

## Curriculum Vitae - Peter Dunlop

**Name:** Peter Julien Dunlop  
**Date of Birth:** July 1, 1943  
**Marital Status:** Married with three children aged 44, 42 and 33 years and five grandchildren aged 10, 9, 6, 2, and 12 mts.  
**Qualifications:** Bachelor of Electrical Engineering (Melbourne University, 1964),  
Bachelor of Arts (Melbourne University, 1968),  
Master of Psychology (Clinical) University of W.A., 1974  
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### Awards, Registration, Membership:

1960 Commonwealth Scholarship, Australian Commonwealth Government  
1960 Senior Govt. Scholarship, Victorian State Government  
1960 Commonwealth Cadetship, Australian Commonwealth Government  
1971 Traineeship in Clinical Psychology, Western Australian State Government  
1978 Member Australian Psychological Society  
1979 Registered Clinical Psychologist, Western Australia Psychologists Board  
1985 Member of APS Clinical College  
1993 Member APS Aboriginal Issues and Psychology Interest Group  
2000 Member of APS Psychoanalytically Oriented Psychotherapy Interest Group  
2000 Member of Institute of Clinical Psychologists  
2005 Member of ANZAPPL  
2006 Member Australian Association of Infant Mental Health  
2009 Member of Australian Clinical Psychologists Association  
2009 Psychologist, Psychologists Board of Australia, Endorsements: Approved Area of Practice - Clinical Psychology

### Professional Experience:

1965-68 Lecturer in Mathematics and Physics -. Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology  
Electronics Engineer - Psychology Department, Melbourne University  
1969-71 Probation and Parole Officer - Perth Office.  
This work included responsibility for Probation and Parole Services for part of the South West Region including Williams, Narrogin, Katanning, Pardelup Prison and Albany as well as services in the Perth metropolitan area  
1971-72 Master of Psychology student, University of WA  
Placements included Child Guidance Clinic, Graylands and Heathcote Psychiatric Hospitals, Department of Child Welfare.  
Thesis topic: "Objective test identification of types among Sex Offenders"

- 1972-85 WA Department of Corrections / WA Prisons Department**
- 1972-76 Clinical Psychologist: Fremantle Prison  
 This work included extensive psychological assessment and psychotherapy with offenders and their families within the prison and in community settings as well as participation in a variety of policy, planning and decision making committees. It also included responsibility for providing psychological services to Pardelup and Albany Prisons and involvement in staff training.
- 1976-80 Senior Clinical Psychologist - Head of the Psychology and Research Section  
 Responsible for the management and supervision of 16 psychologists and clinical psychologists throughout the Prison Service and the development of psychological services and research throughout WA. Responsibilities also included participation in departmental policy, planning and decision making committees and visits to all Regional Prisons throughout the State.
- 1980-81 Acting Assistant Director - Treatment and Training Branch (11 months).  
 Responsible for the administration and management of all professional and welfare staff, prisoner programs and placements, and staff training. Responsibilities included chairing a variety of policy, planning and decision making committees and participating in negotiations with the WA Prisons Officers Union as required.
- 1981-85 Consultant Clinical Psychologist – Responsible to Executive Director WA Prisons Department  
 The major responsibility of this position was to provide consultant advice, plan and implement organisational change processes within the Prisons Department and its institutions particularly in relation to the management and care of prisoners but including staff training and management processes. Major projects undertaken included
1. the development and implementation of the philosophy and operational plans for the Canning Vale Medium Security Prison in conjunction with its management team, and,
  2. the investigation of major problems within another prison and the development and implementation of a strategy for remedying this situation.
- 1983-84 Secondment to the Scottish Office in Glasgow (12 months)  
 Work undertaken included consultancy and Psychological work in List D schools (Scotland's residential care system for children and adolescents) and investigation of aspects of the Scottish Prison Service relevant to WA.
- 1985-87 WA Office of Industrial Relations**
- Manager of Corporate Services  
 Responsibilities included the management of the Corporate Planning process, Human Resources and staff development and all phases of the acquisition, installation and implementation of a large computer system for the Office.
- 1987-93 Managing Director of Computer Manufacture and Design (WA) Pty Ltd.  
 This company was established in 1987. Its major business activities included the supply and support of large computer software and hardware systems in the Government and private sector. The company also undertook complex database design and development. Customers included the Department of Consumer Affairs, Crime Research Centre at UWA, Western Mining and Ampolex.

- 1993-95 **Graylands Psychiatric Hospital**  
Senior Clinical Psychologist  
 This position was located in the locked wards of Graylands (Smith and Montgomery). Responsibilities included provision of psychological assessments and individual, family and group psychotherapy for individuals experiencing chronic and acute psychoses, depression, suicidal impulses and ideation.
- 1996-97 **Centre for Aboriginal Studies, Curtin University**  
Clinical Psychologist  
 Responsibilities included the provision of individual, family and group counselling for staff and Aboriginal students attached to the Centre, the development of support systems, occasional lecturing and workshops as required.
- 1997-98 **Tumbewarrin Ngangalli Wuri**  
Clinical Psychologist  
 Responsibilities included providing support to the Aboriginal Psychologist Coordinator of a Grief and Loss project funded by the Commonwealth Department of Health and Family Services. The aim of the project is to facilitate the development of culturally appropriate support groups and counselling services to assist the healing of Aboriginal and Islander people who are carrying unresolved trauma, grief and loss as a consequence of Government policies which resulted in the forced removal of indigenous children from their families. A central part of this project has been conducting healing and training workshops for Aboriginal and Islander people in various centres in each state of Australia.  
 The project continued in WA with the establishment of Healing and Support groups and counselling for members of the Stolen Generations and their families. Training workshops were also conducted for Aboriginal Mental Health workers at Marr Mooditj and the Aboriginal Psychiatric Services.  
 Another major activity was providing support to the WA Stolen Generations Working Group established to represent the interests of the Stolen Generations in WA in relation to State and Commonwealth funding made available in response to the recommendations of the "Bringing Them Home" report. This group is currently in the process of becoming incorporated.
- 1993-98 Part time Private Practice as Clinical Psychologist  
 This practice was quite small and was developed primarily to provide psychotherapy for people who were not being well serviced by other agencies or systems.
- 1998-Present Full time Private Practice as Clinical Psychologist  
 Activities in the practice include:
- Psychological Assessment and Treatment for adults, adolescents, children and families,
  - Psychological Reports for courts and other agencies on family, criminal, workers compensation, criminal injury compensation, third party insurance claims and related matters,
  - Clinical Psychology services for Vietnam Veterans and other ex-military service personnel, their partners and children through the Department of Veteran Affairs,
  - Group and individual psychotherapy with perpetrators and victims of child

sexual abuse for SafeCare Inc. and the Department of Justice,

- Since 2011 facilitating a group psychotherapy program for Child Sexual Abuse Offenders and related Internet Offenders at Shenton Park Psychology Services,
- Psychological services to the Perth Immigration Detention Centre as required,
- Training of Clinical Psychologists in Psychological Assessment and Psychotherapy including the conduct of Workshops on Working with Childhood Issues for practising Clinical Psychologists and related professions,
- Supervision of practising Clinical Psychologists and Psychologist Registrars,
- Contract work for the Department for Community Development.

Areas of Expertise include:

- Long, medium and short term individual and group psychotherapy with adults, couples, adolescents and children,
- Management and treatment of Post Traumatic Stress Disorder,
- Group and individual psychotherapy for victims of sexual abuse and people who have committed offences of child sexual abuse and/or related offences,
- Working with individuals who have strong suicidal and self harm impulses and ideation,
- Training of Clinical Psychologists and related professions in Individual and Group Psychotherapy,
- Problems experienced by employee's, especially those working at Executive, Managerial levels,
- Dealing with complex and challenging legal, individual, family and organisational issues (i.e. Those which would be considered by most people as being unresolvable),
- Working with people from different language and cultural backgrounds.

1999-2003 Member of the Executive and Chairperson of the Professional Development Committee of the Australian Psychological Society College of Clinical Psychologists (WA Section)

Responsible for the coordinating the planning, development and implementation of Professional Development activities for Clinical Psychologists in WA This has included the organisation of bi-monthly Saturday morning seminars on a range of topics and 3 professional development days

2010-Present Member of the Executive and Treasurer of the Institute of Clinical Psychologists in Private Practice (WA)

Responsible for the budgeting, income and expenditure of the ICP and contributing to decisions about other activities including submissions to various government bodies and agencies and professional development.

### **Training Courses & Workshops Conducted Since 2001**

Nov 2001 Exploring Childhood Issues in Individual and Group Psychotherapy – An Experiential Workshop

A one day workshop facilitated by Peter Dunlop and Christabel Chamarette at Safecare Inc. The workshop started with an experiential exploration of the group

process by participants focusing upon their favourite place as a child. This was followed by a presentation and discussion of theoretical perspectives and the role of the adult and child self in the healing process.

Feb 2002 Exploring Childhood Issues in Individual and Group Psychotherapy – An Experiential Workshop

The above workshop was presented in a modified form to the psychological and counselling staff of Youthlink WA.

2002-2004 Individual and Group Psychotherapy – A Uniquely Australian Approach

Training course for Clinical Psychologists and M Psych (Clinical) Students Who conducted by Peter Dunlop consisting of 3 modules covering storytelling, the use of drawings and working with body memories in psychotherapy respectively. Each module consisted of two-hour weekly sessions over 10 to 12 weeks.

2005 Working with Body Memories in Psychotherapy – Advanced Training

A 12 week training course conducted by Peter Dunlop building on the 2002-2004 training at a deeper and more complex level.

Sept 2005 Working with the Impact of Childhood Trauma in Psychotherapy

A half day workshop presented by Peter Dunlop for the Clinical Psychologists working at York (UK) Psychiatric Hospital. It included the presentation of a theoretical framework for understanding trauma and an account undertaking psychotherapy in this context by exploring body memories. This was illustrated by case material.

June 2011 Group and Individual Treatment of Individuals Who Commit Child Sexual Abuse

One day workshop facilitated by Peter Dunlop and Christabel Chamarette at Shenton Park Psychology Services. It included an exploration of the legal framework surrounding child sexual abuse, the philosophy and values underpinning working therapeutically with individuals who have committed child sexual abuse, relevant theoretical perspectives and the importance of childhood issues.

Nov 2011 Group and Individual Treatment of Individuals Who Commit Child Sexual Abuse

The above workshop with some modifications was presented again at the 2011 APS WA Branch State conference.

Oct 2011 Working with the Body in Psychotherapy – An Innovative, Integrated, Uniquely Australian Approach

One day workshop at the Treacy Centre in Melbourne facilitated by Peter Dunlop. The workshop provided an introduction to the philosophy, theory and processes which underpin this approach to psychotherapy. It was illustrated by video material from therapy sessions and some experiential exercises.

Nov 2011 Working with the Body in Psychotherapy – An Innovative, Integrated, Uniquely Australian Approach

The above workshop with some modifications was repeated at Shenton Park Psychology Services in Perth

Sept. 2012 Working with the Body in Psychotherapy – A Case Study in the Treatment of Depression

A half day post conference workshop facilitated by Peter Dunlop at the APS 47<sup>th</sup> National Conference in Perth. It was centred around video recordings of psychotherapy sessions with one client who had been suffering from depression

for many years. This was used to illustrate the philosophy and theory underpinning this approach to psychotherapy and demonstrate the processes, including unconscious processes, of discovery and healing.

Oct. 2012 Working with the Body in Psychotherapy – A Case Study in the Treatment of Depression

A two-day workshop facilitated by Peter Dunlop at Shenton Park Psychology Services covering the same material as in the above workshop at in greater detail and depth.

May 2013 Working with the Body in Psychotherapy – A Case Study in the Treatment of Depression

A one-day workshop conducted by Peter Dunlop in Albany WA for the WA Great Southern Branch of the APS.

### **Publications, Papers and Reports:**

Dunlop, P.J. Objective Test Identification Of Types Among Sex Offenders Master of Psychology Thesis, University of W.A., 1974.

Dunlop, P.J. Perspectives On Rape W.A. Department of Corrections Newsletter, Vol. 4, pp. 6-10, 1976

Dunlop, P.J., Hartz-Karp, J - Report And Recommendations Of The Treatment And Training Branch Task Force For The Revision Of The Prisons Act And Regulations Department of Corrections (Internal Report), 1979

Dunlop, P.J. Report And Recommendations To Public Service Board Committee Enquiring Into The Restructuring Of The Department W.A. Department of Corrections (Internal Report) 1979

Dunlop, P.J., Miethe, G., Sievers, E. Management And Organisational Planning For Canning Vale Prison, Vols. 1 AND 2, W.A. Prisons Department, 1981.

Dunlop, P.J. Planning A New Prison: An Examination Of Process And The Search For A Philosophy, in The Role of Psychologists in the Criminal Justice System. Ed. Grant Wardlaw, Australian Institute of Criminology, 1983, pp 37 - 52.

Dunlop, P.J. Beyond Fiddes: An Australian's Journey Into The List D Soul (presented to List D school Headmasters and Psychologists, Glasgow October, 1983 unpublished).

Dunlop, P.J. Report On WAPOU Request To Reopen Segregation At Fremantle Prison W.A. Prisons Department, (Internal Report) 1984.

Dunlop, P.J., Goddard-Williams, L., Nathan, P.R., Cairney, C.M., Manners, J. "Well Being" Revisited: A response to the report of the Community Services Review Prepared at the direction of the Australian Psychological Society Board of Clinical Psychologists (W.A. Section) February 1985

Cole G, Clayton L, Downie R, Dufty B, Dunlop P, Van Ierland G, Psycho Social Issues: The Neglected Dimension of Mental Health For All Submission to the Better Health Commission for the APS Board of Clinical Psychologists, 1985.

Zubrich S, Cass V, Clayton L, Dufty B, Dunlop P. Report to the Committee of Enquiry into the Sexual Assault Referral Centre Submission prepared for the A.Ps.S. Board of Clinical Psychologists, 1985.

Dunlop, P.J. Coming Home and a Search for Roots: Reflections on the Scottish Experience Presented to the Psychology Section W.A. Prisons Department, 1984.

Dunlop, P.J. They "Dared to Care": An exp1oration of the Scottish Prison System W.A. Prisons

- Department, 1985.
- Dunlop, P.J. The Last of the Mohicans: A Psycho-Historical Study of the Origins of Crime in Australia and Other Matters Presented to a cross section of Prisons Department staff, June, 1985.
- Dunlop, P.J. Issues for aboriginal people who are patients at Graylands Psychiatric Hospital Presented to the APS Aboriginal Issues and Psychology Special interest group Work in Progress Meetings 1994
- Dunlop, P.J. Counselling Aboriginal People - A Journey of discovery Presented to multi-disciplinary group of WA Health Department workers under a staff development initiative directed towards multi-cultural issues 1995
- Dunlop, P.J. The crisis in Mental Health - An opportunity for growth and a new vision Prepared in response to the Minister for Health's call for submissions to his Mental Health Task Force 1995
- Dunlop, P.J. Suicide - Is it normal? - An exploration of issues arising from suicidal and self harming clients Presented to Physiotherapists employed by the W.A. Psychiatric Services Division of the W.A. Health Department 1995
- Dunlop, P.J. Issues for Aboriginal people and Mental Health services, Scientism and an Ecological view of Mental Health Presented to the APS Aboriginal Issues and Psychology Special interest group Work in Progress Meetings 1995
- Dunlop, P.J. The Removal Business – Time for Action: A Practitioner's Perspective APS Aboriginal Issues and Psychology Interest Group Newsletter Vol 1 No 1 1996
- Dunlop, P.J. Finding My Place, Being Put in My Place and a Journey into Bechuanaland : Reflections of a Whitefella on moving from Mainstream to an Aboriginal Community Prepared as part of a report to the Head of the Centre for Aboriginal Studies, Curtin University 1996
- Dunlop P.J. The Aboriginal experience of mainstream Mental Health Services, Scientism and the need for a new vision - An ecological perspective Presented at the APS Conference in Cairns 1997
- Dunlop P.J. My Journey with Anna – Trials , tribulations, troubles & triumphs Presented at the APS Clinical College "Turning Points and Watersheds" Seminar series Perth, 2000
- Dunlop P.J. Unconscious Processes in Cross Cultural Contexts – Reflections on Working in an Aboriginal Community APS PPOWP Forum Perth, 2000
- Dunlop P.J. Using Drawing in Psychotherapy with Vietnam Veterans, their wives & children Presented to the APS Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy Interest Group Perth, 2000
- Dunlop P.J. How does the public see us? What do they expect? Presented at the APS Clinical College PD day "SO WHAT REALLY IS A CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST?" Perth, 2000
- Dunlop P.J. "I cause you too much trouble": An exploration of the developing awareness and denial of Child Sexual Abuse and its impact upon psychological and mental health problems of children, adolescents and adults from the 1950's to the present." Presented at the APS Clinical College PD day "Child Sexual Abuse – Impact and Interventions" Perth, 2002
- Dunlop P.J. "Psychoanalysis made easy - Is it really all that complicated?" Presented to the APS Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy Interest Group Perth, 2004
- Dunlop P.J. "Childhood Trauma: An exploration of the impact of Childhood Trauma on Personality and Psychopathology including our own." Presented at the APS Clinical College Saturday Seminar series Perth, 2005

- Dunlop P.J. “Early Intervention Points – What Can We Learn About This From Psychotherapy With Victims And Offenders?.” Presented in a Symposium “Knowledge of Offending As an Aid to the Prevention of Child Sexual Abuse” at the Australian and New Zealand Association of Psychiatry, Psychology and Law Conference, Perth 2009 (Also presented at the APCCAN and ANZSOC Conferences in Perth 2009)
- Dunlop P.J. “How fair dinkum are we really about the evidence base for our clinical work?” Presented at the Australian Clinical Psychologists Association Conference, Perth 2012