# CURRICULUM VITAE

# Katherine Anne Comtois, PhD, MPH February 3, 2017

# EDUCATION:

- 1983-1986 Douglass College, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ Psychology BA 1986
   1987-1992 University of Maryland, College Park, MD
- Clinical Community Psychology MA 1990 PhD 1992 2002-2009 University of Washington, Seattle, WA
  - Health Services MPH 2009

# **POSTGRADUATE TRAINING:**

- 1991 1992 Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences Pre-Doctoral Internship University of Washington, Seattle, WA.
  1992 - 1994 Harborview Fellowship in Chronic Mental Illness
- University of Washington, Seattle, WA.

# FACULTY POSITIONS HELD:

1995 - 1997 Acting Instructor, Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences University of Washington, Seattle, WA. 1997 - 1999 Acting Assistant Professor, Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences University of Washington, Seattle, WA. Assistant Professor, Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences 1999 - 2004 University of Washington, Seattle, WA. 2000 - 2004 Adjunct Assistant Professor, Psychology University of Washington, Seattle, WA. Associate Professor, Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences 2004 - 2016 University of Washington, Seattle, WA. 2004 - 2016 Adjunct Associate Professor, Psychology University of Washington, Seattle, WA. 2016 - present Professor, Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences University of Washington, Seattle, WA. Professor, Psychology 2016 - present University of Washington, Seattle, WA.

# **HOSPITAL POSITIONS HELD:**

- 1992 present Clinical Psychologist, Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences Harborview University of Washington, Seattle, WA.
- 1996 present Clinical Director, Harborview Psychotherapy Clinic University of Washington, Seattle, WA.

# HONORS:

1999	Chief Residents Award, Psychiatry Residency Program
	University of Washington, Seattle, WA
2001	Psychology Residents Award for Excellence in Mentoring
	University of Washington, Seattle, WA
2001	King County Mental Health/Substance Abuse Exemplary Service Award
	Harborview Dialectical Behavior Therapy Program (directed by Dr. Comtois)
2006	Governor's Recognition Award for Service to Mental Health Transformation

	Washington State
2008	University of Washington Postdoctoral Association Mentor of the Year
	University of Washington, Seattle, WA
2012	Distinguished Psychologist Award
	Washington State Psychological Association
2015	Brickell Memorial Award for Contribution to Adolescent Suicide Prevention
	Columbia University
2016	Sue Eastgard Training Excellence Award
	Forefront: Innovations in Suicide Prevention

#### **BOARD CERTIFICATION:**

Not applicable.

#### **MEDICAL LICENSURE:**

1993-present Washington State Psychology PY1747

#### **PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:**

2006 -present	American Psychological Association (APA)
2001-present	American Association for Suicidology (AAS) (Research Division 2014-present)
1996-present	International Society for the Innovation and Training of DBT (ISITDBT)
1999-2015	Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy (ABCT)
2005-2011	Division 12, Section VII, Clinical Emergencies and Crises, Secretary 2006-2008
1987-2009	Society for Community Research and Action (APA Div 27)
	Regional Coordinator 1996-1999

# **TEACHING RESPONSIBILITIES:**

**Teaching Responsibilities** 

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1997-present	UW DBT Psychiatry Training Program (.1FTE department funding)
2013-present	UW CAMS Psychiatry Training Program (with Jeff Sung, MD)
2011-2016	Harborview NIMH T32 Fellowship (PI, co-director with Dedra Buchwald, MD)
2007-2010	Coordinator, UW Workforce Development Project, Division of Public Behavioral
	Health and Justice Policy Evidence Based Practice Institute
2006-2009	Fellowship Coordinator, Division of Public Behavioral Health and Justice Policy
	Fellowship
1999-2006	Track Coordinator, Community Division/ Division of Public Behavioral Health and
	Justice Policy Track Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences Pre-doctoral Internship

# **Teaching Committees**

- 1999-2011 Member, UW Psychiatry Residency Psychotherapy Workgroup
- 1998-2006 Member, UW Pre-doctoral Psychology Internship Steering Committee Member
- 1998-2007 Member, UW Pre-doctoral Psychology Internship Diversity Advancement Committee (Chair 2000-7)
- 1996-2005 Member, Independent Study of Medical Students Committee, School of Medicine

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# Primary Mentor to the Following Trainees (2009-2016)

2016-present Christopher DeCou, Psychology Intern

- 2014-present Stephen O'Connor, Assistant Professor (2009-2010 Intern, 2011-2013 T32 Fellow) 2014 Mike Weeks, Psychiatry Resident
- 2013-2015 Jennifer Villatte, T32 Fellow (2012-2013 Psychology Intern)
- 2014-2015 Briana Turner, Psychology Intern
- 2012-14 Adam Carmel, T32 Fellow
- 2013-2014 Blair Kleiber, Psychology Intern
- 2014 Caitlin Butterfield, Psychology Undergraduate Independent Study Research
- 2011-2013 Meghan Keough, T32 Fellow
- 2011-2014 Cara Lewis, Psychology Intern and Junior Faculty

#### EDITORIAL/REVIEWER RESPONSIBILITIES:

None

# SPECIAL NATIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

1997	Conference Participant, NIDA Behavioral Therapy Research (Stage III) Meeting
2000	Invited Presenter: A Workshop to Explore the Outcomes of Suicidal Behavior.
	Sponsored by SAMHSA, American Foundation for Suicide Prevention, and
	American Association for Suicidology
2001	Invited Presenter and Consultant, Workshop on Suicide Prevention. Committee on
	Pathophysiology and Prevention of Adolescent and Adult Suicide. Institute of Medicine
2001	Participant, Ethical Issues in Including Suicidal Individuals in Clinical Research.
2001	NIMH
	Office of Rare Diseases/American Foundation for Suicide Prevention Workshop
2005	Participant, NIMH Scientific Consensus Conference: "Providing a Conceptual Framework in Suicide Prevention: Moving from Risk Factors to Programs"
2007	Invited Presenter and Participant: Improving Follow Up of Suicidal Patients
	Discharged from the Emergency Department: Challenges, Opportunities, and Best
	Practices. SAMHSA.
2007	Participant: NASMHPD Medical Directors Technical Meeting: Suicide Prevention
	Approaches for State Mental Health Authorities, SAMHSA
2008	Reviewer, NIMH Special Emphasis Panel/Scientific Review Group
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2003-present	Member: NIMH Data Safety Monitoring Board (DSMB-B) for Clinical Trials, NIMH
	Human Research Protection Unit
2008-present	Member, Scientific Advisory Council, American Foundation for Suicide Prevention
2009	Reviewer, NIMH Special Emphasis Panel/Scientific Review Group
	ZMH1 ERB-I (11) S
2009-2012	Standing Member: NIMH SRSP Mental Health Services in Mental Health Specialty
	Settings
2009	Suicide prevention workgroup meeting on the risk screen items in the
	Provider/Interviewer Section of the Post Deployment Health Assessment (PDHA)
	and Post Deployment Health Reassessment (PDHRA), U.S. Army Medical
	Research and Material Command
2011-2012	Member, Clinical Care and Intervention Task Force, National Action Alliance for
	Suicide Prevention
2012	Reviewer, NIMH Interventions Committee for Adult Disorders (ITVA)
2014	Expert Consultant, NIMH Dissemination and Implementation Conference Technical
	Assistance Workshop

#### SPECIAL LOCAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

2005-2011UW School of Medicine Psychology Organizing Committee, Chair2008-2009Division of Public Behavioral Health and Justice Policy Grand Rounds and<br/>Community Leadership Track Speakers Series

# **RESEARCH FUNDING:**

Source	Role	Years	Direct Costs
NIDA 1 R01 DA041486-01A1	Principal	2016-2021	\$1,841,800
Preventing Addiction Related Suicide (PARS) - Controlled Trial of Secondary Suicide Prevention	Investigator		
NIMH 1 R01 MH106419-01A1	Co-Principal	2016-2021	\$2,690,710
Caring Texts: A Strength-based, Suicide Prevention Trial in 4 Native Communities	Investigator		
W81XWH-16-2-004	Principal Investigator	2016-2021	\$1,707,059
Department of Defense Defense Health Program Enhancement			
Military Suicide Research Consortium Dissemination and Implementation Core			
RFA-1-017-14	Principal Investigator		\$1,485,589
American Foundation for Suicide Prevention			
Reducing Short Term Suicide Risk after Hospitalization			
American Foundation for Suicide Prevention Young Investigator Grant	Mentor	2014-2016	\$82,290
Pilot Study of Brief Intervention for Medically Hospitalized Suicide Attempt Survivors	(PI: Stephen O'Connor)		

Source	Role	Years	Direct Costs
W81XWH-08-MOMRP-SPCR2	Co-Principal Investigator	2010-2016	\$ 2,940,215
Military Operational Medicine Research Program (US Army)			
A Randomized Clinical Trial of the Collaborative Assessment and Management of Suicidality vs. Enhanced Care as Usual for Suicidal Soldiers			
W81XWH-10-2-0181	Co-Principal	2011-2016	\$1,575,456
Department of Defense Defense Health Program Enhancement	Investigator		
Continuity Contacts via Text Message- Texting a Brief Intervention to Prevent Suicidal Ideation and Behavior			
UW Institution for Translational Health Sciences (ITHS) Community Partners in Research Funding Program (CORT)	Principal Investigator	2013-2015	\$15,000
Native Communities' Suicide Prevention Needs Assessment			
NIMH 1R13MH086159-01A1	Principal Investigator	2010-2016	\$150,000
Development and Dissemination of Rigorous Methods for Training and Implementation			
NIH 1 T32 MH082709-01A2	Principal Investigator	2010-2016	\$447,608
Improving Mental Health Care in Safety Net Medical Settings: T32 Training Grant (NRSA T32)			
NIMH R34 1 R34 MH079923-01A1	Principal	2007-2010	\$450,000
DBT-ACES: Evaluation of Feasibility	Investigator		

Source	<u>Role</u>	Years	Direct Costs
American Foundation for Suicide Prevention Distinguished Investigator Award	Principal Investigator	2007-2009	\$99,671
Suicidal Patients Seeking Help at an Emergency Room: Pilot Trial of a "Next-Day Appointment" Outpatient Treatment			
NIMH 5 F32 MH084788-02	Mentor	2008-2010	\$91,672
Impact of Intensive Dialectical Behavior Therapy Training on Therapist Behavior	(PI: Sara Landes)		
NIDA R01-DA014997-01A1	Co-	2003-2008	\$ 1,690,862
Evaluation of Dialectical Behavior Therapy (DBT)	Investigator		
NIMH 2-R01-MH034486-20A1	Co-	2003-2008	\$2,587,975
Assessment and Treatment of Parasuicide Patients	Investigator		
Washington State Department of Social and Health Services	Principal Investigator	2007	\$74,000
Evaluation of Validity of GAIN-SS in Adolescents			
Washington State Department of Social and Health Services	Principal Investigator	2005-2006	\$35,854
Evaluation of Validity of GAIN-SS in Adults			
NIMH 1K01-MH1933-01A1	Principal Investigator	2001-2006	\$559,852
Health Services for Parasuicidal Behavior			
NIMH R25MH60486	Program Faculty	2001-2006	\$745,950
Interdisciplinary Clinical Research Skills Training			
American Foundation for Suicide Prevention	Co- Investigator	2003-2005	\$60,000
Risk factors for post-partum suicide and suicide attempts			

Source	Role	Years	Direct Costs
Wilkins Foundation	Principal Investigator	2003	\$10,000
Evaluation of dialectical behavioral therapy in a community mental health setting			
ADAI	Principal Investigator	1998-1999	\$19,496
Relationship of Reported Assault History to Substance Abuse Consequences and Treatment Charges Among Dually Diagnosed Adults			
NIMH 1R03-MH55587-01	Principal Investigator	1996-1998	\$96,871
Borderline Personality: Correlates of High Utilization			
NIDA 5-R01-DA08674-02	Co- Investigator	1997-1999	\$996, 605
Treatment of Drug Abusers with Borderline Personality			

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- 5. Ries, R. & Comtois, K. A. (1997). Managing disability benefits as part of treatment for persons with severe mental illness and co-morbid drug/alcohol disorders: A comparative study of payee and non-payee participants. *The American Journal on Addictions, 6(4),* 330-338.
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- Comtois, K. A. & Linehan, M. M. (1998, April). *Dialectical Behavior Therapy*. Annual Spring Meeting, Washington State Psychiatric Association, Vancouver, Canada.
- Comtois, K. A. (1998). *Borderlines in Crisis*. Presented at Annual Conference County Designated Mental Health Professionals- Eastern Washington.
- Comtois, K. A. (1998). *Dialectical Behavior Therapy*. Two day training course presented for Nebraska Psychological Association.
- Comtois, K. A. (1999). *Meeting the Needs of Persons with Borderline Personality Disorder*. Institute presented at the International Association of Psychosocial Rehabilitation Services Annual Conference.
- Comtois, K. A. (2000) *Grand Rounds: Treating Chronically Suicidal Patients in the Public Mental Health System: Adapting Dialectical Behavior Therapy*, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, University of Washington, Seattle, WA.
- Comtois, KA (2000) *Grand Rounds: Dialectical Behavior Therapy: Overview and Dissemination to Child and Adolescent Populations*. Division of Child Psychiatry, University of Washington, Seattle, WA
- Comtois, KA (2002) *Grand Rounds: An Introduction to Dialectical Behavior Therapy for Borderline Personality Disorder*. Department of Psychiatry, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT
- Comtois, KA (2004) *Grand Rounds: An Introduction to Dialectical Behavior Therapy.* Sacred Heart Medical Center, Spokane, WA
- Comtois, KA (2004) *Treatment: Dialectical Behavior Therapy*. Menninger, National Education Alliance, and NAMI-West Houston Borderline Personality Disorder Symposium, Houston, TX.
- Comtois, KA (2005) *Grand Rounds: Dialectical Behavior Therapy and the Suicidal Teenager: Lessons for the General Clinician.* Division of Child Psychiatry, Columbia University, New York, NY
- Comtois, KA (2005) *Borderline Personality*. Invited Address: Treating Mental Disorders in Medical Settings. University of Washington Continuing Medical Education. February 3-4, 2005.
- Comtois, KA (2006) *Dialectical Behavior Therapy: Emotion Regulation and Borderline Personality Disorder.* Invited Address at UCLA conference on Borderline Personality Disorder: Current Knowledge and Future Directions, June 2-3, 2006
- Comtois, K. A. (2007) Invited Reviewer and Consultant. *University of Manitoba Research Resident Days*, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada.
- Comtois, K.A. (2008) Dialectical Behavior Therapy Accepting the Challenges of Exiting the System (DBT-ACES) Program: Overview and Pilot Data. Presented at Annual DBT Network Meeting, Zürich.

- Comtois, K.A. (2009) Suicide Prevention Across Systems of Care: A Health Services and Treatment Development Perspective on the Treatment of Suicidal Individuals in Acute, Outpatient, and Chronic Care Systems. Presented at Annual DoD/VA Suicide Prevention Conference, January 11-15, 2009 San Antonio, Texas
- Comtois, K.A (2009) Assessment in Clinical Trials and Clinical Epidemiology Studies with High Risk Suicidal Individuals, Part of Symposium on Assessing Suicidality in Clinical Trials, New Clinical Drug Evaluation Unit (NCDEU) Annual Meeting
- Comtois, K.A and Jobes, D (2009) See You Tomorrow.... The Next Day Appointment. Invited Presentation for The Aeschi Working Group New perspectives for the clinician A movement for improving the therapeutic approach to the suicidal person. Aeschi, Berner Oberland, Switzerland.
- Comtois, KA, Plöderl, M, Perret-Catipovic, M, Rohrbach, E (2009) *Inpatient Care: For Whom and When?* Invited Presentation for The Aeschi Working Group New perspectives for the clinician A movement for improving the therapeutic approach to the suicidal person. Aeschi, Berner Oberland, Switzerland.
- Comtois, KA (2009) *Grand Rounds: DBT Implementation: How to do it well... and badly...* Division of Public Behavioral Health and Justice Policy, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences.
- Comtois, KA (2010) AIMS Center: *Dialectical Behavior Therapy Distress Tolerance Skills*. Webcast and clinical consultation to the Washington State Mental Health Integration Program (MHIP). AIMS Center. University of Washington.
- Comtois, KA (2011) *Grand Rounds: An Introduction to Dialectical Behavior Therapy*. Department of Psychiatry, University of California, Davis
- Comtois, KA & Holloway, M (2011) *Evidence-Based Psychotherapy for Suicide Prevention: Strategies from the Civilian and Military Sectors*. Presented at 2011 DoD/VA Annual Suicide Prevention Conference: All The Way Home: Preventing Suicide Among Service Members and Veterans.
- Comtois, KA (2011) *DBT-ACES: Achieving recovery from psychiatric disability*. Presented at Dialectical Behavior Therapy (DBT): State of the Art and Science. National Educational Alliance for Borderline Personality Disorder 9<sup>th</sup> Annual National Institute of Mental Health Conference.
- Comtois, KA (2011) *Grand Rounds: Dialectical Behavior Therapy* Accepting the Challenges of *Exiting the System (DBT-ACES).* Department of Psychiatry, Harbor/UCLA, Los Angeles, CA
- Comtois, KA (2012) The Silent Journey A health services and clinical trial researcher's perspective. Plenary Address presented at the Annual Convention of the American Association of Suicidology
- Comtois, KA & Vannoy, S (2012) *Talking About Suicide: How to Ask Questions and Intervene So Suicidal Patients Get Better.* Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences 2012 Clinical Faculty Continuing Education event.
- Comtois, K A (2012) *Treatment of Suicidal Patients*. Invited Address for the Washington State Psychiatric Association
- Comtois, K A (2012) *How to help Suicidal Individuals to Get Better.* Invited Address for the Washington State Psychological Association

- Comtois, KA, Hogan, M & Covington D (2013) *Ending Suicide in Healthcare Settings: How many deaths are acceptable?* Plenary Address presented at the Annual Convention of the American Association of Suicidology.
- Comtois, KA (2013) Dialectical Behavior Therapy Accepting the Challenges of Exiting the System (DBT-ACES). Keynote Presentation at the Society for Dialectical Behaviour Therapy's (SfDBT) Inaugural Conference in London, England
- Comtois, KA (2014) *Grand Rounds: An Introduction to Dialectical Behavior Therapy*. Department of Psychiatry, University of Arkansas, Little Rock, AR
- Comtois, K A (2014) *Assessing, Managing, and Treating Suicidality in Adult Psychotherapy.* Washington State Psychological Association. Presented as part of state required suicide prevention training.

#### Dialectical Behavior Therapy State or Regional Training and Implementation Projects

- Comtois, K. A., & McCann, R. (2001) *Dialectical Behavior Therapy*. Intensive 10 Day Course presented for State of Hawaii.
- Comtois, K. A., & McCann, R. (2003-2004) *Dialectical Behavior Therapy.* Intensive 14 Day Course presented for State of Arizona.
- Comtois, K. A., & DuBose, A. (2005-2006) *Dialectical Behavior Therapy.* Intensive 13 Day Course presented for Child and Family Services across British Columbia, Canada.
- Comtois, K. A., & Clarke, S. (2005-2006) *Dialectical Behavior Therapy*. Intensive 10 Day Course presented for Hampshire Trust, Southampton, England.
- Comtois, K. A., & McCann, R. (2007) *Dialectical Behavior Therapy*. Intensive 10 Day Course presented for Mental Health Australia, Melbourne, Australia.
- Comtois, K. A., DuBose, T, & Hollander, M. (2007-2011) *Dialectical Behavior Therapy*. Implementation 14 Day training program and monthly consultation presented for the Department of Children and Families, State of Connecticut.
- Comtois, K. A., & Sayrs, J. (2010) *Dialectical Behavior Therapy*. Intensive 10 Day Course presented for multiple DBT teams from eastern Australia, Newcastle, Australia.
- Comtois, K. A., & Hall, K. (2012-2013) *Dialectical Behavior Therapy*. Implementation and Core Clinical Training (17 Day Course Series plus Consultation) presented for multiple DBT teams from Chester, Montgomery, and Delaware counties, Pennsylvania.
- Comtois, K. A., & Manning, S. (2013) *Dialectical Behavior Therapy.* Core Clinical Training (7 Day Course Series plus Online Webcasts) presented for Shepphard Pratt system of care, Towson, MD.
- Comtois, K. A., & Manning, S. (2015) *Dialectical Behavior Therapy*. DBT Sustainment Training (9 Day Course Series) presented for multiple DBT teams from Chester and Philadelphia counties, Pennsylvania.

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In addition to these implementation projects, Dr. Comtois has taught many beginner and advanced 2day and 10-day DBT continuing education trainings across the US as well as in Canada, UK, Australia, and Norway.