

Melaine Detrano

Developmental Psychologist

Profile

Details

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I am a Developmental Psychologist with over 1 year of experience. I have worked extensively with children and families, providing psychological assessment and intervention services. I am passionate about helping people reach their full potential, and my work has shown me that even the most difficult challenges can be overcome with the right support. I am knowledgeable in a variety of theoretical approaches to psychology, and have successfully used these to develop individualized treatment plans for my clients. My skills in communication and collaboration have allowed me to build strong relationships with clients, colleagues, and other professionals involved in each client's care. These connections are essential to providing comprehensive care that meets each client's unique needs.

Employment History

Developmental Psychologist at Oklahoma State University, OK

May 2022 - Present

- Studied the effects of different types of child care on cognitive development in over 1,000 3-year-olds.
- Found that children who spent more time in daycare scored lower on tests of executive function.
- Published findings in "Journal of Experimental Child Psychology".
- Wrote a book, "The Developmental Psychologist's Survival Guide", which has sold over 10,000 copies.
- Presented at international conference on attachment theory and its implications for parenting practices.
- Led a study investigating how parents' use of social media affects their relationship with their children.

Developmental Psychologist II at University of Oklahoma, OK

Sep 2021 - Apr 2022

- Led a team of 5 researchers in studying the cognitive development of infants.
 - Authored a paper on the findings which was published in Developmental Psychology journal.
 - Presented the research at 3 international conferences.
 - Won an award for Excellence in Research from American Psychological Association.
 - Trained 4 graduate students in research methods and data analysis.
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Education

PhD in Developmental Psychology at Oklahoma State University, OK

Aug 2016 - May 2021

I have learned how to design and conduct research studies, how to analyze data, and how to write scientific papers.