

## Bio Sketch

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EDUCATION/TRAINING	DEGREE	YEAR	FIELD OF STUDY
James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA	B.A.	1995	Social Science
University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA	M.A.	2004	Clinical Psychology
University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA	Ph.D.	2007	Clinical Psychology
Medical University of SC, Charleston, SC	Internship	2007	Posttraumatic Stress

### Positions

2018-Present Professor of Education, Department of Human Services, University of Virginia  
 2018-Present Director, UVA Sheila C. Johnson Center for Clinical Services  
 2012-2018 Associate Professor of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, Medical University of South Carolina (MUSC), Charleston, SC  
 2014-2018 Section Chief & Director, PTSD Clinical & Telehealth Teams, Charleston VAMC, Charleston, SC  
 2007-2016 Director of Research Training, Veterans Affairs/MUSC Psychology Internship Program  
 2007-2014 Associate Director, PTSD Clinical Team, Ralph H. Johnson VAMC  
 2007-2012 Assistant Professor of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, MUSC  
 2006-2007 Clinical Psychology Intern: Medical University of SC/Ralph H. Johnson VAMC  
 2005-2006 Refugee Therapist: International Family Medicine Clinic, University of Virginia (UVA) Hospital  
 2002-2005 Lab Instructor: PSYC 740 Clinical Intervention; PSYC 771 Graduate Quantitative, PSYC 306/305 Research Methods and Data Analysis I & II, UVA, Charlottesville, VA  
 1999-2000 Residential Treatment Supervisor, Third Way Center, Denver, CO  
 1996-1998 Residential Treatment Supervisor, New Dominion School, Dilwyn, VA.

### Fellowships

2004-2006 Institute of Education Sciences Fellowship; Curry School of Education, University of Virginia  
 2004-2005 Clinic Administration Assistantship, Mary Ainsworth Psychological Clinic, UVA  
 2001-2005 Clinical Psychology Fellowship; Department of Psychology, University of Virginia  
 2003-2006 Buffett Fellowships for applied work in the area of Children and Families

### Professional Experience

#### International

##### **Mental Health Consultation and Training:**

Australia Centre for Posttraumatic Mental Health, University of Melbourne, Australia  
 Government of Australia Department of Defense Canberra, Australia  
 Government of Australia Department of Veterans Affairs, Melbourne, Australia  
 Japan National Institute of Health, Adult Division, Tokyo, Japan  
 Tokiwa International Victimology Institute, Ibaraki, Japan

**Chair:** Japan/US Evidence-Based Mental Health Response Initiative (JEMRI), 501(c)3

**International Telehealth Clinical Supervision (ITACS):** Post-Disaster Response, Mito, Japan

**Invited Lecturer:** United Nations University, Waseda University, Sophia University, Tokiwa University.

#### National

##### **Clinical Technologies Consultation & Training:** (EBT telehealth, virtual reality, and mobile health)

U.S. Department of Defense DoD	Loyola University, Chicago, IL
U.S. Veterans Health Administration (VHA)	Rush University, Chicago, IL
Center for Deployment Psychology	Ozark Center for Behavioral Health. MO
Missouri Coalition for Community Health	Harvard Medical School, MA
University of Puerto Rico, San Juan, PR	University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

**System-wide Telehealth Consultant:** Cohen Veterans Network (CVN)

**Clinical Technology SME:** VA Central Office, Center of Innovation (VACI)

**Taskforce Chair:** National Strategy Taskforce for Evidence-based PTSD Practices via Telehealth,  
 Funded Recommendations: **\$14,000,000.**

**Mentor:** National Center for PTSD Mentorship Program for Administrators of PTSD Clinics  
**Innovation Advisory Group (IAG):** VA Center for Innovation (VACI).  
**Conference Chair:** Prolonged Exposure Research: Innovations and the Protocol as a Vehicle for Science  
**Curriculum Consultant:** VA Office of Mental Health Services (OMHS)  
**Selection Committee:** International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies (ISTSS) Convention, 2012  
**Clinical Policy SME:** VHA, Under Secretary for Health for Operations and Management  
**Data Safety Monitoring Boards:** University of Michigan, UPenn, Veterans Health Administration.  
**American Psychological Association:** Video Series for Psychotherapy Training Host, 2022

#### Regional & Local

**Clinical Coordination:** VISN 7 Southeast Network Telehealth Coordination Team  
**Advisory Board:** BraveHeart: Welcome Back Veterans South East Initiative  
**Voting Member:** Research and Development (R&D) Committee, VAMC, Charleston, SC  
**Voting Member:** Psychology Education Committee, Dept. of Psychiatry, MUSC  
**Voting Member:** Appointment and Tenure Committee, Dept. of Psychiatry, MUSC  
**Policy Consulting and Program Evaluation:** Legal Aid Justice Center, Charlottesville; VA; Fairfax County Public Schools, Fairfax, VA; The Campaign for Excellence in Education; Fiscal Analytics, Richmond, VA; Virginia First Cities Coalition, Petersburg, VA

#### Mental Health Technology Consultation

**Content Consultant:** Zeriscope Inc.; Wearable telehealth solutions for mental health  
**Content Consultant:** Virtually Better Inc., Virtual Reality and e-Health interventions  
**Content Consultant:** MindApps, E-CBT Trauma smart-phone application  
**Content Consultant:** Aclaris Medical, Mobile psychophysiological monitoring for exposure therapy  
**Content Consultant:** DoD National Center for Telehealth and Technology, PE Coach App  
**Content Consultant:** "Army Wives," *Lifetime Network*

#### Awards & Recognitions

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##### National & International

- International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies (ISTSS) Sarah Haley Memorial Award for Clinical Excellence: *Bluhub Clinical Team (Tuerk: Trainer & Consultant)* 2022
- Military Family Research Institute's Excellence in Research Award, finalist 2020
- Technology, Education & Design (TED)x Talk, *Return from Chaos -Treating PTSD* Selected Talk <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ORs3-tRokGU> 2015
- Named Top 100 in US Purpose Economy: <http://purposeeconomy.com/pe100/infographic/> 2014
- Tokyo Metropolitan Public Safety Commission Victim Relief Commendation 2012
- VA Research & Development Award in Recognition of Outstanding Service 2011
- VA Office of Patient Care Services (OPCS) Commendation 2011
- Olin E. Teague Award for Outstanding Career Achievement in the Rehabilitation of War-Injured Veterans 2010
- ACE Award, Veterans Health Administration Workforce Management & Consulting Office 2010
- VA Southeast Network Commitment to Excellence Award 2009
- VA System-wide Ongoing Assessment & Review Strategy (SOARS) Strong Practice 2008

##### Local & Research

- Highlighted Research: *National Center for PTSD* Clinician's Trauma Update 2016
- Highlighted Research: *National Center for PTSD* Research Quarterly 2015
- Editor's Choice for Authored Research, Journal of Anxiety Disorders 2012
- Highlighted Research: *National Center for PTSD* Clinician's Trauma Update 2012a
- Highlighted Research: *National Center for PTSD* Clinician's Trauma Update 2012b
- VAMC Director's Recognition for Contributions to Programming 2012
- VAMC Performance award for exceptional duty-related achievement 2011
- VAMC Performance award for exceptional duty-related achievement 2010a
- VAMC Performance award for exceptional duty-related achievement 2010b
- Highlighted Research: *National Center for PTSD* Clinician's Trauma Update 2010
- VAMC Performance award for exceptional duty-related achievement 2009
- Outstanding Dedication to Training Award, VA/MUSC Psychology Internship 2009
- VA/MUSC Psychology Internship, Scientist-Practitioner Award 2007
- VA/MUSC Psychology Internship, Laura Griffin Humanitarian Award 2007
- UVA School of Medicine, Honorary Family Medicine Alumni 2007

- Council of University Directors of Clinical Psychology (CUDCP) Graduate Liaison 2004-2006
- APA award in recognition of excellence for research presentation 2002
- University of Virginia, Department of Psychology Dean's Award 2002
- Commonwealth of Virginia Volunteer Service Award for Outstanding Service 1992

**Scientific Peer Review (Ad Hoc, Editorial, 20 out of 42)**

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JAMA Psychiatry	J. Consulting & Clinical Psych	Psychiatric Services	Diabetes Care
J. Rehabilitation R&D	Cog. & Behavioral Practice	Clinical Psych Review	Beh. Modification
J. Dual Diagnoses	Intl. J. Psychiatry in Medicine	Depression & Anxiety	Neuro. Bio. Rev.
J. of Anxiety Disorders	Anxiety, Stress & Coping	J. of Clinical Psychiatry	Cog. Beh. Therapy
J. of Traumatic Stress	Clin. Case Conferences	Contemp. Clinical Trials	Psych. Research

**Grant Review, National/Federal**

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*Emphasis on Technology Transfer, Innovation, Telehealth, and Anxiety-Spectrum Disorders:*

National Institute of Health, STTR/SBIR (R41-R44): Biobehavioral Processes (BP-10)	2022
International OCD Foundation (IOCDF): Breakthrough /Innovator Awards	2022
National Institute of Health, STTR/SBIR: Psychopathology, Substance Abuse, and Community-Based Interventions Across the Lifespan Special Emphasis Panel (RPHB 16)	2021b
National Institute of Health, STTR/SBIR: Psychopathology, Substance Abuse, and Community-Based Interventions Across the Lifespan Special Emphasis Panel (RPHB 16)	2021a
National Institute of Health, STTR/SBIR: Neuro/Psychopathology, Lifespan Development, and STEM Education Special Emphasis Panel (RPHB 12)	2020
National Institute of Health, STTR/SBIR: Neuro/Psychopathology, Lifespan Development, and STEM Education Special Emphasis Panel (RPHB 12)	2019
National Institute of Health, STTR/SBIR: Neuro/Psychopathology, Lifespan Development, and STEM Education Special Emphasis Panel (RPHB 12)	2018a
National Institute of Health, STTR/SBIR: Neuro/Psychopathology, Lifespan Development, and STEM Education Special Emphasis Panel (RPHB 12)	2018b
Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)	2017
National Institute of Health, STTR/SBIR: Neuro/Psychopathology, Lifespan Development, and STEM Education Special Emphasis Panel (RPHB 12)	2017a
National Institute of Health, STTR/SBIR: Neuro/Psychopathology, Lifespan Development, and STEM Education Special Emphasis Panel (RPHB 12)	2017b
VA Central Office Center of Innovation (VACI) National Innovation Competition	2016
VA Central Office Center of Innovation (VACI) National Innovation Competition	2014
DoD Telemedicine & Advanced Technology Research Center (TATRC)	2013
US Army Medical Research and Material Command (USAMRMC)	2013
American Institute of Biological Sciences (AIBS)	2013
Charleston VA HSR&D Center of Innovation (COIN; Intramural)	2014
American Institute of Biological Sciences (AIBS)	2012

**Grant Review, Intramural**

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VA Health Services Research & Development (HSR&D), Center of Innovation (COIN)	2014
VA Health Services Research & Development (HSR&D), Center of Innovation (COIN)	2013
Charleston VAMC Research Enhancement Award Program (REAP; Intramural)	2012

**Trainer, In-Person Clinical & Continuing Education Workshops**

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Australian Government, Department of Defense, EBT for PTSD	Melbourne, AU	6/5/22-6/9/22
University of Melbourne, National Centre for Posttraumatic Health,	Melbourne, AU	5/29/22-6/3/22
SJC SEHD UVA, Evidence-based treatment for PTSD (18 CEs)	Charlottesville, VA	8/16/22-8/18/22
Kaiser Permanente, Evidence-based treatment for PTSD (21 CEs)	Fairfield, CA	12/2/21-12/4/21
Australian Government, Department of Defense, EBT for PTSD	Melbourne, AU	9/20/21-9/22/21
SJC SEHD UVA, Evidence-based treatment for PTSD (21 CEs)	Charlottesville, VA	7/27/21-7/29/21
US Department of Defense, Massed Exposure for PTSD	Fort Gordon, GA	4/17/21-4/18/21

Harvard Medical School, Prolonged Exposure for PTSD	Boston, MA	9/10/20-9/11/20
US DoD, Naval Medical Center, Massed Exposure for PTSD	Portsmouth, VA	9/8/20-9/9/20
Australian Government, Department of Defense, EBT for PTSD	Melbourne, AU	12/2/19-12/6/19
Missouri Coalition for Community Healthcare, CE Workshop	Jeff. City, MO	4/3/19-4/5/19
US Department of Defense, Prolonged Exposure workshop	Portsmouth, VA	3/4/19-3/6/19
U. of Pennsylvania Steven A. Cohen Military Family Clinic	Philadelphia, PA	10/18/18
Burrell Behavioral Health Springfield, EBT Workshop	Springfield, MO	09/19/18
Australian Government, Department of Defense, EBT for PTSD	Melbourne, AU	3/19/18-3/22/17
Australian Government, Department of Defense, EBT for PTSD	Melbourne, AU	4/3/17-4/7/17
Loyola University 3-day Workshop Training, EBT for PTSD	Chicago, IL	1/11/17-1/13/17
Missouri Coalition for Community Healthcare, EBT for PTSD	Jefferson City, MO	5/16/17-5/18/17
VA/MUSC Psychology Internship Training Program, PE Training	Charleston, SC	8/7/17-8/9/17
Australian Government, Department of Defense, EBT for PTSD	Melbourne, AU	4/26/16-4/29/16
Rush University, Virtual Reality Training for Health Professionals	Chicago, IL	6/10/15-6/11/15
Community Mental Health: Ozark Center PE for PTSD	Joplin, MO	8/27/14-8/29/14
VA Internship: Prolonged Exposure (PE) Professional Training	Charleston, SC	8/13/14-8/15/14
Community Mental Health: Ozark Center Virtual Reality in PTSD	Joplin, MO	1/10/14-7/12/14
U. of Puerto Rico, School of Public Health Technology Training	San Juan, PR	5/29/14-5/30/14
US DoD Integrating Technology into Mental Health Treatments	San Antonio, TX	5/15/14-5/16/14
US DoD Integrating Technology into Mental Health Treatments	Joint Base Andrews	1/29-1/30/14
VA OMHS Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Training	St. Louis, MO	6/24/14-6/28/14
US DoD Integrating Technology into Mental Health Treatments	Bethesda, MD	6/24/13-6/25/13
VA Internship: Prolonged Exposure (PE) Professional Training	Charleston, SC	8/14/13-8/16/13
VA ORD PE via Telemental Health 4-day Professional Training	La Jolla, CA	4/08/13-4/11/13
VA ORD PE via Telemental Health 4-day Professional Training	VISNs 6,7,11	5/13/13-5/16/13
US DoD National Center for Telehealth & Technology Training	Bethesda, MD	6/24/13-6/25/13
VA Internship: Prolonged Exposure (PE) Professional Training	Charleston, SC	8/15/12-8/17/12
VA OMHS Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Training	Denver, CO	6/05/12-6/08/12
Waseda University, Use of Technology in PTSD Services	Tokyo, Japan	3/16/2012
EMRI Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training	Charleston, SC	11/5/12-11/8/12
ORD Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training	New Orleans, LA	3/28/11-3/31/11
Japanese National Institute of Health, Adult Division, EBT/PTSD	Tokyo, Japan	10/3/2011
VA OMHS Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training	Boston, MA	6/26/11-9/29/11
VA OMHS Telemental Health 1-day Professional Training	Baltimore, MD	8/22/11
VA OMHS Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training	Charleston, SC	5/13/11-5/16/11
VA OMHS Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training	Nashville, TN	7/20/10-7/23/10
US DoD Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training	El Paso, TX	8/20/10-8/23/10
VA OMHS Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training	Las Vegas, NV	1/27/09-1/30/09
VA OMHS Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training	Boston, MA	6/16/09-6/19/09
Office of Mental Health Services, Evidence-based PTSD treatment	Minneapolis, MN	7/14/09-7/17/09
VA OMHS Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training	Nashville, TN	09/7/09-9/11/09

### **Clinical & Continuing Education Webinars**

1. **Tuerk, P.W.**, *Crowdsourcing expertise with OC-GO*. Continuing education (CE) Webinar presented at the Center for Deployment Psychology (CDP) Evidence-based Psychotherapy Conference: Innovations to Training and Practice, April 22, 2021, Bethesda, MD.
2. **Tuerk, P. W.**, *Rauch S.A.M. Prolonged Exposure Therapy PTSD Workshop (15 CE credits)*. Harvard Medical School. September 11-12, 2020.
3. **Tuerk, P. W., Rauch S.A.M.** Prolonged Exposure Therapy PTSD Workshop (15 CE credits). Harvard Medical School. September 11-12, 2020.
4. **Tuerk, P. W.**, *Prolonged Exposure Therapy PTSD Workshop (21 CE credits)*. Sheila Johnson Center for Clinical Services, University of Virginia.. September 11-12, 2020.

5. **Tuerk, P. W.** Synchronous Telehealth: Clinical Videoconferencing and PE Treatment, Clinical Webinar. *Phoenix Australia, Centre for Posttraumatic Mental Health*. May 4, 2020.
6. **Tuerk, P. W.** Synchronous Telehealth: Clinical Videoconferencing and PE Treatment, Clinical Webinar. University of Central Florida/ US DoD:. April 22, 2020.
7. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Telehealth Treatment, Differential Diagnosis, and Clinical Tools: A Provider-focused Webinar. Continuing Education Webinar, *Cohen Veteran's Network*. December 12, 2018.
8. **Tuerk, P. W.** Treatment of Military PTSD: Evidence-Based Exposure Therapy, Clinical Tools, and Emerging Methods. Continuing Education Webinar, *GoodTherapy.org*, March 2017.  
<https://www.goodtherapy.org/treatment-military-ptsd-exposure-therapy-web-conference.html>
9. Lysell, K., **Tuerk, P. W.**, Pitman, J., Klaus, J., Arnott, M. Implementing A Measurement Based Approach to MH Care, broadcast from the EES MyVeHU studio, on June 15, 2016, Orlando, FL.
10. **Tuerk, P. W.** & Lozano B. Home-based and Therapist Assisted Exposure Therapy. Advanced Call Series, National Center for PTSD, Education Division, August 2014.
11. **Tuerk, P. W.** Taking Care of Our Veterans Through the use of Telemedicine: Presented at 2nd Annual Telehealth Summit of South Carolina, October 10, 2013, Columbia, SC.
12. **Tuerk, P. W.** Home-based and Therapist Assisted Exposure Therapy. Advanced Call Series, National Center for PTSD, Education Division, July 8, 2013.
13. **Tuerk, P. W.** Health Service Utilization Before and After Evidence-Based Treatment for PTSD. Advanced Call Series, National Center for PTSD, Education Division, April 8, 2013.
14. **Tuerk, P. W.** & Thorp, S. Implementing Prolonged Exposure via Telehealth. Advanced Call Series, National Center for PTSD, Education Division, June 28, 2012.
15. **Tuerk, P. W.** Pilot Study of Prolonged Exposure Therapy for PTSD delivered via Telehealth Technology. VA HSR&D National Telemental Health Journal Club Series. October 28, 2009.

## **Research Support**

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### **As Principal Investigator**

1R42 MH11277-01A1; Fast-track Phase I & II, 05/01/2017-04/30/2020 (NCE)

**Title:** *OC-Go: Facilitating fidelity and dissemination of evidence-based treatment for childhood OCD via an interactive crowd-sourced patient-provider tool.*

**Funder:** National Institute for Mental Health (NIMH)

**Goal:** To innovate evidence-based treatment delivery, education, and dissemination, and to augment patient-side compliance and treatment efficacy via development and testing of an asynchronous telehealth platform. The platform allows providers to create and share (crowd source) multimedia, environmentally-interactive mobile activities to assist patients in completing out-of-office behavioral assignments.

**Role: Principal Investigator;** PHASE I \$224,679.00; PHASE II \$1,456,775.00

5R42MH094019-05; 9/16/11 - 8/31/17

**Title:** *Pegasys VR: Integrating Virtual Humans in the Treatment of Child Social Anxiety*

**Funder:** National Institute for Mental Health (NIMH)

**Goal:** To provide an interactive virtual environment in a game style setting to facilitate practice of social skills interactions. Skills learning will be supported by task-oriented social conversations using an artificial intelligence (AI) engine and 16 interactive avatars that interact within a free-roam virtual environment.

**Role: Principal Investigator;** \$2,056,984.00

13046027/W81XWH-15-1-0087; 12/01/2015 - 11/30/2018

**Title:** *Evaluating the Feasibility of Rescue: An Adjunctive HAI-Based Intervention for Veterans with PTSD*

**Funder:** Department of Defense (DoD), Applied Research and Advanced Technology Development Psychological Health Award

**Goals:** To investigate if treatment retention and outcomes in evidence-based PTSD care can be enhanced with Human-Animal Interaction (HAI) treatment augmentation in comparison to a rigorous control.

**Role: Principal Investigator; \$709,517.00**

R42DK103537; 11541029; 9/15/14 – 12/31/17

**Title:** *Experience Success: Virtual Reality Skills Training to Enhance e-Weight Loss*

**Funder:** National Institute for Mental Health (NIMH)

**Goal:** To improve internet-delivered obesity treatments by developing a virtual reality (VR) system for use with existing online programs. The project includes 4 hours of interactive video taking place in a mixed-media and entertaining virtual world. Users are confronted with common social and behavioral barriers to weight loss and select decisions to see how their avatar's week unfolds. Learning/skills-building methods are guided by Social Learning Theory (SLT), rather than overt didactics.

**Role: Principal Investigator; \$1,264,285.00**

CDA-2-013-09F; NCT01031979; 08/2010 - 07/2015

**Title:** *Prolonged Exposure for PTSD with and without Yohimbine and the Correlates of Trait Habituation*

**Funder:** VA Office of Research Development (ORD), Clinical Sciences R&D (CSR&D) 08/2010 - 07/2015

**Goals:** Employ an RCT to investigate the extinction learning augmentation properties of an alpha-2 adrenergic antagonist, and to develop technology-driven interactive objective measures of PTSD treatment response.

**Role: Principal Investigator; Direct Costs: \$325,000.00**

6/01/2011 - 7/30/2012

**Title:** *Japan-US Evidence-Based Mental Health Response Initiative (JEMRI)*

**Funder:** Fish Family Foundation

**Goals:** To build partnerships and rapidly deploy mental health training in evidence-based treatment for PTSD in post-tsunami Japan.

**Role: Principal Investigator, \$50,000.00**

07/2009 - 06/2013

**Title:** *Prolonged Exposure with and without Yohimbine and the Correlates of Trait Habituation*

**Funder:** South Carolina Translational Research (SCTR) Multidisciplinary Scholar Award.

**Role: Principal Investigator, \$255,000 (Switched funding to Alternative CDA)**

09/2004 - 08/2006

**Title:** *Statewide Achievement Gap in Florida Schools: Hierarchical Linear Models (HLM) and Correlates of Standardized Scores*

**Funder:** U.S. Dept. of Education, Institute of Education Sciences; Clinical & School Psychology Program, Curry School of Education, University of Virginia.

**Role: Fellowship Awardee; \$120,000 combined for two years.**

### **As Site-Principal Investigator**

W81XWH-15-1-0555; Sub Award: 567650/10050415/16638; 7/2015 - 7/2019

**Title:** *The Efficacy of 90- vs. 60-Minute Sessions of Prolonged Exposure for PTSD: A Randomized Control Trial in Active Duty Military Personnel (PI: Foa)*

**Funder:** Congressionally Directed Medical Research Program

**Goal:** Compare the efficacy of 90- vs. 60-Minute Sessions of Prolonged Exposure for PTSD via RCT.

**Role: Site-Principal Investigator**

QUERI; 9/2016 - 9/2019

**Title:** *Virtual Specialty Care Program. Implementing Technology Facilitated Clinical Interventions to Improve Access to High Quality Specialty Care for Rural Veterans (PI: Fortney)*

**Funder:** Quality Enhancement Research Initiative (QUERI), Department of Veterans Affairs

**Goals:** Improve healthcare access for Veterans in rural settings, and enhance strategic partnerships.

**Role: Site-Principal Investigator; Sub-award TBD ~\$312,000.00**

**Title:** *Virtual Specialty Care Program. Implementing Technology Facilitated Clinical Interventions to Improve Access to High Quality Specialty Care for Rural Veterans (PI: Fortney); 9/2016 - 9/2019*

**Funder:** Quality Enhancement Research Initiative (QUERI), Department of Veterans Affairs

**Goals:** Improve healthcare access for Veterans in rural settings, and enhance strategic partnerships.

**Role: Site-Principal Investigator; Sub-award TBD ~\$312,000.00**

2000 P SA936; 06/01/15 - 05/31/18

**Title:** *Virtual Reality (VR)-based Treatment for Obsessive Compulsive Disorder (OCD; PI: Piacentini)*

**Funder:** Furlotti Family Foundation

**Goals:** Development, testing, and dissemination of a novel virtual reality-based treatment system for children with Obsessive Compulsive Disorder to augment exposure with response prevention.

**Role:** **Site-Principal Investigator;** \$500,000.00 (Sub-award: \$265,000.00)

DoD # PT110176; W81XWH-12-1-0619; 10/01/2012 - 2/28/2015

**Title:** *Building a Family Systems Model to Promote Adherence to PTSD Treatment (PI: Meis)*

**Funder:** Department of Defense

**Goal:** To investigate family factors related to treatment engagement and retention of veterans with PTSD.

**Role:** **Site-Principal Investigator**

### **As Co-Investigator**

W81XWH-12-1-0614; 7/12/2012- 9/29/2018

**Title:** *In-Home Exposure Therapy for Veterans with PTSD (PI Moreland)*

**Funder:** DoD, U.S. Army Medical Research and Materiel Command

**Goal:** This is a randomized control trial study of prolonged exposure therapy (PE) with 175 Veterans. The goal is to compare PE conducted in three different ways: (1) office-based telehealth, (2) home-based telehealth, and (3) and in-home, in person PE.

**Role:** **Psychotherapy Lead, Co-Investigator**

DoD V SUBMUSC-11-30/W81XWH-11-1-0073; 12/2010 - 11/2015 (on extension)

**Title:** *Randomized Trial of Prolonged Exposure, Sertraline, and Their Combination for Treatment of Combat-related PTSD in Veterans of OEF/OIF*

**Funder:** DoD, U.S. Army Medical Research and Materiel Command

**Goal:** To investigate the relative efficacy of exposure therapy, antidepressants, and their combination in the treatment of combat-related PTSD.

**Role:** **Psychotherapy Lead, Co-Investigator;** \$14,135,443 (total); \$2,234,465 (site)

W81XWH-12-1-0614, PT110021; 4/01/2013 - 9/29/2016 (on extension)

**Title:** *In-Home Face to Face and Telehealth Exposure for Veterans with PTSD (PI: Moreland)*

**Funder:** Department of Defense Office of the Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs (CDMRP)

**Goal:** To investigate the relative efficacy of exposure therapy for PTSD provided in patients' homes compared to via home-based telehealth.

**Role:** **Psychotherapy Trainer; Co-Investigator**

**Title:** Rapid Exposure Supporting Trauma Recovery (RESTORE) 2017-2019

**Funder:** Government of Australia National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC), Department of Veterans' Affairs/Department of Defense

**Goal:** To investigate if prolonged exposure therapy, a gold standard evidence-based treatment for PTSD, is as effective when administered in daily sessions for two weeks, compared to the standard administration of a session a week for 10 weeks.

**Role:** **Co-Investigator**

W81XWH-14-1-0264 (018475) NCT02417025; 08/01/2014 - 07/31/2018

**Title:** *Do You Really Expect Me to get MST Care in a VA Where Everyone is Male? Innovative Delivery of Evidence Based Psychotherapy to Women with Military Sexual Trauma (PI: Acierno)*

**Funder:** DoD, US Army Medical Research and Materiel Command (USAMRMC)

**Role:** **Co-Investigator**

NCT02486692; 01/01/15 - 07/31/16

**Title:** *Pilot Evaluation of AboutFace: A Novel Peer Education Resource for Veterans VA (PI: Ruggiero)*

**Funder:** VA Health Services Research & Development (HSR&D)

**Goals:** To evaluate a peer education website, AboutFace, for the purpose of reducing stigma and improving attitudes toward seeking mental health services among Veterans.

**Role:** **Co-Investigator**

NCT01601574

**Title:** *Effects on Glycemic Control and Weight of a Modified Commercial Weight Control Program for People With Type 2 Diabetes* (PI: O'Neil)

**Funder:** Weight Watchers International

**Goals:** The purpose of this study is to determine whether the Weight Watchers program modified for use by people with Type 2 diabetes results in more improvements in blood glucose control relative to a control group receiving standard diabetes counseling.

**Role:** **Co-Investigator.**

1 R01 DA030143; 08/2010 - 06/2015

**Title:** *Integrated Treatment of OEF/OIF Veterans with PTSD and Substance Use Disorder* (PI: Back)

**Funder:** NIH/NIDA

**Goals:** To develop and test a treatment for simultaneously addressing PTSD and substance use disorder.

**Role:** **Co-Investigator**

Industry Grant, 09/01/2011 - 05/15/2014

**Title:** *Effects on Glucose Control of a Modified Commercial Weight Program for Type 2 Diabetes: A Multi-site Trial* (PI: O'Neil)

**Funder:** Weight Watchers International

**Role:** **Co-Investigator**

DoD 10322004; 08/2011 - 07/2012

**Title:** *Exposure Therapy With/ Without Simultaneous Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation for PTSD* (PI: George)

**Funder:** Department of Defense

**Role:** **Co-Investigator; \$354,287**

### **As Consultant**

W81XWH18C0331, 11/1/2019 – 5/15/2023

**Title:** *Effectiveness of Trauma Management Therapy and Prolonged Exposure Therapy for the Treatment of Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder in an Activ Duty Sample: A Comparison Study.* (PI: Beidel)

**Funder:** Congressionally Directed Medical Research Program

**Goal:** To compare the efficacy of PTSD exposure therapy delivered in massed vs standard formats via RCT.

**Role:** **Consultant, PE Psychotherapy Lead**

**Title:** *Rapid Exposure Supporting Trauma Recovery (RESToR)* (PI: Forbes)

**Funder:** Australian DoD; Australian National Health and Medical Research Council

**Goal:** To compare the efficacy prolonged exposure therapy for PTSD in massed vs. standard formats via RCT.

**Role:** **Consultant, PE Psychotherapy Lead**

R01HL125424; 05/01/2016-03/31/2020 (PI: Scherrer)

**Title:** PTSD Treatment: Effects on Health Behavior, Cardiovascular and Metabolic Disease

**Goals:** To use medical chart abstraction to investigate the relationship between engagement in evidence-based PTSD treatment and behavioral and biological markers of cardiovascular and metabolic disease.

**Funder:** National Heart Lung and Blood Institute

**Role:** **Consultant**

1R43MH107089-01A1; 05/0/2016 - 02/28/2018

**Title:** *PTSD Monitoring System for Prolonged Exposure Therapy* (PI: Bly)

**Funder:** National Institutes of Health (NIH)

**Goals:** Prove the feasibility of a mobile and web app platform aimed at measuring physiologic and psychometric data during to exposure therapy for PTSD.

**Role:** **Consultant**

CSP 591, NCT01928732; 02/01/14 - 01/08/18

**Title:** *Comparative Effectiveness Research in Veterans with PTSD* (PI: Schnurr)

**Funder:** VA Office of Research Development (ORD) Cooperative Studies Program (CSP)

**Role:** **Executive Planning Committee; \$3,878,433**

NCT02134691; 8/2013 - 7/2017

**Title:** *Randomized Trial of Prolonged Exposure for the Treatment of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD; PI: Vera)*

**Funder:** National Institute of Mental Health, NIH  
**Role: Consultant;** \$614,523

IAC09-040-2; 2010 - 2013

**Title:** *Prolonged Exposure (PE) for PTSD: Telemedicine vs. In Person* (PI: Acierno)

**Funder:** VA HSR&D

**Role: Consultant;** \$900,000

K12HD055885

**Title:** Building Interdisciplinary Research Careers in Women's Health (BIRCWH) Career Development Award:  
*The Effects of Oxytocin on Couples' Conflict Resolution Behaviors* (PI: Brady)

**Funder:** NICHD, Office of Research on Women's Health

**Role: Consultant**

### **Submitted Grants Under Review**

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PAR-21-135; R 61/R33; 04/01/2023- -03/30/2028

**Title:** Exposure Homework Adherence as a Treatment Mechanism in Pediatric OCD

**Funder:** National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH)

**Goal:** In the R61 phase, we will conduct a multi-site RCT to test the feasibility, usability, and dose-dependent efficacy of a novel interactive asynchronous telehealth tool developed to increase patient adherence to therapeutic behavioral homework assignments. In the subsequent R33 phase, we will conduct another multi-site RCT to confirm the efficacy of the identified optimal dose and validate homework adherence as a mechanism of effective exposure-oriented OCD care.

**Co-Principal Investigator** (Budgeted site-award: \$750,000.00)

Collaborating institutions: University of Los Angeles (UCLA); Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine

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3. **Tuerk, P. W.** Treating Combat-related PTSD in OEF/OIF Veterans: A Summary of the Evidence for Effective Exposure Therapy Treatment, an Update to the Undersecretary of Health, Robert A. Petzel, Department of Veterans Affairs. October 29, 2010, Washington D.C.

4. **Tuerk, P. W.** Best Practices in PTSD Assessment Methods and Measures, A System-wide Assessment, Commissioned by the Sloan D. Gibson, Deputy Secretary of the Veterans Affairs, December 11, 2014, Washington, D.C.
5. **Tuerk, P. W.** Suicide Prevention Efforts in the Veterans Health Administration: Current State of the Science and Recommendations. Commissioned by the Director Office of Suicide Prevention (OSP) 10P 12, March 3, 2017, Washington D.C.
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#### **Invited Presentations (30 most relevant external out of 48)**

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1. **Tuerk, P.W.**, Post-Traumatic Stress: Assessing and Addressing. Continuing education (CE) presentation at the UNC Health Sciences at MAHEC 12th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Southern Headache Society, September 8-10, 2022, Asheville, NC.
2. **Tuerk, P.W.** Evidence-based mental health treatments for children and adolescents: What is a good referral? Child and Adolescent Case Management Team, Region Ten Community Service Board, July 13, 2022, Charlottesville, VA.
3. **Tuerk, P.W.** Depression, PTSD, and the impact of a diagnosis. Invited lecture and discussion, the Veteran's Guild and Access Ability Guild, Twitch, May 25, 2022.
4. **Tuerk P.W.**, Science & Adolescent Brain Development: The Under-Appreciated Super Brain of Sometimes Superior Beings. Tandem Friends School, December 5, 2022.

5. **Tuerk, P.W.**, Mining the collective: crowdsourcing expertise with OC-GO. Continuing education (CE) Symposium presented at the annual Center for Deployment Psychology (CDP) Evidence-based Psychotherapy Conference: Innovations to Training and Practice, April 22, 2021, Bethesda, MD.
6. **Tuerk, P.W.**, Post-Traumatic Stress: Assessing and Addressing. Continuing education (CE) presentation at the UNC Health Sciences at MAHEC 11th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Southern Headache Society, October 1, 2021, Charlotte, NC.
7. **Tuerk, P.W.** Clinic-Based Science & Practice: Emerging Methods in PTSD Treatment & Research. An invited continuing education (CE) presentation for the Annual Georgia Psychiatric Physicians Association (GPPA) Summer Meeting, August 9, 2019, Amelia Island, FL.
8. **Tuerk, P. W.** Evidence Based Treatment for PTSD: Emerging Methods Towards the Individualization of Treatment Protocols. A continuing education (CE) symposium to be delivered at the U.S. Psychiatric and Mental Health Congress on October 25, 2018, Orlando, FL.
9. **Tuerk, P. W.** & Hamner M. Pharmacological Augmentation of Evidence Based Treatment for PTSD: Emerging Methods Towards the Individualization of Treatment Protocols. A continuing education (CE) symposium to be delivered at the U.S. Psychiatric and Mental Health Congress on September 18, 2017, New Orleans, LA.
10. **Tuerk, P. W.** PTSD and Comorbid Psychosis: Diagnostic and Treatment Challenges. A continuing education (CE) symposium delivered at the U.S. Psychiatric and Mental Health Congress on October 22, 2016, San Antonio, TX.
11. **Tuerk, P.W.** The VA as a Laboratory for Dissemination Science: Promoting High Quality and Equitable Mental Health Care (and being able to replicate it). An invited presentation to Chief Psychology Advisor and Chief Medical Officer and staff, Government of Australia Department of Veterans Affairs. May 1, 2016, Canberra, Australian Capital Territory, Australia.
12. **Tuerk, P.W.** Treating PTSD with Evidence-based Treatments and Next-Generation Massed Exposure. An invited system-wide presentation to the Veterans Counseling Services, Government of Australia Department of Veterans Affairs. May 3, 2016, Melbourne, Australia.
13. **Tuerk, P. W.** Where is the research community headed in the areas of assessment and treatment methods for PTSD? Where are the biggest opportunities for collaboration across different entities? In P.P. Schnurr (Moderator), Opportunities for Collaborative Research. Symposium presented at the Brain Trust: Pathways to InnoVAtion on April 20, 2016, Washington D.C.
14. **Tuerk, P. W.** Invisible Wounds of War on Campus: Implications for Mental Health Programming and Outreach. An invited lecture delivered at Operation College Promises Certification for Veterans' Service Providers. Armstrong State University, Savannah, March 11, 2016.
15. **Tuerk, P. W.** Mental Health Response to Disaster: PTSD Treatment in Post-Tsunami Japan, Center for Global Health: Partnering for Impact, Medical University of SC Global Health Symposium, November 3-4, 2015, Charleston SC.
16. **Tuerk, P. W.** The VA as a Laboratory for Dissemination Science: Promoting High Quality & Equitable Mental Health Care (and being able to replicate it). An invited lecture presented at the VISN 16 South Central MIRECC on November 16, 2014.
17. **Tuerk, P. W.** & Wangelin B. Technology-Based Resources for Mental Health Providers Treating PTSD. Invited lecture presented at the PTSD Special Interest Group (SIG) at the Annual Meeting of the American Association of Anxiety Disorders (ADAA), Chicago, IL, March 27-30, 2014.

18. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Hontoria, E.G., Rauch, S.A.M, Hall, B., Yoder, M., Nagae, N. Collaborative International Mental Health Response to Disasters: Establishing Community Programming & Evidence-Based Therapy Training: An invited lecture presented at 26th Annual Update in Psychiatry: Disaster, Trauma & Recovery, MUSC. May 31, 2013.
19. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Rauch, S.A.M., Yoder, M., Hall, B., Hontoria, E.G. (2012). Mental Health Responses to Natural Disasters and the Use of Technology to Provide Post-Trauma Services: An invited lecture presented at Waseda University on March 16, 2012, Tokyo, Japan.
20. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Yoder, M., Rauch, S.A.M., Hontoria, E.G (2012). PTSD in Later Life: An invited post-conference workshop, presented at the Joint Annual Conference of Home-Based Medicine and the Academy of Home Care on March 18, 2012, Tokyo, Japan
21. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Acierno, R. (2012). Prerequisite Conditions for Effective Mental Health Treatment: An invited lecture to the VA Network Value Leads on July 25, 2012, Charleston, S.C.
22. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Rauch, S.A.M., Yoder, M. (2011). Dissemination and Training in Effective Treatments for Post-Disaster Mental Health Difficulties. An invited policy briefing for Dr. Yoshiharu, Director, Adult Division, Japanese National Institute of Health. October 2011, Tokyo.
23. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Yoder, M., Hall, B., Rauch, S.A.M. (2011). Modifying Prolonged Exposure for Delivery via Telehealth Technology, an invited workshop presented at Sophia University on October 1, 2011, Tokyo, Japan.
24. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Yoder, Rauch, S.A.M. (2011). Exposure Oriented Treatments for Natural Disaster-related PTSD, a presentation at the Tokiwa International Victimology Institute 6<sup>th</sup> Symposium on October 1, 2011, United Nations University, Tokyo, Japan.
25. **Tuerk, P. W.** Evidence based treatment for PTSD via Telehealth Technology. Department of Veterans Affairs, Invited Presentation National Research Week, May 3, 2011, Washington D.C.
26. **Tuerk, P. W.** VA Health Services Research and Development, State of the Art (SOTA) Conference on Improving Access to VA Care. Invited participant, September 21-22, 2010, Washington D.C.
27. **Tuerk, P. W.** Using Data to Support PTSD services. An invited presentation at the National PTSD Mentors Annual Meeting on July 26,2010. Baltimore, MD.
28. **Tuerk, P. W.** Treating Combat-related PTSD in Veterans of the Current Wars: Recent and Ongoing Research. An invited Grand Rounds presentation at the Medical University of South Carolina, Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences, April 23, 2010. Charleston, SC.
29. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Acierno R.E., Ruggiero KJ, Yoder M. Myrick D.R. Pilot Study of Prolonged Exposure Therapy for PTSD delivered via Telehealth Technology. An invited paper presented at the National Institute of Health (NIH) Workshop, Future of Telehealth: Essential Tools and Technologies for Clinical Research and Care presented June 26, 2009, Bethesda, MD.
30. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Grubaugh A, Madan A. (2009, May 4). Prolonged Exposure Therapy for PTSD. A presentation to the PTSD Health Services Research Working Group Meeting, Department of Psychology, University of Hawaii, Hilo HI.

#### **Submitted Presentations (20 most relevant first- or senior-authored, out of 55)**

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1. \* Logan, R. A., Cox, K. S., Wangelin, B. C., Keller, S. M., & **Tuerk, P. W.** (2022, March 19). Rapid Improvement and Sudden Gains in Prolonged Exposure for PTSD: Pilot Analysis to Investigate the Temporal Precedence of Cognitive Emotional Processing [Poster presentation]. Anxiety and Depression Association of America, Denver, CO., United States.
2. \* Cox. K. S., Wangelin, B. C., & **Tuerk, P. W.** (2022, March 19). Therapist Ratings of Imaginal Exposure and Post-imaginal Processing During Prolonged Exposure for PTSD: Psychotherapy Processes from the

- Therapist's Perspective [Poster presentation]. Anxiety and Depression Association of America, Denver, CO., United States.
3. \* Myers, U.S., Keller, S.M., Wangelin, B.C., Lozano, B., **Tuerk, P.W.**, and Grubaugh, A. (2018). Racial Differences in Declining Study Consent in a Human-Animal Interaction Trial for Veterans with PTSD. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies, April 22, 2021 Washington, DC.
  4. Rauch, S. A., Kim, H.M., Venners, M., Porter, K., Norman, S., Simon, N., Rothbaum, B. O., **Tuerk, P.W.**, Bui, E., Powell, C., Smith, E., Goetter, L., McSweeney, L. Examination of Cognitive Change in SSRI, Prolonged Exposure +SSRI, and Prolonged Exposure + Placebo: Do Thoughts Drive Change When Pills Are Involved? (2018, November). Symposium presentation at the 52th Annual Convention for the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Washington D.C.
  5. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Wangelin, B., Myers, U., Keller, S., Dewey, D., Center, K., Lozano, B., Orr, S. Predicting Dropout from Prolonged Exposure Therapy (Before it Happens): Developing a Prospective Psychophysiological Tool, in A. Asnaani (Chair), Taking the Lab into the Clinic: Incorporating Biomarkers into PTSD Research. A symposium delivered at the 50<sup>th</sup> annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, October 29, 2016, New York, NY.
  6. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Wangelin, B.C., Hamner, M., Foa, E.B., Mark, P. Niepoth, B. *Extinction Enhancement with Yohimbine HCl: Preliminary Findings from a Double-Blind Placebo Controlled Trial*. Symposium conducted at the 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies, November 2015, New Orleans, Louisiana.
  7. \* Yoder, M., Birks, A., **Tuerk, P. W.**, *Home Based Treatment for PTSD with Veterans: Processes and Treatment Outcomes*. Poster at the 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies, November 2015, New Orleans, Louisiana.
  8. \* Regan, S., Davidson, T., **Tuerk, P. W.**, *A Decision Tree Approach to the Assessment of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder*. Poster at the 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies, November 2015, New Orleans, Louisiana.
  9. **Tuerk, P. W.** & Wangelin B. Enhancing Exposure Therapy for PTSD With Yohimbine HCL: A Double-Blind, Randomized Controlled Study Implementing Subjective and Objective Measures of Treatment Outcome. Symposium lecture presented at Annual Meeting of the American Association of Anxiety Disorders (ADAA), Chicago, IL, March 27-30, 2014.
  10. Meis, L, Spoon M, Erbes C, Polusny,M, Noorbaloochi S, Hagel EC, Bangerter A, Eftekhari A, Kattar K, **Tuerk, P. W.** (PI Meis; Site-PI Tuerk). Can Families Help Shape Veteran's Opinions of and Response to Evidence Based Treatments for PTSD? Symposium accepted for the 30th ISTSS Annual Meeting, Miami, FL, November 6-8, 2014.
  11. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Wangelin, B., Rauch, S.A.M., Yoder, M., & Acierno, R. (2013). Health Service Utilization Before and After Evidence-Based Treatment for PTSD. Symposium presented at the 47th ABCT Annual Conference, Nashville, TN, November 2013.
  12. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Yoder, M., & Acierno, R. (2013). Assessment of therapist-level and patient-level factors in evidence-based therapy outcomes for PTSD in a Veterans Affairs outpatient clinic. Symposium presented at the 29th ISTSS Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, November 2013.
  13. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Mouilso, E, Peterson, A, Rauch, S.A.M., Kumpula, M., Lamp, K., Resick, P., Foa, E., McLean, C.P. Negative Cognition in PTSD across Trauma Populations. Presented at ABCT's 47th Annual Convention, November 21th - 24th, 2013 in Nashville, TN.
  14. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Wangelin, B., Yoder, M., & Acierno, R. (2013). Assessment of therapist-level and patient-level factors in evidence-based therapy outcomes for PTSD in a veterans affairs outpatient clinic. Symposium, 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies, Philadelphia, PA, November 7, 2013.

15. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Stauffacher, K., Resnick, H.S., Wolitzky-Taylor, K., Acierno, R., Ruggiero, K. (2012). Web-Based Intervention for Post-disaster Mental Health: Preliminary Efficacy Data. A Symposium accepted at 2012 American Association of Anxiety Disorders (ADAA), Arlington, VA.
16. \* Wangelin, B.C., & **Tuerk, P. W.** (2012). Bringing psychophysiology into the therapy room: Objective measurement of emotional arousal in prolonged exposure. Poster presented at the Anxiety Disorders Association of America 32nd Annual Conference, Arlington, VA, USA.
17. **Tuerk, P. W.** "Evidence Based Treatment for PTSD is Related to Long Term Decreases in Mental Health Service Utilization: Prolonged Exposure Therapy in a Veterans Health Administration Clinic" presentation at ABCT's 46th Annual Convention to be held November 15th - 18th, 2012 in National Harbor, MD. Please
18. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Santa-Ana, L. (2011). Telehealth Service Delivery Modalities for Evidence-Based PTSD and Substance Abuse Care: Issues and Outcomes. Symposium presented at Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT), November 11, 2011, Toronto, Canada.
19. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Yoder, M., Grubaugh, A., Myrick, D.H., Acierno, R. Prolonged Exposure Therapy for Combat-Related Posttraumatic Stress Disorder: An Examination of Treatment Effectiveness for Veterans of the Wars in Afghanistan and Iraq. Paper presented at the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT), November 13, 2010, San Francisco, CA.
20. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Yoder, M., Acierno, R. Best Practice in Training Unlicensed Mental Health Clinicians: Symposium Presentation at 2010 National VA Mental Health Conference: Implementing a Public Health Model for Meeting the Mental Health Needs of Veterans, on July 28, 2010, Baltimore MD.
21. Yoder, M., **Tuerk, P. W.**, Ruggiero, K., Gros, D., & Acierno, R. (2009). Prolonged Exposure for Combat-Related PTSD: Differences in live vs. telehealth treatment delivery. Paper presented at International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies Conference, November 5-7, Atlanta, GA
22. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Acierno RE, Ruggiero KJ, Gros D, Yoder M. Open Trial of PE for PTSD Via Tele-psychiatry vs. In Person. A paper presented at the VA's Health Services Research and Development Service (HSR&D) 27th Annual Meeting on Feb 9-11, 2009, Baltimore, MD.

## Related Information Links & Media

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### **Media: Educational Videos (~380,000 views)**

- Return from Chaos: Treating PTSD, Technology Education and Design (TED)x Talk, Peter W. Tuerk: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ORs3-tRokGU>
- Tuerk, P. W. (Guest Host) & Rauch, S. A. M. (Expert Guest), (2022). *Prolonged exposure therapy: APA Psychotherapy Series [Educational DVD]*. American Psychological Association. Washington D.C.
- Clinician Education Video for high fidelity PTSD treatment and research, Dr. Peter Tuerk: Directions for imaginal exposure: Real-time session with teaching points PE Module 3: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YZbJZMmoLwU&list=PL0Phhv0cpWbkXxpL5aQ604H6IKm30i16&index=1>
- Clinician Education Video for high fidelity PTSD treatment and research, by Dr. Peter Tuerk with Dr. Bethany Wangelin (mentee): Real-time session with teaching points: PE Module 1: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2CTWhYRwy2Q&index=4&list=PL0Phhv0c-pWbkXxpL5aQ604H6IKm30i16>
- Clinician Education Video for high fidelity PTSD treatment and research, with Dr. Peter Tuerk: Real-time session with teaching points: PE Module 2: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rZqsYs1xO5I&list=PL0Phhv0c-pWbkXxpL5aQ604H6IKm30i16>
- Clinician Education Video for high fidelity PTSD treatment and research, by Dr. Peter Tuerk & Dr. Bethany Wangelin (mentee): Real-time session with teaching points: PE Module 3, part 1: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GPD6BspYNR0>

- Technology in the Treatment Room, Demonstration by Peter Tuerk: Real-time galvanized skin conductance monitoring during exposure therapy for PTSD:  
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2GGtMnRmrac>
- PTSD treatment options: Dr. Peter Tuerk, About Face, National Center for PTSD:  
<http://www.ptsd.va.gov/apps/AboutFace/clinicians/dr-peter-tuerk/what-treatment-can-do-for-you.html>

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### **Community Volunteer and Other Service**

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| ▪ Transitional Mentor: Veterans transferring from PVCC to UVA                      | 2022      |
| ▪ Guitar lessons for impaired youth with anxiety disorders                         | 2022      |
| ▪ Region Ten professional outreach and education                                   | 2022      |
| ▪ Lecture: Dealing with & using conflict in SLP clinical care (April 8; EDHS 8691) | 2022      |
| ▪ Lecture: Culpability & the Adolescent Brain, UVA Law School (Sept,1; LAW9008)    | 2022      |
| ▪ Promotion & Tenue Candidate Reviewer, EDLF                                       | 2022      |
| ▪ Promotion & Tenue Candidate Reviewer, CISE                                       | 2022      |
| ▪ Mock Internship Interviewer, EDHS, CSP   | 2022      |
| ▪ Girl Scouts of America   | 2019-2020 |
| ▪ Japan-US Evidence-Based Mental Health Response Initiative, Chair, 501(c)3        | 2011-2017 |
| ▪ Charleston Academic Magnet High School, volunteer science mentor                 | 2013-2014 |
| ▪ Guitars for Veterans, Volunteer music instructor, Charleston SC                  | 2012-2014 |
| ▪ Veterans on Deck, Volunteer Clinician and Vessel Captain, Charleston SC          | 2010-2015 |
| ▪ JustChildren, Legal Aid Justice Center, Charlottesville, VA                      | 2003-2005 |
| ▪ Mercy House Homeless Shelter, Volunteer, Harrisonburg, Virginia                  | 1993-1995 |
| ▪ Northern Virginia Training Center, Fairfax, VA                                   | 1989-1991 |