



The Reiss-Davis Graduate Center

Offers its Doctor of Psychology (PsyD)
in Psychodynamic Child Psychology and Psychotherapy
For Licensed and License-Eligible Mental Health Professionals



Lear^{*} Doctoral Weekend Program

COURSES ARE OFFERED ONE WEEKEND A MONTH - BEGINNING AUGUST 2018
FRIDAY: 5:00 - 10:00 PM | SATURDAY: 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM | SUNDAY: 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM





THE REISS-DAVIS GRADUATE CENTER

Recognized as a Candidate for Accreditation by WASC Senior College and University Commission (WSCUC)**

OVER A 65 YEAR HISTORY OF TRAINING MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

The Reiss-Davis Child Study Center and Institute has over a half-century of experience training psychologists and other mental health practitioners in the field of child-adolescent mental health through its post-doctoral and post-graduate programs. More recently it has expanded its training programs to offer a PsyD in Psychodynamic Child Psychology and Psychotherapy.

MISSION: To provide a psychodynamically-oriented and neurobiologically-informed doctoral program in Psychodynamic Child Psychology and Psychotherapy that prepares clinicians to address the mental health needs of children, adolescents, and their families in a culturally competent manner.

VISION: To be the premier center for graduate education in psychodynamically-oriented and neurobiologically-informed child psychology and psychotherapy for children, adolescents, and their families.

VALUES: Excellence, Compassion, Integrity, and Inclusion

INNOVATIVE PROGRAM, CONVENIENTLY SCHEDULED, AND AFFORDABLE TUITION

INNOVATIVE PROGRAM

The Reiss-Davis Graduate Center offers a comprehensive and rigorous doctoral program for the busy clinical social worker, marriage and family therapist, educational psychologist, and clinical professional counselor. Candidates must be licensed or license-eligible in one of these four professions.

Students learn to integrate developmental psychodynamic theory with the latest research in neurobiology, attachment, and social/relational psychology to enhance clinical skills in working with children and adolescents.

CONVENIENTLY SCHEDULED

To meet the needs of these working mental health professionals, RDGC is offering a Doctor of Psychology (PsyD) through three years of courses held on campus one weekend a month on Friday evenings, all day Saturday and Sunday beginning in August 2018. In the third year, students also prepare for the dissertation and continue into the fourth year until graduation.

SPECIALY PRICED TO MAKE IT AFFORDABLE

This doctoral program is offered at a reasonable tuition making it possible to pursue the highest academic degree in the field of mental health.



SCHOLARSHIPS AND FEDERAL LOANS

*The Lear Family Foundation is funding a limited number of scholarships to new students enrolling in the program. Please contact the administration office for criteria and application information.

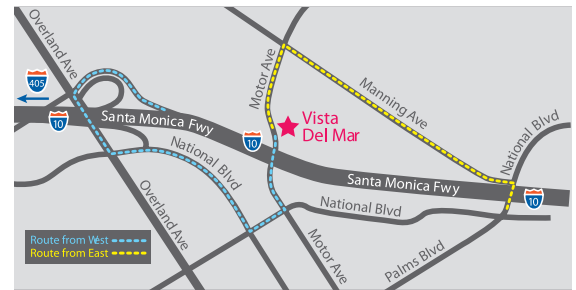
Federal loans will also be available soon. Please contact the administration office for criteria and application information.

PLEASANTLY SITUATED

Classes are offered on the beautiful 17-acre campus of Vista Del Mar. It is freeway close, near the intersection of the 10 and the 405 freeways, in West Los Angeles. There is ample free parking while you attend your classes.

Nondiscrimination and Equal Opportunity Statement

The Reiss-Davis Graduate Center (RDGC) admits each student on the basis of merit. RDGC does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, religion, creed, gender, sexual orientation or gender identity, disability, citizenship status (within the limits imposed by law or Center policy), marital status, medical condition, veteran status, or age in any of its admissions or educational policies, procedures, or practices. This nondiscrimination policy covers treatment in institutionally approved academic programs and activities in conformance with the WASC guidelines for institutions of higher learning. The Reiss-Davis Graduate Center is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.



Coming by freeway from the east: Take the Santa Monica Fwy. (10) west to the National Blvd. off-ramp. Proceed straight up Manning. Turn left onto Motor Avenue. The entrance to Vista Del Mar/Reiss-Davis is approximately ½ block on the left.

Coming by freeway from the south, north or west: Take the San Diego Fwy. (405) to the Santa Monica Fwy. (10) going east. Exit at National/Overland. Turn left on National to Motor Ave. The entrance to Vista Del Mar/Reiss-Davis is about a block on the right side of the street.

PROGRAM CURRICULUM

PSY 601 Psychodynamic Theory I

PSY 602 Psychodynamic Theory II

PSY 603 Psychodynamic Theory III

PSY 605 Infancy to Latency Development

PSY 607 Infancy to Latency Psychopathology

PSY 609 Pre to Adolescent Development and Psychopathology

PSY 611 Neurobiology and Affect Regulation

PSY 613 Psychodynamic Understanding

PSY 653 Case Conference I

PSY 619 Evaluating Psychodynamic Effectiveness

PSY 630 Introduction to Research and Statistics

PSY 659 APA Dissertation Writing Seminar

PSY 621 Psychotherapy with Adolescents

PSY 661 Cultural Competence

PSY 625 Parent Work

PSY 627 Play Therapy and Child Psychotherapy

PSY 655 Case Conference II

PSY 623 Integration of Psychoanalytic Work

PSY 633 Psychological Assessment I

PSY 635 Psychological Assessment II

PSY 657 Case Conference III

PSY 641 Dream Work

PSY 642 Jung Sand Play I

PSY 644 Jung Sand Play II

PSY 645 Dissertation Development I

PSY 649 Dissertation Development II

PSY 651 Dissertation Development III

The goal of the curriculum is to prepare professionals to think psychodynamically while integrating neurobiology, child theory and development, clinical practice and research when working with children, adolescents, and their families. Students will culminate the learning experience with their own signature dissertation project.

LICENSING: Please note that the RDGC PsyD degree program does not lead to licensure as a psychologist. If an RDGC graduate desires to pursue licensure as a psychologist upon receiving the RDGC PsyD degree, he/she must follow the steps outlined in the most recent regulations and requirements set forth by the California Board of Psychology. Please note that you must be licensed with the Board of Psychology in order to use the title of psychologist in California. For more information visit <http://www.psychology.ca.gov>. You may also consult www.reissdavis.org for additional information.

*NOTE: The Reiss-Davis Graduate Center reserves the right to adjust curriculum and/or course dates as needed. Please consult the 2018/2019 Catalog for a full listing of courses and credits hours.

The Reiss-Davis Graduate Center is a private, non-profit educational institution of higher learning. It is approved to operate by the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education (BPPE) of the State of California 94909(a)(2). Approval to operate means compliance with state standards as set forth in the California Private Postsecondary Education Act of 2009 (Ed. Code). All approved psychology schools that offer PsyD and PhD degrees in California are affected by the following new regulations: Notice to Prospective Degree Program Students: This institution is approved by the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education to offer degree programs. To continue to offer degree programs, this institution must meet the following requirements:

- Become institutionally accredited by an accrediting agency recognized by the United States Department of Education, with the scope of the accreditation covering at least one degree program.
- Achieve accreditation candidacy or pre-accreditation, as defined in regulations, by July 1, 2017 and full accreditation by July 1, 2020.

If this institution stops pursuing accreditation, it must:

- Stop all enrollment in its degree programs, and provide a teach-out to finish the educational program or provide a refund.
- An institution that fails to comply with accreditation requirements by the required dates shall have its approval to offer degree program automatically suspended.



Dr. Allen
Bishop, Dean,
Accreditation
Liaison Officer

In response to the above:

**Reiss-Davis Graduate Center (RDGC) has been recognized as a Candidate for Accreditation by WASC Senior College and University Commission (WSCUC), 985 Atlantic Avenue, #100, Alameda, CA 94501, 510-748-9001. This status is a preliminary affiliation with the Commission awarded for a maximum period of five years. Candidacy is an indication that the institution is progressing toward Accreditation. Candidacy is not Accreditation and does not ensure eventual Accreditation.

With official Candidacy status, RDGC will be applying for approval to be designated as an eligible institution to participate in the Federal Student Financial Assistance Programs. If you have any questions regarding this process, please feel free to contact Dr. Allen Bishop, Dean and Accreditation Liaison Officer, at the Reiss-Davis Graduate Center at (310) 204-1666, ext. 300.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT THE PROGRAM:

**Via email at GraduateCenter@ReissDavis.org, visit www.reissdavis.org
Call the office at (310) 204-1666, ext. 339 or ext. 328**

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Los Angeles, CA 90034

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