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Born: 9 October, 1951, Melbourne

Psychologist, public policy and communications consultant

Professional Registration:

Registered as a psychologist under the *Health Practitioner Regulation National Law 2009 (Victoria)* (No. PSY0001118840)
Member, Australian Psychological Society
Accredited Family Dispute Resolution Provider (No. R1003238)

Tertiary Qualifications:

1989 - 1991: LLB, Melbourne University
1970 - 1978: BA (Hons), Psychology, Melbourne University
1969 - 1975: BTheol (incomplete), Melbourne College of Divinity

Recent academic appointments:

2010 – Senior Fellow, Centre for International Mental Health, School of Population & Global Health, University of Melbourne
2003 - 2006: Honorary Research Fellow, Faculty of Business & Economics, Monash University
2000 – 2002: Associate Professor of Applied Communications and Director, CIRCIT (Centre for International Research on Communication & Information Technologies), RMIT University

Awards of Recognition or Merit:

2007: Adult Parole Board of Victoria, Certificate of Recognition of Service

2006: Smart Water Fund, Certificate of Recognition for contributions to water conservation in Victoria
1996: Australian Council of Educational Administration Media Award
1994: International Year of the Family Media Award
1984: ARAAS Pater Award for Best Religious Program

Previous Media Activities:

Presenter & Director, *Vic Quality Council* podcasts
Media Director, 15th International Conference on the Reduction of Drug Related Harm
Media training presenter, Media Manoeuvres
Presenter, *VicRoads Corporate Video "Vox Pops"*
Presenter, *Drive Program*, 3AK Melbourne
Broadcaster, *Drive Program 3LO*, 4-6pm weekdays
Director, *The Big Issue in Australia Limited*
Presenter, *Sunday Night Talk*, ABC Metropolitan Radio nationally
Executive Producer, *User Friendly*, Australian Television Network
Presenter, *Morning Program*, 3UZ
Presenter, *Late Night Talk*, 3UZ
Presenter, *Talking Point*, ABC Radio National
Co-producer and presenter, *Tapestry*, FOX-FM
Member, Editorial Collective, *Australian Catholic Worker*
Presenter, *Crossways*, 3AW

Other current activities:

Member, ACT/Tas/Vic Regional Board of the Psychology Board of Australia

Chair, Port of Melbourne Corporation, Port Capacity Project Community Liaison Group
Member, Zoos Victoria Animal Ethics Committee

Previous appointments:

Chair, Victorian Mental Health Reform Council (2008 - 2012)

Chair, Port of Melbourne Corporation, Channel Deepening Project Community Liaison Group (2002 - 2012)

Chair, Independent Assessment Panel, Victorian Smart Water Fund (2002-2011)

President, Youth Hostels of Australia (YHA) Victorian Branch (2000 - 2009)

Member, Victorian Institute of Forensic Mental Health Council (1997 - 2009)

Member, Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal (2002 - 2007)

Member, VicRoads Board (1998 - 2007)

Member, Adult Parole Board of Victoria (2000 - 2007)

Member, Victoria Police Ethical Standards Branch Reference Group (1996 -2005)

Member, Windana Society Board of Management (1998 - 2005)

Member, Macfarlane Burnet Centre for Medical Research & Public Health Board (2000 - 2004)

Member, Victorian Legal Ombudsman Reference Group (2002 - 2005)

Member, Crisis Support Services Board (2003 - 2004)

Member, Public Galleries Association of Victoria Board (2003 - 2004)

President, Friends of the ABC (Victoria) (2002 - 2004)

Chair, Environment Protection Authority Panel to enquire into the operations of Melbourne's Eastern Treatment Plant (1999-2000)

Member, Victims' Referral and Assistance Service Reference Group (1998 - 2002)

Member, Victorian Attorney-General's Law Reform Advisory Council (1995-97)

Member, Australian Advisory Committee on Road Trauma (1994-96)

Member, Education Working Party, Ministerial Advisory Council on HIV/AIDS (1992-95)

Member, Advisory Committee, Transport Research Centre, RMIT University (1990-95)

Chair, Planning Panel appointed by the Victorian Planning Minister to enquire into rural freeway service centres (1995)

Chair, Victorian Road Safety Co-ordinating Council (1991-94)

Chair, Port of Melbourne Authority, Promotions Appeals Board (1988-92)

Member, Victorian WorkCare Appeals Board (1990-92)

Member and for a short time acting President, Intellectual Disability Review Panel (1988-94)

Chair, The Assembly, University of Melbourne (1986-88)

Chaplain, University of Melbourne (1982-87)

Chair, National Catholic Research Council (1984-86)

Recent research projects:

Victorian Quality Council

"Crisis Communication in Multidisciplinary Teams" (2007)

Victorian Departments of Justice & Health

"Defining best practice models and managing demand for Victims' Services" Research project (2003)

Australia Post

"Can We Help You Make The Most Of Your Money" Survey of Australia Post staff preferences for financial education (2002)

Australian Competition and Consumer Commission:

"Present and Future Network Interconnection Arrangements" Discussion Paper for industry consultation (2002)

Australian Communications Authority:

"The Internet Today" chapter in the Authority's annual Telecommunications Performance Report (2001)

Australian Competition and Consumer Commission:

Report on Wholesale Internet Peering (2001)

Multimedia Victoria:

Strategies for Increasing the Uptake of Government Online Services (2000)

National Office for the Information Economy:

User Perspectives on Government Electronic Service Delivery (2000)

NSW Health, Greater Murray Health Service:

Jerilderie Health Services Review (1998)

NSW Health, Greater Murray Health Service:

Mental Health Services Review (1997)

Commonwealth Department of Human Services and Health:

Consultations with carers & consumers about psychiatric services (1995)

Melbourne's West End Nightspots:

Development of project overview & protocols (1994)

ACT Traffic Regulation:

Review of operations and management structures (1994)

Victorian Community Council Against Violence:

Services for victims of crime (1994)

National Campaign Against Drug Abuse for the Commonwealth Department of Health and Community Services:

Situational and environmental factors affecting alcohol related violence in licensed premises, public places and at public events (1993-94)

Health Department Victoria:

Feasibility of an Organ Donor Registration system (1991)

Publications:

(Samples at: <http://www.logicalideas.com.au/publications.html>)

Books and Monographs:

"Hiding their Sins: Sexual Abuse in the Australian Catholic Church"

in *The Diplomat*, Oct-Nov 2002: Canberra ISSN 1446-697X

"Report of the Eastern Treatment Plant Advisory Panel (ETPAP) on Public Consultations and Statutory Conference"

with Langford, J. & Sherwood, J.: EPA Victoria: Melbourne June 2002

“Communiqué from the Chair of the Victorian Government Water Summit”

Parliament House, Melbourne 24 May 2002

“Whose Rights Need to be Managed?” & “Digital Rights Management Systems (DRMS)”

in Cope B & Freeman R, *C-2-C: Digital Rights Management and Content Production*, Common Ground: Melbourne (2001) ISBN 1 86335 077 2

“Does copyright have a digital future?”

in Cope B & Mason D, *C-2-C: Creator to Consumer in a Digital Age*, Common Ground: Melbourne (2001) ISBN 1 86335 047 0

Situational and Environmental Factors impacting on Alcohol Related Violence in Public Places

with M. Arnold, AGPS: Canberra, (1993), ISBN 0 644 33154 2.

The Legal System and Family Violence, Report No 2 in the series, *Enquiry into Services for Victims of Family Violence*,

Victorian Community Council against Violence: Melbourne, (1991), ISBN 0 724 19907 1.

When I Grow Too Old To Dream: Coping with Alzheimer's disease,

with G. Naughtin, Collins-Dove: Melbourne, (1991), ISBN 0 859 24926 3.

Melbourne Parish Profile - An attitude survey of parishioners from three Melbourne Catholic parishes, with M. B. Heriot and Wm. Dobson, St Peter's Press: Melbourne, (1980).

A Psychological Understanding of In-service Training Attendance among Catholic Priests in Melbourne,

Directorate of Pastoral Formation - Catholic Archdiocese of Melbourne: Melbourne (1979).

Unpublished research reports:

Greater Murray Health Service: Jerilderie Health Services Review,

for New South Wales Department of Health, Greater Murray Health Service (1998)

Greater Murray Health Service: Mental Health Review,

for New South Wales Department of Health, Greater Murray Health Service (1997)

Consultations with consumers and carers about psychiatrists' roles in Australia's mental health system,

for the Mental Health Branch, Commonwealth Department of Health (1995)

Corporate Strategic Plans:

Centre for International Mental Health (2012)

summary at http://cimh.unimelb.edu.au/aboutus/centre_profile

CatholicCare (2012)

summarised at <https://www.ccam.org.au/About-Us>

Presentations & Process Facilitation

2013

Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists

Leadership Training Program presenter (May 2013)

St Vincents Hospital

Annual Scrubs Run compere (April 2013)

2012

Victorian Bar Association

2 part seminar on “Psychological Assessment in Family Law matters” (Sept 2012)

Centre for Forensic Behavioural Science - Monash University

Short course in Family Law assessment (Aug 2012)

2011

Disability Sport and Recreation

Compere : Brand relaunch (Dec 2011)

Aspire, A Pathway to Mental Health Inc.

Keynote address: Annual General Meeting (Oct 2011)

Jesuit Social Services

Keynote address on “Young Offenders & Mental Health” (Oct 2011)

Gordoncare

Staff in-service: “Supervision in Parenting Matters” (Jun 2011)

Victorian Office of the Child Safety Commissioner

Facilitate Forum: “Children of prisoners – what makes a difference?” (Apr 2011)

AHURI - Aust Housing & Urban Research Institute

Facilitate: Housing, Loneliness and Health Seminar (Mar 2011)

Legal Aid WA

In-service training ½-day forum for Client Services non legal staff (Feb 2011)

Legal Aid WA

Presentations at Summer Series CPD Program: “What types of supervision show evidence-based success in reducing re-offending?” and “Parents with mental health or drug and alcohol problems in children's matters” (Feb 2011)

2010

Disability Sport and Recreation

Compere Mini-Conference: “Scoring the Equaliser” (Dec 2010)

Eastern Access Community Health (EACH)

Facilitate panel discussion: “Let's Talk About Youth Wellbeing – Mental Health” (Oct 2010)

Commonwealth Dept of Transport & Regional Development

MC: Australasian Road Safety Research, Policing and Education Conference (Sept 2010)

Family Law Practitioners' Association of Western Australia

Presentation: “Equal Time and the Best Interests of the Child: A Forensic Psychologist's Perspective” (Aug 2010)

Australian Psychological Society

Facilitate hypothetical at 2010 International Conference of Applied Psychology on “The greatest moral challenge of our time – climate change” (Jul 2010)

mecu, Community Housing Federation of Australia and PowerHousing Australia

Facilitate dinner caucus discussion of “Post Stimulus Housing Options” (Jul 2010)

Commonwealth Dept of Families, Housing, Community Services & Indigenous Affairs (FaHCSIA)

Compere and Facilitator, Targeted Community Care Forum (Jun 2010)

Matthews Steer Chartered Accountants

Panel interview: "Success Stories", customer seminar (Jun 2010)
Victorian Department of Health
Facilitator, Annual Rural Health Conference (Apr 2010)
PowerHousing Australia
National Sustainable Housing Conference, hypothetical facilitator (Mar 2010)
Australian Children's Contact Services Association

Hypothetical facilitation, Annual Conference (Mar 2010)
National Legal Aid
Presenter, National Independent Children's Lawyer Training (Feb 2010)
Dept of Prime Minister and Cabinet
Panel member, Social Inclusion Conference (Jan 2010)

Terry has extensive experience as a psychologist working in private forensic practice, mainly in family law, child protection and criminal jurisdictions. This led to his appointment in 2009 to chair the Victorian Mental Health Reform Council.

He holds a part-time position as an academic specialist in the Centre for Mental Health in School of Population Health at the University of Melbourne.

Terry was born in Melbourne and educated at Marist Brothers' College, North Fitzroy. Ordained in 1975, he worked as Catholic Parish Priest of Parkville and Chaplain to the University of Melbourne. During this time, he presented the Pater Award winning program, Tapestry, on FOX-FM. Terry completed an Arts Degree with Honours in psychology at Melbourne University in 1978 and a Law Degree in 1992.

He resigned from the Catholic priesthood in 1987, and worked as a policy advisor on health services to older people in the Victorian Health Department, before working as the presenter of the Late Night program on Radio 3UZ. He started with ABC Radio 3LO in Melbourne in 1991, and presented the Evening Program before moving to the 3LO Drive Program at the start of 1997.

Terry left the ABC after 10 years in 2000 for RMIT where he became Associate Professor of Communications at RMIT University's Centre for International Research on Communication and Information Technologies (CIRCIT). Since 2003 he has worked as a psychologist and policy & communications consultant. He has also presented replacement shifts on Talk 1116 3AK and presentation training for SBS Radio in Melbourne.

Terry's interest in the community is shown the variety of his public appointments: he has chaired the Victorian Road Safety Co-ordinating Council and has consulted for the National Campaign Against Drug Abuse and the Victorian Community Council against Violence.

He has recently finished a term as Chair of the Victorian Minister for Mental Health's Mental Health Reform Council and was also the Chair of the Smartwater Fund Independent Assessment Panel and of the Port of Melbourne Corporation Channel Deepening Project Community Liaison Group. Other recent appointments have included membership of the Adult Parole Board of Victoria, the Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal, the Advisory Board for VicRoads and chairing the Victorian Environment Protection Authority's Panel advising on Melbourne Water's proposals to upgrade the Eastern Sewerage Treatment Plant. Terry has also been a member of the Boards of the Burnet Centre, the Victoria Police Ethical Standards Consultative Committee and the Windana Society and of the Council of the Victorian Institute of Forensic Mental Health (Forensicare).