



BIOGRAPHY

Since entering private practice in 1988, Dr. Karbelnig has been offering a wide range of psychological services. He provides intensive individual psychotherapy and psychoanalysis using contemporary psychoanalytic models. Dr. Karbelnig devotes part of his practice to marriage counseling. He also offers forensic psychological assessment services. His forensic work focuses primarily on the administrative, employment, and workers' compensation law arenas, but he also conducts evaluations in the areas of personal injury, will and probate, immigration, criminal, and family law. Referrals originate from both plaintiff and defense attorneys. He also provides non-forensic assessments that include evaluating individuals for suicide or homicide risk, gauging depth of depression, and clarifying psychiatric diagnoses. Dr. Karbelnig teaches, lectures, and writes in the areas of psychoanalytic psychotherapy, psychological assessment, ethics, and mental health law.

EDUCATION

PhD	NEW CENTER FOR PSYCHOANALYSIS Psychoanalytic Training Program <i>Thesis Topic: Demoniactal Possession Revisited: Studies in Splitting, Identification and Enactment</i>	1996
PhD	UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA Department of Counseling Psychology <i>Specialization in Clinical Assessment</i> <i>Dissertation Topic: Psychosocial Factors Affecting Compliance with Stress Management Programs</i>	1986
MS	UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA Department of Counseling Psychology <i>Masters Thesis Topic: Social Isolation and Adolescent Suicide</i>	1981
BA	UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT LOS ANGELES Department of Psychology <i>Highest Department Honors</i> <i>Senior Honors Thesis Topic: Effects of Aerobic Running on Trait Anxiety</i> <i>UCLA Daily Bruin Staff: Editorial Director, City Editor & Writer</i>	1979



EXPERIENCE

Psychologist; Psychoanalyst

PRIVATE PRACTICE

1988 - Present

Provide psychotherapeutic services to individuals, groups, and families with additional specialization in clinical assessment with special interest in forensic psychology evaluations. Also perform assessments of psychiatric inpatients and outpatients for determination of precise diagnosis, treatment planning, and related issues.

Faculty Member

THE NEW CENTER FOR PSYCHOANALYSIS

1996 - Present

Teach courses in psychoanalytic training, psychodynamic psychotherapy, and extension division programs. Courses include both theoretical and applied clinical topics

Co-Director; Psychologist

FAIR OAKS PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATES

1989 - 1994

In an effort to establish a multi-disciplinary mental health group to evaluate and treat patients involved in various legal proceedings, Fair Oaks Psychological Associates was established in early 1989. As Co-Director, administrated a wide range of evaluation and treatment services. Also provided direct services. The group offered comprehensive psychological evaluations of patients involved in workers' compensation, personal injury, family law, criminal law, and other forensic matters. Staff included psychologists, psychiatrists, and marriage, family, and child counselors.

Adjunct Professor of Psychology

FULLER GRADUATE SCHOOL OF PSYCHOLOGY

1990 - 1992

FULLER THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

Taught course entitled *An Integrated approach to Assessment* to graduate students in psychology. Course focuses on integrating psychological test data with information garnered from mental status examinations, interviews, and medical records into comprehensive reports useful in a variety of treatment and forensic settings.

Staff Psychologist

OPEN PATHS COMMUNITY COUNSELING CENTER

1979 - 1990

Practiced individual, group, and family psychotherapy for low income members of the West Los Angeles community. Provided in-service training in psychotherapy and assessment for students and interns. Developed community service programs.

Staff Psychologist

WARREN L. JONES, M.D., Ph.D. & ASSOCIATES

1985 - 1989

Provided psychotherapeutic and assessment services for individuals, groups and families. Assisted in forensic psychology evaluations conducted as part of a variety of legal proceedings.

Registered Psychological Assistant

BLOCH MEDICAL CLINIC

1981 - 1985

Provided psychotherapy, biofeedback, and assessment services for patients filing workers' compensation claims for psychiatric injuries.



LICENSES AND CERTIFICATES

Psychologist | #PSY 10347

by State of California Board of Psychology

Marriage, Family & Child Therapist | #MFT 19525

by State of California Board of Behavioral Science Examiners

Board Certified in Forensic Psychology | #6726

by the American Board of Professional Psychology

Certified in Psychoanalysis

by the American Psychoanalytic Association

Training and Supervising Psychoanalyst

at the New Center for Psychoanalysis and the Newport Psychoanalytic Institutes

Registrant | #40993

in the National Register of Health Service Providers in Psychology

Qualified Medical Examiner | #902350

by State of California Workers' Compensation Division

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Member, American Psychological Association
- Member, New Center for Psychoanalysis
- Member, American Psychoanalytic Association
- Member, International Psychoanalytic Association
- Member, California Psychological Association
- Member, San Gabriel Valley Psychological Association
- Member, Society for Personality Assessment
- Member, American Psychology-Law Society

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Chair, Ethics Committee, San Gabriel Valley Psychological Association
- Chief Executive Officer, Chair, Board of Directors, Rose City Counseling Center
- Member, Board of Directors, New Center for Psychoanalysis
- Chair, Extension Division, New Center for Psychoanalysis
- Expert Reviewer, State of California Board of Psychology
- Expert Reviewer, State of California Board of Behavioral Science Examiners
- Past President, San Gabriel Valley Psychological Association 1992; 1993
- Past Secretary-Treasurer, San Gabriel Valley Psychological Association, 1991
- Former Monthly Columnist in Psychology, Pasadena Star News, 1986 to 1989
- Past Member, Toastmasters
- Past Member, Board of Directors, Open Paths Counseling Center
- Past Member, Board of Directors, California Psychological Association
- Past Chair-Extension Division, Southern California Psychoanalytic Institute
- Past Secretary-Treasurer, Southern California Psychoanalytic Society
- Past Oral Commissioner, State of California Board of Psychology
- Past Oral Commissioner, State of California Board of Behavioral Science Examiners



PUBLICATIONS

- Karbelnig, A. (2007). **9-1-1 Voicemail Messages Insulting**. *The National Psychologist*, 16 (3):6,9.
- Karbelnig, A. (2005). **The fallacy of evidence-based treatments**. *The California Psychologist*, January/February 38: (1):11-13.
- Karbelnig, A. (2000). **Physical contact between psychotherapist and patient: Ethical, legal, and psychoanalytical considerations**. *The California Psychologist*, 33(6), 32-34.
- Karbelnig, A. (1999). **Assaults on privacy: Reflections on the erosion of confidentiality psycho therapy**. *The California Psychologist*, 32(6), 34-37.
- Karbelnig, A. (1998). **Psychology's Perverse Vision**. *The California Psychologist*, 31(7), 24-25.
- Karbelnig, A. (1997). **An assault on safety: The central problem of managed care**. *The California Psychologist*, 30(1), 31-32.
- Karbelnig, A. (1995). **Prescription privileges: An iatrogenic disease for psychology**. *The California Psychologist*, 28(8), 22-23.

MANUSCRIPTS IN PROCESS

- Karbelnig, A. (2011). **The lover, the exorcist, and the critic: Understanding depth psychology**. (Nonfiction book). [Currently being writte.]
- Karbelnig, A. (2009). **Where the wild things are: The transformational encounter of psychoanalysis**. (Scholarly article). [Currently being edited.]
- Karbelnig, A. (2009). **Managing darkness: Tales of psychoanalysis in the 21st century**. (Novel). [Currently being written.]

RECENT PRESENTATIONS

The Three Philosophical Foundations of Psychotherapy

5/15/10; New Center for Psychoanalysis, West Los Angeles, California

An Update on Legal and Ethical Developments in Professional Psychology

8/10/09; Counseling Center of the University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California

Finding Psychoanalytic Identity

5/9/09; New Center for Psychoanalysis, West Los Angeles, California

Sudden Illness in the Psychotherapist: Clinical, Legal, and Ethical Considerations

4/18/09; Annual Convention of the California Psychological Association, Pasadena, California

The Ethics and Psycho-dynamics of Serving as an Expert Reviewer

4/16/09; State of California Expert Reviewer Conference, Oakland, California

Deriving Meaning From a Single Session: An Analysis and Demonstration

5/17/08; New Center for Psychoanalysis, West Los Angeles, California

The Dismantling of the Self

12/08/07; New Center for Psychoanalysis; West Los Angeles, California

The Internet Pornography Explosion: Psychodynamic Considerations

1/27/07; New Center for Psychoanalysis, West Los Angeles, California



RECENT PRESENTATIONS *continued*

Remembering, Repeating & Working Through Revisited: Freud, Fairbairn and Nietzsche

4/22/06; New Center for Psychoanalysis, West Los Angeles, California

On Conducting Educational Reviews

3/23/06; State of California Expert Reviewer Conference, San Francisco

The Eight Fundamental Concepts of Psychoanalysis

10/29/05; New Center for Psychoanalysis, West Los Angeles, California

Mistakes Therapists Make (Moderator and Panelist)

9/17/05; Los Angeles County Psychological Association, Pasadena, California

Risky Business: A Review of the Most Problematic Clinical Situations (Moderator and Panelist)

5/21/05; San Gabriel Valley Psychological Association; Pasadena, California

Phenomenological and Object Relations Approach to the Psychotic, Borderline, and Narcissistic Disorders

4/16/05; Los Angeles Psychoanalytic Society and Institute; Los Angeles, California

Understanding Potential Intrusions into the Consulting Room: An Update on Psychotherapeutic Privacy and Confidentiality

4/09/05; Annual Convention of the California Psychological Association, Pasadena, California

Special Counter-transference Problems in the Treatment of Borderline Personality Disorder

12/15/01; Southern California Psychoanalytic Institute; Beverly Hills, California

Supervision: Clinical, Legal, and Ethical Considerations

11/20/01; San Gabriel Valley Psychological Association; Pasadena, California

Terminating Treatment: Clinical, Legal, and Ethical Considerations

10/27/01; Southern California Psychoanalytic Institute; Beverly Hills, California.

Law, Ethics, and Psychoanalysis

10/20/01; Annual Convention of the Wright Institute; West Los Angeles, California

Physical Contact Between Psychotherapist & Patient: Psychoanalytical, Legal, and Ethical Implications

3/25/00; Annual Convention of the California Psychological Association; San Jose, California

The Treatment of Borderline Patients from an Object Relations Perspective

1/19/00; La Vie Counseling Center; Pasadena; California

Assaults on Privacy: The History of the Erosion of Confidentiality in Psychotherapy

11/5/99; San Gabriel Valley Psychological Association; Pasadena, California

The Life and Art of Pablo Picasso: Reflections of the Development of Narcissism

12/5/98; Southern California Psychoanalytic Institute; Beverly Hills, California

Disclosure of Patient Records: A Cautionary Tale

3/27/98; Annual Convention of the California Psychological Association; San Diego, California

Record Maintenance and Informed Consent Issues

9/15/97; Annual Convention of the California Psychological Association; Pasadena, California

**HISTORY OF RECENT COURT APPEARANCES**

DATE	CASE	RETAINED BY	NATURE OF PROCEEDING	VENUE
5/25/10	Chesher v. Board of Behavioral Sciences, DAG	Complainant	Administrative Law Bench Trial	County of Los Angeles
6/9/09	Suiter v. Board of Psychology Samuel Hammond, DAG	Petitioner	Administrative Law Bench Trial	County of Riverside
5/26/09	Shu-Luk v. Landwin Management Edward Torres, Esq	Plaintiff	Employment Law Jury (Re-Trial)	County of Los Angeles
5/13/09	Bunce v. St. of California Jennifer Paredes, DAG	Petitioner	Administrative Law Bench Trial	County of Fresno
10/6/08	Shu-Luk v. Landwin Management Edward Torres, Esq	Plaintiff	Employment Law Jury Trial	County of Los Angeles
02/06/08	Singh v. Southland Stone Krishna Malhotra, Esq	Plaintiff	Wrongful Termination Jury Trial	County of Los Angeles
11/28/05	Wysinger v. AA Dan Stormer, Esq	Plaintiff	Age Discrimination Jury Trial	County of Santa Barbara
11/16/05	Marquez v. St. of California Board of Psychology Michael Goch, Esq	Complainant	Administrative Law Bench Trial	County of Los Angeles
01/24/05	Larry A. Leatham v. State of California Stephen Boreman, DAG	Petitioner	Administrative Law Bench Trial	County of Sacramento
11/16/04	David Antion v. St. of Cal. Samuel Hammond, DAG	Petitioner	Administrative Bench Trial	County of San Diego
02/25/03	Sujin Lee v. St. of California Michael Goch, Esq	Complainant	Administrative Law Bench Trial	County of Los Angeles
03/21/02	Morin v. St. of California Tom Curtis, Esq	Complainant	Administrative Law Bench Trial	County of Los Angeles
12/11/01	La Borde v. St. of California Susan Merton Wilson, DAG	Petitioner	Administrative Law Bench Trial	County of Los Angeles
02/03/00	Tesoro v. Piscitello Darrell Brooke, Esq	Defense	Will and Probate Bench Trial	County of Los Angeles
06/26/97	Hough v. Allstate Insurance Michael Bidart, Esq	Plaintiff	Bad Faith Insurance Jury Trial	County of Los Angeles

**HISTORY OF RECENT DEPOSITIONS**

DATE	CASE	RETAINED BY	NATURE OF PROCEEDING	VENUE
09/04/08	Luk v. Landwin Management, Inc, et al Edward Torres, Esq	Plaintiff	Employment Law	County of Los Angeles
10/17/07	Bobo v. Simpson Family, Inc. Edward Torres, Esq	Defendant	Employment Law	County of Los Angeles
11/16/06	Ball v. Lochner Adina T. Turman, Esq	Petitioner	Family Law	County of Los Angeles
03/15/06	Peck-Pruitt v. JC Penney Katie Dempster (Applicant) Robert Tomlin (Defense)	Applicant	Workers Comp	County of Los Angeles
08/31/05	Wysinger v. AAA Virginia Keeny, Esq	Plaintiff	Age Discrimination	County of Los Angeles
09/22/04	Gregurich v. Luther Mitchell Jeffrey Lurner, Esq	Plaintiff	Sexual Harassment	County of Los Angeles

RECENT CONTINUING EDUCATION TAUGHT (AK) OR RECEIVED

DATE	COURSE	HOURS
02/11 to 07/11	Love in the Afternoon: Understanding the Role of Love in the Psychoanalytic Process (AK)	15
09/10 to 1/11	The Descent Unto Death: Understanding Suicide through Psychoanalysis and Literature (AK)	15
01/10 to 06/10	Keeping the Encounter Alive: Insights from Philosophy and Literature (AK)	15
9/14 to 15/07	Multi-Method Assessment: Combining the MMPI-2 and the Rorschach	12
06/01/09	Being Who You Are: An Update On Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy (AK)	30
5/12/07	From Connection to Termination: A Legal and Ethical Overview of the Psychotherapeutic Process (AK)	6
05/26/06	Current Trends in Object Relations Theory: A Critical Review (AK)	30
05/21/05	Risky Business: A Survey of High Risk Ethical Dilemmas (AK)	4
05/13 to 15/05	Rorschach & MMPI-2 in Clinical Forensic Settings	21
04/9/05	Spousal and Partner Abuse	7
04/8/05	Intrusions in the Consulting Room (AK)	2