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Note: Many additional research materials are restricted, most until January 1, 2020.
Audio recordings are archived with the restricted materials.

Preliminary Casebook Meeting, Herndon, VA, June 27 – June 30, 2008

Partial Participant List for Initial Preliminary *Casebook* Meeting, Herndon, VA.

Unrestricted Preliminary Casebook Meeting Sessions, transcripts

“Nonlethal Neuroweapons Experimentation on Civilians,” meeting with Cheryl Welsh, June 28, 2008 [omitted participant in restricted transcript]

“Review of ‘Nonlethal Neuroweapons Experimentation on Civilians’ Session with Cheryl Welsh,” excerpt from Plenary Review Session One, June 28, 2009

“Commanders from the First Gulf War,” meeting with a retired intelligence officer responsible for tactical interrogations and with a retired intelligence officer who conducted interviews of refugees seeking asylum, June 29, 2008

“A Military Intelligence Analyst at Abu Ghraib — Whistle Blower Experience and Clinical Aftermath,” meeting with Sam Provance, June 29, 2008

“Remote Psychological Assessment — Area Intelligence Officer in the Middle East,” meeting with Mr. C (anonymous), June 29, 2008

“An Anthropologist’s Applications of Systems Theory to Development of the *Casebook*,” meeting with Roberta Culbertson, PhD, June 30, 2009

Unrestricted Case Narratives

Psychological Assistance in Selection and Training of Intelligence Operatives — World War II

- Application of Group Dynamics to Selection and Survival of U.S. Spies in Occupied Europe — Kurt Lewin and Ron Lippett,
- Competence and Self-Control under Psychological Stress, Personnel Selection Tests for the Office of Strategic Services (OSS) — Ralph G. Granneberg,
- Obedience and Self-Control under Provocation, Personnel Selection Tests for the OSS — Ernest Garcia

Hypnosis and Psychoactive Drugs in Intelligence Operations — Mr. J, Southeast Asia, 1950-1951

Psychological Stress Experiments on Soldiers — Mitchell Berkun, *et al.*, Cold

War, late 1950s – early 1960s

- Psychological Stress upon Close Observation of a Nuclear Test Shot —
- Soldiers' Technical Skills under Psychological Stress in Military Maneuvers
- Soldiers' Psychological Stress in a Medical Context — The "Air Bubble Experiment"

Psychologist's Moral Response to Participation in a Simulated Soviet Nuclear Attack — Ammi Kohn, Cold War, 1961-1962

Interrogation of an Enemy Physician — William Martin (pseudonym), Vietnam War
Psychological Assistance in Field Operations — Mr. C, Middle East, late 1980s

- Psychological Assistance in Recruitment of Foreign Agents, "Remote Assessment"
- Psychologists as "Leash Holders" and Assistants in Interrogation

Conflict between an Interrogator and a Psychologist over Personnel Safety during SERE Training — William Martin, early 1990s

Attempt of a U.S. Army Counterintelligence Officer to Halt Torture by Haitian Authorities in a Haitian Prison — Lawrence Rockwood, 1994

Psychological Treatment of Whistle Blowers — Samuel Provance, Iraq War, 2003-2004 (prepared by Stephen Soldz)

Recruiting Research Psychologists for National Security Applications — Martha Davis, 1990s to present (prepared by Martha Davis)

An Interrogator's Psychological Perspective on Religious Extremists as Sources — William Martin, War on Terror

Psychologists and US Coercive Interrogations (unfinished manuscript, 2008) – Stephen Soldz, War on Terror

American Psychological Association Ethics Committee, 2001-2008 (unfinished manuscript, 2009)— Ted Strauss

Unrestricted Consultations with Subject-Matter Experts

Robert Albro, AAA *Ad Hoc* Commission on anthropology's Engagement with the Security and Intelligence Communities, Chair

- Consultation on Anthropology's Engagement with the Security Sector, June 17, 2009

Anonymous, academic psychologist, funded by the Department of Homeland Security

- Case consultation on Davis's "Recruiting Research Psychologists for National Security Applications," October 22, 2008

Anonymous, "Chaplain A," Special Operations Chaplain

- Case consultation on Berkun's "Psychological Stress Experiments on Soldiers," October 13, 2008

Anonymous, "Chaplain B"

- Case consultation on Soldz's "Psychological Treatment of a Whistleblower in the War on Terror," November 10, 2008

Anonymous, International Military and Industrial Psychologist

- Case consultation on Soldz's "Psychologists and U.S. Coercive Interrogations," April 15, 2009

Thomas Blass, Social psychologist, biographer of Stanley Milgram, and expert on the

psychology of coercion

- Case consultation on Berkun's "Psychological Stress Experiments on Soldiers," October 6, 2008

Carolyn Fluehr-Lobban, AAA *Ad Hoc* Commission on Anthropology's Engagement with the Security and Intelligence Communities, Member, and AAA Committee on Ethics, Past Chair

- Consultation on Censure of Anthropologists by the American Anthropological Association, July 10, 2009
- "New Ethical Challenges for anthropologists: The terms 'secret research' and 'do no harm' need to be clarified." *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, November 14, 2008

David Frakt, JD, U.S. Air Force Reserve Major

- Consultation on Soldz's "Psychologists and U.S. Coercive Interrogations," March 16, 2009
- Lawrence Wilkerson. (2009, March 17). Guest post: Some truths about Guantanamo Bay. *The Washington Note*

Peter Gumpert, organizational consultant for corporations and government agencies

- Case consultation on "Psychologists and U.S. Coercive Interrogations." April 6, 2009
- Frank Summers. (2008). Making sense of the APA. [blog]
- Susan E. Brandon, Behavioral and Social Science Principle, the MITRE Corporation [MITRE website profile]

Kernan Manion, MD, military contract psychologist, specialist on post-traumatic stress disorder and traumatic brain injury

- Consultation on Mental Health Professionals as Military Subcontractors, December 12, 2009
- Kevin Mauer, (2009, November 20). Fired therapist, Stressed marines get shoddy care. *The Washington Post* [On-line].
- Kernan Manion. (2010, January 23). E-mail message to J.M. Arrigo on signs of success of his complaints about patient care at Camp Lejeune, NC

Jonathan D. Marks, MA, BCL, bioethicist and barrister

- Framing the *Casebook*, July 24, 2008

Grant Marler, philosopher and former U.S. Air Force Intelligence Officer

- Consultation on Conceptualizing Death in National Security Settings, December 15, 2008

David Nicholl, PhD, Irish neurologist and human rights activist

- Consultation on International Health Professionals Associations — Strong Anti-Torture Policy, Weak Action, November 4, 2009
- University of Pittsburgh, School of Law. (2006, June 13). Guantanamo and Medical Ethics. *The Jurist*. [On-line periodical].
- University of Pittsburgh, School of Law. (2007, April 19). More Guantanamo Hunger Strikes: The Silence Is Deafening. *The Jurist*. [On-line periodical].

Jose Rivas (pseudonym), U.S. Army Interrogator

- Consultation on Honorable Interrogation in Afghanistan, January 19, 2009

Lawrence Rockwood, military historian and former U.S. Army counterintelligence

officer

- Case consultation on “Psychological Treatment of a Whistleblower in the War on Terror,” December 8, 2008

Harold William Rood, PhD, WW II combat veteran, field interrogation trainer, intelligence analyst, and political scientist

- Case consultation on “Psychological Stress Experiments on Soldiers,” October 1, 2008

David Senesh, PhD, Israeli psychologist and ex-prisoner of war

- Consultation on Comparison of Harms to Military Prisoners of War from Enemy Torture, Debriefing by Own Military, and Disability Claim Interview, May 13, 2009
- David Senesh. (2005, June 16). A Former Prisoner of War as Therapist: The role of PTSD in Psychotherapy. Cross-Cultural Psychology Congress, Sweden.
- Amihud Gilead. (2009). Some Philosophical Reflection on Dr. David Senesh’s Report to Psychologists for Social Responsibility on Tortured Prisoners of War.

Brian Snow, Mathematician and Technical Director for National Security Agency Programs

- Case consultation on “Recruiting Research Psychologists for National Security Applications,” November 18, 2008.
- Brian Snow, March 2, 2009, letter granting permission for website posting of transcript.

Charles Young, PhD, Aristotelian moral philosopher

- Consultation on Framing the *Casebook*, September 25, 2008 [no audio recording]
- U.S. Air Force. (2004). Major General James A. Young [father of Charles Young]. *U.S. Air Force Military Biographies Annual*.

Howard Zonanna, MD, American Psychiatric Association Council on Psychiatry and the Law, Former Chair

- Consultation on Development of the American Psychiatric Association Position Statement on Psychiatric Participation in Interrogation of Detainees
- American Psychiatric Association. (2005, May). *Principles of Medical Ethics with Annotations Especially Applicable to Psychiatry*, Chapter 7: Parts 1 & II, Procedures for Handling Complaints of Unethical Conduct.

Unrestricted Testimonies

Anonymous, former U.S. Naval Intelligence Officer

- “Vietnam Era SERE Training,” February 2008

David Debatto, U.S. Army counterintelligence operative (ret)

- “A Combat Stress Unit in the Iraq War,” June 17, 2008
- “Burn Pits at Balad Air Force Base in the Iraq War,” November 24, 2008

Robert Dippner, psychologist

- Correspondence between Robert Dippner and J.M. Arrigo Concerning His Recollection of Psychologist Ralph T. Granneberg’s Personnel Selection Work for the Office of Strategic Services in World War II, October- November 2009

William Martin, U.S. Army Special Forces and SERE Trainer (ret)

- “Contemporary SERE Training,” E-mail discussion with Brad Olson, Stephen Soldz, and J.M. Arrigo, February 19-24, 2008

Paul Secord, social psychologist, and Carl Backman, sociologist

- “Mitchel Berkun’s ‘Air Bubble’ Experiment,’ Correspondence and Telephone Conversations with J.M. Arrigo, December 1997 – November 2009, with J.M. Arrigo’s original notes from telephone conversations
- Arnold Matlin, MD. (2009, August 12). E-mail message to J.M. Arrigo assessing the actual medical harm of injecting a tiny air bubble in the blood stream.
- James Dwyer, PhD. (2009, August 12). E-mail message to J.M. Arrigo from a medical ethicist, assessing medical ethics issues in the Air Bubble experiment.