provisions must provide written documentation of the need for accommodations from the Counseling Center by the end of week three of the class, in order for instructors to plan accordingly. If a student would like to determine if they meet the criteria for accommodations, they should contact the Counseling Center at (808) 735-4845 or email [counselingcenter@chaminade.edu](mailto:counselingcenter@chaminade.edu) for further information.

### **Title IX Compliance**

Chaminade University of Honolulu recognizes the inherent dignity of all individuals and promotes respect for all people. Sexual misconduct, physical and/or psychological abuse will NOT be tolerated at CUH. If you have been the victim of sexual misconduct, physical and/or psychological abuse, we encourage you to report this matter promptly. As a faculty member, I am interested in promoting a safe and healthy environment, and should I learn of any sexual misconduct, physical and/or psychological abuse, I must report the matter to the Title IX Coordinator. If you or someone you know has been harassed or assaulted, you can find the appropriate resources by visiting Campus Ministry, the Dean of Students Office, the Counseling Center, or the Office for Compliance and Personnel Services.

### **Attendance Policy**

Students are expected to attend regularly all courses for which they are registered. Student should notify their instructors when illness or other extenuating circumstances prevents them from attending class and make arrangements to complete missed assignments. Notification may be done by emailing the instructor's Chaminade email address, calling the instructor's campus extension, or by leaving a message with the instructor's division office. It is the instructor's prerogative to modify deadlines of course requirements accordingly. Any student who stops attending a course without officially withdrawing may receive a failing grade.

Unexcused absences equivalent to more than a week of classes may lead to a grade reduction for the course. Any unexcused absence of two consecutive weeks or more may result in being withdrawn from the course by the instructor, although the instructor is not required to withdraw students in that scenario. Repeated absences put students at risk of failing grades.

Students with disabilities who have obtained accommodations from the Chaminade University of Honolulu ADA Coordinator may be considered for an exception when the accommodation does not materially alter the attainment of the learning outcomes. Federal regulations require continued attendance for continuing payment of financial aid. When illness or personal reasons necessitate continued absence, the student should communicate first with the instructor to review the options. Anyone who stops attending a course without official withdrawal may receive a failing grade or be withdrawn by the instructor at the instructor's discretion.

### **Academic Conduct Policy**

Any community must have a set of rules and standards of conduct by which it operates. At Chaminade, these standards are outlined so as to reflect both the Catholic, Marianist values of the institution and to honor and respect students as responsible adults. All alleged violations of the community standards are handled through an established student conduct process, outlined in the Student Handbook, and operated within the guidelines set to honor both students' rights and campus values.

Students should conduct themselves in a manner that reflects the ideals of the University. This includes knowing and respecting the intent of rules, regulations, and/or policies presented in the Student Handbook, and realizing that students are subject to the University's jurisdiction from the time of their admission until their enrollment has been formally terminated. Please refer to the Student Handbook for more details. A copy of the Student Handbook is available on the Chaminade website.

For further information, please refer to the Student Handbook at <https://studentaffairs.chaminade.edu/>

All sources must be documented through normal scholarly references/citations and all work must be submitted using the *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association, 6<sup>th</sup> Edition* (2010). Washington DC: American Psychological Association (APA) format. Please refer to Appendix A in the *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association, 6<sup>th</sup> Edition* for thesis and paper format.

Scholarly writing: The faculty at the Hawai'i School of Professional Psychology at Chaminade University of Honolulu is dedicated to providing a learning environment that supports scholarly and ethical writing, free from academic dishonesty and plagiarism. This includes the proper and appropriate referencing of all sources. You may be asked to submit your course assignments through "Turnitin," ([www.turnitin.com](http://www.turnitin.com)), an online resource established to help educators develop writing/research skills and detect potential cases of academic dishonesty. Turnitin compares submitted papers to billions of pages of content and provides a comparison report to your instructor. This comparison detects papers that share common information and duplicative language.



**PP8203 Intervention Practicum and Seminar Schedule**  
**(Tentative and May Be Subject to Change at Any Time)**

<b>Class #</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Class Agenda</b>	<b>Due Next Class</b>
1	01/07/20	Welcome Back to Seminar Introductions Course Syllabus	Review Clinical Training Manual and Practicum Handouts Clinical Training Manual
2	01/14/20	Peer Supervision	Review <i>APA Ethical Principles of Psychologist and Code of Conduct</i> Download from <a href="http://www.apa.org/ethics/code/index.aspx">http://www.apa.org/ethics/code/index.aspx</a>
3	01/21/20	Practicum Content Issues	
4	01/28/20	Practicum Process Issues	
5	02/04/20	Ethics and Law	*Prepare for Mock CCE
6	02/11/20	Change Process	*Prepare for Mock CCE
7	02/18/20	Special Populations	*Prepare for Mock CCE
8	02/25/20	Treatment Planning	*Prepare for Mock CCE
9	03/03/20	MOCK CCE 1: _____	*Prepare for Mock CCE
10	03/10/20	MOCK CCE 2: _____	*Prepare for Mock CCE
11	03/17/20	MOCK CCE 3: _____	*Prepare for Mock CCE
12	03/24/20	MOCK CCE 4: _____	*Prepare for Mock CCE
13	03/31/20	MOCK CCE 5: _____	
14	04/07/20	MOCK CCE 6: _____	
15	04/14/20	Discussion of CCE	<b>Paper Due next week</b>
16	04/21/20	Summary of Term and prepare for CCE	