

# KELLY LOUISE MINOR, PH.D.

*Clinical psychologist working exclusively with women*



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## *Degrees*

Ph.D. Clinical Psychology Northwestern University, APA-accredited, 2000  
M.A. Clinical Psychology Northwestern University, APA-accredited, 1998  
B.A. Psychology California State University Fresno, Summa Cum Laude, 1993

## *Interests*

Women's circles supporting wisdom, connection & compassionate activity  
Deepening & integrating clinicians' understanding of Acceptance & Commitment Therapy (ACT)

## *Licensure*

Clinical Psychologist, California License #PSY22147

Continuing Education Provider, California License #MIN047

Licensed by the California Psychological Association to offer CE credits for psychologist, MFT and LCSW licensure requirements as per the American Psychological Association.

## *Experience*

2008-current Clinical Psychologist in private practice working exclusively with women  
Offering private consultations, workshops, retreats, and group intensives

2007-2008 Instructor, Department of Psychiatry, Stanford University

2006-2007 Postdoctoral Clinical Fellowship (APA-accredited)  
Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Palo Alto, CA  
Rotations: Women's Mental Health Center, Women's Behavioral Health Clinic  
Specialty Focus: Acceptance and Commitment Therapy

2005-2006 Clinical Psychology Internship (APA-accredited)  
Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Palo Alto, CA  
Rotations: Women's Outpatient Mental Health Center,  
Women's Trauma Recovery Program, Women's Behavioral Health Clinic;  
Specialty Focus: Acceptance and Commitment Therapy

2003-2007 NIMH Postdoctoral Research Fellowship  
Department of Psychology, Stanford University

## *Funding*

- 2005-2008 Principal Investigator, "Prevention of Postpartum Depression"  
NARSAD Young Investigator Award; \$60,000.
- 2007-2008 McCormick Postdoctoral Fellow, Stanford University
- 2004-2007 Postdoctoral Fellow, "Neurobiology of Reward Responsivity in Depression"  
National Research Service Award, NIMH; grant #1F32MH71021-01.

## *Publications*

- Gershon, A., Minor, K. L., & Hayward, C. (October 2008.) Gender differences in psychiatric outcomes. *Psychological Medicine*, 38(10), 1377-1391.
- Gotlib, I.H., Joormann, J., Minor, K. L., & Hallmayer, J. (2008) HPA-Axis reactivity may underlie the associations among the 5-HTTLPR polymorphism, stress, and risk for depression. *Biological Psychiatry*, 63(9), 847-851.
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- Gotlib, I.H., Sivers, H., Gabrieli, J. D. E., Whitfield-Gabrieli, S., Goldin, P., Minor, K. L., & Canli, T. (2005). Subgenual anterior cingulate activation to valenced emotional stimuli in major depression. *Neuroreport*, 16(16), 1731-1734.
- Minor, K. L., Champion, J., & Gotlib, I. H. (2005). Stability of DSM-IV Criterion Symptoms for Major Depressive Disorder. *Psychiatric Research*, 39(4), 415-420.
- Minor, K. L., Wright B. D., & Park, S. (2004). The Smell Identification Test (UPSIT) as a measure of olfactory identification ability in schizophrenic and healthy populations: A Rasch psychometric study. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*, 113(2), 207-216.
- Minor, K. L. (2000). Olfactory identification deficiency in schizophrenia: Reliability, validity, and specificity of impairment in chronic, medicated patients with schizophrenia. (Doctoral dissertation, Northwestern University, 2000). *Dissertation Abstracts International*, 61(6B), 3285.
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- Minor, K., & Wright B. (1999). Is a rose a rose? Objective analysis of olfactory identification ability in schizophrenia. *Popular Measurement*, 2(1), 54-56.
- Feifel, D., Minor, K. L., Dulawa, S., & Swerdlow, N. R. (1997). The effects of intra-accumbens neurotensin on sensorimotor gating. *Brain Research*, 760, 80-84.
- Feifel, D., & Frillman-Minor, K. L. (1997). Cysteamine blocks amphetamine-induced deficits in sensorimotor gating. *Pharmacology, Biochemistry, and Behavior*, 58(3), 689-693.

## *Featured Speaker: Workshops, Seminars, Groups & Retreats*

- Sep 2014 Weekend Retreat, Authenticity, Mayacamas Retreat Center, Calistoga CA
- May 2014 Daylong Seminar, Conscious Dating, Allied Arts Guild, Menlo Park CA
- May 2014 Guest Speaker, Authenticity, Portola Valley Women's Group, Woodside CA
- Mar 2014 Daylong Seminar, What is Love (What Isn't), Allied Arts Guild, Menlo Park CA
- Feb 2014 Two Daylong Workshops, Supportive Relationships, Private Residence, Sunol CA
- Dec 2013 Daylong Workshop, Gratitude, Stillheart Institute, Woodside CA
- Sep 2013 Weekend Retreat, The Heroine's Journey: Based on the Work of Joseph Campbell, Presentation Center, Los Gatos CA
- Sep 2013 Daylong Workshop, The Heroine's Journey, Presentation Center, Los Gatos CA
- Aug 2013 Daylong Workshop, Deep Listening, Private Residence, Sunol CA
- Jul 2013 Daylong Seminar, What is Love (What Isn't), Allied Arts Guild, Menlo Park CA
- May 2013 Daylong Workshop, Comfortable in Your Skin, Stillheart Institute, Woodside CA
- Mar 2013 Daylong Seminar, Life Review: Values, Goals, Allied Arts Guild, Menlo Park CA
- Feb 2013 Daylong Workshop, Resistance, Presentation Center, Los Gatos CA
- Sep 2012 Weekend Retreat, Authenticity, Stillheart Institute, Woodside CA
- Jun 2012 Daylong Workshop, Comfortable in Your Skin, Stillheart Institute, Woodside CA
- Apr 2012 Daylong Workshop, Deep Listening, Stillheart Institute, Woodside CA
- Mar 2012 Weekly Group, 10 Sessions, Acceptance and Commitment Therapy (ACT), Mental Research Institute (MRI), Palo Alto CA
- Feb 2012 Daylong Workshop, Create Relationships, Stillheart Institute, Woodside CA
- Oct 2011 Daylong Seminar, Set Inspiring Goals, Allied Arts Guild, Menlo Park CA
- Sep 2011 Weekend Retreat, Finding Your Life Mission, Stillheart Institute, Woodside CA
- Jun 2011 Daylong Workshop, Deep Listening, Stillheart Institute, Woodside CA
- May 2011 Weekly Group, 5 sessions, Relationships: Deeper Systems, Cowper Inn, Palo Alto
- Apr 2011 Daylong Workshop, Relationships: Family Systems Approach, Cowper Inn, Palo
- Mar 2011 Weekly Group, 5 sessions, Meditation, Cowper Inn, Palo Alto CA
- Dec 2010 Daylong Workshop, Relationships: Home for the Holidays, Cowper Inn, Palo Alto
- Nov 2010 Daylong Workshop, Gratitude, Stillheart Institute, Woodside CA
- Oct 2010 Weekly Group, 10 Sessions, Acceptance and Commitment Therapy (ACT), Mental Research Institute (MRI), Palo Alto CA

## *Specialty Training: Acceptance & Commitment Therapy (ACT)*

### *Clinical Internship & Postdoctoral Fellowship (Full-Time Supervised Clinical ACT Training)*

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| 2005-2006 | Clinical Internship, Dept of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Palo Alto<br>ACT (women; individual & group; residential & outpatient; 1,500 hrs) |
| 2006-2007 | Postdoctoral Fellowship, Stanford University & VA Palo Alto<br>ACT (women; individual & group; outpatient; 1,500 hrs)                           |

### *Conferences and Summer Research Institutes*

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| 2007-2010 | World Conferences and Summer Research Institutes |
| 2010      | Panelist, World Conference                       |

## *Professional Memberships*

Association for Contextual Behavioral Science (ACBS)  
American Psychological Association (APA)  
California Psychological Association (CPA)

## *Therapist Workshops, Corporate Seminars & ACT Presentations*

Audio recordings, slides & participant testimonials available upon request

## *Clinical Supervision & Teaching Experience*

Course lists, syllabi & course evaluations available upon request

## *References*

Available upon request