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**PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS**

2018-present	Associate Director of Diversity & Inclusion and Director of Training Boston College, University Counseling Services, Chestnut Hill, MA
2016-2018	Assistant Director of Diversity & Inclusion and Director of Training Boston College, University Counseling Services, Chestnut Hill, MA
2014-2016	Director of Training Boston College, University Counseling Services, Chestnut Hill, MA
2013-2016	Senior Staff Psychologist Boston College, University Counseling Services, Chestnut Hill, MA
2007-2013	Staff Psychologist Boston College, University Counseling Services, Chestnut Hill, MA

**EDUCATION**

2003-2006	University of Massachusetts Boston, Boston, Massachusetts Ph.D., Clinical Psychology
2001-2003	University of Massachusetts Boston, Boston, Massachusetts M.A., Clinical Psychology
Fall 1999	University of Sydney, Sydney, Australia The Butler Institute for Study Abroad Program
1997-2001	Wesleyan University, Middletown, Connecticut B.A., Psychology

**CURRENT LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION**

2008-Present	Massachusetts License as a Psychologist and Health Service Provider
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## **CLINICAL EXPERIENCE**

2006-2007	Psychology Fellow - Leadership Education in Adolescent Health Children's Hospital Boston, Division of Adolescent Medicine, Clinical Fellow in Psychology, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA
2005-2006	Psychology Intern (APA approved) Children's Hospital Boston, Department of Psychiatry, Clinical Fellow in Psychology, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA
2004-2005	Group Facilitator – Relational Aggression Groups Brookline Community Mental Health Center, Brookline, MA
Summer 2004	Clinical Associate Brookline Community Mental Health Center, Brookline, MA
2003-2004	Psychology Trainee – Clinical Practicum Brookline Community Mental Health Center, Brookline, MA
2002-2003	Psychology Trainee – Clinical Practicum University of Massachusetts, Boston, Counseling Center, Boston, MA

## **TRAINING AND SUPERVISION**

### ***Clinical Supervision***

2014-present	Director of Training of Postdoctoral Fellowship Boston College, University Counseling Services, Chestnut Hill, MA
2008-Present	Clinical Supervisor, Postdoctoral Training Boston College, University Counseling Services, Chestnut Hill, MA

### ***Training to Campus Community***

- Annual training on how to best support students in distress to residential advisors
- Annual training on trauma and self-care to residential life professional staff
- Annual training on basic counseling skills and supporting AHANA students to Options Through Education (summer bridge program for AHANA students) professional staff
- Annual training on supporting unique needs of 1<sup>st</sup> gen students to College Transition Program (summer program for 1<sup>st</sup> generation college students) professional staff
- Facilitate Campus of Difference modules (“Talking about Race,” “Sexual Orientation & Gender Identity,” “Culture & Values,” “Prejudice & Discrimination”) to student groups

## **LEADERSHIP AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

### ***Boston College***

2018-Present	Advisory Committee Member, School of Social Work
2017-Present	Member, Diverse Recruitment and Hiring Committee Division of Student Affairs
2016-Present	Facilitator, Campus of Difference Anti-bias education by the Anti-Defamation League (ADL)
2016-Present	Member, Diversity and Inclusion Committee Division of Student Affairs
2015-Present	Chair, Diversity Committee University Counseling Services
2012-Present	Steering Committee Member Asian Pacific Islander Employees of Boston College
2012-Present	Advisory Board Member Asian Pacific American Heritage Month Committee
2011-Present	Facilitator, Multicultural Conversation Hour University Counseling Services
2011-2014	Chair, Asian and Asian American Mental Health Initiative University Counseling Services
2013-2015	Member, Black Student Experience Project Team Division of Student Affairs
2009-2016	Mentor, Benjamin E. Mays Mentoring Program Office of AHANA Student Programs
2009-2015	Liaison/Clinical Consultant, Women's Center Support Groups and Training of Peer Leaders Women's Center
2011-2013	Chair, Hiring Committee University Counseling Services
2011	Member, University Affiliates Program (Leadership program for AHANA staff) Office of Institutional Diversity
2010	Chair, Hiring Committee for Director of Women's Resource Center Division of Student Affairs
2008-2011	Member, Professional Development Committee University Counseling Services

2007-2009	Member, Body Confidence Committee
2007-2012	Facilitator, Sister's Let's Talk (Support group for AHANA women)

***Other Professional Communities***

2016	Mentor, Asian American Psychological Association Leadership Fellows Program
2006	Planning Committee Member, 2nd Annual Health and Wellness Summit YWCA Boston, Boston, MA
2004-2005	Program Coordinator/Evaluator, Asian American Girls Support Groups (Funded by United Way) Brookline Community Mental Health Center, Brookline, MA
2001-2003-	Member, Diversity Committee University of Massachusetts, Boston
2002-2003	Student Representative, Clinical Executive Committee University of Massachusetts, Boston
2001-2004	Treasurer, Pacific Asian American Students Association in Graduate Education University of Massachusetts, Boston
2001-2002	Class Representative, Clinical Graduate Student Association University of Massachusetts, Boston
2000-2001	Head Resident, Residential Life Wesleyan University

**TEACHING EXPERIENCES**

Spring 2011	Guest Lecturer, <i>Eating Disorder: Cultural Lens</i> Department of Psychology, Boston College
Spring 2008	Guest Lecturer, <i>Trauma: Cultural Perspective</i> Department of Psychology, Boston College
Spring 2006	Guest Lecturer, <i>Culturally Competent Therapy</i> Department of Psychology, Boston College
Fall 2006	Guest Lecturer, <i>Therapy with Children/Adolescents and Families</i> Department of Psychology, Simmons College
Fall 2006	Guest Lecturer, <i>Women and Interracial Relationships</i> Women's Studies, University of Massachusetts, Boston
2004-2005	Instructor, <i>Infancy and Child Development</i> Department of Psychology, University of Massachusetts, Boston

2001-2002                      Teaching Assistant, *Introduction to Psychology*  
Department of Psychology, University of Massachusetts, Boston

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

July 2004-                      Doctoral Dissertation  
July 2006                      University of Massachusetts, Boston  
Title: Development of Racial and/or Ethnic Identities of Asian American Women  
and White European American Men Experiencing Interracial Dating  
Advisor: Karen Suyemoto, Ph.D.

Fall 2002-                      Master's Thesis  
August 2003                   University of Massachusetts, Boston  
Title: Relationship between Physical Appearance, Sense of Belonging, Feelings  
of Exclusion, and Racial/Ethnic Self Identity Among Multiracial Japanese-  
European Americans  
Advisor: Karen Suyemoto, Ph.D.

Fall 2001-                      Research Coordinator  
Spring 2002                   University of Massachusetts, Boston  
Title: Asian American Students' Needs Assessment Project  
Advisor: Karen Suyemoto, Ph.D.

Summer 2001                   Research Consultant  
Wesleyan University & University of Pennsylvania  
Title: Northeast-Northwest Collaborative Adoption Project (N2CAP)  
Advisor: Stephen Petrill, Ph.D.

## HONORS AND AWARDS

2017                              Division of Student Affairs Diversity Award  
Boston College

2014                              George Goldsmith Mentor of the Year Award  
Benjamin E. Mays Mentoring Program  
Office of AHANA Student Programs, Boston College

2005                              Division of Women Student Award  
Asian American Psychological Association

2004                              Clinical Executive Committee Dissertation Grant  
University of Massachusetts, Boston

2002                              Professional Development Grant  
University of Massachusetts, Boston, Graduate Student Assembly

2002                              Student Travel Award  
Asian American Psychological Association

2002	Educational Support Grant University of Massachusetts, Boston, Graduate Student Assembly
2001	The Holzberg Fellowship Wesleyan University

## MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

2001-Present	Asian American Psychological Association
2006-2008	Society for Adolescent Health
1999-2008	American Psychological Association
1999-2004	Society for Research in Child Development

## LANGUAGE ABILITIES

Fluent in Korean

## PUBLICATIONS

Tran, N., Nakamura, N., Kim, G. S., Khera, G. S., & **AhnAllen, J. M.** (2018). #APIsforBlackLives: Unpacking the interracial discourse on the Asian American Pacific Islander and Black communities. *Community Psychology in Global Perspective*, 4(2), 73-84.

**AhnAllen, J. M.**, Suyemoto, K. L. (2011). Influence of Interracial Dating on Racial and/or Ethnic Identities of Asian American Women and White European American Men. *Asian American Journal of Psychology*, 2(1), 61-75.

Suyemoto, K. L., Tawa, J., Kim, G. S., Day, S. C., Lambe, S. A., Nguyen, P. T. & **AhnAllen, J. M.** (2009). Integrating disciplines for transformative education in health services: Strategies and effects. In L. Zhan (Ed), *Asian American voices: Engaging, empowering, and enabling* (209-228). NLN Press: New York.

**AhnAllen, J. M.**, Suyemoto, K. L., & Carter, A. S. (2006). Relationship between physical appearance, sense of belonging, exclusion, and racial/ethnic self-identification among multiracial Japanese-European Americans. *Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology*, 12 (4), 673-686.

## MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

Kim, G. S., Nakamura, N., Tran, N., Khera, G. S., & **AhnAllen, J. M.** Counter-narrating our own stories: Asian American Pacific Islander Positionality in Race Dialogues.

Kim, G. S., & **AhnAllen, J. M.** Practice with Asian Immigrant Families and Intergenerational Issues. In E. Congress (Editor). *Multicultural Perspectives in Practice with Families: A Handbook for the Helping Professions*. 4<sup>th</sup> edition.

## PRESENTATIONS

**AhnAllen, J.M.**, Jenkins, Y., Latham, P., Malaga, J., & Piontkowski, S. (2019). *Understanding and responding to the trauma of racism*. Presentation at 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Diversity and Inclusion Summit, Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA.

Kim, G. S., **AhnAllen, J. M.**, Nakamura, N., Khera, G. S., & Tran, N. (2018). *Reclaiming our stories in our own voices: Asian American Pacific Islander positionality in race dialogues*. Difficult Dialogue presented at the annual Convention of Asian American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.

Tran, N., Nakamura, N., **AhnAllen, J. M.**, Khera, G. S., & Kim, G. S. (2017). *Between a rock and a hard place: Carving out Asian American Pacific Islander positionality in the race dialogue*. Difficult Dialogue presented at the Asian American Psychological Association annual convention, Las Vegas, NV.

**AhnAllen, J.M.**, Jenkins, Y., Latham, P., Malaga, J., & Piontkowski, S. (2017). *Can you be prejudiced and not know it? Implicit bias is for everyone*. Presentation at 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Diversity and Inclusion Summit, Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA.

**AhnAllen, J.M.**, Jenkins, Y., Latham, P., Malaga, J., & Piontkowski, S. (2017). *Implicit Bias*. Presentation at Annual Excellence of Teaching Day, Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA.

**AhnAllen, J.M.** & Baillie, J. (2013). *Silver Week: Asian Americans and Mental Health at Boston College*. Invited speakers at Boston College Asian Caucus Silver Week, Chestnut Hill, MA.

**AhnAllen, J. M.** (2013) *Asian Americans and Mental Health: Myths, Fears, and Dreams*. Invited workshop presented at the 9th Annual Asian American Women in Leadership Conference, Boston, MA.

**AhnAllen, J. M.**, Baillie, J., Paek, M., Jenkins, Y. & Khullar, A. (2013). *Bridging the Gap in Access to Mental health Services for Asian and Asian American College Students*. Structured discussion presented at the annual Diversity Challenge conference from the Institute for the Study and Promotion of Race and Culture, Boston, MA.

**AhnAllen, J. M.** (2013). *Asian and Asian American College Students and Mental Health*. Invited speaker at Boston College Student Affairs Manger's Meeting, Boston, MA.

**AhnAllen, J. M.**, Ung, T., Kim, G. & Thompson E. (2011). *Asian American Girls and Women Ethic/Racial Identity Development: Why Should We Care?* Panelist on an invited workshop at the 7th Annual Asian American Women in Leadership Conference, Boston, MA.

Tawa, J., Day, S. C., Kim, G. S., **AhnAllen, J. M.**, Suyemoto, K. L., Nguyen, P.T. & Lambe, S. A. (2008). *Transformative education as a means of resisting oppression: Integrating Asian American Studies and Psychology curricular and pedagogical strategies*. Interactive session presented at the annual conference of the Asian American Psychological Association, Boston, MA.

- Kim, G. S., & **AhnAllen, J. M.** (2007). Asian American College Mental Health: Contemporary Issues. Invited workshop presented at *APPEX: Asian Pacific Islanders Promoting Educational Excellence - A Leadership Development Summit*, pre-conference session, National Association of Student Personnel Administrators conference, Boston, MA.
- Day, S. C., Suyemoto, K. L., **AhnAllen, J. M.**, Lin, N.J., Nguyen, P.T., Tawa, J., & Rhee, D. J. (2006). Asian American youth: Development, empowerment, and racial and ethnic identities. In S. Kim (Chair), *Listening to the Silence: Educational, Psychological, and Community Experiences of Asian American Youth in Massachusetts*, Paper presented at the annual conference of the Association for Asian American Studies, Atlanta, GA.
- AhnAllen, J. M.** & Suyemoto, K. L. (2005). *Development of racial and/or ethnic identities of Asian American women and White European American men experiencing interracial dating*. Poster presentation at the annual convention of Asian American Psychological Association, Washington DC.
- Day, S. C., Suyemoto, K. L., **AhnAllen, J. M.**, Lin, N. J., Nguyen, P. T., Tawa, J., & Jong, D. (2005). *Asian American youth development, empowerment, and racial and ethnic identities*. Poster presentation at the annual convention of Asian American Psychological Association, Washington DC.
- Ahn, J. M.**, Tawa, J., & Kim, L. (2004). *Interracial relationships*. Panel presented at the Boston Asian Students Intercollegiate Conference (BASIC), Cambridge, MA.
- Suyemoto, K. L., **Ahn, J. M.**, & Nguyen, P. (2004). *Developing Research Reflexivity: Positioning Oneself in Relation to Researched Communities*. Workshop presented at the annual convention of the Asian American Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI.
- Ahn, J. M.**, Suyemoto, K. L., & Carter, A. (2004). *Influences of Sense of Belonging and Feelings of Exclusion on the Relationship between Physical Appearance and Racial/Ethnic Self-Identity Among Multiracial Japanese-European Americans*. Poster presentation at the annual convention of American Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI.
- Suyemoto, K. L. & **Ahn, J. M.** (2004). Researching inside and outside: Multiracial Asian American Identity, community, and research reflexivity. In K. L. Suyemoto (Chair), *Researching in and out: Reflections on Asian American identity, community connections, and the research process*. Symposium presented at the annual conference of the Association for Asian American Studies conference, Boston, MA.
- Pfeifer, G., **Ahn, J. M.**, Banh, M., Chan, P., Grossman, J., Kim, G., Laidlaw, P., Lawrence, Y., Park-Taylor, J., Perry, J., Sakurai, M., & Shadmon, O. (2004). *Multicultural interventions inside and out: Adapting services to changing communities*. Workshop presented at the annual Diversity Challenge conference from the Institute for the Study and Promotion of Race and Culture, Boston, MA.
- Ahn, J. M.**, Suyemoto, K. L., & Carter, A. (2003). Multiracial Asian Americans: Belonging, exclusion, and racial/ethnic identity. In G. S., Kim (Chair), *New directions and populations in Asian American identity*. Paper presented at the annual Diversity Challenge conference from the Institute for the Study and Promotion of Race and Culture, Boston, MA.



- Ahn, J. M.,** Suyemoto, K. L., & Carter, A. (2003). Multiracial Japanese-European American Identity: Belonging, Exclusion, and Physical Appearance. In K. L. Suyemoto (Chair), *Social constructions of identities: Belonging, exclusion, and meanings of identities for Asian American*. Symposium presented at the annual conference of the Association for Asian American Studies, San Francisco, CA.
- Suyemoto, K. L., **Ahn, J. M.,** Alvarez, A., Kiang, P. & Tanabe, M. (2003). *Asian American Studies and Psychology: Building Connections Through Community Engagements*. Roundtable presented at the annual conference of the Association for Asian American Studies, San Francisco, CA.
- Suyemoto, K., **Ahn, J. M.,** Kim, G., Lin, J. L., Marlette, L., Mizumoto, S., Tanabe, M., & Tawa, J. (2003). *Asian American Students' Needs Assessment Project*. Symposium presentation at University of Massachusetts, Boston, MA.
- Ahn, J. M.,** Suyemoto, K. L., & Carter, A. (2002). *Relationship between physical appearance, sense of belonging, feelings of exclusion, and racial/ethnic self-identity among multiracial Japanese-European Americans*. Poster presentation at the annual convention of the Asian American Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
- Dwyer, E., Tanabe, M., **Ahn, J. M.,** & Suyemoto, K. L. (2002). *Developing Asian American visions and voices: Experiences from constructing a diverse psychology research team*. Interactive session presented at the annual convention of the Asian American Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
- Petrill, S. A., Deater-Deakard, K., Johnson, A., Van Nimwegen, K., & **Ahn, J. M.** (2001). *Environmental influences on early reading: The Northeast-Northwest Collaborative Adoption Study*. Poster presentation at Society for Research and Child Development National Conference, Minneapolis, MN.