



CCPA Ambassador Program *Programme d'ambassadeur de l'ACCP*

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A little word about me and what I do:

I enjoy teaching, learning, and providing psychotherapy to clients of all ages. In my professional journey I have held positions in Newfoundland, Nova Scotia, Alberta, British Columbia and the Northwest Territories and worked in a number of settings including schools, mental health clinics, hospital psychology departments, and private practice. Currently I work as a Student Services Consultant with Grasslands Public Schools in Brooks, Alberta, hold an Adjunct Professorship in Acadia University's counselling program, run a private practice providing clinical supervision, and sit as the Chair of the Certification Committee of the Canadian Association for Play Therapy.

What does CCPA mean to me?

I have had a long involvement with CCPA and it has been a privilege to watch the Association, and the profession, grow. CCPA has provided me with a place to learn from and interact with thousands of therapists in a caring and exciting professional environment. Though I am involved with other professional organizations, it is CCPA that has helped me form the core of my professional identity as a therapist and understand my place in the counselling profession.



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My previous involvement with CCPA:

I have had the pleasure of presenting at numerous CCPA Annual Conferences and Preconferences as well as writing for the Canadian Journal of Counselling and Psychotherapy. Being involved in the Supervisor development program as a participant was especially rewarding.

Favorite author or musical artist:

My musical interests vary from Whitney Houston to Evanescence, depending on the day. The Velveteen Rabbit by Margery Williams is, by far, my favorite book.