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Cátedra Richard David Scott de Investigación en Medicina del

Desarrollo Pediátrico

Hospital de Niños en Boston

EDUCACIÓN

B.A. 1975	McGill University	Montreal, Canada
	Psychology, Honours	
M.S. 1976	University of Wisconsin	Madison, Wisconsin
	Educational Psychology	
M.S. 1977	University of Wisconsin	Madison, Wisconsin
	Psychology	
Ph.D. 1981	University of Kansas Child and Developmen	Lawrence, Kansas Ital Psychology
Postdoc Minnesot	University of Minnesota a 1981-1983 Electrophysiology	Minneapolis,











HONORARIOS

- Honours in Psychology, McGill University (1975)
- Who's Who in America
- Who's Who in the World
- Directory of American Scholars
- McKnight-Land Grant Professorship, University of Minnesota (1986–1988)
- Joseph P. Kennedy Award
- Core Group Member, MacArthur Foundation
- Research Network on Psychopathology and Development (1994– 2000)
- Fellow, American Psychological Society
- Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science
- Fellow, American Psychological Association
- Chair, MacArthur Foundation Research Network on Early Experience and Brain Development (1998–2005)
- Distinguished McKnight University Professor, University of Minnesota (1998–2005)
- Nancy M. and John E. Lindahl Professor for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, University of Minnesota (2002–2005)
- Honorary Member, Romanian Academy of Medical Sciences
- Richard David Scott Chair in Pediatric Developmental Medicine Research, Children's Hospital Boston Harvard Medical School (2005– Present)
- Honorary M.S., Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts (2005)
- Knowles Scholar, Harvard College (2008, 2010)
- Certificate of Merit Co-Author of Award-Winning Essay, Art and Science Category, Plastic Surgery Education Foundation Awards (2009)
- Resident Fellow, Rockefeller Foundation Bellagio Center (2011)
- Doctor Honoris Causa, Bucharest University (2011)











- Astor Visiting Professor lecture, Department of Experimental Psychology, Oxford University (2011)
- Honorable Mention in Biological Psychiatry, Ziskind-Somerfeld Research Award (2012)
- Leon Eisenberg Award, Harvard Medical School, (2013)
- Elected, American Academy of Arts and Sciences (2013-)
- Maureen Evans Award, Joint Council on International Children's Services, (2013)
- Ruane Prize for Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Research, Brain
 & Behavior Research Foundation (2017)
- T. Berry Brazelton Award for Innovation, Boston Children's Hospital/Harvard Medical School (2017)
- Elected, National Academy of Medicine (2018-)
- Donald D. Matson Lecture, Exposure to Early Adversity Can Undermine Healthy Brain Development. American Association of Neurological Surgeons Annual Scientific Meeting, San Diego, CA (2019)
- Elected, Corresponding Member, British Academy (2020-)

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

2014-Present Professor, Harvard Graduate School of Education

2014-PresentAdjunct Professor of Psychology, Brandeis University

2009 – Present Professor of Psychology in Psychiatry, Harvard Medical School

2007 – Present Professor in the

Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences,

Harvard School of Public Health

2006– Present Visiting Professor, Department of Psychology and Education, Bucharest

University

2006– PresentFaculty Affiliate, Program in Neuroscience, Harvard University

2005– PresentMember of the Faculty, Graduate School of Education, Harvard University











- 2005– PresentProfessor of Pediatrics and Neuroscience, Harvard Medical School
- 2005– Present Richard David Scott Chair in Pediatric Developmental Medicine Research, Children's Hospital Boston
- 2005– PresentDirector of Research, Developmental Medicine, Boston Children's Hospital
- 2002–2005 Nancy M. and John E. Lindahl Professor for Excellence in Teaching and Learning
- 2000–2005 Co-Director and Founder, Center for Neurobehavioral Development, University of Minnesota
- 1998–2005 Distinguished McKnight University Professor
- 1998–2005 Professor, Department of Psychiatry
- 1998–2005 Professor, Department of Neurology
- 1996–2005 Professor, Department of Radiology
- 1993–2005 Professor, Institute of Child Development, University of Minnesota
- 1993–2005 Professor, Department of Pediatrics, University of Minnesota
- 1993–2005 Professor, Program in Neuroscience, University of Minnesota
 - 1993–1998 Director of Graduate Studies, Institute of Child Development, University of Minnesota
- 1992–1993 Associate Professor, Department of Pediatrics, University of Minnesota
- 1988–1993 Associate Professor, Institute of Child Development, University of Minnesota
- 1988–1993 Associate Professor, Program in Neuroscience, University of Minnesota
- 1986–1988 Assistant Professor, Institute of Child Development, University of Minnesota
 - 1986–1988 McKnight-Land Grant Professor, Institute of Child Development, University of Minnesota











- 1983–1986 Assistant Professor, Department of Psychological Sciences, Purdue University
- 1981–1983 NICHD Postdoctoral Fellow, Institute of Child Development, University of Minnesota
- 1978–1981 BEH and NICHD Predoctoral Trainee, Department of Human Development, University of Kansas
- 1976–1978 Research Assistant, Department of Psychology, University of Wisconsin

1975–1976 Project Assistant, Wisconsin Research and Development for Cognitive Learning, University of Wisconsin

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION, BOARDS, OFFICES & COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES

- American Association for the Advancement of Science
- American Psychological Society
- International Society for Infant Studies
- Society for Neuroscience
- Society for Research in Child Development
- Liaison Member (National Academy of Sciences/Institute of Medicine) to the Committee on Integrating the Science of Early Childhood Development (1999)
- Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (2000)
- Society for Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics (2005)
- Member, National Research Council/Institute of Medicine Board on Children, Youth and Families (2006-2011)
- Co-Chair, External Review Committee, Merck Foundation Young Scholars Award (2007)
- Advisory Board, Romanian Children's Relief Foundation (2013)
- Institute of Medicine Committee on child maltreatment research, policy, and practice for the next Decade (2012-2013)
- Distinguished Experts Group, USAID Center of Excellence on Children in Adversity (2013)
- Senior Fellow, Canadian Institute for Advanced Research, Child and Brain Development Program (2013-Present)
- Member, Scientific Advisory Board, Merck Foundation (2012-2014)











- Member, nominating committee, Section on Psychology, American Association for the Advancement of Science (2014-Present)
- Board of Directors, Society for Functional Near Infrared Spectroscopy (2014-present)
- Member, Nominating Committee, American Association for the Advancement of Science (2014-Present)
- Member, JPB research network on toxic stress and health (2015present)
- Advisory Council, The Discovery Museums (2015-present)
- Faculty Member, Massachusetts General Hospital Center for Law, Brain & Behavior (2016-present)
- Member, Planning Committee, Manifestations and Mechanisms of Dynamic Brain Coordination over Development, Ernst Strungmann Forum, Frankfurt, Germany (2016-2017)
- Member, Advisory Board, Syrian Refugee Mobile Resource Project, National Center for Disaster Preparedness, Earth Institute, Columbia University (2018-present)

UNIVERSITY COMMITTEES

- Member, Governing Council, Center for Cognitive Sciences, University of Minnesota (1990-2005)
- Member, Training Committee, Center for Research in Learning, Perceptions and Cognition, University of Minnesota (1991-1998)
- Member, Stanton Ford Lectureship Committee, University of Minnesota (1993-1998)
- Chair, Graduate Instruction Committee, Institute of Child Development, University of Minnesota (1994-1998)
- Chair, McKnight-Land Grant Committee, University of Minnesota (1995-1998)
- Chair, Education and Psychology Policy and Review Council, University of Minnesota (1995-1998)
- Member, Executive Council of Policy and Review Chair, Graduate School, University of Minnesota (1995-1998)
- Member, MD/Ph.D. Program, University of Minnesota (1995-2005)











- Capital Campaign Committee, Department of Pediatrics, University of Minnesota (1999-2001)
- Preliminary Committee, Institute of Child Development, University of Minnesota (2000-2001)
- Planning Committee, Center for Magnetic Resonance Research, Medical School, University of Minnesota (2000-2001)
- Chair, Developmental Pediatrics Search Committee, Department of Pediatrics, University of Minnesota (2000-2001)
- Member, Faculty Search Committee, Institute of Child Development, University of Minnesota (2001-2002)
- Chair, Scientific Advisory Committee, Center for Neurobehavioral Development, University of Minnesota (2001-2005)
- Member, Shop Committee, Institute of Child Development, University of Minnesota (2002-2005)
- Chair, Faculty Status Committee, Program in Neuroscience, University of Minnesota (2002-2005)
- Member, Steering Committee, Program in Neuroscience, University of Minnesota (2002-2005)
- Member, Center for Magnetic Resonance Research 3Tesla Policy Committee (2002-2005)
- Biomedical Research Advisory Committee, University of Minnesota (2004)
- Co-Chair, MRI Committee, Children's Hospital Boston (2005present)
- Member, Search Committee, Harvard School of Public Health (2005-present)
- Member, Steering Committee, Harvard Center for the Developing Child (2006)
- Promotion and Tenure Committee, Graduate School of Education, Harvard University (2007)
- Member, Search Committee, Newborn Medicine Neuroimaging, Children's Hospital Boston (2008)
- Faculty of Arts and Sciences Standing Committee on Mind, Brain, and Behavior (2009 – present)











- Co-Chair, Biomarkers Working Group, Center on the Developing Child (2009-2010)
- Chair, IRSD Committee, Center on the Developing Child (2009-2010)
- Steering Committee, Harvard Mind, Brain, and Behavior Initiative (2009-present)
- Harvard Catalyst Pilot Grant Review Program (2010)
- Freshman Advisor, Harvard College (2010-present)
- Search Committee, Harvard Graduate School of Education (2010-2011; 2015-2017)
- Daffner ad hoc Committee Member, Harvard Medical School (2010-2011)
- Ad hoc Committee Member, Brigham and Women's Hospital search for professors of Psychiatry, Harvard Medical School (2011-2012)
- Board of Freshman Advisors, Harvard College (2011-2013)
- Promotion Review Committee, Harvard School of Public Health (2011-2013)
- Promotion Review Committee, Harvard Graduate School of Education (2012-2013)
- Promotion Review Committee, Department of Psychology, Harvard University (2015-2016)
- Faculty Advisor, Harvard Undergraduates Raising Autism Awareness Committee (2013-Present)
- Faculty Advisory Committee, Brazil Studies Program, David Rockefeller Latin American Studies Program, Harvard University (2013-Present)
- Neuroscience and Education Exploratory Committee, Harvard Graduate School of Education (2014-2016)
- Committee on allegations of scientific misconduct, Harvard Medical School (2013-2017)
- Harvard University Standing Committee on Mind, Brain, and Behavior (2011-Present)
- Harvard University Executive Committee, Translational Neuroscience Center, Boston Children's Hospital (2013- Present)











- Neuroscience and Education Search Committee, Harvard Graduate School of Education (2015-2017)
- Mind, Brain, and Education Admissions Committee, Harvard Graduate School of Education (2014-present)
- Advising in the Mind, Brain, and Education Program, Harvard Graduate School of Education (2015-present)
- President's ad hoc promotion advisory committee, Harvard University (2015)
- Member, Search Committee, senior search in the field of Maternal Child Health, Harvard School of Public Health (2015present)
- Graduate School of Education Dean Search Committee, Harvard University (2017-present)
- Advisory group member, Harvard Global Mental Health Initiative (2018-present)
- President's ad hoc promotion advisory committee, Harvard University (2018)
- Pascucci-Learning Differences Faculty Search Committee (2019-Present)
- Mind, Brain and Education Program Admissions Committee (2019-Present)
- Advising in the Mind, Brain and Education Program and the Special Studies Program (2019-Present)





