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**Curriculum Vitae:**

Dr. James Wulach is a practicing psychologist and attorney in Springfield, New Jersey. He is Professor of Psychology at the John Jay College of Criminal Justice, City University of New York, where he is the Coordinator of the Postgraduate Certificate Program in Forensic Psychology, Coordinator of the MA-JD dual-degree program with New York Law School (which he designed), faculty member of the Clinical Psychology Doctoral Program at John Jay College, and formerly Director of the MA Program in Forensic Psychology.

He is Past President of the New Jersey Psychological Association, and the recipient of its 2013 Distinguished Teacher Award, and 2015 Lifetime Achievement Award. He is a past President of the New Jersey Academy of Psychologists, and a past Chair of the Committee on Professional Practices and Standards of the American Psychological Association. He is a past President of the Society of Psychologists in Private Practice (SPPP, since renamed EUCAP). He is the recipient of the American Psychological Association's 1997 Karl F. Heiser Award for Advocacy. He is the New Jersey Psychological Association's 1999 Psychologist of the Year. He is the 2004 recipient of the Distinguished Service Award from the Society of Psychologists in Private Practice.

Dr. Wulach is the author of the books, Law & Mental Health Professionals: New Jersey, and also Law & Mental Health Professionals: New York, both published by the American Psychological Association. He is the author of 30 published articles in scientific and professional journals. He has made over 60 psychological lectures and presentations to professional groups.

Dr. Wulach received his B.A. from Johns Hopkins University, J.D. from the University of Michigan Law School, and Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology from the City University of New York at City College. He was awarded a Certificate in Psychotherapy and Psychoanalysis from the New York University Postdoctoral Program.

**EDUCATION:**

1965-1969 Johns Hopkins University. B.A.

1969-1972 University of Michigan Law School. J.D.

1972-1976 City University of New York at City College. Ph.D.  
(Clinical Psychology).

1978-1984 New York University. Certificate of Specialization in  
Psychotherapy (Postdoctoral Program).

**EMPLOYMENT:** (Complete History Upon Request).

1980-Present John Jay College of Criminal Justice, City University  
of New York:

Full Professor of Psychology (tenured).

Coordinator, Postgraduate Certificate in Forensic  
Psychology

Director, M.A. Program in Forensic Mental Health  
Counseling.

Past Director, MA Program in Forensic Psychology.

Doctoral Faculty, Program in Forensic Psychology.

1978-Present Private Practice of Psychology, New Jersey and New  
York.

**LICENSES:**

1973-Present Licensed Attorney, Michigan. Emeritus.

1978-Present Licensed Psychologist, New Jersey & New York.

1995-Present Licensed Attorney, New Jersey.

**SOCIETIES:**

1978-Present New Jersey Psychological Association:  
Lifetime Achievement Award, 2015  
Distinguished Teacher Award, 2013  
Psychologist of the Year, 1999.  
President, 1995.  
Member-at-Large, Executive Board, 1992-1995.  
Chair, Council on Legislative Affairs, 1993.

1978-Present New York State Psychological Association:

Chair, Committee on Courts and Corrections, 1980-1985.

- 1978-Present American Psychological Association:  
Member & Chair, APA Committee on Professional Practice and Standards (COPPS), 1990 - 1993.  
  
Karl F. Heiser Award for Advocacy, 1997.
- 1988-1997 New Jersey Academy of Psychology:  
President, 1994.  
Treasurer, 1992.  
Executive Board, 1990-1993.
- 1988-Present Society of Psychologists in Private Practice (SPPP):  
Executive Board, 1993.  
President, 2000.  
Distinguished Service Award, 2004.
- 1991-Present Advisory Board, The Journal of Psychiatry & Law.

**GRANTS :**

- 2013 Psychology Department, John Jay College of Criminal Justice. \$1950 Research Overhead Grant, for study of State Psychology Board Disciplinary Actions.
- 1993-1994 45 Foundation. \$2500 Research Grant to update the volumes of New York & New Jersey Law & Mental Health Professionals.
- 1992-1993 45 Foundation. \$2000 Research Grant to complete the volume Law & Mental Health Professionals: New York.
- 1990-1992 PSC-CUNY Research Foundation. \$9000 Research Award, #886-2995 to write Law & Mental Health Professionals: New Jersey.
- 1990 New Jersey Psychological Association. \$350 grant for computer research support to write Law & MHPs: New Jersey.

**BOOKS :**

- Law & Mental Health Professionals: New Jersey. Washington, DC: American Psychological Assn. 1991.
- Law & Mental Health Professionals: New Jersey (2nd Ed.). Washington, DC: American Psychological Assn. 1998.

Law & Mental Health Professionals: New York.  
Washington, DC: American Psychological Assn. 1993.

Law & Mental Health Professionals: New York.  
Washington, DC: American Psychological Assn. 1999  
Supplement, with BJ Cling.

**ARTICLES:**

Piagetian cognitive development and primary process thinking in children. Journal of Personality Assessment, 1977, 41, 230-237.

The incompetency plea: Abuses and reforms. The Journal of Psychiatry and Law, 1980, 8, 317-328.

The assessment of competency to waive Miranda rights. The Journal of Psychiatry and Law, 1981, 9, 209-220.

Mania and Crime: A study of 100 manic defendants. Bulletin of the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law, 1983, 11 (1), 69-76.

August Aichorn's Legacy: The treatment of narcissism in criminals International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology, 1983, 27, (3), 226-234.

The Criminal Personality as a DSM-III-R antisocial, narcissistic, borderline, and histrionic personality disorder. International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology, 1988, 32, (3), 185-199. Reprinted in N.Z. Hilton et al (Eds). Clinical Criminology: Theory, Research, and Practice. Toronto: Canadian Scholars' Press, 1990.

Expert witnesses. New Jersey Psychologist, 1990, 40, (3), 29-31.

Psychological evaluation of consent to search. Journal of Psychiatry & Law, 1990, 18, (4), 319-328,

Psychological evaluation of Miranda waivers. New Jersey Trial Lawyer, 1991, 5, (3), 72-76.

Confidentiality and privileged communications. New Jersey Psychological Association Practice Manual. Livingston, N.J., 1992.

Licensure and Regulation of Psychologists: Professional Misconduct. New Jersey Psychological Association Practice Manual. Livingston, N.J., 1992.

Child Sacrifice. [Review of In the Shadow of Moloch, by Martin Bergmann]. Contemporary Psychology, 1993, 38 (7), 724.

Ethical Guidelines in Forensic Psychology. New Jersey Psychological Association Practice Manual, Revised. Livingston, N.J., 1994.

The New Child Custody Guidelines. N.J. Trial Lawyer. March 1994. Reprinted in N.J. Psychologist, 1994, 44, (1), 26-29.

NJPA'S 1995 Action Plan. New Jersey Psychologist. Winter 1995, 45, (1), 5-6.

Be Prepared. New Jersey Psychologist. Spring 1995, 45, (2), 5.

NJPA: How to Get Involved. New Jersey Psychologist. Summer 1995, 45, (3), 5.

The Future of Psychology. New Jersey Psychologist. Fall 1995, 45, (4), 5.

Comments. The Forensic Psychiatry Echo. April, 1997, 12-13, 25-26.

The Duty to Warn. New Jersey Psychologist. Spring, 1999, 49, (2), 10-11.

The Experience of Flow in the Profession of Psychology. New Jersey Psychologist. Winter, 2000, 50, (1), 33.

State Board Complaints. New Jersey Psychological Association Private Practice Manual. Livingston, N.J., 2002.

Wulach, JS, et al. Dealing with the aftermath: NJ Psychologists' Response to the 9/11 Attack. New Jersey Psychologist. Fall, 2002, 52, (4), 30-32.

HIPAA Compliance Disorder. New Jersey Psychologist. Spring 2003, 53, (2). Reprinted in The Delaware Psychological Association Bulletin, June, 2003, 6.

Wulach, JS & Shapiro, DL. Legal and Ethical Considerations in Custody Evaluations. A Handbook of Divorce and custody: Forensic, developmental and clinical perspectives. L. Gunsberg & P. Hymowitz, Eds. Hillsdale, NJ: The Analytic Press. 2005.

Legal Perils of Child Psychologists. New Jersey Psychologist. Spring, 2005, 55, (2), 19.

To Report or Not to Report. New Jersey Psychologist. Winter, 2006, 56, (1), 15-17.

The Release of Test Data. New Jersey Psychologist. Spring, 2006, 57, (2), 14-15.

Laws Governing Adolescent Sexual Relationships. NJ Psychological Association Update. 6/13/08.

State Board Complaints . 2012 NJPA Private Practice Manual. Livingston, N.J., 2012, 27-30.

Board of Psychological Examiner's Regulations. 2012 NJPA Private Practice Manual. Livingston, N.J., 2012, 12-17.

Coping with Subpoenas. 2012 NJPA Private Practice Manual. Livingston, N.J., 2012, 56-59.

The child custody evaluation guidelines & regulations. 2012 NJPA Private Practice Manual. Livingston, N.J., 2012, 31-38.

Training in Forensic Psychology. New Jersey Psychologist. Summer, 2012, 62, (3), 32-34.

#### **PRESENTATIONS:**

1979 Hospital versus Prison: Legal and Psychological Issues in Competency. Presented to Psychology Department, Kings County Hospital, Brooklyn. 1/4/79.

Leader, Division of Clinical Psychology and John Jay College Symposium. Current Issues in Forensic Psychology. Presented at the New York State Psychological Association Annual Convention, 5/13/79.

1981 Criminal Justice. A television interview on "City Comment". Channel 31, NYC, 1/13/81.

Juvenile Delinquency: Legal and Psychological Issues. Presented to the Child Psychology Department, Long Island Jewish-Hillside Medical Center, 1/19/81.

Psychosis and Crime: A systems Approach: Presented at Grand Rounds, Mid-Hudson Psychiatric Center, 3/26/81.

- Miranda Rights and Psychology. A television interview on "City Comment". Channel 31, NYC 8/5/81.
- 1982 Discussant, Legal and Ethical Issues in Psychoanalysis and Psychotherapy. New York University Postdoctoral Colloquium, 2/5/82.
- Judge, Regional Client Counseling Competition, N.Y.U. Law School, 3/6/82.
- The Psychology of the Hitman. Interview on WABC Eyewitness News, 4/15/82.
- Leader, Division of Clinical Psychology Symposium: New Issues in Forensic Psychology. Presented to New York State Psychological Association Annual Convention, 4/23/82.
- Psychopathy: Classical and Revisionist Views. Presented to New York State Psychological Association, 4/23/82.
- Predicting Violence by Computer: Selective Incapacitation. Interview on WABC Eyewitness News, 11/21/82. Reprinted in El Diario, 11/27/82.
- 1983 Prediction of Violent Conduct. Workshop Leader at Brooklyn College conference on Psychology's Response to Crime and Violence, 3/13/83.
- Legal and Ethical Issues in Psychotherapy. Presented to New York State Psychological Association Annual Convention, 4/27/84.
- 1984 The Psychologist as Expert Witness. Presented to New York State Psychological Association Annual Convention, 4/29/84.
- The Treatment of Narcissism in Criminals. Organized symposium and presented paper to New York State Psychological Association Annual Convention, 4/29/84.
- 1985 Legal and Ethical Issues in Counseling. Presented to N.J. Association of Counseling Psychologists, Annual Meeting, Kean College, Union, N.J., 2/20/85.
- The Psychologist as Expert Witness. New York State Psychological Association and John Jay College Symposium, 5/10/85.
- Deja vu: The Repetition Compulsion in Love. Workshop Leader, YMHA, Livingston, N.J., 10/6/85.

- Psychology of Criminal Behavior. Instructor, Maplewood-South Orange Adult School, 10/12 -11/2 (Saturdays).
- 1986 Chair, Mock Trial Demonstration. Presented to New Jersey Psychological Association Annual Convention, 4/25/86.
- Panelist, Capers, Scams & Stings. Mystery Writers Annual Seminar at John Jay College of Criminal Justice, C.U.N.Y., 5/5/86.
- Staff, Emergency Psychology Technician Program  
Developed teaching module and taught Emergency Service Unit of the NYC Police Department. 4/86-6/86 (Wednesdays).
- 1987 Presenter, Forensic Psychology, New Jersey Academy of Psychology, Scientific Meeting, 6/7/87.
- 1988 Instructor, Forensic Psychology Course, New Jersey Academy of Psychology, 4/5/88, Reliability and Validity of Psychological Tests in the Courtroom.
- 1989 Presenter, Malingering on Psychological Tests. NJPA-Law Guardians Conference, Princeton, N.J. 5/19/89
- 1990 Instructor, Seton Hall University, Psychopathology and Law, 7-hour minicourse, 7/13/90
- Expert Witness, Trial Advocacy Program, Legal Aid Society, New York City, 6/21-22/90.
- Twins & Crime. Interview on CNBC cable television with Dr. Judy Kuriansky. 11/14/90.
- Legal and Ethical Issues in Psychotherapy. Bergen County Association of Licensed Psychologists. Ridgewood, N.J. 11/16/90.
- Psychology, Drugs, and Crime. UJA Federation, Substance Abuse Committee, New York City, 11/29/90.
- 1991 Psychology and Law. Institute on Forensic Psychology, Fairleigh Dickinson University, Teaneck, N.J. 1/25/91
- Testimony to N.J. Senate Judiciary Committee, representing NJPA, in support of a confidentiality law, Trenton, N.J. 2/25/91.
- Legal Issues in Psychology. NJPA Spring Convention. Newark, N.J. 4/27/91.

1992

Law & Mental Health Professionals. Grand Rounds, Monmouth County Hospital Center. Long Branch, N.J. 1/21/92.

Legal Issues in Psychology, Psychiatry & Social Work. Grand Rounds, Elizabeth General Hospital. Elizabeth, N.J. 4/6/92.

APA Develops Guidelines for Custody Evaluations. Interviewed in the APA Monitor, March 1992, 23 (3), 24-25.

Working Draft of Child Custody Evaluation Guidelines. Panel Discussion: Committee on Professional Practice and Standards. American Psychological Association Annual Convention. Washington, D.C. 8/14/92.

Forensic Psychology Seminar. Created and taught course on custody evaluation, criminal assessment, etc. New Jersey Academy of Psychology. Orange, N.J. 9/92 - 12/92.

Risk Management in Professional Psychology. Guest Lecture, Monmouth County Psychological Association. Red Bank, N.J. 10/16/92.

1993

Legal & Ethical Issues in Psychotherapy. Morris County Psychological Association. Florham Park, N.J. 3/10/93.

How to Avoid Malpractice. Counseling Psychology Department, Seton Hall University. South Orange, N.J. 5/6/93.

Legal & Ethical Issues in Psychoanalytic Treatment. Center for Advanced Psychoanalytic Studies (CAPS), Livingston, N.J. 5/21/93.

Psychology & Law. N.J. Department of Human Resources, Psychology Interns and Clinical Staff. Princeton, N.J. 7/14/93.

Legal & Ethical Implications of Record Keeping Guidelines. APA Annual Convention, Toronto, Canada, 8/21/93.

Custody Guidelines, Record Keeping Guidelines, and Child Abuse Booklet Update. APA Annual Convention, Toronto, Canada, 8/22/93.

Confidentiality & Privileged Communications. Counseling Staff, Seton Hall University. 9/17/93.

Managed Care: Legislative Solutions. NJPA Managed Care Workshop, Iselin, N.J. 10/8/93.

How to Avoid a Malpractice Suit. Presenter, New Jersey Academy of Psychology Annual Meeting, Whippany, 10/16/93.

NJPA'S Legislative Agenda. NJPA Fall Convention, Somerset, 11/5/93.

1994

Child Custody Evaluations: New Guidelines & Practice Issues. NJPA-Seton Hall Continuing Education Workshop. South Orange, 1/14/94.

Confidentiality and Privilege. NJPA Workshop for Newly Licensed Psychologists. Livingston, N.J. 4/17/94.

Testimony to N.J. State Senate Commerce Committee, representing NJPA, on state regulation of psychoanalysis. 5/12/94.

APA council approves child-custody guidelines. Quoted extensively, APA Monitor, 5/94, p. 13.

Issues in Child Custody. Lecture to Graduate Students, Seton Hall University, S. Orange, N.J. 6/11/94.

Psychologists' expertise is often essential in court. Quoted extensively, APA Monitor, 6/94, p. 1.

Child Custody Issues: American Association of Trial Lawyers (AATL), New Jersey. Atlantic City, 9/23/94.

Child Custody Guidelines: Cross Examination Issues. Presented to N.J. Institute for Continuing Legal Education (ICLE). New Brunswick, N.J. 10/7/94.

NJPA's Response to the Current Health Care Crisis. Presented to the Society of Professional Psychologists in Private Practice (SPPP). West Orange, N.J. 11/30/94.

Psychology, Psychiatry and Law: New Issues. Presented as Grand Rounds, Department of Psychiatry, St. Joseph's Hospital. Paterson, N.J. 12/07/94.

1995

Avoiding Professional Misconduct: The New Regulations of the State Board. New Jersey Psychological Association Workshop. Seton Hall University. 1/19/95.

Career Dreams and Realities. Keynote Speaker, Graduate Convocation. Kean College. Union, NJ. 4/5/95.

Current Issues in Psychology. Presented to South Jersey Psychological Association. Cherry Hill, 4/7/95.

NJPA's 1995 Action Plan. Luncheon Address, New Jersey Psychological Association Convention. Long Branch, NJ. 4/29/95.

Legal & Ethical Issues in Psychology. New Jersey Psychological Association Workshop for New Members. Livingston, NJ. 5/7/95.

Current Issues in Child Custody Evaluations. Seton Hall University. South Orange, NJ. 6/3/95.

The Future of Psychology. Luncheon Address, New Jersey Psychological Association Convention. Somerset, NJ. 10/28/95.

1996 Legal & Ethical Issues in Psychology. New Jersey Psychological Association Workshop for New Members. Livingston, NJ. 4/21/96.

1997 Law & Mental Health. Grand Rounds, St. Elizabeth's Hospital. Elizabeth, NJ. 1/28/97.

Panelist, Custody/Visitation Disputes: Determining the "Best Interests of the Child." ICLE, New Brunswick, 3/8/97.

Legal & Ethical Issues in Psychology. New Jersey Psychological Association Workshop for New Members. Livingston, NJ. 3/16/97.

Confidentiality. Panelist, NJPA Spring Conference. Somerville, NJ. 4/12/97.

How to Avoid Professional Misconduct. Mercer County Psychological Association. Princeton, NJ. 4/19/97.

Child, Therapist & Court. NJPA Fall Conference. Morristown, NJ. 11/8/97.

Psychology & Law. Grand Rounds, St. Joseph's Hospital. Paterson, NJ. 12/3/97.

1998 Law & Psychology. New Jersey Psychological Association. Livingston, NJ. 3/29/98.

Risk Management. New Jersey Psychological Association Seminar. Woodbridge, NJ. 6/5/98.

- Ethical and Legal Issues in Psychology. Seton Hall University. South Orange, NJ. 6/12/98.
- Risk Management. Morristown Psychological Association. Morristown, NJ. 11/11/98.
- Biases & Ethical Dilemmas of Lawyers, Judges & Psychologists. Panelist, ICLE. New Brunswick, NJ. 11/20/98.
- 1999 Law & Psychology. State of New Jersey, Department of Human Services, Psychology Internship Program. Trenton, NJ. 7/19/99.
- A Psychologist's Experience of Flow. Psychologist of The Year Address, New Jersey Psychological Assn., Edison, NJ, 10/23/99.
- Uses & Abuses of Psychological Tests. Essex County Prosecutor's Office, Newark, NJ. 11/23/99
- 2000 The Psychology of the Criminal Mind. Graduate Psychology Society, Kean University. Union, NJ. 3/23/00
- Legal & Ethical Issues in Psychology. New Jersey Psychological Association. Livingston, NJ. 10/29/00.
- 2002 Psychological & Legal Issues in Miranda Waivers. Legal Aid Society Conference. Brooklyn, NY. 6/6/02.
- Psychology's Response to the 9/11 World Trade Center Attack. International Perspectives on Crime, Justice & Public Order: Sixth Biennial Conference. London, England. 6/17/02.
- Legal & Ethical Issues in Psychology. New Jersey Psychological Association. Livingston, NJ. 11/3/02.
- 2003 Professional Misconduct. Seton Hall University. South Orange, NJ. 5/20/03.
- Confidentiality Issues in the Treatment of Sex Offenders. NJ Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers. Scotch Plains, NJ. 12/5/03.
- 2004 Complaints to the State Board of Psychological Examiners. Society of Psychologists in Private Practice. Millburn, NJ. 3/7/04.

- Ethical & Legal Issues in Psychology. New Jersey Psychological Association. Livingston, NJ. 11/19/04.
- 2005 Psychologist of the Year: Introduction. New Jersey Psychological Association. Woodbridge, NJ. 10/30/05.
- 2006 Rules & Regulations in the Practice of Psychology. New Jersey Psychological Association. Woodbridge, NJ. 3/24/06.
- 2007 The Expanding Professional Scope of Practice. New Jersey Psychological Association. Woodbridge, NJ. 6/22/07.
- 2008 How to Avoid Malpractice in Clinical Social Work. NASW-NJ Essex County Chapter. Maplewood, NJ. 3/31/08.
- Legal & Ethical Issues in Social Work. Family Service of Morris County. Morristown, NJ. 5/3/08 & 6/10/08.
- 2010 Managing Legal and Regulatory Issues. NJ Psychological Assn, New Practitioner's Workshop. West Orange, NJ. 9/27/10.
- Legal & Ethical Issues in Supervision. Seton Hall University (6-Hour Training). S. Orange, NJ. 10/15/10.
- 2011 Practice Issues in Law & Psychology. NJ Psychological Assn, New Practitioner's Workshop. West Orange, NJ. 10/3/11.
- 2012 Program Development in Forensic Psychology. International Conference on Justice, Security and Human Rights, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY. New York, NY., 6/8/12
- 2013 Jurisprudence for Psychologists. NJ Psychological Assn., 2-hour Webinar (75+ Participants). West Orange, NJ. 6/24/13.
- Managing Legal and Regulatory Issues. NJ Psychological Assn, New Practitioner's Workshop. West Orange, NJ. 9/16/13.
- All You Wanted to Know About Law & Psychology But Were Afraid to Ask. Essex-Union County Association of Psychologists (EUCAP). Maplewood, NJ, 09/29/13.

- Legal and Ethical Issues in Retirement Planning. NJ  
Psychological Assn. West Orange, NJ. 10/5/13.
- State Board Disciplinary Processes and Actions. NJ  
Psychological Assn. Iselin, NJ. 11/3/2013
- 2014 Legal & Ethical Issues in Supervision. NJ  
Psychological Assn. West Orange, NJ. 3/31/14.
- Everything You wanted to Know About Legal Issues in  
Psychology Practice. Northeast Counties Association  
of Psychologists (NCAP). Cresskill, NJ. 5/14/14.