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Education

- B.A. 1976 William Jewell College, Liberty, Missouri. Majors: Philosophy and Psychology.
- M.S. 1977 Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana. Major: Clinical Psychology. Minor: Personality Assessment. Thesis: "The Relation of Affective Assessment to Brain Lateralization." Major Advisor: Joseph F. Rychlak, Ph.D.
- Ph.D. 1981 Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana. Major: Clinical Psychology. Minors: Quantitative Psychology and Educational Psychology. Dissertation: "The Cognitive Component of Observational Learning: Affective Assessment and Aggression." Major Advisor: Joseph F. Rychlak, Ph.D.
- Internship 1980-1981 Palo Alto, Veterans Administration Medical Center, Palo Alto, California. Major Rotations: Family Treatment, Geriatric Center, and Locked Psychotic Ward. Major Supervisor: Donald T. Lim, Ph.D.

Awards, Honors, and Fellowships

- 1976 Summa Cum Laude with Honors in Psychology.
- 1976 David Alan Duce Award, Most Outstanding Philosophy Major.
- 1976 Most Outstanding Psychology Major Award.
- 1976 Who's Who in America's Colleges and Universities.
- 1976-1977 National Institute of Mental Health Fellowship, Purdue University.
- 1977 Honorable Mention, Graduate Fellowship Competition, National Science Foundation.

- 1978 Outstanding Student Research Award, Indiana Psychological Association.
- 1979 National Institute of Mental Health Fellowship, Purdue University.
- 1979 David Ross Fellow, Excellence in teaching, Purdue University.
- 1979 Member of Sigma Xi, The Research Society.
- 1979 Outstanding Theory Paper Award, National competition conducted by the Division of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology.
- 1980 Winner of Sigma Xi Research Award, Competition among all sciences, Purdue University.
- 1983 Scientific Advisory Committee Research Award, Outstanding Experimental Investigation, University of Santa Clara.
- 1985 Finalist in Southwestern Psychological Association Research Competition.
- 1986 - present Who's Who Among Human Services Professionals.
- 1989 Fulbright Fellowship Alternate
- 1991 Outstanding Research Professor, Baylor University
- 1991 Elected Fellow of the American Psychological Association for "Outstanding and Unusual Contributions to the Science and Profession of Psychology"
- 1991 Elected Member of the International Society for the Study of Time
- 1992 Circle of Achievement Award, Baylor University, Outstanding Teaching
- 1995 Elected Fellow of the American Association for Applied and Preventive Psychology
- 1997 Teacher of the Year, Department of Psychology, Brigham Young University
- 1998 Elected Fellow of the Society of General Psychology
- 1998 Award for Distinguished Contribution to Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology, Society of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology

- 1999 - 2000 President of the Society of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology, Division 24 of the American Psychological Association
- 2000 - present Who's Who in America
- 2000 - present Directory of American Scholars
- 2000 Most Outstanding Professor, Brigham Young University, Psi Chi, Student Psychology Honorary
- 2000 – 2002 Eliza R. Snow Fellow, Award and Research Grant
2000. 2000 Outstanding Scientists of the 20th Century
- 2002 - present Who's Who in Science and Engineering
- 2002 – present Who's Who in the World
- 2002 – present Who's Who in Medicine and Healthcare
- 2002 Karl G. Maesar Award, Outstanding Researcher – Top scholar at Brigham Young University
- 2003 Elected Fellow of the Division of Humanistic Psychology
- 2003 Visiting Scholar – Fuller Theological Seminary
- 2004 APA Award for Distinguished Service to Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology
- 2004 - 2006 Eliza R. Snow Fellow, Award and Research Grant
2004. Circle of Honor Award – For “Outstanding Honor and Integrity” – Student Honor Association – One of two university faculty
- 2005 Nominated for William James Book Award – American Psychological Association. Book: “Critical Thinking About Psychology”
2005. Distinguished Visiting Professor – American University in Cairo
- 2006 - 2008 Advisory Board – Handbook of Social Research Ethics
- 2006 Book designated “best-seller” by APA Books: “Critical Thinking About Psychology”

- 2007 – 2009 Eliza R. Snow Fellowship, Award and Research Grant, Brigham Young University
- 2008 Presidential Citation Award for Contribution to Psychology, American Psychological Association.
- 2009 - 2012 Alumni Professorship Award for Outstanding Teaching and Scholarship, Three-year Research Grant, Brigham Young University
- 2014 – 2018 Richard L. Evans Chair for Religious Understanding, Four-year Research Grant, Brigham Young University
- 2016 Karl G. Maeser Award, Distinguished Lecturer – The highest award for scholarship and teaching awarded at Brigham Young University.
- 2017 Fellow of Division 5 – Quantitative and Qualitative Methods
- 2020 Presidential Citation – Society of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology

Teaching and Clinical Supervisory Experience

- 1976 Instructor. Freshman Philosophy Course. Department of Philosophy. William Jewell College.
- 1977-1978 Teaching Assistant. Introduction to Psychology and Psychology and Law. Department of Psychological Sciences. Purdue University.
- 1978-1979 Chief Teaching Assistant. Administrative charge of large Introductory course and 15 teaching assistants. Department of Psychological Sciences. Purdue University.
- 1979-1980 Full Instructor. In charge of large introductory course, including large lectures of 600 students and general supervision of 15 teaching assistants. Department of Psychological Sciences. Purdue University.
- 1980-1981 Clinical Supervisor. Stanford medical students, nursing staff, and social work interns in family therapy, and group and individual treatment on locked coed ward.
- 1981-1984 Assistant Professor. Various courses including Personality, Cognitive, Aging, and History. Supervision of students in aging and depression practicums. Department of Psychology. University of Santa Clara.

- 1984-1987 Assistant Professor. Various courses including Group and Family Therapy. Supervision of students in family, group, and individual psychotherapy. Department of Psychology. Baylor University.
- 1986-1988 Director of Clinical Training. Director of clinical psychology training program with over 40 graduate students, including interns. Department of Psychology. Baylor University.
- 1988-1993 Associate Professor. Teaching, supervision, and research. Department of Psychology. Baylor University.
- 1991-1992. Director of Clinical Training. Director of clinical psychology training program with over 40 graduate students, including interns. Department of Psychology. Baylor University.
- 1993-1994 Professor. Teaching, supervision, and research. Department of Psychology. Baylor University.
- 1994-present Professor. Teaching, supervision, and research. Department of Psychology. Brigham Young University
- 1998-present Director of Doctoral Program. Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology. Brigham Young University
- 2003 Visiting Scholar – Fuller Theological Seminary
- 2005 Faculty – International Christian Ministries, Kitale, Kenya, Africa.
- 2006 Distinguished Visiting Professor – American University in Cairo

Editor of Special Journal Issues

- Teleology and Cognitive Science. (1987). *Journal of Mind and Behavior*, 8 (2).
- Aristotle: Implications for Psychology. (1990). *Journal of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology*, 10 (1).
- Newton's Legacy for Psychology. (1995). *Journal of Mind and Behavior*, 16 (1).
- Psychology's Fragmentation: Problems and Prospects. (with Stephen Yanchar) (2000). *The Journal of Mind and Behavior*, 21 (3).
- Hedonism: A hidden unity and problematic of psychology. (2000). *General Psychologist*, 35 (3).

- The problematic of integrating psychology and religion. (2006). *Journal of Psychology and Theology*, 34 (3).
- Thinking through positive psychology. (2008). *Theory & Psychology*, 18 (5).
- Reviving William James in a Pluralistic Age: 100-Year Anniversary. (2009). *Journal of Mind and Behavior*, 30 (3).
- Exploring and examining Ken Gergen's "Relational Being." (2011). *Journal of Constructivist Psychology*, 24.
- Naturalism, psychology, and religious experience. (2014). *Pastoral Psychology*, 61 (5).
- Ethics in psychology: Historical and philosophical grounding. (2015). *Journal of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology*, 35 (2).

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- Slife, B. D. (1978). Linear time reliance in psychological theorizing: Negative influence, proposed alternative. *Philosophical Psychology*, 1, 46 - 58.
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- Slife, B. D. (1982). A theoretical critique of the research on televised violence. In J. Rubinstein and B. Slife (Eds.), *Taking sides: Clashing views on controversial psychological issues*, Second Edition, Guilford, Connecticut: Dushkin Publishing Group, Inc. (reprinted in 3rd Edition, 1984).
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Grants

1982 Institute of Aging, University of Santa Clara, \$1200. Grant awarded for: Differential Recall of Clinically Depressed Elderly While Undergoing Therapy.

1982 National Endowment for the Humanities, \$2500. Grant awarded for: Theoretical Foundations of a Humanistic Approach to Family Systems.

- 1983 Scientific Advisory Committee, \$3000. Grant awarded for: Metacognitive Abilities in the Learning Disabled.
- 1984 University Research Committee, \$1500. Grant awarded for: Depression and Metacognition.
- 1986 National Institute of Mental Health, \$26,000. Grant awarded for: Effect of Depression on Group Therapy Processing.
- 1987 Baylor University Research Committee, \$1500. Grant awarded for: Dialectical Cognition and Meaning Recall.
- 1997 Center for Studies of the Family, \$9020. Grant awarded for research on: Centering the Family.
1999. Critical Issues in Psychotherapy: Translating New Ideas into Practice, \$15,000. Grant awarded for conference devoted to this topic.
- 2000-2002 Eliza R. Snow Fellowship, \$17,800. Comparing Secular and Sacred Approaches to Truth in Psychology. Grant awarded to explore different conceptions of truth in psychotherapy.
2001. The College Board (in cooperation with Yale University), \$10,000. Validating the Incremental Validity of Creativity and Practical Subtests. Grant awarded to investigate new approaches to college entrance examinations.
2002. The College Board (in cooperation with Yale University), \$10,000. Validating the Incremental Validity of Creativity and Practical Subtests. Grant awarded to investigate new approaches to college entrance examinations.
2003. Facilitating Critical Thinking Skills in Psychology, \$16,050. Grant awarded to mentor undergraduate and graduate students in critical thinking about the discipline of psychology.
2004. Karl G. Maeser Award, \$3,500. Research and creative arts award.
2005. Eliza R. Snow Fellowship, \$26,000. Grant awarded for study of the interface between religion and psychology.
- 2007 Eliza R. Snow Fellowship, \$17,967. Grant awarded for study of the interface between religion and psychology.
- 2008 - 2009 Religious Community and the Hispanic Paradox: A Theological Model of Why Mexican Immigrants have Better Health than Americans.

\$200,000. With Patrick Steffen. Duke University Center for Spirituality, Theology, and Health.

- 2009 – 2012 Alumni Association Award, \$24,000. Brigham Young University Award for Teaching and Scholarship.
- 2014 – 2018 Richard L. Evans Chair for Religious Understanding. \$45,000 per year for research and course reduction.

Presentations

- Martin, R. C. & Slife, B. D. (1977, May). *The effects of frustration in chronic motivation patterns of humans: A test of the factor-split theory*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Southeastern Psychological Association.
- Slife, B. D. (1978, April). *Idiography and nomothesis: Complementary methodological perspectives in psychology*. Paper presented at the Social and Personality Graduate Student Conference, Nashville.
- Slife, B. D. (1978, May). *The relation of affective assessment to brain lateralization*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Indiana Psychological Association, Indianapolis.
- Slife, B. D. & Rychlak, J. F. (1978, August). *Brain lateralization implications for personality: Affective assessment and recognition*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto.
- Slife, B. D. (1979, September). *Linear time reliance in psychological theorizing: Negative influence, proposed alternative*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, New York.
- Slife, B. D. (1980, April). *The inadequacy of present explanations of meaningfulness*. Paper presented at the meeting of Sigma Xi, The Research Society, West Lafayette, Indiana.
- Slife, B. D., Horton, R. H., & Rychlak, J. F. (1980, September). *A cognitive component of observational learning: A preliminary examination*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Montreal.
- Slife, B. D. (1982, March). *A cognitive-humanistic approach to learning disabilities*. Inservice given to Special Services of the Franklin-McKinley School District.
- Gallagher, D., Slife, B. D., Rose, T., & Okarma, T. (1982, May). *Psychological correlates of immunologic disease in older adults*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Western Psychological Association, Sacramento, California.

- Slife, B. D. & Boggs, G. (1982, September). *An examination of logical vs. chronological relation in explanations of meaningfulness*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D. C.
- Slife, B. D. (1983, January). *Metacognitive teaching strategies for learning disabled children*. Invited address to the Monterey Conference for Reading, Monterey, California.
- Rickards, J. & Slife, B. D. (1983, April). *Dogmatism and dialectical mode of argumentation in text*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Educational Research Association, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- Slife, B. D. (1983, September). *Applications of the dialectic: Theory and research*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Anaheim, California.
- Slife, B. D. (1984, February). *"Effects" of media violence*. Paper presented at a symposium and panel discussion on the issue, Los Angeles, California.
- Slife, B. D. (1984, March). *Metacognitive aspects of problem solving*. Invited address and workshop given to Special Services, San Jose, California.
- Slife, B. D. (1984, March). *Construct validity for metacognition*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Southwest Society for Research in Human Development, Denver, Colorado.
- Slife, B. D., Miuri, S., Shapiro, J. L., Thompson, L., & Gallagher, D. (1984, September). *Recall as a function of mood disorder in clinically depressed elderly: Between and within subject differences*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.
- Slife, B. D. (1985, April). *Depression and metacognitive skill in problem solving*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Southwestern Psychological Association, Austin, Texas.
- Slife, B. D. (1985, August). *Questions posed by teleology for cognitive psychology*. Organized symposium at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California.
- Slife, B. D. (1985, August). *Can cognitive psychology account for the metacognitive functions of mind?* Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California.
- Slife, B. D. & Pitts, B. (1986, January). *Circular causality in family therapy: Problems and prospects*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Houston, Texas.

- Slife, B. D., Froberg, W., Sasscer-Burgos, J., Barron, D., & Ellington, S. (1986, April). *Group therapy processing as a function of depression*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Southwestern Psychological Association, Fort Worth, Texas.
- Slife, B. D. (1986, April). *Psychotherapy*. Chaired session at the meeting of the Southwestern Psychological Association, Fort Worth, Texas.
- Slife, B. D. & Barnard, S. (1986, August). *Existential and cognitive psychology: Contrasting views of consciousness*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D. C.
- Slife, B. D. (1986, August). *Social theory and investigation*. Chaired symposium at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.
- Slife, B. D. (1986, August). *Considerations for social theory and investigations: Discussant commentary*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D. C.
- Harris, J. & Slife, B. D. (1986, November). *The double-bind reconsidered*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Texas Psychological Association, Dallas, TX. (finalist in research competition)
- Slife, B. D. (1987, March). *Interactional group psychotherapy in the contemporary inpatient facility*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Psychological Services of Denver General Hospital, Denver, Colorado.
- Slife, B. D. (1987, March). *Agency in psychotherapy*. Paper presented to the clinical faculty and students of Loyola University of Chicago.
- Moore, S. & Slife, B. D. (1987, April). *The self-awareness process in the effective psychotherapist*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Southwestern Psychological Association, New Orleans, LA.
- Morrison, M. R. & Slife, B. D. (1987, April). *The perils of some eclecticisms as therapeutic orientation*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Southwestern Psychological Association, New Orleans, LA.
- Slife, B. D. (1987, August). *Logic, agency, and intentionality*. Served as Chair and Discussant at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, New York, NY.
- Slife, B. D. (1987, August). *Logic and reductionism: A discussant commentary*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, New York, NY.

- Slife, B. D. (1987, August). *Effect of depression on the processing of group psychotherapy*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, New York, NY.
- Froberg, W. & Slife, B. D. (1987, October). *Managing therapist resistance to interpersonal group therapy*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Canadian Group Psychotherapy Association, Banff, Alberta.
- Froberg, W. & Slife, B. D. (1987, October). *Training psychiatric inpatients to process group interactions*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Canadian Group Psychotherapy Association, Banff, Alberta.
- Knapp, E. & Slife, B. D. (1987, October). *Metacognitive skill and family self awareness*. Paper presented at the annual conference of the American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Chicago, Illinois.
- Stoneman, J. & Slife, B. D. (1988, April). *Theory avoidance in the therapeutic enterprise: From pot roasts to positivism*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Southwestern Psychological Association, Tulsa, OK.
- Slife, B. D. (1988, August). Chaired symposium on *Theoretical and therapeutic implications of time and temporality*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Atlanta, GA.
- Slife, B. D. (1988, August). *Linear time assumptions in family and group psychotherapy: inadequacies and alternatives*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Atlanta, GA.
- Slife, B. D. (1989, March). *Interactional inpatient group psychotherapy*. Paper presented at Napa Valley State Hospital, Napa Valley, California.
- Slife, B. D. (1989, August). Chaired symposium (and provided commentary) on *Modern implications of Aristotle for psychology*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Slife, B. D. (1989, August). *Time as an explanatory vehicle in personality explanation*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Slife, B. D. (1989, November). *Survival and sanity as a special education teacher and administrator*. Keynote Address to the Council on Exceptional Children, Salina, Kansas.
- Slife, B. D. (1990, August). *Newtonian time and psychological explanation*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Boston, Massachusetts.

- Slife, B. D. (1990, August). Chaired symposium on *Philosophical approaches to understanding schizophrenia*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Boston, Massachusetts.
- Slife, B. D. (1990, August). Chaired symposium on *Explanation of cognitive phenomena*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Boston, Massachusetts.
- Slife, B. D. (1991, April). *Present-focused group psychotherapy: In search of a metaphysic*. Invited address at Department of Psychology, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. (1991, August). *Organizations and Journals in Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology: A Tutorial*. Chaired symposium at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, California.
- Slife, B. D. (1991, August). *Psychology's paradigm: Linear time*. Invited address at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, California.
- Slife, B. D. (1991, August). *The influence of temporal assumptions on conceptions of self*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, California.
- Slife, B. D. (1991, August). *Individualism, intimacy, and group psychotherapy*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, California.
- Slife, B. D. (1992, August). *Information and temporality*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D. C.
- Slife, B. D. (1992, August). *Cognition, Memory, and Plato's "Meno."* Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D. C.
- Slife, B. D. (1992, August). *Discussant: Explorations of identity: A round-table*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D. C.
- Slife, B. D. (1993, August). *Developing Theoretical Skills in Psychotherapists*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.
- Slife, B. D. (1993, August). *Rethinking Psychodynamic and Cognitivist Questions*. Chaired paper session at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.

- Slife, B. D. (1993, October). *Family Therapy: Still Trapped by Linear Models*. Paper presented at the meeting of the International Congress of Psychology, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- Slife, B. D. (1993, October). *Logical Learning Theory: From Precedent to Sequacious*. Paper presented at the meeting of the International Congress of Psychology, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- Slife, B. D. (1994, February). *Free will and time: That "stuck" feeling*. Invited address at the Seth Arsenium Lecture Series, Springfield, Massachusetts.
- Slife, B. D. (1994, May). *Central themes of existential psychotherapy*. Paper presented at Baylor University, Waco, Texas.
- Slife, B. D. (1994, May). *Implementing existential psychotherapy*. Paper presented at Baylor University, Waco, Texas.
- Slife, B. D. (1994, August). *Free will, time, and psychotherapy*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California.
- Slife, B. D. (1994, August). Chaired symposium on: *Psychotherapy and free will*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Los Angeles, California.
- Slife, B. D. (1994, November). *Ways of knowing in the social sciences*. Paper presented at the Psychology Forum, Brigham Young University, Provo, UT.
- Slife, B. D. (1995, August). *Atemporality and temporality in language*. Discussant commentary for the "Language in psychology" symposium of the American Psychological Association, New York.
- Slife, B. D. (1995, August). *From visualism to the separated subject*. Discussant commentary for "Psychology for the Other" symposium of the American Psychological Association, New York.
- Slife, B. D. (1996, April). *Should theoretical psychology be recognized as a formal subdiscipline?* Paper presented to the Psychology Forum, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. & Williams, R. N. (1996, August). *Invited address: Should there be a subdiscipline of theoretical psychology?* Address presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

- Slife, B. D. (1996, August). *Problems and perils of eclecticism in psychotherapy: A hermeneutic alternative*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- Slife, B. D., Nebeker, S., & Hope, C. (1996, August). *Modernism, antimodernism, and postmodernism in conceptions of spirituality*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- Slife, B. D. (1996, August). *Critical analysis of burgeoning materialism in psychology*. Chair and discussant commentary. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- Slife, B. D. & Fisher, A. M. (1996, August). *Invited address: Hermeneutic temporality: Reforming the Post-Enlightenment notion of information*. Address presented at the meeting of the International Society for the Study of European Ideas, Utrecht, The Netherlands.
- Slife, B. D. (1996, August). *Four culturally sanctioned "centers" for living*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Western Region of Presbyterian Ministers, Park City, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. (1996, September). *Keynote address: Raising the consciousness of researchers: Hidden assumptions in the behavioral sciences*. Paper presented at the North American Federation of Adapted Physical Activity, Banff, Alberta, Canada.
- Slife, B. D. (1996, September). *Discussant commentary: Considering the assumptions of biological research into adapted physical activities*. Paper presented at the North American Federation of Adapted Physical Activity, Banff, Alberta, Canada.
- Slife, B. D. (1996, September). *Discussant commentary: Considering the assumptions of behavioral research into adapted physical activities*. Paper presented at the North American Federation of Adapted Physical Activity, Banff, Alberta, Canada.
- Slife, B. D. (1996, September). *Discussant commentary: Considering the assumptions of sociocultural research into adapted physical activities*. Paper presented at the North American Federation of Adapted Physical Activity, Banff, Alberta, Canada.
- Slife, B. D. (1997, May). *Modern and postmodern value centers for the family*. Paper presented at a conference entitled "Disenchantment with Modernism: Living in the 21st Century," Provo, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. (1997, August). *The significance of theoretical training for critical thinking*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Chicago, Illinois.

- Slife, B. D. (1997, August). *Are different knowledge communities in psychology incommensurable?* Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Chicago, Illinois.
- Slife, B. D. (1997, November). *Challenging our cherished theoretical and therapeutic assumptions.* Keynote address at the meeting of the Michigan Society for Psychoanalytic Psychology, Oakland University, Rochester, Michigan.
- Slife, B. D. & Fisher, A. (1997, November). *Modern and postmodern approaches to the free will/determinism dilemma in psychology.* Invited address at the meeting of the Michigan Society for Psychoanalytic Psychology, Oakland University, Rochester, Michigan.
- Slife, B. D. (1998, August). *Chair of Relationship Theories Reexamined.* Paper session at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, California.
- Slife, B. D. (1998, October). *Modern and postmodern approaches to the free will/determinism dilemma in psychology.* Invited address to the Philosophers Club of Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. (1998, October). *Psychotherapy outcome: Two views.* Keynote address at the meeting of the Utah Counselors Association, Park City, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. (1998, December). *C. S. Lewis: Drawn by the truth made flesh.* Invited address at the Conference for C. S. Lewis--The Man and His Message, Provo, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. (1999, April). *Some lessons for psychological researchers from the philosophy of science.* Invited address at the meeting of the Southwestern Psychological Association, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- Slife, B. D. (1999, August). *Truth in a foundationless psychology: Ontological hermeneutics.* Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Boston, Massachusetts.
- Slife, B. D. (1999, August). *Chair of the Presidential Address.* Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Boston, Massachusetts.
- Slife, B. D. (1999, October). *Conceptualizing the conference: Critical Issues for psychotherapy.* Invited address at the conference for "Critical Issues in Psychotherapy," Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. & Reber, J. S. (1999, October). *Eclecticism in psychotherapy: Is it really the best substitute for traditional theories?* Paper presented at the conference for "Critical Issues in Psychotherapy," Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah.

- Slife, B. D. & Reber, J. S. (2000, March). *The nature of truth: Implications for applied psychology*. Invited address at the meeting of the Association of Mormon Counselors and Psychotherapists, Salt Lake City, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. & Faulconer, J. (2000, March). *Religion and science: A clash of metaphysics*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Religion and science group, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. (2000, August). *The practice of theoretical psychology*. Invited Presidential address at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington D. C.
- Slife, B. D. (2000, August). *Spirituality and religious faith in a hermeneutic psychology*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington D. C.
- Slife, B. D. (2000, August). *The hidden unity and problematic of psychology: Hedonism*. Chair of the symposium presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington D. C.
- Slife, B. D. (2000, August). *Chair of the session with Charles Guignon: Hermeneutics and psychology*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington D. C.
- Hope, C. & Slife, B. D. (2000, August). *Bridging the gap between science and practice: A qualitative study*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington D. C.
- Gantt, E. & Slife, B. D. (2000, August). *Avoiding God in psychology*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington D. C.
- Slife, B. D. (2000, October). *Managing inescapable values in psychotherapy*. Invited address to the University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA.
- Slife, B. D. (2000, October). *Should traditional scientific methods be used in investigations of spirituality?* Invited presentation to the Division of Evaluation and Research, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Salt Lake City, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. (2000, November). *How can we truly investigate spirituality?* Invited presentation to the Division of Evaluation and Research, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Salt Lake City, Utah.
- Slife, B. D., Hess, J., Williams, D., & Clements, J. (2001, March). *Inescapable values in the social sciences*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Association of the Behavioral and Social Sciences, Las Vegas, Nevada.

- Slife, B. D. (2001, June). *Time, information, and determinism in psychology*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Max Planck Institute, Tegernsee, Germany.
- Slife, B. D. & Hunsaker, M. (2001, August). *The language and limitations of numbers in psychological research*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, California.
- Slife, B. D. (2001, August). *Is the philosophy of mainstream psychotherapy researchers helping or hurting professional practice?* Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, California.
- Slife, B. D. (2001, August). *A dialogue—Religion and psychotherapy: What is at stake?* Invited address at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, California.
- Slife, B. D. (2001, September). *A framework for evaluating therapeutic systems*. Invited address at the meeting of Educational Consultants, Alldredge Academy, West Virginia.
- Whoolery, M., Slife, B. D., & Mitchell, L. Jay. (2002, February). *Creating a theoretical space for theistic therapeutic interventions*. Paper accepted at the meeting of the American Association for the Behavioral and Social Sciences, Las Vegas, Nevada.
- Burchfield, C. & Slife, B. D. (2002, February). *The biologization of psychotherapy: Does the recognition of agency require dualism?* Paper accepted at the meeting of the American Association for the Behavioral and Social Sciences, Las Vegas, Nevada.
- Delton, Y., Stimpson, B., & Slife, B. D. (2002, February). *The business implications of the philosophy of naturalism*. Paper accepted at the meeting of the American Association for the Behavioral and Social Sciences, Las Vegas, Nevada.
- Slife, B. D. (2002, April). *Hook, line, and sinker: Psychology's uncritical acceptance of biological explanation*. A keynote address presented at the meeting of the Rocky Mountain Psychological Association, Park City, Utah.
- Slife, C. M. & Slife, B. D. (2002, April). *Evaluating the genetic hypothesis for racial differences in professional athletics*. A paper presented at the meeting of the Rocky Mountain Psychological Association, Park City, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. & Burchfield, C. (2002, April). *The biologization of psychotherapy: Does the recognition of free will require a dualism?* A paper presented at the meeting of the Rocky Mountain Psychological Association, Park City, Utah.

- Calapp, J., Delton, Y., Stimpson, B., & Slife, B. D. (2002, April). *The assumption of determinism and business practice*. A paper presented at the meeting of the Rocky Mountain Psychological Association, Park City, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. (2002, August). *Time and agency: Rychlak's insight and bridge to the existential and hermeneutic*. Paper to be presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Chicago, Illinois.
- Slife, B. D. (2002, August). *Assessing the progress of psychology: From positive psychology to negative theology*. Discussant paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Chicago, Illinois.
- Baldwin, A.S. & Slife, B. D. (2002, August). *Three silent assumptions in cognitive-behavioral theory and therapy*. Paper to be presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Chicago, Illinois.
- Slife, B. D. (2003, February). *Misconstruing two fathers of psychology: Sigmund Freud and William James*. Paper presented at Fuller Theological Seminary, Pasadena, California.
- Slife, B. D. (2003, February). *Is the content of theology incompatible with the process of the social sciences?* Paper presented at the Integration Symposium, Fuller Theological Seminary, Pasadena, California.
- Slife, B. D. (2003, February). *Comparing the assumptions of quantitative and qualitative methods in psychology*. Invited address at the Graduate School for Child Development and Psychoanalysis. Los Angeles, California.
- Wiggins, B. J., Ellertson, C. J., Hoskins, J. M., Lewis, L. A., & Slife, B. D. (2003, February). *The myth of the value-free psychotherapist: Managing inescapable values*. Paper presented at the American Association of Behavioral and Social Sciences, Las Vegas, Nevada.
- Ellertson, C. J., Hoskins, J. M., Wiggins, B. J., & Slife, B. D. (2003, April). *Inescapable values in psychotherapy: From convergence to conversion*. Paper presented at the Rocky Mountain Psychological Association, Denver, Colorado.
- Slife, B. D. (2003, April). *Truth in a foundationless psychology: Ontological hermeneutics*. Invited address at the Fuller Theological Seminary, Los Angeles, California.
- Slife, B. D. (2003, August). *Taking practice seriously: Toward a relational ontology*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.

- Slife, B. D. (2003, August). *Challenging the conventions of critical thinking in psychology*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.
- Slife, B. D. (2003, August). *Dilemmas of early career faculty in theoretical psychology*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.
- Slife, B. D. (2004, June). *Family values or family idols?* Presented at the Salt Lake Seminary, Salt Lake City, Utah.
- Slife, B. D., Richardson, F. C., & Larcher, M. (2004, August). *The significance of a relational ontology for psychology*. Presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, Hawaii.
- Slife, B. D. (2004, August). *Are the assumptions of social science process compatible with theological content?* Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, Hawaii.
- Richardson, F. & Slife, B. D. (2004, August). *Dilemmas of modern psychology: The limits of liberation*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, Hawaii.
- Slife, B. D. (2004, August). *Discussant for "Real selves and moral agents."* Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, Hawaii.
- Cannon, W. S., Bell, K. L., Lance, C. L., & Slife, B. D. (2005, February). *Reconciling theory and practice in cognitive-behavioral therapy: Albert Bandura and George Kelly*. Paper presented at the American Association of Behavioral and Social Sciences, Las Vegas, Nevada.
- Slife, B. D. (2005, March). *Avoiding an EST monopoly: Toward a pluralism of methods and philosophies*. Invited paper presented at the meeting of the American Group Psychotherapy Association, New York, New York.
- Slife, B. D. & Richard, S. (2005, April). *Toward a theistic approach to psychological method*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Psychology of Religion, Columbus, Maryland.
- Whoolery, M. & Slife, B. D. (2005, June). *Assessing the values of psychological assessment*. Paper presented at the meeting of the International Society for Theoretical Psychology, Johannesburg, South Africa.
- Slife, B. D. (2005, June). *Conflict resolution and beyond*. Lecture presented at the International Christian Ministries, Kitale, Kenya.

- Slife, B. D. (2005, June). *Marriage coaching for healthy churches*. Lecture presented at the International Christian Ministries, Kitale, Kenya.
- Slife, B. D. (2005, August). *Discussant: Value-based visions of the good life – Dialogue with positive psychology*. Paper to be presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.
- Slife, B. D. & Wendt, D. (2005, August). *Philosophy of science considerations in the EST controversy*. Paper to be presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.
- Slife, B. D. (2005, August). *A radically relational approach to psychotherapy*. Paper to be presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.
- Reber, J., Yanchar, S., & Slife, B. D. (2005, September). *Teaching critical thinking by examining psychology's assumptions, implications, and alternatives*. Paper to be presented at the meeting of the Association of Critical Thinking, Atlanta, Georgia.
- Slife, B. D. (2006, March). *Dare we develop a theistic science? The myth of neutrality in psychology's methods*. Invited address to the Conference on the Psychology of Religion, Columbia, Maryland.
- Slife, B. D. (2006, March). *Psychology's Hidden Paradigm and Prejudice: Naturalism*. Paper presented at the American University of Cairo, Cairo, Egypt.
- Slife, B. D. (2006, March). *Naturalistic versus Theistic Approaches to Psychotherapy: A Case History*. Paper presented at the American University of Cairo, Cairo, Egypt.
- Slife, B. D. (2006, March). *The Myth of Neutrality in Psychology's Research Methods: Is Theistic Inquiry Needed?* Paper presented at the American University of Cairo, Cairo, Egypt.
- Slife, B. D. (2006, April). *A Practical Alternative to the EBPP Framework: Objective Methodological Pluralism*. Paper to be presented at the meeting of the Rocky Mountain Psychological Association, Park City, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. (2006, June). *Should Christians support the intelligent design movement?* Paper presented at the Symposium on Intelligent Design, Salt Lake Theological Seminary, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Slife, B. D. (2006, August). *A radical approach to psychotherapy: Radical relationality*. Paper to be presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association convention, New Orleans, LA.

- Slife, B. D., & Wendt, D. (2006, August). *The next step in the evidence-based practice movement: Methodological pluralism*. Paper to be presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association convention, New Orleans, LA.
- Slife, B. D. (2006, October). *Should psychologists consider a theistic approach to the discipline?* Invited address to the Departments of Psychology and Anthropology, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL.
- Slife, B. D. (2007, January). *"Drilling down" in the evidence-based practice controversy*. Paper presented to the staff and interns of Wasatch Mental Health, Provo, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. (2007, February). *A radically relational approach to psychotherapy*. Paper presented to the staff and interns of BYU Counseling Center, Provo, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. (2007, March). *Dare we develop a theistic psychology? The myth of neutrality in psychology's methods*. Invited address at the meeting of the Association of Mormon Counselors and Psychotherapists, Salt Lake City, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. (2007, March). *Problematic ontological underpinnings of individual and community identity*. Paper presented at the meeting of the BYU's Department of Sociology.
- Slife, B. D. (2007, April). *A fresh approach to the issues of therapeutic schools: A relational ontology*. A paper presented at the meeting of the Solacium Group, Greenbrier, Lewisburg, West Virginia.
- Slife, B. D. (2007, June). *Practicing therapeutic care-giving from a Christian understanding of truth*. Invited address at the meeting for care-giving at the Salt Lake Theological Seminary.
- Slife, B. D. (2007, June). *The two ontologies of psychology*. Paper presented at the meeting of the International Society for Theoretical Psychology, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- Slife, B. D. (2007, June). *Strong relationality in the work of John Macmurray*. Paper presented at the meeting of the International Society for Theoretical Psychology, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- Slife, B. D. (2007, August). *Power in human relations*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Slife, B. D. (2008, February). *Taking relationship seriously in therapeutic schools*. Paper presented at the Greenbrier Academy, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

- Slife, B. D. (2008, February). *Triangulation as a tool for understanding stressful interactions*. Paper presented at the Greenbrier Academy, Lewisburg, West Virginia.
- Slife, B. D. (2008, February). *What role, if any, should religion play in theoretical psychology?* Paper presented at the meeting of the Society for Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology, Miami, Florida.
- Slife, B. D. (2008, February). *Experiencing conflict and resolution through dialogue*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Society for Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology, Miami, Florida.
- Slife, B. D., Ostenson, J., & Palmer, N. (2008, March). *Divorce prevention: Popular versus Christian wisdom*. Invited address at the Conference for Family Life, Provo, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. & Wendt, D. (2008, August). *James' pluralism: The future of the natural and social sciences?* Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Boston, MA.
- Slife, B. D., Anderson, T., & Wendt, D. (2008, August). *Truth, truth, and "truth:" A practical philosophy of science approach*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Boston, MA.
- Slife, B. D. (2008, October). *The history and application of the relational model in treating conduct disorder*. Paper presented at the Greenbrier Academy, Lewisburg, West Virginia.
- Slife, B. D. (2008, October). *Triangulation ethic in care-giving*. Paper presented at the Greenbrier Academy, Lewisburg, West Virginia.
- Slife, B. D. & Wendt, D. (2008, November). *Why "theistic psychotherapy" is rarely theistic*. Invited address at the meeting of the Social Work Conference, Provo, Utah.
- Slife, B. D. (2009, May). *Relationality in the Theory and Practice of Therapeutic Schools: Exploring "The Space Between."* Invited Address at the meeting of the International Educational Consultants Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Slife, B. D. (2009, June). *Is there a systematic prejudice against theists in the practice of psychotherapy?* Paper presented at the Wasatch Mental Health Center, Provo, Utah.
- Richardson, M. & Slife, B. D. (2009, July). *Are dominant moral education theories biased against the worldview of many participants in American education?* Paper

- presented at the meeting of the Association for Moral Education. Utrecht, The Netherlands.
- Slife, B. D. (2009, August). *Mixed methods and mixed methodologies*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.
- Reber, J. S. & Slife, B. D. (2010, February). *Is there an implicit bias against theism in psychology?* Paper presented at the meeting of the American Association of Behavioral and Social Scientists, Las Vegas, NV.
- Reber, J. S. & Slife, B. D. (2010, February). *A prospectus on a theistic program of research*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Society for Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology, Miami, FL.
- Slife, B. D. (2010, March). *Religious implications of Western personality theory*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Chinese Conference on the Psychology of Religion, Qufu, China.
- Slife, B. D. (2010, May). *Educational applications of strong relationality*. Paper presented at the meeting of therapeutic boarding schools, Greenbrier Academy, Lewisburg, WV.
- Slife, B. D. (2010, June). *Problems of ontological dualism in psychological science*. Invited address to the Purdue Symposium on the Psychological of Science. West Lafayette, IN.
- Slife, B. D. (2010, July). *Method decisions: The advantages and disadvantages of quantitative and qualitative modes of inquiry*. Invited address at the meeting of the Conference on Chinese Psychology, Fuller Theological Seminary, Pasadena, CA.
- Richardson, F. C. & Slife, B. D. (2010, August). *Critical thinking in social and psychological inquiry*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Diego, CA.
- Slife, B. D. (2010, August). *Is Gergen's "Relational Being" relational enough?* Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Diego, CA.
- Slife, B. D. (2010, August). *Virtue ethics in Action: The Greenbrier Academy*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Diego, CA.
- Slife, B. D. (2010, August). *Chinese psychology: Chair*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Diego, CA.

- Slife, B. D. (2010, September). *Examining the "Slife-Reber hypothesis."* Paper presented at the meeting of the Society for Christian Psychology. Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, KY.
- Slife, B. D. (2011, January). *When God truly matters: Establishing a theistic approach to psychology.* Invited blogger with five different lengthy posts for the Society of Christian Psychologists.
- Slife, B. D. (2011, March). *Conceptualizing religious practice in social science research: Problems and prospects.* Paper presented at the meeting of the Chinese Conference on the Psychology of Religion, Tibet, China.
- Slife, B. D. (2011, April). *Why should Christians care about the development of theistic psychology?* Paper presented at the meeting of the Christian Association of Psychologists, Indianapolis, IN.
- Nelson, J. & Slife, B. D. (2011, July). *The history of qualitative methods in psychology: A philosophy of science perspective.* International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry.
- Slife, B. D. (2011, July). *Toward a relational ontology in psychology of religion.* Invited blogger with five different lengthy posts for the Society of Christian Psychologists.
- Slife, B. D. (2011, August). *Practical wisdom in psychotherapy and religion: Abstractionist versus relational accounts.* Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.
- Slife, B. D. (2011, October). *Including God in the research, theory, and practice of psychology.* Invited address at the conference for Emotional Health and Wellness, Loma Linda, CA.
- Slife, B. D. (2011, October). *Epistemological issues in the psychology of religion.* Paper presented at the conference for Emotional Health and Wellness, Loma Linda, CA.
- Slife, B. D. (2012, February). *Beyond relationality?* Paper presented at the meeting of the Society for Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology, Austin, TX.
- Slife, B. D. (2012, February). *The challenge of epistemological pluralism.* Paper presented at the meeting of the Society for Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology, Austin, TX.
- Slife, B. D. (2012, February). *What (Credible, Viable) Alternatives Are There To Naturalism?* Paper presented at the meeting of the Society for Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology, Austin, TX.

- Slife, B. D., & Zhang, M. (2012, August). *Understanding the disciplinary barriers to a theistic approach to psychology*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Orlando, FL.
- Slife, B. D. (2012, August). *Ontological delusions of predictable and controllable grandeur*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Orlando, FL.
- Hardy, S. A., Slife, B. D., & Reber, J. S. (2012, November). *Is there room for God in moral psychology?* Paper presented at the annual conference of the Association for Moral Education, San Antonio, Texas.
- Slife, B.D. & Starks, S. (2012, November). *Philosophies of social science: Quantitative and qualitative methods*. Consortium for Spiritually Centered Psychology and Education, Provo, Utah.
- Prows, G., Koltko, B., & Slife, B. D. (2013, February). *Psychotherapy and strong relationality: Exploring new dimensions with relationships*. Meeting of the American Association of Behavioral and Social Sciences, Las Vegas, NV.
- Koltko, V., Prows, G., & Slife, B. D. (2013, February). *Case studies in a relational approach to psychotherapy*. Meeting of the American Association of Behavioral and Social Sciences, Las Vegas, NV.
- Slife, B. D., Koltko, V., & Prows, G. (2013, February). *Relational existential psychotherapy*. Invited address to the United States Air Force mental health staff, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio.
- Slife, B. D., Prows, G., & Koltko, V. (2013, February). *The meta-theory of relational existential psychotherapy: Case histories and CBT*. Invited address to the United States Air Force mental health staff, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio.
- Slife, B. D. (2013, August). *How wide are the divides of psychology? A relationist view*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI.
- Slife, B. D. & Fielding, B. (2013, August). *Cartesian dualism and the understanding of religious experience*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI.
- Slife, B. D. (2013, August). *Subject matters: Discussant commentary*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI.

- Slife, B. D. & Johnson, C. (2013, August). *Theoretician at practice: Therapeutic boarding schools, Air Force mental health*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI.
- Slife, B. D. (2013, October). *Method decisions: The philosophies behind quantitative and qualitative research*. Paper presented at the Utah Valley University Business School, Orem, UT.
- Slife, B. D. (2014, March). *An ontological explication of two approaches to suffering*. Paper presented at the Society for Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology, Atlanta, GA.
- Slife, B. D. (2014, August). *Indigenous psychologies and the menace of reductive naturalism*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.
- Slife, B. D. & Fielding, B. (2014, August). *Operationalism and underdetermination: Two widely misunderstood aspects of data interpretation*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.
- Slife, B. D. & Fielding, B. (2014, August). *Unexamined disciplinary assumptions that obstructed psychology's exploration of transcendence*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.
- Slife, B. D. (2015, March). *Exposing problematic manifestations of "abstractionism" in western culture*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Society for Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Starks, S. & Slife, B. D. (2015, March). *Naturalism and purpose in psychology: Considering the implications*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Society for Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Slife, B. D. (2015, April). *Does psychology's naturalism obstruct understanding of religious phenomena in psychotherapy?* Paper presented at the meeting of the Society for psychology of religion, Provo, UT.
- Slife, B. D. (2015, April). *Why Should Christians Care Whether Psychology is Pervasively Naturalistic?* Paper presented at the Christian Association for Psychological Studies, Denver, CO.
- Slife, B. D. (2015, April). *Individualism, dependency, and flourishing*. Invited address at the Christian Association for Psychological Studies, Denver, CO.
- Slife, B. D. (2015, August). *Liberal Individualism: The Generic Worldview of Western Psychotherapists*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.

- Slife, B. D. (2015, August). *Finding Theoretical and Conceptual Coherence Without the DSM-5*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.
- Slife, B. D. (2016, March). *The significance of hermeneutic moral realism*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Society of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology, Salt Lake City.
- Slife, N. M. & Slife, B. D. (2016, March). *Is the field of student affairs dominated with liberal individualism?* Paper presented at the meeting of the Society of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology, Salt Lake City.
- Slife, B. D. (2016, August). *Problematic operationalizations: A piece of the replication puzzle*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Denver, CO.
- Slife, B. D. (2016, August). *The experience and theorizing of love*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Denver, CO.
- Slife, B. D., Ghelfi, E., & Martin, G. (2017, March). *The playing out of the "Western project." What next?* Invited address at the meeting of the Society for Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology, Richmond, VA.
- Slife, B. D. (2017, March). *Critical perspectives for clinical psychology: Community psychology, indigenous knowledge, and meta-research*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Society for Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology, Richmond, VA.
- Slife, B. D. (2017, March). *The dialectic and a theoretical toolbox for students*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Society for Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology, Richmond, VA.
- Ghelfi, E. A., Charbadze, S. L., Martin, G. W., & Slife, B. D. (2017, April). *Toward a Relational Understanding of Human Sex Trafficking*. Poster session presented at the meeting of Rocky Mountain Psychological Association, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Slife, B. D. (2017, May). *The experience of love and the limits of psychological explanation*. Karl G. Maeser Distinguished Lecturer Address, Provo, UT.
- Slife, B. D. (2017, June). *Strong relational psychotherapy: A study of cases*. Paper presented at the Wasatch Mental Health Center, Provo, UT.
- Slife, B. D. & Fox, S. (2017, August). *The Hidden Worldview of Psychotherapy: Liberal Individualism*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.

Slife, B. D., Yanchar, S., Ghelfi, E., & Slife, N. M. (2017, August). *The Practice of Marital Therapy from the Hermeneutic Perspective of Charles Taylor*. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.

Slife, B. D. (2017, October). *The Need for Temporality in Psychology: Manoussakis' "Ethics of Time"*. Paper presented at the Psychology and the Other conference, Boston, MA.

Slife, B. D. (2017, October). *The excluded other in psychological research: The diary of a probing theist*. Paper presented at the Psychology and the Other conference, Boston, MA.

Editorial and Review Activities

Editor-in-Chief, *Journal of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology* (2014 – present)

Board of Editors, *Open Journal of Philosophy* (2012 – present)

Board of Editors, *Qualitative Psychology* (2013 – present)

Board of Editors, *Humanistic Psychologist* (2006 – present)

Advisory Board, *Handbook of Social Research Ethics* (2005 – present)

Board of Editors, *International Journal of Existential Psychology and Psychotherapy* (2004 – present)

Board of Editors, *Journal of Qualitative Research in Psychology* (2002 – present)

Board of Editors, *Methods* (1998 – present)

Associate Editor, *Journal of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology* (1998 – 2014)

Board of Editors, *Behavioral Sciences of Terrorism and Political Aggression* (2007 – present)

Board of Editors, *Journal of Mind and Behavior* (1988 - present).

Editor, *Journal of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology* (1989-1998)

Editorial Committee, *Theory and Psychology* (1990-1994).

Consulting Editor, *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin* (1982-1985).

Ad Hoc Reviewer for Journal of Personality and Social Psychology, Journal of Abnormal Psychology, Journal of Personality, Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin, Contemporary Psychology.

Book Prospectus Reviewer for Allyn & Bacon, Prentice-Hall, Columbia University Press, Oxford University Press, SUNY Press, Sage Publications.

Member of the 1983 Review Committee for the Western Psychological Association Conference.

Member of the 1986 Review Committee for the Southwestern Psychological Association Conference.

Program Chair for the APA Division of Theoretical and Philosophical. Duties included full charge of the program along with editing and reviewing all divisional submissions to the 1987 APA Convention.

Professional and Service Activities

Private Practice (1982 - present). California License PL 7823 (inactive); Texas License Number 2902 (inactive); Utah License (286448-2501) -- practice consisting of family, marital, and group therapy.

Treasurer (1982-1984). Board of Directors of Sunny View Manor and Sunny View West-retirement home and complete care facility for the elderly.

Consultant (1982-1984). Special Services of Franklin-McKinley School District; treatment and system intervention for behavioral and academic difficulties in special education classrooms.

Consultant (1980-present). McGraw-Hill/Dushkin Publishing Group; teaching strategies for users of the Taking Sides book series (now in its 12th edition).

Consultant (1984-1990). DePaul Center for Psychiatry. Workshops and supervision of Baylor students.

Consultant (1986-1991). Samaritan Counseling Center. Supervision of Baylor students.

Consultant (1991- 1995). Freeman Center (for Alcohol and Drug Rehabilitation). Consultation and supervision of Baylor students.

Consultant (1987- 1995). Health Center at Baylor University. Conduct workshops and group therapy.

Member (1985-present). American Psychological Association.

Fellow (1990-present). American Psychological Association.

Executive Committee (1989-present). Division of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology.

Ethics Committee member (1985-1987). McLennan County Psychological Association.

Member (1991-present). International Society for the Study of Time.

Member (1994-present). American Association for Applied and Preventive Psychology

Fellow (1995-present). American Association for Applied and Preventive Psychology

Psychological Counselor and Provisions qualifier(1993-1994). Caritas Food Bank.

Chair of APA Task Force (1995 - present). Investigating the formation of a new subdiscipline of Theoretical Psychology.

President (1999 – 2000). Division of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology.

Chair of APA Fellows Committee (2000 – present). Division of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology.

References

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