



CURRICULUM VITAE

Dr. Simon Griffey

Educational, Child & Family Psychologist

Qualifications

Doctor of Education, University of Bristol	2002
Postgraduate Certificate in Educational Psychology, The Tavistock Clinic, London	1984
Postgraduate Certificate of Education, Avery Hill College, London	1981
BA (Hons) Psychology, University of London, Goldsmiths' College	1980

Professional Membership

Chartered Psychologist and Associate Fellow of the British Psychological Society
(Membership no. 17173)

Member of the Division of Educational and Child Psychology, British Psychological Society

Member of UK Association of Infant Mental Health

Member of Association of Educational Psychologists
(Membership no. GRIS0817)

Health Professionals Council – Registered Psychologist
(Membership no. PYL05913)

Present Employment

Research Director, DEdPsy & Director, Post Qualification DEdPsy, School of Psychology, Cardiff University

External Examiner, DEdPsy Programmes of University College London & Exeter University.

Employment History

Senior Psychologist, Child & Education Psychology Service, Newport City Council Member of Newport Primary Mental Health Team	1999 – 06
Senior Psychologist, Gwent County Council	1991 – 99
Main Grade Psychologist, Westminster City Council	1988 – 91
Main Grade Psychologist, London Borough of Harrow	1988 – 91



Clinical Experience

I trained as an educational and child psychologist in 1984 and have worked as a Chartered Psychologist with children, parents/carers, teachers, social workers and mental health professionals for over twenty-five years. I have extensive experience of psychological assessment, therapeutic interventions, reporting and providing recommendations for children and families. My doctoral research was in the field of children's early attachment experiences. I also have extensive experience of training teachers, social workers and parents/carers in the needs of children in care of the local authority, supervise and train psychologists at postgraduate level, and undertake research and publish widely in the professional field. I am a member of the register of expert witnesses. I have been instructed by solicitors' companies in criminal and civil proceedings. I am experienced in providing expert advice in Tribunals, County, Crown and Magistrates' Courts.

Publications include

- Griffey, S. (1989). *Psychology service evaluation – customer views*, Educational Psychology in Practice, 4(4), pp. 179-183.
- Griffey, S. & Kelleher, M. (1995). Measuring learning: Connecting practice with theory, *Best Practices in Learning Organisations: Measuring the Reality*, European Consortium for the Learning Organisation, Proceedings International Conference, University of Warwick (UK), May 17th-19th, 1995. *Best Paper of Conference Award*.
- Griffey, S. & Hankins, E. (1996) Counselling and guidance for a modularised curriculum: an institutional approach, *Pastoral Care in Education*, 14:1, pp. 7-11.
- Griffey, S. (1997). Supporting learning in initial vocational education and training, *Promoting Vocational Education and Training: European Perspectives*, Tampereen Yliopiston Opettajankoulutuslaitos, Ammaattikasvatussarja 17, pp. 91-107.
- Griffey, S. (1998). *Conceptual frameworks beyond the learning organisation*, presented at E.C.L.O. International Conference, Nice, May '97. The Learning Organisation, 5, 2, pp. 68-73.
- Griffey, S. & Claxton, G. (1997). *Unconscious mental resources: Implications for the ideal learning environment*. *Journal of Cognitive Education*, 6 (3).
- Kelleher, M., Griffey, S. & Haldane, A. (2002) *The Learning Audit*, HRDQ: Pennsylvania
- Griffey, S. (2005) *The Impact of Positive Behaviour Management Across a Local Education Authority*. Special, NASEN, Solutions Press Ltd: London
- Honey K., Rees P. & Griffey S. (2011). *Investigating self-perceptions and resilience in looked after children*, Educational Psychology in Practice, 27, 1, pp. 37–52.

Training

Unit E241: Special Needs in Education (Distinction) - Open University
BPS Certificate of Competence – Occupational Testing Level A - Cardiff University
BPS Certificate of Competence – Occupational Testing Level B - Cardiff University

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