## Evel Neocleus, M.A., B.A. (Hons)

#### Licenced / Registered Educational Psychologist,

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Education	Lyceum Graduation Certificate (Science Field)	1995
	Army Discharge Certificate (Ironclad Brigade, 1995-1997)	1997
	<b>Degree in Psychology (B.A.) with distinction</b> (Cum Laude, 3.26/4.00) <i>Dean's List</i> , St. Cloud State University (SCSU), U.S.A. <i>Honored</i> by Psi Chi and award for research (see end of c.v.)	2002
	Master of Arts in Educational Psychology (M.A.) (8.45/10.0) University of Cyprus (UCY) Acquired the tile "Psychologist"	2009
	Certificate in "Parent-Child Interaction Therapy" (PCIT) Brown University & The Brown Center for the Study of Children at Risk	2010
	Certified as a "PCIT Therapist" by Parent-Child Interaction Therapy International (www.pcit.org/cyprus)	2015
B.A. Relative Coursework	Clinical Psychology, Psychology of Altruism, Developmental Psychology, Social Psychology, Personality, Learning and Motivation, Industrial Organizational Psychology, Child's Psychology, Adolescent Psychology, Child and Family Studies, Statistics in the Social Sciences, Methodology in Psychology, Speech Communication.	
M.A. Relative Coursework	Ethics in Educational Psychology, Development and evaluation of Intelligence, Psychometrics, Cognitive Science, Counseling Psychology, Prevention Programs in Schools, Assessment of Children and Adolescents, Analysis and modification of Behavior, Perception, Psychological Interventions in Schools I and II, Advanced Topics in Educational Psychology, Neurophysiology of Mental Illness.	
Practical Training	Internship (500 hours), Fairview Hospital, MN, USA	2002
	Practicum (1500 hours), Educational Psychology Services, Ministry of Education and Culture, Cyprus.	2009-2010
Work experience, (While pursuing my B.A.) USA	Child Caregiver <i>Provided</i> in-home care to a 10-year old girl with mental retardation	1998
USA	Residential Hall Supervisor, SCSU Residential Life	1998-2000
	Supervised night activity in student Halls	
	<ul><li>Confronted people who disturbed peace or violated campus rules</li><li>Dealt with urgent situations of substance abuse and violence</li></ul>	
	incidents	

through oral and written reports

Reported incidents to the Hall's Director and to St. Cloud Police,

#### Teaching experience, USA Teaching Assistant, SCSU 2000-2002 **Taught** psychology and philosophy lessons to students who needed personal attention Work experience, USA Psychiatric Technician, Fairview University Medical Center, 2002-2003 (After graduation) Fairview Hospital, Minnesota (full-time) Supervised, monitored and counseled in-patients with myriad mental and other health issues **De-escalated** aggravating behaviors and handled delicate and potentially harmful situations Cooperated closely with physicians, nurses, social workers, family members, health unit coordinators and other hospital personnel **Monitored** patients closely throughout the day and delivered daily oral and written reports about their behavior and progress to the mental health team **Activity coordinator for Materia Senior Care Community** Work experience, Cyprus 2005-2006 (Post B.A. Graduation) (part-time) Organized weekly activities Lead group discussions to alleviate discomfort and burden **Coordinated** leisure activities, tailored to improving patients' selfesteem, feelings of belonging, and sense of security Post-graduate Associate, Psychology Department, UCY 2006 Carried out research on the behalf of Department's Chair (Professor of Psychology) Work experience, Cyprus Research Associate, Research Coordinator 2009-2010 (Post M.A. Graduation) Psychology Department, UCY Organized and coordinated each phase of a Pancyprian Research Project for the standardization of a cognitive assessment instrument **Lead** the research team and the examiners through close collaboration with the leading researcher of the project (a Professor of Psychology) Assessed the work of the examiners and gave them continuous direction and feedback **Translated** to Greek, the Examiner's Manual for Assessing students **Participated** in the process of generating Psychoeducational Assessment Short-Reports for over 500 students (participants) Educational Psychologist, Acropolis, Nicosia, Cyprus 2009-2010 Registered Educational Psychologist, Director at 2010-present Evel Neocleus Educational Psychologist Ltd, Parent-Child Center, Engomi, Nicosia, Cyprus For Available Services and Treatments, see corresponding sections of Website at www.schoolpsychologist.eu Provides Services to Ministry of Education and Culture, as an 2012-present expert in managing conduct disorders in children, through both PCIT and TCIT (Teacher-Child Interaction Therapy) at the school setting **Distinctions** Awarded a gold medal for research project on "Healthy Decision

Making", during studies in Psychology at SCSU, MN, USA

Received "cum laude" distinction, B.A. in Psychology (SCSU)

Honored by Psi Chi International Honor Society for high GPA in psychology classes (SCSU)

# Language and Other Skills

*Fluent in* both Greek and English, beginner in French and Russian

**Experienced in educating adults** (parents and teachers) on child supportive behavioral techniques and methods to enhance and modify behavior

**Experienced in providing** live-coaching during PCIT while parent and child use any of the above native languages during their play interactions