

Academic Resume
for
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Education

1967 - B.A. in Psychology, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

1969 – M.A. in General/Theoretical Psychology, Fairleigh Dickinson University, Teaneck, NJ

1984 – Teaching Fellowship, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ – *Visiting Faculty*
Selected to participate in a year-long teaching fellowship focused on institutional and personal areas of study. With Theodore Rabb, Professor of History, Professor Morgovsky participated in an extensive analysis of General Education history and principles. With Peter Bunnell, Professor of Art, he studied the history of photography and received individualized training in photographic criticism. With Emmet Gowin, Artist-in-Residence, he joined a seminar on personal expression in photography.

Professional Affiliations

American Psychological Association

Member, Division 1, General Psychology

Chair, Committee on Psychology and Photography – Division 1

Member, Division 2, Teaching of Psychology

Member, Division 10, Psychology of Aesthetics, Creativity and the Arts

Member, Division 52, International Psychology

Member, American Psychological Society

Member, New Jersey Education Association

Member, Soho Photo Gallery

Publications:

Photography on the couch: the psychological uses of photography, *The General Psychologist*, Winter/Spring 2007, 42(1), 27-30. http://www.apa.org/divisions/div1/news/Winter-Spring2007/Winter-Spring%202007%20TGP_web.pdf

More Psychology on the Couch (Convention Highlight), *The General Psychologist*, Fall 2007, 42(2), pg.27.

Morgovsky, J. et al. *PsychNow! Interactive Experiences in Psychology* (Multimedia CD-ROM) New York: Wadsworth. 2002

Morgovsky, J., Deakin M. (1980) *Modern Dance Reflections*. Red Bank, NJ: Rigel Press

Morgovsky, J., Tomasulo, D. (1981) Noses on Our Faces: The Non-Use of Photography in Psychological Research and Practice. *Imagery - Bulletin of the American Association for the Study of Mental Imagery*. 4:2.

Morgovsky, J. (1983) Noses on Our Faces: The Non-Use of Photography in Psychological Research and Practice. In J.E. Shorr, G. Sobel-Whittington, P. Robin, and J.A. Connella (Eds.), *Imagery* (pp. 229-234). New York, NY, Plenum Press.

Summary of Professional Experience and Specializations

- ★ Professor Morgovsky's academic background encompasses more than 35 years as a successful educator and academic leader. Recognized both locally and nationally as a master teacher and outstanding colleague, he is highly sought after by students and staff alike.
- ★ He has been honored by his students three times as an Outstanding Teacher through Who's Who in American Education.
- ★ An author of important educational software (*Psych Now!* Thompson Education), he has also provided leadership to the Academic Computing Council at his institution. He is a pioneer in designing and teaching sections *Introduction to Psychology II* online at his college.
- ★ An outstanding lecturer, Professor Morgovsky has addressed many national conferences on topics as diverse as educational technology and the psychological significance of photographs. Most recently, he presented at the Annual Conference of the American Psychological Association in Hawaii, and the annual Colloquia of the Center for Holocaust Studies at Brookdale Community College.
- ★ Professor Morgovsky has chaired several major committees such as the General Education Committee, Academic Computing Council, College Governance, and the Portfolio Review Committee at Soho Photo Gallery. He has served as Chairman of the Psychology Department twice and two terms as Division Chair for Social Sciences.
- ★ As Advisor for the Brookdale Community College chapter of Psi Beta, the National Honor Society in Psychology for Two-Year colleges, Professor Morgovsky was recognized as the 2005 Virginia Staudt Sexton Outstanding Chapter Advisor. The Brookdale chapter of Psi Beta was also recognized as the 2005 Wadsworth Publishers Outstanding Psi Beta Chapter.
- ★ Professor Morgovsky is Chair of the *Committee on Psychology and Photography* for Division 1 of the American Psychological Association. The committee is charged with seeking out and drawing together other members of APA who are deeply involved

with photography. It will become a networking hub for those psychologists, creating a community of psychologist/photographers. The committee will engage in literature searches for published work on points of contact between psychology and photography. It will generate an essential reference list on the psychological dimensions of photography and also produce new relevant articles. Part of the committee's initiatives is also the exhibition of photographs made by psychologists called "Psychologists in Focus."

Professional Presentations

- August, 2008 -- Presentation: "Photopsychology" American Psychological Association 116th Convention, Boston, MA.
- January, 2008 – Curator and participant: **Psychologists In Focus: An Exhibition of Photographs by Psychologists**, Soho Photo Gallery, New York, NY
- August, 2007 -- Symposium: "Psychology On the Couch: Psychologists Analyze Photography" American Psychological Association 115th Convention, San Francisco, August 18, 2007.
- November 2006 – *Psychologists in Focus: Seeing Global Diversity*, St. Francis College, Brooklyn, New York
- July, 2004 - *Reading Pictures*, American Psychological Association, Honolulu, Hawai'i
- July, 2003 – *Lens and Psyche*, American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada
- January 7, 1999 – *The Internet Curmudgeon: We Are Not Alone!* Syllabus Education Technology Conference, New School University, NYC.
- July, 1998 – *The Internet Curmudgeon Strikes Back*, Syllabus '98 Conference, Sonoma State University, CA.
- October, 1997, *Return of the Internet Curmudgeon*, Conference on Information Technology, Atlanta, Georgia.
- November, 1996 – *An Hour with the Internet Curmudgeon*, Conference on Information Technology, Phoenix, Arizona.
- November 1995 -- Internet: Learning Experiences on the World Wide Web, Conference on Information Technology, Kansas City, Kansas.
- June, 1994 -- *A Multimedia Tutorial on Negative Reinforcement*, APS Annual Institute on the Teaching of Psychology, Washington, DC.
- July, 1993 – *A Multimedia Tutorial on Negative Reinforcement*, American Psychological Association Convention, Toronto, Canada.
- October 1992 -- *Creating a Multimedia Presentation to Help Beginning Psychology Students Understand a difficult Topic: Negative Reinforcement*. 1992 Annual Conference of the League for Innovation in the Community College, Orlando, Florida.
- February, 1987 -- Co-Presenter, *Explorations in CORE Curricula: A Conference for Quality Education in Two-Year Colleges*, La Guardia Community College/CUNY, Long Island City, NY.
- April, 1986 – *The Uses of Photography in Institutionalized Settings: a Workshop*, Mid-Atlantic Consortium on Human Services, Lincroft, NJ.