

# Coady Banks Lapierre, Ph.D., LSSP

## *Education:*

Doctor of Philosophy: Educational Psychology  
Texas A&M University 8/13/99  
Master of Arts: Special Education  
University of New Mexico 7/29/95  
Bachelor of Arts: Psychology  
Southwest Texas State University 5/12/90

## *Credentials:*

Licensed Specialist in School Psychology (License # 31648)

## *Employment:*

**Full Professor, Psychology and Counseling**  
August 2000 – present (Asst. to Full)  
(inaugural) **Department Chair, Psychology and Counseling**  
July 2012 – April 2017  
**Program Coordinator for Psychology and Counseling**  
August 2011 – June 2012  
**Area Coordinator for Education**  
November 2007 – January 2009  
**School Psychology Program Director**  
August 2000 - Present

Texas A&M University- Central Texas  
(< 2009, Tarleton State University – Central Texas)  
1001 Leadership Place  
Killeen, Texas 76549  
(254) 519-5428

Full Professor, Department of Counseling & Psychology. Responsible for teaching graduate and undergraduate courses, advising students, conducting research, and serving on academic committees.

Samples of Courses Taught: (Undergraduate) Educational Psychology; Human Lifespan; Abnormal Psychology; Psychological Tests and Measurements; Social Psychological Processes; (Graduate) Human Development; Practicum I; Foundations, Ethics and Professional Issues; Personality Theories and Applications; Consultation and Supervision; Practicum II; Practicum III; Internship in Counseling I; Internship in Counseling II, Counseling Perspectives on Psychopathology, and the Department's first Study Abroad to Sydney.

Supervisor: Dr. Sam Fiala (sam.fiala@tamuct.edu)

**Consultant to the U.S. Army**

Reintegration Programs

4<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division, April 2004

Fort Hood, Texas

25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division, Dec. 2005

Schofield Barracks, Hawaii

24<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division, March 2006

Ft. Riley, Kansas

Description: Created and trained trainers to conduct and implement a wide range of classes including communication with spouses, assessing suicide risk in others, dealing with combat stress and bonding with children, which were given to over 30,000 soldiers as they returned from combat deployments.

Supervisor: Gene Tyson

**Licensed Specialist in School Psychology (Trainee)** August 1999- August 2000

Humble Independent School District- Kingwood High School

2701 Kingwood Dr.

Kingwood, Texas 77339-3704 (281) 641-1000

Description: Provided assessment, counseling and consultation services to Humble Independent School District. Main campus duties were performed at Kingwood High School with responsibilities for crisis interventions, program evaluations and multidisciplinary team meetings.

Supervisor: Dr. Nancy Breunig

**Pre-Doctoral Psychology Intern** August 1998- August 1999

Houston Independent School District (APA accredited)

1615 Rutland

Houston, Texas 77008 (713) 556-7400

Description: Provided psychological services to students of HISD, the fourth largest school system in the nation. Experiences include counseling, psychological and psycho-educational assessment, consultation and crisis management in an ethnically diverse, large urban setting.

Supervisors: Dr. Janet Rexroad (Fall) Dr. Cecilia Lonnecker (Spring)

**Graduate Teaching Assistant** August 1996- July 1998

INST-210 Understanding Special Populations

Department of Special Education

Texas A&M University

College Station, Texas 77846 (979) 845-5311

Description: Taught over 200 students a semester in discussion/lab sections and lectures. Most students were education majors and planned on teaching general education classes.  
Supervisor: Dr. Linda Parrish

**Co-Leader** August 1995- February 1997  
Preparation for Adult Living Classes

Department of Educational Psychology  
Texas A&M University

College Station, Texas 77846 (979) 845-5311

Description: Planned and implemented a comprehensive curriculum to prepare orphaned and foster teens for a successful life. Major course topics included job and interview skills, self-esteem, money management and sexual responsibility.

Supervisor: Dr. Frances Prevatt

**Special Education Teacher** May 1990- May 1994

Los Lunas Hospital and Training School

P.O. Box 1269

Los Lunas, New Mexico 87031 (505) 865-9611

Description: Taught High School students with moderate to severe mental retardation and behavior problems. Worked on diverse areas ranging from academics to feeding skills. Other responsibilities included teaching anger management, social skills, leisure and recreation skills, independent living skills, and creating and implementing behavior modification plans.

Supervisor: Francis Jaramillo Ed.D.

**Direct Care Worker** October 1988- May 1990

River Gardens

750 Rusk

New Braunfels, Texas 78312 (817) 624-4400

Description: Provided assistance to adolescents and adults with primarily mild mental retardation with daily living skills.

Supervisor: Tim Cornell

### *Current Research*

#### *Publications*

#### *Peer Reviewed Journal Articles*

Lapierre, C., Ruehlen, G., Myers, S. & Fiala, S. (2015). Responses to School Bomb Threats: A Survey of Stakeholders. *Research and Practice in Schools* 3 (1), 30-36.

Northrup, J., Lapierre, C., Kirk, J. & Rae C. (2015) The Internet Process Addition Test: Screening for addictions to processes facilitated by the internet. *Behavioral Sciences* 5 (3), 341-352.

Lapierre, C. B., Schwegler, A. F., & LaBauve, B. J. (2007). Posttraumatic stress and depression symptoms in soldiers returning from combat operations in Iraq and Afghanistan. *Journal of Traumatic Stress*, 20 (6), 933-943.

MacNamara, J., Grossman, B., Lapierre, C., & Lajha, W. (1998) The school psychologist: A source of expertise available to school principals for collaborative problem solving. *International Journal of Educational Reform*, 7 (1), 80-94.

*Peer Reviewed/Edited Publications:*

Lapierre, C. (2017) Preface. In C. Hamilton & A. Redmon (eds.), *Clint Eastwood's Cinema of Trauma: Essays on Ptsd in the Director's Films*. Jefferson, NC: McFarland.

Lapierre, C. B., & LaBauve, B. J. (2009). Attachment systems of soldiers and their families. *Family Therapy*, 8 (2), 26-7.

Lapierre, C. (2006). How can I bond with my child? In Mabray, D. & LaBauve, B. *Let's talk to our kids: Successful communication with your child* (pp. 48-56). Pittsburg, PA: Whitmore.

Lapierre, C. (2005). Global Attainment Scaling. In S. Lee (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of school psychology* (pp. 227-229). Thousand Oaks, CA. Sage Publications, Inc.

LaBauve, B. & Lapierre, C. (2001) Collaboration and consultation: A new emphasis in counseling. *Juncture* 14 (1), 4.

Lapierre, C. (1999) A comparison of the DASH-II (Diagnostic Assessment for the Severely Handicapped- II) to pre-existing psychological diagnosis. *Dissertation*

*Other Publications:*

Lapierre, C. (2003) Greetings from the new executive editor. *Guidelines* 52 (2) 1.

Lapierre, C. (2003) Attention counselors! Call for leadership nominations to TCA. *Guidelines* 52 (2) 1.

*Presentations*

*International:*

Lapierre, C., Schwegler, A., Fiala, S., and Cobel, M. (2015, August). Ringtone triggers negative stress reactions after military deployment. Poster presented at the annual American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.

Lapierre, C. (2012, August). *Homeschool Attitudes and Motivations*. Oxford Round Table. Oxford, England.

Lapierre, C. (2006, July). *Early character education: A violation of Piagetian theory or validation of cognitive stages?* Oxford Round Table. Oxford, England.

LaBauve, B. J., and Lapierre, C. (2006, April). *The role of counseling in helping soldiers returning from war and their families: An in depth look at reintegration training*. American Counseling Association and the Canadian Counseling Association annual convention, Montreal, Canada.

*National:*

Lapierre, C., Hamilton, C., & Hamilton, J. (2017, Feb.). *People with Disabilities in Film and Television*. Panel presented at the American and Popular Culture Conference annual convention in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Lapierre, C., Olivares, E., Campbell, S., & Ruehlen, G. (2014, Feb.) *Responses to School Threats: A survey of stakeholders*. Paper presented at the National Association of School Psychology annual convention in Washington D.C.

Northrup, J., Lapierre, C. and Kirk, J. (2012, September). *The internet process addiction test: Validating a new tool*. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference in Charlotte, North Carolina.

Lapierre, C. (2002). *The applied research initiative: Using graduate research papers for more than just a grade*. Paper presented at the National Association of School Psychology annual convention in Chicago, Illinois.

*Regional & State:*

Barber, J., Stoneroad, R., Lapierre, C., & Pham, L. (2018). Characterization of Texas home distilled alcohol using flame atomic spectroscopy. Poster presented at the Texas Academy of Science annual convention, Midland, Texas.

Campbell, S., Ruehlen, G. & Lapierre, C. (2013). *Responses to School Threats: A survey of stakeholders*. Poster presented at the Texas Association of School Psychologists.

Lapierre, C., Yeager, R, Teixeira, P., Brown, E., Singer, J. (2012, April). *Homeschool Motivations and Perceptions*. Annual Southwestern Psychological Association convention, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

- Lapierre, C., LaBauve, B. J., & Hughes, M. (2006, March). *Longitudinal study of soldier depressive and posttraumatic stress symptoms*. 52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Southwestern Psychological Association convention, Austin, Texas.
- Schwegler, A., Lapierre, C., & LaBauve, B. J. (2005, March). *Prevalence rates of depressive and posttraumatic stress symptoms in soldiers returning from combat operations in Iraq*. Paper presented at the 51st Annual Southwestern Psychological Association convention, Memphis, Tennessee.
- Lapierre, C., LaBauve, B. J., & Schwegler, A. (2005, November). *Prevalence rates and treatment options for PTSD in soldiers returning from war*. Paper presented at the 49<sup>th</sup> Annual conference of the Texas Counseling Association, El Paso, Texas.
- LaBauve B.J. & Lapierre, C., (2005, November). *The cost of war*. Paper presented at the 49<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Texas Counseling Association, El Paso, Texas.
- Lapierre, C. (2005, January) *Suicide prevention in schools and counseling the cutter*. Invited presentation made at the annual Brownsville ISD Counselor Training, Brownsville, Texas.
- LaBauve, B.J., Lapierre, C., & LeGree-Roberts, S. (2004) *Counseling the cutter: A look at self-harm and the client*. Paper presented at the 48<sup>th</sup> Annual conference of the Texas Counseling Association, Ft. Worth, Texas.
- Lapierre, C., (2004) *Suicide prevention in the schools*. Paper presented at the 48<sup>th</sup> Annual conference of the Texas Counseling Association, Ft. Worth, Texas.
- Lapierre, C., (2003). *Use of graduate papers for more than just a grade*. Paper presented at the Texas Counseling Association annual convention, Galveston, Texas.
- LaBauve B.J. & Lapierre, C., (2003). *Preventing abuse through systemic attachment training*. Paper presented at the Texas Counseling Association annual convention, Galveston, Texas.
- LaBauve B.J. & Lapierre, C., (2003). *Preventing abuse through systemic attachment therapy*. Paper presented at the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on the Prevention of Child Abuse, Houston, Texas
- LaBauve, B., Lapierre, C., Weissenburger, D., Irving, S., Hart, B., & Brown, J. (2003) *ADHD symptoms in traditional and non-traditional college students*. Paper presented at the Southwestern Psychological Association annual convention, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- LaBauve B.J. & Lapierre, C., (2002). *The future of distant consultation*. Paper presented at the Texas Counseling Association annual convention, Austin, Texas.

*Local:*

- Lapierre, C. B. (2016). *Responding to students in crisis*. Copperas Cove Teacher Inservice, CCISD, Copperas Cove, Texas.
- Lapierre, C. B. (2013). *Hot Topics in School Counseling*. Copperas Cove Counselor Inservice, CCISD, Copperas Cove, Texas.
- Lapierre, C. B. (2008). *Responsive Systems Consultation: Working as a consultant*. Mid Tex Counseling Association, Killeen, Texas.
- Lapierre, C. B. (2008). *PTSD: Recent findings*. Mid Tex Counseling Association, Killeen, Texas.
- Lapierre, C. B. (2007). *Self injurious behavior*. Killeen ISD, Killeen, Texas.
- Lapierre, C. B. (2007). *Self injurious behavior*. KISD Counselor Inservice, Killeen, Texas.
- Lapierre, C. B. (2007). *Relaxing into the New Year*. Copperas Cove Counselor Inservice, CCISD, Copperas Cove, Texas.
- Lapierre, C. B. (2007). *Academic impact of Type I Diabetes*. Camp Bluebonnet at Peaceable Kingdom, Killeen, Texas.
- Lapierre, C. B. (2006). *A celebration of high standards*. Copperas Cove Counselor Inservice, CCISD, Copperas Cove, Texas.

*Professional Service:*

*National:*

- 2016- Reviewer, Journal of Addiction and Preventive Medicine
- 2015 - Reviewer, Journal of Child and Family Studies
- 2014 - Reviewer, Cyberpsychology, Behavior, and Social Networking
- 2013 - Reviewer, Journal of the American Medical Association: Psychiatry

*State:*

- 2012 - 2015 Co-Chair Journal Task Force, Texas Association of School Psychologists resulting in Research and Practice in the Schools
- 2010- Reviewer, Research and Practice in the Schools, Journal of the Texas Association of School Psychologists.
- 2006 - 2010 Editor for The Texas School Psychologist, the newsletter of the Texas Association of School Psychologists.
- 2003 – 2006 Executive Editor for Guidelines, the newsletter for the Texas Counselors Association

*University:*

2012- 2017 (inaugural) Department Chair for Psychology & Counseling,  
TAMUCT  
2009 – 2013 (inaugural) Institutional Review Board, Chair, TAMUCT  
2009 – Institutional Review Board, Member, TAMUCT  
2009 – School Psychology Program Director, TAMUCT  
2009 – 2011 (inaugural) Faculty Senate President TAMUCT  
2007 – 2010 QEP Committee, Member, Tarleton State  
University/TSUCT/TAMUCT  
2007 – 2009 Area Coordinator for Education  
2007 – 2009 School Psychology Program Director, Tarleton State University  
2005 – 2007 Director of Practicum and Internships, Killeen campus  
2004 – 2007 Faculty Senator representing Killeen campus, Tarleton State Univ.  
2002 – 2012 Institutional Review Board, Member, Tarleton State University  
2002 – 2006 Chair, Library Subcommittee for Killeen campus  
2002 – 2009 University committee for the Disabled, Member, Tarleton State  
University

*Local:*

2002 – 2004 KISD Guidance and Counseling Advisory Council

*Awards:*

2016-2017 Outstanding Service Award, College of Education, TAMUCT  
2016-2017 Excellence in Teaching Award, The National Society of  
Leadership and Success, TAMUCT chapter  
2012-2013 Distinguished Graduate Faculty, TAMUCT  
2005-2006 Instructor of the Year. Tarleton State University – Central Texas