

# Bronwen Wheeler Rankin

Clinical Psychologist

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## Licensure

District of Columbia Psychologist License #1000411  
Commonwealth of Virginia Psychologist License # 0810003743

## Clinical Experience

### **Private Practitioner** (June 2008 - Present)

*Psychological Associates* Falls Church, Virginia

- Conduct psychological evaluations for clients of all ages
- Conduct private school admissions testing
- Conduct psychotherapy for older children, adolescents and adults
- Serve as consultant to area schools

### **Consulting Psychologist** (July 2008 - Present)

*Law Enforcement Assessment Center* Fairfax, Virginia

- Conduct psychological screenings for law enforcement applicants

### **Psychology Associate** (June 1998 – June 2008)

*The Wake Kendall Group PLLC*, Washington, D.C.

- Served as consultant to schools performing presentations, school observations, and psychoeducational testing
- Conducted independent school admissions testing
- Conducted psychological evaluations using cognitive, educational, and psychological testing instruments
- Conducted psychotherapy for children, families and adults
- Conducted group and individual Dialectical Behavior Therapy

### **Cognitive Evaluator** (Spring 2002, Spring 2003)

*George Mason University Psychological Clinic*, Fairfax, Virginia

- Tested children in groups for Fairfax County Gifted and Talented admission
- Evaluated individual children for Fairfax County Gifted and Talented admission using WISC-IV

### **Intern in Clinical Psychology, APA approved** (June 2002- June 2003)

*Virginia Treatment Center for Children (APA approved)*, Richmond, Virginia

*Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Department, Medical College of Virginia, Virginia Commonwealth University*

- Conducted child psychological evaluations
- Completed two 6-month rotations in day treatment and residential units as child psychotherapist and treatment coordinator
- Co-led adolescent process group in the acute unit
- Completed one month rotation as psychotherapist in the acute unit
- Conducted psychotherapy for children, adolescents, and adults at Chesterfield Mental Health Center

### **Clinical Psychology Extern** (August 1999 – May 2001)

*Loudoun County Mental Health Center*, Leesburg, Virginia

- Conducted psychotherapy with children, adolescents and adults
- Co-led girls' social skills and adolescent process groups
- Conducted psychological and forensic evaluations
- Served as consultant to develop adolescent life skills resource guide

**Student Psychotherapist and Examiner** (December 1997- July 1999)

*George Mason University Psychological Clinic, Fairfax, Virginia*

- Conducted psychotherapy with children and adults
- Conducted intellectual and psychological evaluations

**Research Experience**

**Dissertation Researcher** (September 2000 – May 2004)

*George Mason University, Fairfax, Virginia*

- Completed dissertation research on how women of different social classes experience, work, family and role strain.
- Research data later used to support work and family research for publication

**Graduate Research Assistant** (September 1998 - December 1999)

*George Mason University, Fairfax, Virginia*

Work and Family Research Team

- Conducted literature reviews, revised statistical procedures, revised survey administration, and interpreted statistical results on how dispositional and perceived support moderate work-family conflict

**Developmental Psychology Intern** (September 1996 – May 1997)

*University of Texas Mental Health Sciences Institute, Houston, Texas*

- Analyzed data and coded videotapes of children with autism acting out puppet shows to study their communication and social understanding
- Wrote two literature reviews on autism research

**Human Factors Psychology Research Intern** (May – August 1996, May 1997- January 1998)

*Naval Research Laboratory, Washington, D.C.*

- Wrote instructions, conducted experiments, and analyzed data for experiments on modes of communication on Navy ships and recall of maps in human-computer interface experiment

**Cognitive Psychology Research Assistant** (February 1995 – May 1996)

*Rice University, Houston, Texas*

- Conducted experiments and wrote literature reviews on visual and auditory modality specificity and morphological relationships in long term word priming

**Education**

**George Mason University, Fairfax, Virginia**

Clinical Psychology Doctoral Program (APA approved)

*Doctor of Philosophy in Clinical Psychology, August 2004*

*Master of Arts in Psychology, December 1999*

**Rice University, Houston, Texas**

*Bachelor of Arts in Psychology, May 1997*

**Organizations and Affiliations**

American Psychological Association (APA)

Virginia Psychological Association (VPA)

Virginia Academy of Clinical Psychologists (VACP)

Northern Virginia Society of Clinical Psychologists (NVSCP)

Board Member, The Field School