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University of Georgia BS 1968  
Psychology/Mathematics

University of Georgia MS 1969  
Psychology

University of Georgia Psychology  
Ph.D. 1972  
Clinical Psychology

Internship Veteran's Administration Hospital  
Miami, Florida

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Physostigmine on the Acquisition  
of a One-Way Active Avoidance Response

**HONORS:**

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Diplomate in Clinical Psychology-American Board of Professional Psychology  
Outstanding Professional Achievement Award-1997 Mobile Psychological Association

**LICENSURE:**

Licensed in Alabama (#123) and Georgia (#1240) by the Board of Examiners in Psychology to practice psychology.

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:**

American Board of Professional Psychology  
Fellow, Academy of Clinical Psychology  
American Psychological Association-Divisions 12, 29, 31  
Southeastern Psychological Association  
Alabama Psychological Association-President 1979, President 1998  
Georgia Psychological Association  
Mobile Psychological Association-President 1996

**EMPLOYMENT:**

Jan. 1967-June 1968	University of Georgia Athens, Georgia	Research Assistant
June 1967-Aug. 1968	VA Hospital Augusta, Georgia	Clinical Psychology Trainee
June 1969-Aug. 1970	VA Hospital Miami, Florida	Clinical Psychology Intern
Sept. 1970-June 1971	University of Georgia Athens, Georgia	Research Assistant
March 1971-Sept. 1971	Clayton Co. Health Dept. Jonesboro, GA	Consultant Mental Health
Sept. 1971-May 1974	University of South Alabama  Mobile, Alabama	Assistant Professor

Sept 1974-May 1981	University of South Alabama Mobile, Alabama	Part-time Professor
June 1972-Present	Private Practice Mobile, Alabama	Clinical Psychology

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**RESEARCH INTEREST:**

I. Physiological Components of Mental Disorders.

**GRANTS:**

Dose response curves for the drugs scopolamine and physostigmine as affecting two-way avoidance in rats, 1983.

**PAPERS AND PUBLICATIONS:**

Davis, J.W. & Mulligan, B.E., 1968, Visual discrimination of the nine-banded armadillo, Daspus Novemcinctus.  
Paper presented at the Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Louisville, Kentucky.

- Davis, J.W. & Thomas, R.K., 1969, ECS, cholinergic activity and retention. Paper presented at Southeastern Psychological Association, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Adams, H.E., Allen, M., and Davis, J.W. Some factors in the recovery of memory following ECS. Paper presented at Southeastern Psychological Association, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Davis, J.W., Mayer, R.T., Adams, H.E., and Allen, M. Learning and retention as influenced by brain acetylcholine. Paper presented at Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology, Miami, Florida.
- Scott, R.W., and Davis, J.W. Use of an alternate response in the treatment of a psychotic diabetic person. Paper presented at Florida Psychological Association, Miami, Florida.
- Davis, J.W., Thomas, R.K., and Adams, H.E., 1971, Interactions of scopolamine and physostigmine with ECS and one-trial learning. *Physiology and Behavior*, 1971, 6, 220-222.
- Davis, J.W., & Hailey, B.J. Variations in learning as a function of ECS. Paper presented at Southeastern Psychological Association, Miami, Florida.
- Davis, J.W., & Thomas, R.K., 1972, Acquisition of a one-way avoidance task as a function of ECS, physostigmine, scopolamine, and their interactions. Paper presented at American Psychological Association, Honolulu, Hawaii.
- Davis, J.W., & Stratis, C., 1973, Dose response curves for the drugs scopolamine and physostigmine as affecting two-way avoidance in rats. Paper presented at Southeastern Psychological Association, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Marrs, R., & Davis, J.W., 1974, Effects of over-crowding on positively and negatively reinforced learning tasks. Paper presented at Southeastern Psychological Association, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

Adams, H.E., Calhoun, K.S., Davis, J.W., & Peters, R.D. Effects of isolation and retrograde amnesia produced by ECS on multiple trial learning. Physiology and Behavior, 1974, 12, 499-501.

Davis, J.W. A Note From the President. The Alabama Psychologist, 1998, Vol. 2, #1, 1&6.

Davis, J.W. President's Message. The Alabama Psychologist, 1998, Vol. 2, #2, 1.

Davis, J.W. President's Message. The Alabama Psychologist, 1998. Vol. 2, #3, 1&11.

In 1975 my private practice replaced my university affiliation in priority and consulting replaced research.

**CONSULTANT POSITIONS:**

Mobile Mental Health Center	1972-1974
Group Aid for Retarded Children	1972-1974
Mobile County Youth Center	1974
St. Mary's Children's Home	1974-1977
Southland Adolescent Program	1978-1982
Catholic Social Services	1981-1988
University of South Alabama	
Adjunct Faculty	1999

**HOSPITAL AFFILIATIONS AS CONSULTANT:**

Mobile Infirmary  
Providence Hospital  
USAMC/Doctor's/Knollwood  
Springhill Memorial Hospital