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Psychologist, psychotherapist

CONTACT DETAILS

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DESCRIPTION

I am a psychologist with extensive experience in research (7 years), teaching (10 years) and psychotherapy (15 years).

My interests include intelligence, cognitive training and psychotherapy. I'm a CEO of child counselling center Theraplay.cz.

Recently we researched AI psychotherapy supervision with Hedepy online platform, and developed entrance IQ tests for Mensa Czechia.

EDUCATION

Master's degree in Psychology
Masaryk University, Brno, ČR, 2008

Ph.D. in General psychology
Masaryk University, Brno, ČR, 2015

Bc. in General Theory and History of Arts
and Culture, MU, Brno, ČR, 2019

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Masaryk University, Brno, ČR
Feb 2011 - 2021

Faculty of social studies
Faculty of economics
Faculty of arts

- Lecturer of theoretical subjects (Psychodiagnostics, Theory of personality, Introduction to psychology)
- Trainer of practical field subjects (Social-psychological group training, Self-knowledge)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Academy of Science of Czech Republic
Institute of Psychology
Research associate
Jan 2011 - Dec 2014

- Two successful applications for national funding (awarded research grant GAČR P407/11/2130 and 13-36836S)
- Explored the possibility of improving intelligence with cognitive training
- Developed proprietary training software
- Administered several IQ and personality tests to hundreds of participants
- Study published in Psychological Research journal (IF 2,7)

Mensa ČR
Jan 2015 - present

- Development of new Mensa entrance IQ tests (MITCH, 2018; MITA, 2026)
- Scientific design of the test, statistical validation, creating of psychometric norms
- See e.g.: <https://bit.ly/4htYPYd>

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PSYCHOTHERAPY

Long-term psychotherapy training

Slovak Institute of Gestalt therapy
2008 - 2012

Private psychotherapy practice

Psychoterapie-marcek.cz
2012 - present

- Daily administration of psychotherapy (cca 1000 sessions a year)
- Regular media exposure, e.g. <https://bit.ly/4fNJWyE>
- Public and business lectures on relevant topics (cognitive training, giftedness, etc.)

Theraplay.cz

Psychological counselling for gifted children
2017 - present

- Offices in Brno and Ostrava, 5 employees
- Psychotherapy for children and parents
- Professional psychometric methods (WISC V), complex diagnostics of intellectual giftedness, but also ASD and ADHD

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Annual 14-day psychotherapy residentials

- GATLA institute of Los Angeles
- More info: <https://bit.ly/4fN2pLF>
- 2013 - present

Regular supervision

Paul L. Plakos, M.A., MFT, California

Professional affiliations

- Czech Association for Psychotherapy (since 2021)
- Czech-Moravian psychological society (since 2014)
- American Psychological Association (since 2008)

OTHER

Foreign Languages

English, level C1-C2 according to CEFR
German, level B2 according to CEFR

Programming skills

C++ (advanced)
Python, Processing

Hobbies

Parenting & dog cuddling :), Reading,
Running, Humanism, Darts

