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DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: April 24, 1956; Cincinnati, Ohio, U.S.A.

HIGHER EDUCATION:

1978	B.S., summa cum laude, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH
1982	M.D., Case Western Reserve School of Medicine, Cleveland, OH

POSTDOCTORAL TRAINING:

1982-1983	PGY-1, University Hospitals of Cleveland, Department of Psychiatry
1983-1984	PGY-2, University Hospitals of Cleveland, Department of Psychiatry
1984-1985	PGY-3, University Hospitals of Cleveland, Department of Psychiatry
1985-1988	Clinical Research Fellow, National Institute of Mental Health

CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE:

1983	Diplomate, National Board of Medical Examiners Medical licenses in Ohio, Maryland, District of Columbia, Florida (not active)
1999	Medical license in New Hampshire
2004	Medical license in District of Columbia (active)
1989	American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS:

1988-1994	Assistant Professor, University of Miami School of Medicine, Department of
	Psychiatry, Miami, FL
1994-1999	Associate Professor, University of Miami Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral
	Medicine, Miami, FL
1999	Professor with tenure, University of Miami Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral
	Medicine, Miami, FL
1999-2001	Associate Professor, Dartmouth Medical School, Department of Psychiatry

2002	Research Physician, White River Junction, Vermont, Department of Veteran's Affairs
	Medical Center
2002	Professor of Psychiatry, Dartmouth Medical School, Department of Psychiatry
2004	Professor with tenure, Howard University, Department of Psychiatry, Vice Chair for
	Research

EXPERIENCE:

1985-1988	Ward Administrator, 3-West NIMH, Unit on Affective and Anxiety Disorders;
	Coordinator, Inpatient Anxiety Disorders Program, NIMH
1985-1986	Consulting Physician, Center for Behavioral Medicine, Rockville, MD
1986-1988	Consulting Physician, National Center for the Treatment of Phobias, Anxiety and
1000 1004	Depression, Washington, D.C.
1988-1994	Chief of Anxiety Disorders Program, University of Miami School of Medicine, Department of Psychiatry, Miami, FL
1990-1991	Coordinator/Consultant PTSD Clinical Team Miami VAMC, Miami, FL
1990-1999	Coordinator for Research Activities, Miami VAMC Psychiatry Service, Miami, Fl
	Consulting Psychiatrist: University of Miami, Sleep Program, Miami, FL
	Consulting Psychiatrist: Mt. Sinai Medical Center Sleep Disorders Program,
	Miami, FL
1991-1999	Chief, PTSD Program, Miami VAMC, Miami, FL
1994-1999	Director Anxiety Disorder and PTSD Program, University of Miami Department
	of Psychiatry and Behavioral Medicine, Miami, FL
1999-2003	Director Psychopharmacology Program, Dartmouth Medical School, Department
	of Psychiatry
2004 - 2006	Research Director, Howard/NIMH Collaborative Mood and Anxiety Research Program
2005 - 2008	Associate Program Director, Howard University College of Medicine, General
2003 2000	Clinical Research Center
2008 -2010	Program Director, Howard University College of Medicine, General Clinical
	Research Center
2010-2012	Associate Dean for Research, Howard University College of Medicine
2012-present	Director, Translational Research and Sleep Stress Research Programs
2023-present	Co-director Clinical Trials Program

COMMUNITY SERVICE

1974-1975	Volunteer, Longview State Mental Hospital, Cincinnati Ohio
1978-1979, 1982	Volunteer, STD Technical and Mental Health counselor, Cleveland Free Clinic
1986-1988	Volunteer, Jewish Social Service, Outreach program to the chronic mentally ill
1991-1999	Volunteer Consultant, Miami Red Cross
1992	Mental Health Outreach following Hurricane Andrew (with Miami VAMC and
	UM Department of Psychiatry initiatives).
1996	Volunteer guest lecturer, Miami Dade Community College
1996	Volunteer guest lecturer, Nova University, School of Psychology
2000	Guest speaker, National Alliance for the Mentally Ill, Manchester, NH
2001, 2002	Speaker, Public forums sponsored by the West Foundation and the Dartmouth
	Psychiatric Research Center on "New developments in the medication treatment
	of severe mental illness."

2005	Coordinator for Howard University, Hurricane Katrina refugee mental health outreach at the DC Armory shelter.
2007	Speaker, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Symposium: Education and Awareness of Women's Mental Health
2014-2015	Led supportive debriefing meetings for volunteers at the DC General Homeless Shelter
2015	Speaker, Science Café, public lecture on Sleep and Health at Bus Boys and Poets, Washington DC
2016	Speaker on Mental Health at Faith Moravian Church Health Fair, Washington DC
2021	Speaker on Sleep Health and Coping with Stress during COVID, multiple outreach programs sponsored by the Department of Psychiatry and College of Medicine

HONORS AND AWARDS

1989-90	Upjohn Award for Outstanding Young Investigator, University of Miami, Department
	of Psychiatry 1989-90.
1995-1999	Listed, Best Physicians in America, Southeast Edition
2009	Moses Wharton Young Research Award, Howard University College of Medicine
2010	Outstanding faculty research award, Howard University College of Medicine

DEPARTMENTAL COMMITTEE AND ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES

1983-1984	Representative, Committee on Residency Education, Department of Psychiatry, Case
	Western Reserve University
1989-1991	Member, Committee for Medical Student Education, University of Miami
1990-1993	Member, Department of Psychiatry Research Advisory Committee, Department of
	Psychiatry, University of Miami
1992-1993	Member, University of Miami School of Medicine, Behavioral Science Course,
	Planning Committee
1992-1995	Committee Chair for Selection of Psychiatry Department's Resident/Fellow Research
	Award, University of Miami
1995-1997	Chair, Research Training Committee, University of Miami
1998-1999	Co-chair, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences Research Committee,
	University of Miami
1999-2003	Section Chief, Dartmouth Medical School, Department of Psychiatry
1999-2003	Executive Committee, Dartmouth Medical School, Department of Psychiatry
2000-2003	Member, Clinical Compliance Committee, Dartmouth Medical School, Department
	of Psychiatry

EXTRA DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES

Medical School:

1989-1991, 19	96 Member, Miami VAMC, Human Subjects Research Committee (IRB)
1991-1994	Member, Miami VAMC, Research and Development Committee
1992-1999	Member, Quality Assurance Committee, Department of Trauma Surgery, University
	of Miami School of Medicine
1994-1999	Executive Committee, VAMC Psychiatry Service
1996-1999	Chair, Outcomes Task Force, VAMC Psychiatry Service
1996-1999	Member, Dean's Task Force on Research and Graduate Studies, University of
	Miami School of Medicine

1997-1999	Member, University of Miami School of Medicine, Committee for Clinical
1997-1999	Research
2004-2006 2005	Member, GCRC Advisory Board, Howard University School of Medicine Chair, Howard University College of Medicine: Dean's appointed committee to develop a Center for Translational Research Planning Grant
2007-2009	Chair, Howard University College of Medicine Research Committee
2014	Chair, Faculty Subcommittee for planning Howard University Research Day
2014 2016 – 2020	co-Chair, Research Subcommittee, College of Medicine, Strategic Planning Group Member and Chair, College of Medicine Appointment, Promotion and Tenure Committee
2017	Member, Search Committee for Department of Psychiatry Chair
2017	Member, Search Committee for Department of Pharmacology Chair
2020 - 2022	Chair, Howard University COM Research Task Force for COVID-19
State:	
1999-2003	Member, State of New Hampshire, Institutional Review Board for Behavioral Research and Rules Development Subcommittee.
2002-2003	Member, New Hampshire Medicaid Drug Utilization Review Committee.
National:	
1997-1998	Committee Member, National Institute of Mental Health, Violence and Traumatic Stress, Initial Review Group
1998	Member, International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies Treatment Guidelines Task Force, Pharmacology subcommittee.
1998	Committee member, APA Task Force for Revising Narrative Section of DSM-IV.
1999- 2002	Committee Member, National Institute of Mental Health, Interventions, Initial
2003	Review Group Invited Reviewer: APA Practice Guidelines for the treatment of Patients with Acute Stress Disorder and Posttraumatic Stress Disorder
2004	Ad hoc review committee member, National Institute of Health Road Map:
	Exploratory Centers for Interdisciplinary Research
2004	Reviewer, Research Enhancement Program (REAP), Department of Veteran Affairs
2005	Reviewer, NIH, Roadmap Initiative, Research Training Grants (APDA)
2005-2006	Member, National Institute of Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, IRB
2006 2006	Reviewer, NIOSH, World Trade Center Responder Programs Reviewer, NIMH, Research Training Grants (T-32)
2007 – 2009	Member, NIH CNS Human Subjects Institutional Review Board
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2007	Committee on Treatment of Post Traumatic Stress Disorder, Institute of
	Medicine, The National Academy of Sciences
2009	Reviewer and Review Committee Chair, Department of Defense, Congressionally
	Directed Medical Research Programs
2010 - 2014	Member, Mechanisms of Emotions Stress and Health, NIH Study Section
2012	Panelist, Military Operational Medicine Research Program: Posttraumatic Stress
	Disorder Research IPR STIGMA/Overcoming Barriers to Care IPR meeting
2013	Panelist, Advancing the Science of Education, Training and Practice in Trauma
	Conference, New Haven Ct, April 2013 sponsored by the Agency for Healthcare
	Research and Quality
2015	Reviewer, NIMH Cooperative Agreement – Longitudinal Assessment of Post-
	traumatic Syndromes
2015	Member, Special Emphasis Panel - Mentored Career Development Award to
	Promote Faculty Diversity in Biomedical Research
2016	External Advisory Board Member, National Research Mentoring Network,
	Meeting, January 20, 2016, Morehouse School of Medicine
2017	Ad hoc Reviewer, NIMH, Special Emphasis Panel
2017	Ad hoc Reviewer, VA Mental Health and Behavioral Science Merit Applications
2018	Reviewer, Ad hoc committee for NHLBI single site trials
2019	External consultant and workgroup member, Cohen Veterans Bioscience Adaptive
	Platform Trial in PTSD
2021	Reviewer, NIGMS IDeA CTR grants
	Reviewer, PAR-21-137: Early Stage Testing of Pharmacologic or Device-based
	Interventions for the Treatment of Mental Disorders (NIMH)
	Reviewer, ZMD1 KNL (J1) Special Emphasis Panel: Impact of Structural Racism
	and Discrimination on Minority Health and Health Disparities (NIMHD)
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JOURNAL REFEREE ACTIVITIES

1991	Reviewer, Journal of Personality Disorders			
1991-1994	Reviewer, Journal of Anxiety Disorders			
1992-3, 2001	Reviewer, Psychiatry Research			
1993- present	Reviewer, American Journal of Psychiatry			
1993 -2000	Reviewer, Journal of Clinical Psychiatry			
1994-2000	Reviewer, Anxiety			
1995- present	Reviewer, Journal of Traumatic Stress			
1995, 1996	Reviewer, Journal of Chronic Fatigue Syndrome			
1995- present	Reviewer, Biological Psychiatry			
1995-1997	Editorial Board, Journal of Anxiety Disorders			
1997, 2000				
and 2002 – 2008; Reviewer, Sleep				
2006, 2020	Reviewer, Sleep Medicine Reviews			
2014, 20016	Reviewer, JAMA Psychiatry			
2014 - present	Editorial Board, Journal of Traumatic Stress			
2012 – present	Editorial Board, Sleep			
2020 – present	Reviewer, Journal of Clinical Sleep Medicine			

PROFESSIONAL AND HONORARY ORGANIZATION

Phi Beta Kappa, University of Cincinnati American Psychiatric Association South Florida Psychiatric Association Society for Biological Psychiatry International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies Sleep Research Society Alpha Omega Alpha, Howard University

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Courses

1987	Overview of Anxiety Disorders, FAES Graduate School, NIH, Fall
1989	Overview of Psychopharmacology: RMEC Symposium for South East Region
	Readjustment Counseling Service Staff
1990	Drug Abuse and PTSD, RMEC Symposium
1988 - 1999	Routine lectures to University of Miami medical students; Department of Psychiatry,
	residents and fellows on sleep, anxiety disorders, PTSD
1990-1999	Supervisor, PGY 3-4 Research Projects
1900 - 1999	Faculty Advisor, Department of Psychiatry Residents' Journal Club
1997, 1998	Guest lecturer, University of Miami, Department of Psychology
1999 - 2003	Lectures to 2 nd year medical students, Dartmouth Medical School on anxiety
	disorders, and overview of antidepressant, anxiolytic and mood stabilizing
	medications.
2001-20003	Course director and lecturer: Dartmouth Medical School, Dept. of Psychiatry course:
	for PGY-I and II residents: Overview of Psychopharmacology.
2004 - present	Recurring lectures to Howard University Medical Students and Residents on Sleep
	and Sleep Disorders; developing research projects, Posttraumatic Stress Disorder

Thesis and Dissertation Advising/Post-doctoral student supervision

1990	Committee member, Masters Thesis: Situational and Spontaneous Panic Attacks, Stephen Sinclair, University of Miami, Department of Health Psychology.
1992-1993	Committee co-chairman, Ph.D., Doctoral Dissertation: Personality Factors and Panic -Phobic disorders, Stephen Sinclair, University of Miami, Department of Health Psychology.
1992-1994	Director/Supervisor, Fellowship in Anxiety and Post-Traumatic Stress Disorders (Dr. Daniella David)
1994	Committee Member, Masters Thesis: Music therapy in Vietnam veterans with PTSD, Shawn Buller, University of Miami, Department of Music Therapy.
1998-2000	Committee member, Doctoral Dissertation: Sleep, social rhythms and relapse in bipolar mood disorders, Carol Winett, Department of Psychology, University of Miami.
2001	Committee member, Doctoral Dissertation: Dream content, heart rate and coping in the resolution of posttraumatic stress symptoms. Wil Pigeon, Union College.
2007	Project mentor, Doctoral Dissertation: Racism and PTSD, Ericka Jenifer, Howard University, Dept. of Psychology
2012	Examiner (by mail), PhD Dissertation of Andrea Phelps, University of Melbourne, Australia
2012	Committee Member and Project Mentor: Sleep, PTSD and Cognition, Janeese Brownlow, Howard University, Dept. of Psychology
2014	Committee Member: Secondary PTSD in Social Workers, Allesia Owens, Howard University, School of Social Work

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2014	Committee Member and Project Mentor for PhD dissertation – EEG frequencies during REM sleep in PTSD versus Resilience: Nancy Cowdin, Georgetown
	University, Interdisciplinary Neuroscience Program.
2016	Committee Member and Project Mentor for Masters Thesis: Subjective and
2010	Physiological Reactions to Written Narrative Trauma Exposure. Mary Katherine
	Howell, Howard University, Department of Clinical Psychology.
2017	Committee Member and Project Mentor for PhD dissertation - Gender and Indices of
	Emotional Processing during Written Trauma Disclosure. Jennifer Rae Myers,
	Howard University, Department of Neuropsychology.
2019	Committee Member and Project Mentor for Doctoral Dissertation: Sleep Interfering
	Cognitions and Behaviors in formerly deployed Veterans. Mary Katherine Howell,
	Howard University, Department of Clinical Psychology.
2019	Committee Member and Project Mentor for Doctoral Dissertation: Trauma-related
	Insomnia. Maxwell Anderson, Howard University, Department of Clinical
	Psychology.
2020	Committee Member and Project Mentor for Masters' Thesis: Neighborhood Stress
	and Fear of Sleep. Milan Poindexter, Howard University, Department of Clinical
	Psychology.
2021	Committee Member and Project Mentor for Doctoral Dissertation: Strategies for
	Coping with Sleep Interfering Cognitions. Alicia Stokes, Howard University,
	Department of Clinical Psychology.
National	
2003	Mentor, American Psychiatric Institute for Research and Education Research
2003	Colloquium for Junior Investigators, May, San Francisco Ca.
2003	Meet the Professor Session, Annual Meeting of the Association of Professional Sleep
2003	Societies Annual Meeting, June, Chicago IL.
2010	Mentor, American Psychiatric Institute for Research and Education Research

Examining Board Membership

2017

1996, 1997, 1999, 2004, 2010, 2015 Examiner, American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology

Colloquium for Junior Investigators, May, New Orleans, La.

Mentor, Association for Clinical Translational Science Annual Meeting, Washington

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

- 1. The role of sleep and REM sleep disturbances in the genesis and maintenance of PTSD and related morbidity.
- 2. Clinical psychopharmacology.

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- 3. Methods for promoting evidence-based approaches to prescribing in psychiatric and other medical settings.
- 4. The role of stress and sleep disturbance in health disparities.

RESEARCH FUNDING:

- PI- Sleep and Arousal Regulation in PTSD (VA, Merit Review) (\$103,000) 1991-1994
- PI- Brofaromine in the Treatment of PTSD (Ciba-Geigy) (\$40,000) 1992
- PI Sleep Disturbance and Psychiatric Morbidity (following Hurricane Andrew) (NIMH) (\$50,000) 1993

- PI Ondansetron Treatment of Panic Disorder (Glaxo) (\$71,000) 1995
- PI Sertraline for the Treatment of PTSD (Pfizer) (\$36,000) 1995
- PI -Pilot Evaluation of Nefazodone for Depression and Sleep Disturbance associated with PTSD (investigator initiated) (Bristol-Myers Squibb) (\$50,000) 1996
- PI PTSD and Sleep Disturbance Following Severe Accidental Injury (NIMH) (\$520,000) 1996-2000
- PI A Flexible Dose Treatment Study of Nefazodone for PTSD (Bristol Myers Squibb) (\$70,000) 1996-1997

Investigator - Enhancing recovery in cardiac heart disease (NIHLB) (10% effort) PI - N. Schniederman, 1997-2001

- PI- Minority supplement for Victoria Bustamante Psy.D. (NIMH) (\$50,000) 1997-1999.
- PI- An International Multi-center trial of two dose ranges of nefazodone and placebo in the treatment of outpatients in the treatment of posttraumatic stress disorder (\$50,000) 1998-1999.

Investigator - Safe Life: A study of abuse in HIV infected women. (SAMHSA) (10% effort) (P.I. Sally Dodds, Ph.D.) 1999.

PI- Mid-career Award in Patient-oriented Research, (K-24), (NIMH) (\$400,000) 1999-2004 Work Group Co-chair (Medication Toolkit Development Group) - Evidence Based Practice Toolkit for the Severely

Mentally Ill. (Robert Wood Johnson Foundation) 2000-2002. P.I. - R. Drake

- PI- A study comparing nefazodone and sertraline for the treatment of posttraumatic stress disorder (Bristol Myers Squibb) (\$80,000) 2000-2001
- PI- REM sleep and memory processing during the early development of PTSD. (RO-1), (NIMH) (\$1,800,000) (2001-2006)
- PI A double-blind randomized, placebo-controlled, 3-month clinical trial of venlafaxine ER and sertraline in the treatment of posttraumatic stress disorder (Wyeth) (\$64,000) 2002.
- PI Minority supplement for Julia Martinez B.A. (NIMH) (\$60,000) 2003-2004.
- PI Mid-career Award in Patient-oriented Research: Psychobiology of Sleep Disturbance in PTSD, (K-24, competitive continuation), (NIMH) (\$707,918) 2005-2010
- PI Planning Grant for a Clinical Translational Science Award for Howard University (NCRR) (\$150,000) 2006-2007

Chair writing committee and internal advisory group – Screening Brief Intervention Referral and Treatment Training Program (SAMHSA) 2008 - 2012

- PI Nocturnal Blood Pressure and Posttraumatic Stress Disorder in African Americans (RO1) (NHLBI) 2008 2013 \$286,180 annual direct costs
- PI supplement to above grant for summer teacher fellowships (NHLBI) 2009 2010 (\$40,952 total)
- PI diversity supplement to above grant 2010 2012 (\$178,444)
- PI (with J Verbalis, Georgetown) Georgetown Howard University Center for Clinical Translational Science (CTSA) (NCRR) 2010-2015 (\$7,392,659 annual direct costs, \$1,926,568 to HU)
- PI Sleep and Processing Traumatic Memory (R21) (NIMH) 2012-2014 (\$275,000 total direct costs)
- PI Sleep Adaptations to Stress (R21) (NIMHD) 2012 2014 (\$275,000 total direct costs)
- PI Diverting the Pathway to Substance Misuse by Improving Sleep (R-34) (DOD) 2014 2017 (\$450,000 total direct costs)
- PI (with J Verbalis, Georgetown) Georgetown Howard University Center for Clinical Translational Science (CTSA) (NCATS) 2015-2025 (approximately \$3.6 million annual total costs)
- PI (Investigator intiated) Suvorexant and Trauma Related Insomnia (Merck) \$523,000, 2016 2019
- PI Sleep, stress, and cardiovascular health (NHLBI, NIH) R01- \$2,100,000, 2017 2022 Mentor Can Blocking the orexin system enhance sleep's benefits to therapeutic exposure for PTSD? PI: Ihori Kobayashi, Ph.D., NIMH KO1 2017-20121; \$148,114
- Investigator Elucidating olfactory mechanisms of PTSD vulnerability and trauma resilience.
- PI: Evar Nwulia, M.D. 1R21MH117987 May 2019 Feb 2021, \$252,911

Investigator: 3UM1AIO68614-14S1COVID-19 Prevention Network (CoVPN) Site Preparedness Funding – Washington DC Site, September 2020 – October 2021.

Site PI Howard University - CEAL Award: Communities and Universities Engaged to Fight COVID (CUE-COVID) May 2021 – March 2022 \$240,112

Site PI Howard University - Development of a Risk Factor Screen for Mental Health Problems after Sudden Illness or Injury April 2021 – March 2023 \$239,042 NIMHD through Palo Alto Veterans Institute for Research

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- 1987 Clinical Management Conference, Walter Reed Hospital, Department of Internal Medicine
- 1987 Grand Rounds, Department of Psychiatry, Henry Ford Hospital, Detroit
- 1988 Grand Rounds, Department of Psychiatry, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC
- 1988 Psychiatry Rounds, Ben Gurion University, Beer Sheva Mental Health Center, Israel
- 1988 Psychiatry Rounds, Rambam Hospital, Haifa, Israel
- 1989 Grand Rounds, Department of Neurology, University of Miami, Miami, FL
- 1989 Clinical Conference, Department of Endocrinology, University of Miami, Miami, FL
- 1989,90 Annual Symposium, Department of Psychiatry University of Florida, Gainsville, FL
- 1990 Grand Rounds, Department of Psychiatry, Medical University of South Carolina, SC
- 1991 Presenter, Stress and Coping Symposium, Department of Health Psychology, University of Miami, Miami, FL
- 1992,93 Presenter, Miami Area Geriatric Education Center, Annual Symposium, Miami, FL
- 1992 Presenter, Mt. Sinai Medical Center of Miami, Sleep Disorder Program Symposium: Introduction to Sleep Medicine, Miami Beach, FL
- 1992 Presenter, Symposium Meninger, St. Josephs, Tampa FL
- 1993 Presenter, University of Miami, Department of Psychiatry Symposium on Hurricane Andrew, Miami, FL
- 1993 Presenter, Symposium Workshop: The Holocaust Survivor, The Miami Jewish Federation, Miami FL
- 1993 Grand Rounds, University of Mannitoba, Winnipeg Canada
- 1993 Presenter, Tulane Symposium on Post-traumatic Stress Disorder, New Orleans, LA
- 1994 Grand Rounds, Case Western Reserve, Department of Psychiatry, Cleveland OH
- 1994 Presenter: PTSD Symposium, Annual Meeting of the American Society for Hospital Pharmacists.
- 1995 Presenter: 8th Congress of the International Council of Motorsport Sciences, "PTSD Highway vs. Speedway", Miami, FL
- 1996 Presenter: Traumatic Brain Injury 1996: The Miami Experience, "Distinguishing Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) from Traumatic Brain Injury". University of Miami, Miami, FL
- 1996 Presenter: International Center for Epilepsy, University of Miami School of Medicine; Epilepsy Update: Adolescents to Elderly: Panic Attacks, Borderlands of Epilepsy; Miami, FL
- 1997 Grand Rounds, Medical University of South Carolina, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences.
- 1997 Grand Rounds, University of Texas, Health Science Center, San Antonio, Department of Psychiatry.
- 1998 Grand Rounds, Dartmouth University Department of Psychiatry
- 1999 Grand Rounds, Duke University Department of Psychiatry
- 1999 Invited Lecturer. Medication treatment for PTSD. European College of Neuropharmacology. London, England
- 2000 Grand Rounds, University of Alabama, School of Medicine, Dept of Psychiatry

Grand Rounds, Rush Department of Psychiatry, Chicago Ill. 2001 Presenter/Workshop leader, State of Maryland. Dept of Mental Health Annual Conference 2001 2001 Plenary Presentation: REM sleep, dreams and the development of PTSD. NIMH sponsored Conference: Perspectives on the Role of Sleep in Memory. Bethesda MD, December 2002 Grand Rounds, SUNY School of Medicine at Syracuse, Department of Psychiatry 2002 Presentation for Dartmouth Community Medical School Course: What's on Your Mind? "Sleep, Dreams and Stress" Presentation: Sleep in PTSD and Acute Trauma for Penn State University School of 2005 Medicine Department of Psychiatry Annual Neuroscience Symposium 2005 PTSD and Depression, Chicken or Egg? Psychiatry and the Behavioral Sciences Symposium, National Medical Association Annual Meeting, NY, NY 2007 U Wisconsin/Howard Short Course in Clinical Research – Presentation: Writing an R01 **Grant Application** 2007 Promoting Education & Awareness of Women's Mental Health Xi Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc in collaboration with Howard University School of Social Work. Presentation – Anxiety Disorders 2007 Presenter Mental Health Disparities for African Americans, implications for PTSD. 7th African American Symposium on PTSD "Disparities and Unmet Needs for Treatment and Diagnosis" Howard University, Washington DC 2009 Presenter on PTSD Pharmacotherapy; NIDA Sponsored Symposium: Addressing Substance Abuse and Comorbidities among Military Personnel, Veterans, and their Families: A Research Agenda Bethesda Md. Presenter, Overview of the Epidemiology, Psychobiology, and Treatment of Posttraumatic 2009 Stress Disorder (Plenary Session). Identifying the Signs, Symptoms, & Impact of Post-Traumatic Stress Disorders in African Americans; EY Williams Symposium, Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences, Howard University Hospital Presentation: Sleep and Posttraumatic Stress Disorder, 32nd Annual Meeting of the 2010 American Association of Sleep Technologists, June 8, San Antonio, Texas 2011 Grand Rounds, Nature and consequences of sleep disturbance with PTSD and emerging treatments, Dept. of Psychiatry, University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey, September 21. 2012 Grand Rounds, Role of traumatic stress and sleep disturbance in health disparities. Dept. of Psychiatry, University of Michigan, Martin Luther King Jr. day lecture, January Workshop facilitator: Developing a career in research. Faculty Retreat. Howard University 2012 College of Medicine. June 14, 2012. 2011-2014 Presenter NIH supported Program to Increase Diversity in Behavioral Medicine and Sleep Disorders Research (PRIDE) at SUNY Downstate Medical Center and New York University, School of Medicine. August 2011 - 2014 2012 Master Clinician – Pharmacological Strategies for Trauma-related Mental Health Complaints. 28th Annual Meeting for the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies. Los Angeles Ca. November, 2012. Presenter - Stress and Sleep: NIH Integration of Behavioral, Social, Environmental and 2014 Physiological Processes Meeting May 14 -15, 2014 2014 Presenter (with Ihori Kobayashi) Sleep Grand Rounds University of Pittsburgh -Traumatic Stress, Neighborhood Stress, and Nocturnal Regulation 2015 Presenter – George Washington University Wellness Seminar- Sleep and Resilience Presenter - The role of sleep in the impact of traumatic and neighborhood stress on physical and emotional health, Walter Reed Naval Medical Center, Sleep Program Rounds

2016, 2017 Organizer and Director Howard University COM Annual Resident/faculty Scientific

Research Forum

2019	Presenter - GW Cardiovascular Researchers Interest Group Monthly Meeting - Nocturnal Autonomic Nervous System Activity: A candidate mediator of the effect of urban stress
	on cardiovascular risk
2019	Panelist, HBCU Me Too Tour symposium
2019	Panelist, Howard University, Research Retreat

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Georgetown, Department of Psychiatry Grand Rounds: Sleep Health and Urban Stress

BIBLIOGRAPHY:

Book Chapters:

- Mellman, T.A. and Uhde, T.W. (1990). Sleep studies in panic and generalized anxiety disorders. In J.C. Ballenger (Ed.), Neurobiological Aspects of Panic Disorder. New York, New York: Allan R. Liss, Inc.
- Mellman, T.A. (1997) Psychobiology of sleep disturbances in Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. In: Psychobiology of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. Eds R. Yehuda and A.C. McFarlane. Annals of the New York Acadamy of Sciences, Vol 821.
- Mellman, T.A. (2000) Sleep and the pathogenesis of PTSD. In: International Handbook of Human Response to Trauma. Eds A. Shalev, R. Yehuda and A.C. McFarlane. New York: Plenum Publishing Co., pp. 299-306
- Friedman, M.J., Davidson, J.R.T., Mellman, T.A., Southwick, S.M. (2000) Pharmacotherapy. In Effective Treatments for PTSD. Practice Guidelines from the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies. Eds E.B. Foa, T.M. Keane, M.J. Friedman. Guilford Press, New York, London.
- Mellman T.A., Beckham J.C. (2000). Revised Sections on Posttraumatic Stress Disorder and Acute Stress Disorder. Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders-Text Revision. American Psychiatric Press. Washington D.C..
- Mellman, T.A. (2002). Anxiety Disorders and Sleep. In Sleep Medicine. Eds T.L. Lee-Chiong, M.J. Sateia, M.A. Carskadon. Hanley & Belfus, Inc., Philadelphia.
- Mellman, T.A. (2002). Rationale and role for medication in the comprehensive treatment of PTSD. In Treating Trauma Survivors with PTSD. Ed R. Yehuda. American Psychiatric Press, Washington D.C..
- Mellman, T.A. (2003). Sleep aspects of anxiety disorders. In Anxiety Disorders. Eds D.J. Nutt & J.C. Ballenger. Blackwell Science, Oxford UK.
- Mellman, T.A., Pigeon W.R. (2005; revised 2011). Dreams and Nightmares in Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. In Principles and Practices of Sleep Medicine, 4th Edition. Eds: M Kryger, T Roth and W Dement, Section ed R Stickgold. Elsevier, Phil Pa. (Revised for 5th Edition, 2011)
- Mellman, T and Hotz G. (2006). Psychological and Behavioral Complications of Trauma. In Complications of Surgery and Trauma. Ed by Stephen M. Cohn, M.D. Informa Health Care USA, Inc. NY, NY.
- Institute of Medicine (IOM). 2008. Treatment of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder: An Assessment of the Evidence. Appendix H, Minority Opinion of Thomas A. Mellman. Washington DC. The National Academies Press.

- Ramsawh, H., Stein, M.B., Mellman T.A. (2011). Anxiety Disorders. In Principles and Practices of Sleep Medicine, 5th Edition. Eds: M Kryger, T Roth and W Dement, Section ed R Benca. Elsevier, Phil Pa.
- Alfano, C. Mellman, T.A. (2011) Anxiety Disorders. In Foundations of Psychiatric Sleep Medicine. Eds J Winkelman, D Plante. Cambridge University Press
- Mellman, T.A. (2018) Sleep and PTSD. In Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. Eds. C Nemeroff, C Marmar. Oxford University Press

Meeting Presentations

- Uhde, T.W., Mellman, T.A., Klein, E.M. & Post, R.M.: Phenomenology, biology, and treatment of panic. Presented at the 139th annual meeting of the American Psychiatric Association, Washington, D.C., May, 1986.
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- Uhde, T.W. & Mellman, T.A. Panic and depression: Biological relationship. Presented at the 140th annual meeting of the American Psychiatric Association, Chicago, IL., May, 1987.
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