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EDUCATION:

Psy.D. Clinical Psychology (APA Accredited Program)
1992 Baylor University, Waco, TX
Doctoral Project: Systemic Group Therapy

M.A. Counseling
1983 United States International University, San Diego, CA

B.S.W. Social Work
1978 University of Calgary, Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

B.A. Psychology
1977 University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada.

LICENSES:

Licensed Psychologist, California (License No.: PSY 13897) since 1994.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS:

Azusa Pacific University
Azusa, CA
Professor, 2010-present

Azusa Pacific University
Azusa, CA
Associate Professor, 2006-2010

Azusa Pacific University
Azusa, CA

Associate Director of Clinical Training, 2006-2009

Azusa Pacific University

Azusa, CA

Assistant Professor, 2005-2006

Antioch University at Los Angeles

Culver City, CA

Interim Core Faculty, 2004-2005

Pepperdine University

Los Angeles, CA

Adjunct Faculty, 2002-2005

California State University at Los Angeles

Los Angeles, CA

Part-time Faculty, 1999-2001

UCLA Department of Social Welfare

Los Angeles, CA

Clinical Instructor, 1998

Phillips Graduate Institute

Encino, CA

Adjunct Faculty, 1996-2002

Consortium on Asian American Mental Health Training

Los Angeles, CA

Founding Member, 1994-Present

ACADEMIC ROLES:

2019-present Doctoral Studies Council TTRP Committee member

2019-present Visiting Scholar, Hong Kong Baptist University, School of Social Work
(Provided lectures, training, and consultation to students and faculty members in the School of Social Work.)

2009-2015 Doctoral Studies Council Program Review Committee member

2008-2009 Doctoral Studies Council Program Review Committee Co-chair

2006-2009 Associate Director of Clinical Training

2006-2008 Doctoral Studies Council Program Review Committee member

PROFESSIONAL ROLE:

2018 Site Visitor, Social Work Program Accreditation, Hong Kong
Baptist University, School of Social Work

SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES:***Publications:***

Rahbar, Y., & Cheung, S. (in revision). Families from the Middle East. In G. K. Hong & S. Cheung (Eds.), *Migration and the family life cycle: A guide for therapists*. Washington, DC: American Psychological Association.

Cheung, S. (in preparation). An integrated group treatment program for Asian Americans with Schizophrenia. *Asian American Journal of Psychology*.

Cheung, S. (in final revision). Solution-focused brief therapy for immigrant families across the lifespan. In G. K. Hong & S. Cheung (Eds.), *Migration and the family life cycle: A guide for therapists*. Washington, DC: American Psychological Association.

Cheung, S. (in final revision). Family life cycle issues for immigrants from East Asia. In G. K. Hong & S. Cheung (Eds.), *Migration and the family life cycle: A guide for therapists*. Washington, DC: American Psychological Association.

Cheung, S., Lesser, I., & Cheung, F. (2014). Training in Asian American Mental Health: Past, Present, and Future. In M. Lin, S. Keo, & J. Kim (Eds.), *Commemoration of the Twentieth Anniversary of the Annual Asian American Mental Health Training Conference* (pp. 26-28). Los Angeles: Consortium on Asian American Mental Health Training.

MacLean, G., & **Cheung, S.** (2012). Educating and training future family psychologists: Multiple perspectives. *The Family Psychologist, 28*(3), 6-8.

Cheung, S. (2012). Education in Family Psychology: Proposed plans for 2012. *The Family Psychologist, 28*(1), 9-10.

Cheung, S. (2011a). Becoming a couple in the family life cycle: Implications for education in family psychology. *The Family Psychologist, 27*(1), 23-25.

Cheung, S. (2011b). Being parents in the family life cycle: Implications for education in family psychology. *The Family Psychologist, 27*(2), 9-11.

Cheung, S. (2011c). Families in later life: Implications for education in family psychology. *The Family Psychologist, 27*(3), 9-10.

- Cheung, S.** (2009a). Asian American immigrant mental health: Current status and future directions. In Jean Lau Chin (Ed.), *Diversity in mind and in action (Vol. 1, pp. 87-104)*. New York: Praeger Press/ABC-CLIO.
- Cheung, S.** (2009b). Solution-focused brief therapy. In J. Bray & M. Stanton (Eds.), *The Wiley-Blackwell Handbook of Family Psychology* (pp. 212-225). Wiley-Blackwell Publishing Ltd.
- Stanton, M. & **Cheung, S.** (2006). Assessing families in clinical practice. [Review of the book *Family assessment: Integrating multiple clinical perspectives*]. *PsycCRITIQUES: APA Review of Books*.
- Cheung, S.** (2005). Strategic and Solution-focused couple therapy. In M. Harway (Ed.), *Handbook of Couples Therapy* (pp. 194-210). New York: John Wiley & Sons.
- Cheung, S., & Hong, G.** (2005). Clinical application of attachment Theory: Cultural implications. *The Family Psychologist, 21*(2), 15-16.
- Cheung, S., & Hong, G.** (2004). Family therapy with children: Sociocultural considerations. *The Family Psychologist, 20*(3), 14-15.
- Cheung, S.** (2001a). Problem-Solving and Solution-Focused therapy for Chinese: Recent developments. *Asian Journal of Counselling, 8*(2), 111-128.
- Cheung, S.** (2001b). Problem-Solving and Solution-Focused therapy for Chinese: Recent innovations and trends. Proceedings of the Third Hong Kong Professional Counselling Association Biannual International Conference: *Innovative Counselling for Families*, 18-23.

Invited Presentations:

- Cheung, S.** (2001, June). Problem-solving and Solution-focused Therapy for Chinese: Recent Innovations and Trends. Keynote speech presented at the Third Hong Kong Professional Counselling Association Biannual International Conference: Innovative Counseling for Families, organized by the Hong Kong Professional Counselling Association, co-sponsored by the Chinese University of Hong Kong, and the Hong Kong Baptist University, Hong Kong, June.
- Cheung, S.** (2001, June). Problem-solving and Solution-focused Therapy: Principles and Practice. Workshop presented at the Third Hong Kong Professional Counselling Association Biannual International Conference: Innovative Counselling for Families, organized by the Hong Kong Professional Counselling Association, co-sponsored by the Chinese University of Hong Kong, and the Hong Kong Baptist University, Hong Kong.
- Cheung, S.** (2001, June). An Integrated Counseling Approach to Eating Disorders. Pre-convention workshop presented at the Third Hong Kong Professional

Counselling Association Biannual International Conference: Innovative Counselling for Families, organized by the Hong Kong Professional Counselling Association, co-sponsored by the Chinese University of Hong Kong, and the Hong Kong Baptist University, Hong Kong.

Other Professional Presentations:

Cheung, S. (2021, November). Helping psychiatric patients thrive amid the pandemic: Psychotherapeutic strategies. A virtual plenary lecture presented at the 2nd Jambi Medicine and Health Sciences International Conference (The 2nd JAMHESIC), Jambi, Indonesia.

Cheung, S. (2021, October). Staying safe and well: Navigating and thriving in tumultuous times. A training webinar presented at Asian American Mental Health Training, organized by the Consortium on Asian American Mental Health Training, co-sponsored by Harbor UCLA Medical Center, Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health, and Los Angeles Mental Health Commission, Los Angeles, CA.

Cheung, S. (2021, July). Family therapy for Asian American immigrant families with intergenerational conflict. A paper presented at the symposium of “Intergenerational Conflict in Immigrant Families: Latino and Asian American Perspectives” at the 32nd International Congress of Psychology in Prague, Czech Republic.

Cheung, S., Ng, W., Han, J., & Voong, V. (2021, July). An integrated multicultural therapy approach for Asian Americans with bulimia. A paper presented at the 32nd International Congress of Psychology in Prague, Czech Republic.

Cheung, S. (2019, March). An integrated multicultural treatment approach for bulimia nervosa. A workshop presented at Hong Kong Baptist University in Hong Kong.

Cheung, S. (2019, March). Group treatment for severe and persistent mental disorders. A lecture presented at Hong Kong Baptist University in Hong Kong.

Cheung, S. (2018, June). Multicultural group therapy for Asian immigrants with severe mental disorders. A workshop presented at the 22nd World Congress of Psychotherapy: Psychotherapy, Stronger through Diversity, organized by the International Federation for Psychotherapy in Amsterdam, the Netherlands.

Cheung, S. (2018, April). A multicultural treatment approach to bipolar disorder. A lecture presented at Hong Kong Baptist University in Hong Kong.

Cheung, S. (2016, October). A multicultural therapy approach to bipolar disorder in Asian Americans. Keynote speech with APA approved Continuing Education Units presented at the 22nd Annual Asian American Mental Health Training

- Conference: Asian American Mental Health: Past, Present, and Future, organized by the Consortium on Asian American Mental Health Training, co-sponsored by Harbor UCLA Medical Center, Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health, and Los Angeles Mental Health Commission, Alhambra, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2016, January). Group therapy in Asian American communities. A training workshop with APA approved continuing education units presented at the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health (LACDMH), Los Angeles, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2015, August). Family therapy for intergenerational conflict in Asian American immigrant families. Paper presented at the symposium: “Intergenerational conflict: Latino and Asian American perspectives” at the 123rd Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, ON.
- Cheung, S.** (2015, April). Treating depression in Asian American communities. A second training workshop with APA approved continuing education units presented at the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health (LACDMH), Los Angeles, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2015, January). Treating depression in Asian American communities. A training workshop with APA approved continuing education units presented at the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health (LACDMH), Los Angeles, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2014, October). Family therapy with Asian Americans: Principles and practice. Workshop with APA approved Continuing Education Units presented at the 20th Annual Asian American Mental Health Training Conference: Asian American Mental Health: Past, Present, and Future, organized by the Consortium on Asian American Mental Health Training, co-sponsored by Harbor UCLA Medical Center, Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health, and Los Angeles Mental Health Commission, Alhambra, CA.
- Bateman, E., **Cheung, S.**, Scott, S., Sickel, A., Martinez, R., & Kao, I. (2014, August). Enhancing the parent-child attachment of children adopted from foster care in the United States: A Workbook. Poster accepted for presentation at the 122nd Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.
- Martinez, R., **Cheung, S.**, Eaton, H., Park, J., Bateman, E., & Kao, I. (2014, August). Fostering positive identity development in multiracial children: A workbook. Poster accepted for presentation at the 122nd Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.

- Cheung, S.** (2013, January). An integrated multicultural, systemic, and social constructionist clinical family psychology model for Chinese. A series of seven lectures presented at the City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong.
- Cheung, S.** (2013, August). Solution-focused therapy for immigrant families at critical life cycle stages. Fellow Address presented at the 121st Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI.
- Cheung, S.** (2013, August). Therapy with immigrant Asian American families across the lifespan. Paper presented at the symposium: "Immigrant migration and the family life cycle: Clinical implications" at the 121st Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI.
- Trinh, A., **Cheung, S.**, Eaton, H., & Kubota, M. (2013, August). Support for Asian American families of individuals with schizophrenia: A psychoeducational manual. Poster presented at the 121st Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI.
- Cheung, S.** (2013, April). Combating Asian American caregivers' helplessness: Therapeutic and sociocultural considerations. Paper presented at the symposium: "Prevention of compassion fatigue in stressful times: Multicultural perspectives" at the 93rd Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association, Reno, NV.
- Cheung, S.** (2013, January). An integrated multicultural, systemic, and social constructionist family psychology model for Chinese. A series of eight lectures presented at the City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong.
- Cheung, S.** (2012, August). Spirituality and religion in family psychology: Curriculum and training considerations. Paper presented at the symposium: "Spirituality and religion in family therapy: Multicultural perspectives" at the 120th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Orlando, FL.
- McLean, G., Scott, S., & **Cheung, S.** (2012, August). Clinical necessity of assessing child survivors of childhood sexual abuse for dissociation early in treatment. Poster presented at the 120th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Orlando, FL.
- Girlando, C., Scott, S., & **Cheung, S.**, & Plaxton-Hennings (2012, August). Effects of maternal eating disorders on child development: Steps toward breaking the cycle. Poster presented at the 120th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Orlando, FL.
- Cheung, S.** (2012, April). Treating Asian American families with bipolar members: Eco-systemic psychological approaches. Paper presented at the symposium: "Working with diverse families in distress: Psychotherapeutic and community

- perspectives” at the 91st Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2012, January). An integrated multicultural, systemic, and social constructionist family psychology model for Chinese. A series of ten lectures presented at the City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong.
- Cheung, S.** (2011, August). Migration and the family life cycle: Implications for Chinese Americans. Paper presented at the Presidential Address of Division 43 (Society for Family Psychology): “Working with immigrant families across the lifespan: Insights and challenges” at the 119th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.
- Lundy, K., Scott, S., **Cheung, S.**, & Plaxton-Hennings, C. (2011, August). Eating disorders and personality profiles: The effects of childhood sexual abuse. Poster presented at the 119th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.
- Vindua, K., Dela Cruz, F., **Cheung, S.**, & Welsh, R. (2011, August). The relationship between acculturation and cultural values and its effect on the mental health of Filipino Americans. Poster presented at the 119th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.
- Chung, S., Eaton, H., & **Cheung, S.** (2011, August). A cultural identity and acculturation workshop for first and second generation Chinese Americans. Poster presented at the Annual Convention of the Asian American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.
- Chin, S., & **Cheung, S.** (2011, May). Therapeutic issues to consider when working with biracial individuals. Poster presented at the California Psychological Association of Graduate Students Cross Cultural Conference, San Diego, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2011, April). Gang involvement: A threat to the wellness of Asian American families. Paper presented at the symposium: “Threats to Family Wellness in Immigrant Communities: Hopes and Challenges” at the 91st Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association, Los Angeles, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2011, January). An integrated multicultural, systemic, and social constructionist treatment model for Chinese. A series of nine lectures presented at the City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong.
- Cheung, S.** (2010, August). Multisystemic therapy for Asian American youth violence: Socio-cultural applications. Paper presented at the symposium: “Effective therapy with violence-affected immigrant families: Multicultural considerations” at the 118th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, San Diego, CA.

- Chin, S., **Cheung, S.**, & Reimer, K. (2010, August). The mental health of biracial individuals: Challenges and opportunities. Poster presented at the 118th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, San Diego, CA.
- Heppell, P., **Cheung, S.**, Scott, S., & Howard, M. (2010, August). Treating trauma related issues in juveniles who sexually offend. Poster presented at the 118th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, San Diego, CA.
- Cao, M., Reimer, K., **Cheung, S.** (2010, August). Influence of religion and culture on Vietnamese American vocational identity. Poster presented at the 118th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, San Diego, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2010, April). Spirituality and psychotherapy in a Christian university-affiliated community counseling center. Paper presented at the symposium: "The integration of spirituality and psychotherapy with diverse populations" at the 90th Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association, Cancun, Mexico.
- Cheung, S.** (2010, January). Clinical Family Psychology for Chinese. A series of seven lectures presented at the City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong.
- Vindua, K., dela Cruz, F. A., & **Cheung, S.** (2009, October). The relationship between acculturation and mental health in Philippine-born and U.S.-born Filipino Americans. Paper presented at the Center for the Study of Asian American Health, College of Medicine, New York University, New York, NY.
- Cheung, S.** (2009, August). Solution-focused therapy for Asian American children with Attention-deficit/Hyperactivity disorders. Paper presented at the symposium: "Postmodern therapies for clients with severe mental disorders: Multicultural applications" at the 117th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- Cheung, S.** (2009, April). Recovery from severe and persistent mental disorders: Asian American perspectives. Paper presented at the symposium: "Treatment approaches for clients with severe psychosocial problems: Multicultural considerations" at the 89th Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association, Portland, OR.
- Fontes, L., Eaton, H. M., **Cheung, S.**, & Olvera, V. (2009, April). Literature Review for Clinicians Working with Latino Adolescents to Increase Both Retention and Participation in Psychotherapy. Poster presentation at California Psychological Association Conference, Oakland, California.
- Cheung, S.** (2009, January). Psychotherapy for Chinese. A series of nine lectures presented at the City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong.

- Cheung, S.** (2008, August). Positive Psychology for Asian American families in the Postmodern Era. Paper presented at the symposium: "Positive Psychology: Implications for Working with Culturally Diverse Families" at the 116th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Boston, MA.
- Clevenger, K., Houskamp, B., Bustrum, J., Reimer, K., & **Cheung, S.** (2008, August). Experiences of providing mental health services. Poster presented at the 116th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Boston, MA.
- Cheung, S.** (2008, April). Therapy for child maltreatment: Facilitating growth in Asian American families. Paper presented at the symposium: "Families in Trouble: Addressing Critical issues in Diverse Communities" at the 88th Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association, Irvine, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2008, April). Theory and practice of family therapy with children and adolescents. Paper presented at City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, China.
- Cheung, S.** (2007, August). Solution-focused therapy with immigrant Asian American families: Principles and practice. Paper presented at the symposium: "Family Therapy for Immigrant Populations: Postmodern Perspectives" at the 115th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Mok, D., Fok, A, & **Cheung, S.** (2007, August). Chinese fathers' involvement in infant care. Poster presented at the 115th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Kuhn, L., Tisdale, T. C., Stanton, M. & **Cheung, S.** (2007, August). Differentiation and integration: An interdisciplinary systems perspective on spiritual growth. Paper presented at the 115th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2007, May). Effective psychological services for immigrants: a relational multicultural approach. Paper presented at the symposium: "Relational Multicultural Approach to Psychological Services: Working with Diverse Populations" at the 87th Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
- Cheung, S.** (2006, October). Overcoming Eating Disorders in Asian Americans: An Integrated Treatment Approach. Workshop with APA approved Continuing Education Units presented at the 12th Annual Asian American Mental Health Training Conference: Controlling the Uncontrollable: Impulse Control Behaviors in Asian Americans, organized by the Consortium on Asian American Mental Health Training, co-sponsored by Harbor UCLA Medical Center, Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health, and Los Angeles Mental Health Commission, Long Beach, CA.

- Cheung, S.** (2006, August). Similar and yet Different Theoretical Voices: A Critical Review. Discussion presented at the symposium: “Critical Psychology: Training Family Psychologists in a Diverse Urban Environment” at the 114th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, New Orleans, LA.
- Cheung, S.** (2006, August). Couples Therapy for Asian Americans: Socio-Cultural Implications. Paper presented at the symposium: “Family Psychological Services across the Lifespan: Asian American Perspectives” at the 114th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, New Orleans, LA.
- Cheung, S.** (2006, April). Response to Crisis: An Ethnic Community Mental Health Perspective. Paper presented at the symposium: “Intervening in Times of Crisis: New Paradigms for Psychologist” at the 86th Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association, Palm Springs, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2006, February). Psychological Services for Immigrant Asian American Families: Community Perspectives. Paper presented at the American Psychological Association Expert Summit on Immigration: ‘Global Realities: Intersections and Transitions,’ San Antonio, TX.
- Cheung, S.** (2005, December). Solution-focused Approach to Parenting Education and Kindergarten Teaching. Paper presented to the Chinese University of Hong Kong Kindergarten Principals and Teachers at the Affirming Masters: Corporate Consultation and Training, Hong Kong.
- Cheung, S.** (2005, August). Strategic—Solution-focused Supervision in Multicultural Clinics: Challenges and Possibilities. Paper presented at the symposium: “Reflections on Multicultural Family Psychology: Personal Aspirations and Professional Challenges” at the 113th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.
- Cheung, S.** (2005, June). Theory and Practice of Group Therapy with Children and Adolescents. Paper presented at Azusa Pacific University at Azusa, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2005, April). Community Mental Health in Ethnic Communities: Psychologists as Change Agents. Paper presented at the symposium: “Practicing What We Preach: Proactive Psychologists in a Multicultural Society” at the 85th Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association, Portland, Oregon.
- Cheung, S.** (2005, March). Therapy with Child and Adult Survivors of Childhood Abuse: An Eco-systemic Perspective. Paper presented at Antioch University Southern California at Los Angeles.

- Cheung, S.** (2005, March). An Integrated Group Treatment Program for Asian Americans: Principles and Practice. A training workshop with APA-approved continuing education units presented at the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health, Los Angeles, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2005, March). Short-term Therapy for Asian Americans: Applied Principles and Practice. A training workshop with APA-approved continuing education units presented at the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health, Los Angeles, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2005, February). Short-term Therapy for Asian Americans: An Overview. A training workshop with APA-approved continuing education units presented at the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health, Los Angeles, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2004, August). Ethical Dilemmas in Community Clinics: Family Psychology Perspectives in Supervision. Paper presented at the symposium: "Ethical Issues in Contemporary Psychology: Multicultural Perspectives" at the 112th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI.
- Cheung, S.** (2004, June). Strategic and Solution-focused Therapy: Principles and Practice. Paper presented at Antioch University Southern California at Los Angeles.
- Cheung, S.** (2004, May). An Integrated Treatment Approach to Eating Disorders. Training presented at the Intern Training Seminar of Asian Pacific Counseling & Treatment Center in Los Angeles.
- Cheung, S.** (2004, January). Cultural Competence. Training Workshop presented at the First 5 LA Connect (the NexCare Collaborative, Inc.), Sherman Oaks, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2003, May). Treatment of Eating Disorders. Training presented at the Intern Training Seminar of Asian Pacific Counseling & Treatment Center in Los Angeles.
- Cheung, S.** (2003, February). Cultural Competence. Training Workshop presented at the First 5 LA Connect (the NexCare Collaborative, Inc.), Sherman Oaks, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2002, December). Counseling the Child and Adult Survivors of Childhood Abuse. Workshop presented at the Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Hong Kong.
- Cheung, S.** (2002, October). Therapy with Child and Adult Survivors of Childhood Abuse. Workshop presented at the Eighth Annual Asian American Mental Health Training Conference: Transcending Trauma and Restoring Harmony: Asian American Perspective, organized by the Consortium on Asian American Mental

- Health Training, co-sponsored by Harbor UCLA Medical Center, Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health, and Los Angeles Mental Health Commission, Long Beach, CA.
- Cheung, S.** (2002, August). Practical Issues in Supervision: An Asian American Community Clinic Perspective. Paper presented at the symposium: “Challenges in Family Therapy Supervision: Considerations for Multicultural Urban Communities” at the 110th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Chicago.
- Cheung, S.** (2001, October). Our Children’s Future: Health and Mental Health. Paper presented at the Call to Leadership Conference on “Our Children’s Future,” sponsored by the Graduate School of Education and Psychology of Pepperdine University, Los Angeles.
- Cheung, S.** (2001, August). Healthy Communities for Healthy Families: Evolving Roles for Family Psychology. Paper presented at the symposium: “Caring and Collaborative Diverse Communities: Emerging Opportunities for Family Psychologists” at 109th Annual Convention American Psychological Association, San Francisco.
- Cheung, S.** (2001, April). Understanding Eating Disorders. Workshop presented at the Second Safe Schools and Healthy Students Annual Conference, Los Angeles.
- Cheung, S.** (2000, August). Systemic Family-School Collaboration: Training Implications for Family Psychologists. Paper presented at the symposium: “Primary Prevention in Family Psychology: Fostering Resilience in Diverse Families” at 108th Annual Convention of American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.
- Cheung, S.** (1999, November). Overcoming Eating Disorders. Workshop presented at Phillips Graduate Institute, Los Angeles.
- Cheung, S.** (1999, August). Family Support Groups: Asian American Perspectives. Paper presented at 107th Annual Convention American Psychological Association, Boston, Massachusetts.
- Cheung, S.** (1998, April). Systemic Group Therapy. Workshop presented at the 6th National Group Work Conference of the Association for Specialists in Group Work (A division of the American Counseling Association) in Tucson, Arizona.
- Cheung, S.** (1997, October). Strategies in Working with Asian Families of Mental Health Service Consumers. Workshop presented at the Third Asian American Mental Health Training Conference, organized by the Consortium on Asian American Mental Health Training, co-sponsored by Harbor UCLA Medical

Center, Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health, and Los Angeles Mental Health Commission, Pasadena, CA.

Cheung, S. (1996, November). Moderator of the Panel Presentation "Creative Ways of Engaging Asians in Treatment" at the Second Annual Asian American Mental Health Training Conference: Treatment of Asian Americans, organized by the Consortium on Asian American Mental Health Training, co-sponsored by Harbor-UCLA Medical Center, Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health, and Los Angeles Mental Health Commission, Cerritos, CA.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES:

Clinical:

Asian Pacific Counseling & Treatment Centers (1992-2004)

Los Angeles, CA

Program Director/Clinical Psychologist

-Coordinated and supervised both the Children and Adult programs of a multi-ethnic, multi-lingual, multi-site, and multidisciplinary comprehensive mental health center in Los Angeles. Clientele ranges from young children to adults and senior adults. ***Many clients are first generation Asian and Latino American immigrants.***

-Offered psychological services: individual, couples, family, and group therapy; psychological testing for diagnostic, academic, and vocational evaluation, and treatment planning; consultation with the multidisciplinary teams of the center; and consultation for schools and community organizations.

-Supervised mental health professionals, interns, and students. Provided workshops and training in Asian American mental health, principles and practice of strategic and solution-focused brief therapy, understanding and treatment of eating disorders, psychotherapy with childhood abuse survivors, systemic group therapy, family support groups: Asian American perspectives, short-term therapy for Asian Americans, An Integrated Group Treatment Program for Asian Americans: Principles and Practice for mental health professionals, interns, students, and lay public.

Continued to specialize in: Asian and Latino American mental health, therapy with children and adolescents, brief therapy, substance-related disorders, eating disorders, personality disorders, post-traumatic stress disorder and other anxiety disorders, mood disorders, schizophrenia, and grief therapy.

Asian Pacific Consultation Services (1994-2004)

-Provided consultation services to clients with adjustment, attention-deficit/hyperactivity, mood, anxiety, post-traumatic stress, eating, and personality disorders, and relationship and grief issues.

Consultation Services (2004-present)

-Offered consultation services to clients with adjustment, attention-deficit/hyperactivity, mood, anxiety, post-traumatic stress, eating, and personality disorders, and relationship

and grief issues.

-Also provided consultation to a licensed psychologist, a licensed clinical social worker, and two psychiatric social workers on conducting group therapy with Asian/Asian American clients with mood and anxiety disorders at LACDMH in 2016.

Austin State Hospital (1991-1992)

Austin, Texas

Clinical Psychology Intern (APA approved doctoral internship)

-3 inpatient rotations included Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Services, Acute Care Services, and Alcohol and Drug Treatment Center. An outpatient internship took place at Hays County Mental Health and Mental Retardation Center, San Marcos, TX.

Doctor of Psychology Trainee (1988-1991)

-Completed 3 full-year 20 hours/week doctoral practica at the following sites:

Samaritan Counseling Center of Central Texas, Inc., and Heart of Texas Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse, 1990-1991.

Heart of Texas Mental Health and Mental Retardation, 1989-1990.

*Provided psychodynamic psychotherapy to diverse clients struggling with severe and persistent mental disorders and *evaluated police academy candidates about their suitability for law-enforcement services.

Baylor Psychological Services, Baylor University, 1988-1989.

Red Deer Regional Hospital (1984-1988)

Alberta, Canada

Clinical Therapist/Psychologist

Institute of Psychotherapy, Mental Health Services, Holy Cross Hospital (1985-1986, 1987-1988)

Calgary, Alberta, Canada

Family Therapy Trainee (8 hours/week). Specialized in working with individuals with Bulimia Nervosa and Anorexia Nervosa.

Alberta Social Services and Community Health (1983-1984)

Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada

Probation Officer and Child Welfare Worker

Foothills Hospital (1979-1982)

Calgary, Alberta, Canada

Mental Health Worker

Holy Cross Hospital (1978)

Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

Psychiatric Social Worker

Canadian Mental Health Association (1978)

Calgary, Alberta, Canada
Advocacy Coordinator

Administrative

Asian Pacific Counseling & Treatment Centers (APCTC) (1992-2004)
Los Angeles, CA
Program Director/Clinical Psychologist:

Program Development, Coordination, & Management:

- For 8 years, managed a team that specializes in treating Chinese and Japanese adult clients with severe and persistent mental disorders at APCTC, a large community mental health center in Los Angeles.
- Between December, 1999 and July, 2004, coordinated the same mental health center's multi-faceted Children and Family program.
- In addition, developed and directed both the Adult and Children programs in a site office of the same comprehensive mental health center between February, 2002 and July, 2004.
- Implemented culturally competent treatment programs through the judicious use of some innovative family and group therapy formats in order to engage clients in treatment.
- As a management team member, planned, developed, implemented, and evaluated programs and policies; and obtained grant funding (e.g. federal government grants in Safe Schools and Healthy Students Initiative, and state and county government grants such as Adult Targeted Case Management Service (ATCMS)).

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

- 11/2014 Invited Expert Consultant on Multicultural Issues in Clinical Case Conferences at LAC-USC Medical Center
--Provided clinical consultation on an enormously difficult Asian American child case.

- 11/2014 Invited Breakout Session Facilitator at the 1st Asian American Mental Health Conference on Promoting Emotional Well-being & Preventing Suicide among Asian/Asian American University Students at Caltech in Pasadena, CA
--Offered consultation and facilitation in a breakout session on reinforcing protective factors at the 1st Asian American Mental Health Conference on Promoting Emotional Well-being & Preventing Suicide among Asian/Asian American University Students at Caltech in Pasadena, CA.

- 08/2014 Spearheaded a Taskforce on Violence Prevention among Asian/Asian American Students on University Campuses at the Asian American Psychological Association (AAPA) Annual Convention in Washington, DC.

- Facilitated discussion on ways to reach out and psychoeducate Asian/Asian American university students and their families about mental health issues.
- 2011-2012 Vice-President for Education, Division 43 (Society for Family Psychology), American Psychological Association
--Planned, promoted, and coordinated the educational and training efforts for Division 43.
- 2008-Present & 1994 Mentor, Asian American Psychological Association (AAPA)
--Mentored students in their planning for graduate school and pre-doctoral internship in psychology at the AAPA Annual Conventions.
- 2005-Present 2000-2001 Program Proposal Reviewer, American Psychological Association (APA) Annual Convention, Division 43 Program Committee
--Has reviewed Division 43 program proposals for the APA Annual Conventions.
- 2015-2010 Membership Committee Chair, Division 43 (Society for Family Psychology), American Psychological Association
--Planned, promoted, and coordinated the membership recruitment, retention, and servicing efforts for Division 43.
- 2003-2004 Cultural Competence Consultant, First 5 California.
--Provided consultation on cultural competence to First 5 California.
- 2001-2004 Advisory Board Member, First 5 LA Connect, Los Angeles, CA
--Offered mental health and cultural competence consultation and direction to the planning and implementation of a warm line (telephone and internet) referral services to families with children under 5 years of age in the greater Los Angeles area.
- 2001 Program Co-chair, Division 43 (Family Psychology), American Psychological Association (APA)
--Planned and coordinated the Convention Program for Division 43 at the 109th APA Annual Convention in San Francisco, California in 2001.
- 2000-2004 Advisory Board Member, Safe Schools and Healthy Students Initiative Grant, Los Angeles, CA
--Offered mental health and cultural competence consultation and direction to the planning and implementation of a federal funded youth violence prevention program in elementary, junior high and high schools in Los Angeles.
- 2000 Hospitality Suite Co-chair, Division 43 (Family Psychology), American Psychological Association (APA)

--Reviewed proposals, planned and coordinated the Hospitality Suite program for the 108th APA Annual Convention in Washington, DC in 2000.

- 1999 Chairperson Interactive Session Committee, Asian American Psychological Association (AAPA)
--Reviewed proposals and coordinated the Interactive Sessions for the 1999 AAPA Annual Convention in Boston, Massachusetts.
- 1997-2004 L.P.S. Designation
--Designated by the Board of Supervisors of the Los Angeles County as a professional person who may initiate an involuntary hold of any person who is dangerous to him/herself or others or gravely disabled as a result of mental disorder for 72-hour evaluation and treatment.
- 1997-2002 Oral Examination Commissioner
--Served as an Oral Examination Commissioner for the California Board of Psychology's Licensing Examinations for five years.
- 1994-Present Founding Member, Consortium on Asian American Mental Health Training
--Has helped to plan and coordinate the Annual Asian American Mental Health Training Conferences since 1994.

AWARDS & HONORS:

-Elected Fellow of the Asian American Psychological Association (AAPA) for "unusual and outstanding contributions to the field of Asian American psychology" in 2015.

-Elected Fellow of the American Psychological Association (APA) for "[having] shown evidence of unusual and outstanding contributions or performance in the field of psychology" in 2012:

Society for Family Psychology – APA Division 43

-Distinguished Service to Family Psychology award from Division 43 (Society for Family Psychology) of APA in 2009

-Outstanding Service award as a founding member from the Consortium on Asian American Mental Health Training (CAAMHT) in 2004

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP:

American Psychological Association (APA)—Division 43 (Family Psychology)
Asian American Psychological Association (AAPA)

MAJOR RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS:

Asian and Latino American Mental Health
Eating Disorders
Childhood Maltreatment
Attention-deficit Hyperactivity Disorders.
Brief Therapy
Group Psychotherapy and Group Supervision
Theories and Techniques of Marriage and Family Therapy

REFERENCES UPON REQUEST.