CHRIS E. STOUT, Psy.D.

Dr. Chris Stout is a licensed clinical psychologist, yet many other words could easily describe him: Humanitarian, author, lecturer, entrepreneur, researcher, editor, award-winning practitioner/educator, and health systems developer, all with a global focus. He took his education at Purdue, The University of Chicago’s Graduate School of Business, and Forest Institute, together with his post-doctoral experience at Harvard Medical School as a Fellow in neuro-developmental behavioral pediatrics, and parlayed it into achievements too numerous to mention. Yet, Dr. Stout's primary passion has been a global integration of public health and psychology to benefit families and children in countries such as Peru, Rwanda, Vietnam, and Tanzania. To that end, he is the founding director of The Center for Global Initiatives, with the goal of improving access to healthcare in underserved communities throughout the world. Examples of the center's work include helping children orphaned by AIDS in Tanzania with the establishment of a kindergarten, and the provision of health care for families living in Bolivian prisons. In his free time, he enjoys endurance and adventure sports and spending time with his wife and their two children.

(Interviewed by Nancy Wigton, Ph.D., Div52 ECP Member)

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NANCY L. WIGTON, Ph.D.

Dr. Nancy Wigton is originally from Arizona and currently resides in Scottsdale Arizona with her husband. She started her career as a Licensed Professional Counselor in 1991, but decided to move into private practice providing EEG biofeedback (neurofeedback) in 1999. Her decision to move into the cognitive field developed after her son's ADHD was successfully treated with this brainwave biofeedback modality. Fifteen years later, in addition to being a Board Certified Neurofeedback therapist, her areas of specialization, consultation, training, and research interests include the emerging specialty of z-score neurofeedback and quantitative EEG (QEEG) analysis. Since 2008, Dr. Wigton has presented at conferences and published on her work with z-score neurofeedback. She has been actively involved in the International Society for Neurofeedback and Research (ISNR) since 2000 and currently serves on the board of directors. Dr. Wigton recently finished her PhD in Psychology with an emphasis in Cognition, through Grand Canyon University, and looks forward to some down time with her husband of over 17 years. She and her husband enjoy road and photography trips to the Southwest region, particularly Bryce Canyon.

(Interviewed by Jolene Caro M.A., Div52 Student Member)

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Jolene Caro is going to start her PhD in International Psychology this fall at the Washington, DC campus of The Chicago School of Professional Psychology, and what a perfect fit for someone who originally hails from Hawaii and became an Intelligence Analyst for the United States Air Force. In 15 years, she has lived and worked in exotic locales such as South Africa, Iraq, Afghanistan, and Qatar as well as Northern California, South Korea, Nebraska, Germany and Italy. She has also traveled to more than 20 countries just for fun! As a former paramedic, Jolene has volunteered with multiple humanitarian organizations, environmental agencies, and orphanages during her travels. Jolene received her bachelor's degree from the University of Maryland University College in Psychology with a minor in Biology. After graduating she was transferred to Washington DC and finished her Masters in Forensic Psychology at The Chicago School. Currently, Jolene works with Greenpeace as an activist on the Act for the Arctic project gaining support for the prevention of arctic drilling. She also fosters dogs with local rescues and trains rescued horses. Jolene's post-doctoral plans include applying her new skills in the areas of conservation and sustainability via working with environmental agencies.

(Interviewed by Chris Stout, Psy.D., Senior Member of Div52)

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