

## **James E. Shaw, Ph.D.**

### **Criminal and Civil Court-Certified Expert: Litigation Support and Trial Testimony**

#### **Gangs; S.T.E.P. Act; Youth Violence**

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**Federal Appointment:** Dr. Shaw is on the Faculty of the United States Courts Office of Defender Services Training Branch.

**Superior Court Appointment:** Since 2003, Dr. Shaw has been, and is, a member of the Panel of Experts of the Los Angeles Superior Court, as a Gang expert.

Dr. Shaw has been a member of the Watts Gang Task Force; the West Athens Gang Task Force; the Norwalk Multi-Agency Gang Task Force; and the City of Downey's Gangs Out of Downey (G.O.O.D.) task force.

**Professional School Appointment:** Dr. Shaw is on the Faculty of the California Southern University and teaches doctoral candidates (Psy.D.) in the university's Behavioral Sciences Department.

Dr. Shaw holds the State of California Counseling License No. 030129796.

Dr. Shaw is a sought-after writer and public speaker and, upon request of SAGE Publications (Thousand Oaks, CA) wrote two articles on Parole Guidelines and Parole Readiness, published in SAGE's *Encyclopedia of Community Corrections*.

Dr. Shaw has been a member of the Oversight Committee of the Los Angeles Mayor's Gang Reduction and Youth Development (GRYD).

Dr. Shaw is a graduate of the Los Angeles Police Department's "Community Policing Academy" program, and was one of its Valedictorians.

Dr. Shaw is a regular speaker for the Los Angeles Police Department's Juvenile Impact program, held at Fremont High School.

Dr. Shaw has been a member of the Los Angeles Police Department's "Honor and Strength" program, a joint effort with the U.S. Department of Justice to facilitate the successful and lawful transition, back to their home communities, of some 18,000 ex-offender/parolees expected to be released from the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation state penitentiaries.

Dr. Shaw served as Director of Child Welfare for the Norwalk-La Mirada Unified School

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**District.**

**Dr. Shaw served as Director of the Norwalk Superior Court's Truancy Court during the tenure of former District Attorney Gilbert Garcetti.**

**Dr. Shaw conducted research and taught at the MacLaren Children's Center for abused, neglected and abandoned children.**

**Dr. Shaw served as a member of the Child Death Review Committee of the Los Angeles County Interagency Council Against Abuse and Neglect (I.C.A.N.).**

**For many years Dr. Shaw, through the Los Angeles County Office of Education, was a Consultant-Trainer on "Child Abuse Mandated Reporting Requirements", and trained the county's 81 school districts on mandated reporting materials provided by the State Attorney.**

**Dr. Shaw was asked by FOXNews anchor Megyn Kelly to be a guest on her show to discuss the horrible shooting tragedy, on December 14, 2012, at the Sandy Hook Elementary School. The following internet link, when clicked, will enable viewing of this interview with Dr. Shaw: <http://news.yahoo.com/video/weighing-school-security-wake-newtown-194200496.html>.**

**Dr. Shaw's violence education and prevention curriculum (B.R.A.V.E., or "Be Resilient Avoid Violence Everywhere"), for middle- and high-school, was approved and accepted by the California Department of Education in 2013.**

**Dr. Shaw, as an invited keynote speaker, addressed the audience and media at the Columbine High School memorial ceremony in honor of the slain victims.**

**Dr. Shaw was the keynote speaker at the annual, nationally-renowned St. Mary's Medical Center's Child Abuse Conference, in Walla Walla, Washington.**

**Dr. Shaw has been the keynote speaker for various elected representatives' Gang Summits, including former New York Governor George Pitaki and former Philadelphia Senator Anthony Williams.**

**During his four-year in-person/in-prison research on children who killed, Dr. Shaw coined the term "*adolescentcide*" (the phenomenon of children killing children) used by the media following the Columbine High School and other campus tragedies. He is also the inventor of the term "*gangicide*."**

**Dr. Shaw's book, *Jack and Jill, Why They Kill*, is the result of his 4-year research inside youth prisons, and is used in police academies and universities nationwide.**

**Dr. Shaw is a member of the California State Sheriff's Education Association.**

**Dr. Shaw has been a member the Los Angeles County Sheriff "Youth Leadership Academy."**

**Dr. Shaw, for a number of years, taught the law course, *Administration of Justice: Juvenile Delinquency and Legal Procedures*, at the El Camino Police Academy.**

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**Dr. Shaw is the author of the copyrighted “Homicidally-at-Risk Adolescent Profile,” or H.A.R.A.P., instrument used, in People v. Marcus Adams, by the Law Office of the Los Angeles County Alternate Public Defender.**

**Dr. Shaw is one of the creators and writers of the Los Angeles County “Anti-Truancy Ordinance No. 96-0009,” a public law.**

**Since 2012, Dr. Shaw has been designing courses, on School Safety, for the international “Teachers Pay Teachers” online teacher education website.**

**As a Mandatory Certified Legal Education (MCLE) Trainer, Dr. Shaw conducts accredited continuing education seminars, on Gangs, for lawyers, and in this capacity has served the Law Offices of the Public Defenders of the counties of Los Angeles, Orange, San Bernardino, Riverside, and San Diego.**

**A PARTIAL LIST OF CASES, INCLUDING THOSE INVOLVING JUVENILE AND ADULT GANGS, FOR WHICH DR. SHAW WAS DESIGNATED COURT EXPERT:**

### **FEDERAL**

**United States of America vs. Aguilar, et al.** (Gang Activity: Federal allegations of Hate Crime)[For Attorney James R. Tedford.]

**United States Immigration Court v. Carlos Ayala.** (Gang activity and Street Terrorism: Injunction to deport) [For Attorney Dana Mendelson.]

**United States v. Arceneaux** (Gang-Heist Bank Robbery) [Federal Court case; for Attorney T.E. Warriner.]

**United States of America vs. Eusebio Serra-Medrano.** (Racketeering Influenced and Corrupt Organizations (R.I.C.O.) Act violations) [For Attorney Mark Bennett].

### **MILITARY**

**In re United States Military Academy, West Point.** (the “Del Rey Eleven” case: Assault and GBI/Gang Enhancement/Firearms Violations) [For Captain Jessica Conn, Office of the Staff Judge Advocate.]

**In re United States Navy.** (Court Martial: Gang-related Weapons incident) [For Judge Advocate General Ryan Torgerson.]

### **STATE**

**People v. Andrew Lemus** (“Alondra-13” Gang shooting homicides) [For Attorneys Barrow and Ehrenwein, Torrance.]

**People v. Matthew Turner.** (“Avenues Gang” (Highland Park) shooting homicide on public street) [For Law Office of Arlene Binder.]

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**People v. Bojorquez.** (Gang homicide allegation) [For Attorney Moghan Aghai.]

**People v. Eric Garcia.** (Gang activity allegation) [For Attorney Omar Bakari.]

**People v. Tony Velasquez** (Gang activity allegation) [For Attorney Johnny Lai.]

**People v. Jose Pereira** (Gang activity allegation) [For Attorney Johnny Lai.]

**People v. Yesenia Villareal** (Gang activity allegation) [For Attorney Vincent James Oliver.]

**People v. Eric Solano** (Gang activity allegation) [For Attorney Vince James Oliver.]

**People v. Timothy Acuna** (Gang activity allegation) [For Attorney Johnny Lai.]

**People v. Jose Lopez** (Gang activity allegation) [For Attorney Harry McKee, Los Angeles County Public Defender.]

**People v. Raul Ceja** (Gang activity allegation) [For Attorney Harry McKee.]

**People v. Raul Solis** (Gang activity allegation) [For Attorney Harry McKee.]

**People v. Alejandro Machuca** (Gang activity allegation) [For Attorney Harry McKee.]

**People v. Eric Aguilar** (Gang activity allegation) [For Attorney Johnny Lai.]

**People v. Grays, Reese, and Williams.** (Shooting into Occupied Building/Gang Enhancement) [For Law Office of the Sacramento County Public Defender; Ryan Jay, Esq.]

**People v. Anthony Cuellar.** (Spree of Bank Robberies, Allegedly Ordered by Mexican Mafia (“La Eme”) [For Ruben Garcia, Esq., Law Office of the Los Angeles County Public Defender.]

**People v. Charlotte Woods.** (Gang Allegation) [For Romina Aghai, Esq., Law Office of the Los Angeles County Public Defender.]

**People v. Yovany Pensado** (Robbery & Assault With Deadly Weapon/Gang Allegation) [For Attorney Fred Ricco McCurry, Bar Panel.]

**People v. Nicholas Real.** (Gang Enhancement Allegation) [For Sef Krell, Esq., and Alex Kessel, Esq.] Bar Panel case.

**People v. Jerron Harris.** (Felon Carrying Weapon/Gang Allegation) [For Lucia Gonzalez, Esq., Law Office of the Los Angeles County Public Defender.]

**People v. Gilberto Martinez** (Attempted Murder/Spec Alleg Gang Enhancemt) [For County of Sacramento Office of the Pub Def; David Lynch, Esq.]

**People v. Johnnie Davis.** (Home Invasion/Gang Terrorism) [For Kern County, Bakersfield Public Defender; Mark Raimondo, Esq.]

**People v. Antonio Webster.** (Attempted Murder/Gang Enhancement) [For County of Los Angeles, Office of the Public Defender; Pamela L. Jones, Esq.]

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**People v. Rodrigo Bernal.** (Gang Injunction Violation) [For Elizabeth Hodgen, Esq., Law Office of the Los Angeles County Public Defender.]

**People v. Munoz.** (Weapons Violation/Gang Allegation) [For Jorge Guzman, Esq., Law Office of the Los Angeles County Public Defender.]

**People. V. Gray, Williams & Reese** (Gang & Street Terrorism Allegation) [For Ryan Jay, Esq., County of Sacramento Public Defender.]

**People v. Robert Gaylord** (Gang Injunction Violation) [For Yajahira Martinez, Esq., Law Office of the Los Angeles County Public Defender.]

**People v. Christian Rodriguez** (Murder/Gang Enhancement) [For Denise Bousley, Esq., Law Office of the Los Angeles County Public Defender.]

**People v. Stefan Taylor** (Gang Injunction Violation) [For Elizabeth Hodgen, Esq., Law Office of the Los Angeles County Public Defender.]

**People v. Kenneth Harris** (Gang Injunction Violation) [For Elizabeth Hodgen, Esq., Law Office of the Los Angeles county Public Defender.]

**People v. Rodney Morris** (Gang Injunction Violation) [For Elizabeth Hodgen, Esq., Law Office of the Los Angeles County Public Defender.]

**People v. Luis Pineda.** (Armed robbery/Gang Enhancement) [For Attorney Val Rada, Office of the Los Angeles County Public Defender.]

**People v. Durrell Davon Melchor.** (ADW W/Firearm on Peace Officer) [For Attorney Frank Di Sabatino, Bar Panel.]

**People v. Phillip Masters.** (Assault with deadly weapon/GBI/Gang Enhancement) [For Attorney Dane Cameron, Bar Panel.]

**People v. Jason Pezant.** (Possession of Firearm by Felon/Gang Enhancement) [For Attorney Mark Williams, Bar Panel]

**People v. Delatorre.** (Gang Injunction Violation) [For Ana Elmi, Esq., Law Office of the Los Angeles County Public Defender]

**People v. Charkhian.** (Terrorist threat-to-kill/“Third Strike” Predicate Act for Gang Enhancement; [For Attorney Allison Margolin.]

**In re Alfredo M.** (Street Terrorism/Gang Enhancement) [For Attorney Tracy Tully-Davis.]

**DEATH PENALTY and/or LIFE W/O PAROLE CASES**

**People v. Danny Aguilar** (Gang murder of suspected informant) [For Attorney Antonio J. Bestard.]

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**People v. Antonio Delatorre** (Gang murder) [For Attorney Oscar Bobrow, Contra Costa County, CA.]

**The People of the State of California v. Marcus Adams** (Uzi Assault Triple Murder/Gang Enhancement) [For Attorney Patrick Thomason, Law Offices of the Los Angeles County Alternate Public Defender.]

**People v. Lloyd Earl Jackson.** (Double Murder/Death Penalty Case) [For Randy Short, Esq., Law Office of the Los Angeles County Public Defender.]

**People v. Victor Preciado** (Gang quadruple-murder allegation) [For Attorney James Banks.]

**The People of the State of California v. Jose Cardenas** (Murder/Gang Enhancement) [For Attorney Paul Schultz, Public Defender, San Joaquin County Superior Court.]

**The People of the State of California v. David Robles** (Murder/Gang Enhancement) [For Attorney Katie Murff Trotter.]

**The People of the State of California v. Archie John Rucker** (Murder/Gang Enhancement) [For Attorney Edmont Barrett.]

**The People of the State of California v. Santiago Martinez.** (Double Murder) [For Defender Martinez, acting *In Pro Per.*]

**People of the State of California v. Cesario Vasquez.** (Murder/Gang Allegation) [For Attorney Seymour I. Amster. Bar Panel]

**People v. Roderick Milner** (Murder/Gang Allegation) [For Attorney Stanley Z. White, Bar Panel.]

**People v. Jimmy Hunter.** (Double Murder) [County of Ventura Office of the Public Defender; Joe Villasana, Esq.]

**People v. Gabriel Arceo.** (Triple Murder/Gang Allegation) [For Attorney Charles Patton, Bar Panel.]

**People v. Jamal Payne, Jerry Sorrels, Damon Garrett, & Roderick Jenkins.** (Murder/Gang Allegation) [For John Blanchard, Esq., Bar Panel.]

**People v. Richard Tovalin.** (Attempted Murder/Gang Allegation) [For Attorney Seymour Amster, Bar Panel]

**People of the State of California v. David Mariscal** (Gang-related Murder) [For Attorney Craig Wormley.]

**People of the State of California v. Gonzalez** (Murder/Gang Allegation) [For Attorney Seymour Amster, Bar Panel]

**People v. Quincy Edward Giles.** (Attempted Double Murder/Gang Allegation) [For Attorney Frederick Lacey, Law Offices of the Alternate Public Defender.]

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*People v. William Joseph* (Gang-related Shooting/Attempted Murder) [For County of Los Angeles Office of the Public Defender; Kendi Ravsten, Esq.]

*People of the State of California v. Robert Masiel III*. (Murder/Gang Enhancement) [For Attorney Karen Lockhart.]

*People v. Francisco Orozco*. (Attempted Murder/Gang Allegation) [For Attorney Art Goldberg, Bar Panel.]

## **OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Nationwide Book and Media Tour**, Jodi Solomon Speakers Bureau, Boston, MA. As a result of the research for and publication of my book, *Jack and Jill, Why They Kill*, I appeared repeatedly as guest educator and school safety/youth crime/child abuse expert on NBC's "The Today Show," CBS's "Eye Witness News," "CBS Utah," CNN's "Talk Back With Bobbi Battista," MSNBC's "Live With Mitch Albom," ABC's "Good Morning America," FOX News, "The O'Reilly Factor," and other television and radio media outlets. Delivered keynote addresses at national conferences comprising judges, attorneys, law enforcement personnel, educators, psychologists, sociologists, the clergy, and politicians. At the request of states' elected representatives, I consulted on and assisted in the design of violence education-and-prevention and school safety programs. B.R.A.V.E. ("*Be Resilient Avoid Violence Everywhere*"), my violence education-and-prevention curriculum, was written during this time at the suggestion of a Wasatch County, Utah high school principal. B.R.A.V.E. has been reviewed and cited by the FBI/ATF Philadelphia Regional Office. At the invitation of Littleton, Colorado parents, I delivered one of the keynote addresses at the first annual commemoration ceremony, in Littleton, Colorado, in honor of the slain victims of the Columbine High School massacre. (A copy of my speech is available upon request.) July 2000 to present.

**Assistant Professor**, The Chicago School of Professional Psychology (617 W. 7<sup>th</sup> St., LA 90017). I teach "Mental Health Law," a course that explores landmark legal cases that have shaped the activities and practices of mental health professionals, the civil rights of persons with mental disabilities, and the uses of mental health knowledge within the legal arena. Students are exposed to the legal system, Constitutional law, and case law. Focus is placed on those cases pertaining to expert witness testimony, capital punishment, violence risk assessment, criminal responsibility (insanity), sexual dangerousness, civil commitment, civil and criminal competencies, confidentiality, professional liability, and personal injury.

**Teacher**, Los Padrinos Juvenile Court School, operated by the Los Angeles County Office of Education. Taught high school-level subjects, per State Department of Education curriculum frameworks. Counseled gang members and other incarcerated juveniles on court etiquette, legal language, probation behavioral standards, administration of justice and juvenile delinquency; goals/visions/values; and legal, personal and social responsibility. Served as Los Angeles County's "Dollars for Scholars" board member and fundraiser for scholarship awards to juvenile wards desiring to improve their lives. Served as the Los Angeles County Office of Education and Los Angeles County Probation Department liaison for the LEAPS (Life Excellerator Assessment of Personal Skills) Facilities-Wide Behavior Management Program. Served as vice chairperson of the Los Padrinos Shared Decision Making Council. Served as academic coach in the annual "Academic Bowl" fete. October 2005 to present.

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While studying for CLAD (Cross-cultural Language and Academic Development) certification, and in a nod toward linguist Jim Cummins' "cognitive academic language proficiency" theory of academic success, I coined the phrase, "symptomatically-compromised academic language deficiency" (SCALD), and wrote a paper describing this linguistic phenomenon and cause of school failure among LEP (Limited English Proficient) street gang members. Symptomatically-compromised language deficiency results from everything that is dysfunctional, unhealthy, and legally-encroaching in their lives: e.g., family members incarcerated, witnessing or engaging in violent gang acts, illegal drug use.

**Gang Consultant and Media Expert** for the made-for-television documentary, "Homegirls," produced by Luis Colina and Father Gregory Boyle (The Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Los Angeles and founder of "Homeboy Ministries." Ongoing/in-progress.

**Professor, Master's Degree Program**, the University of Phoenix. Courses: Child and Adolescent Development and Teacher-training courses. July 2003 to present.

**Instructor, Police Sciences Curriculum**, El Camino Police Academy (operated by El Camino Community College), Torrance, CA. Course: *Administration of Justice: Juvenile Delinquency and Legal Procedures*. February 2002 to present.

**Director**, Pupil Personnel Services, Norwalk La Mirada Unified School District (24,000 students – 31 schools.) and Director, Student Attendance Review Board (S.A.R.B.) No. 21, at the Norwalk Superior Court. Prosecuted, for the L.A. County District Attorney, parents and children in violation of school attendance laws. Designed and co-conducted, with Sheriff Dept., "Stop-Crimes-on-Campus" programs: Drug-Dog Sniffing Program; Juvenile Citation-into-Court Program (for gang activity, graffiti-tagging, vandalism, fighting, alcohol possession, profanity, drug possession and use); and specialized gang diversion programs such as G.R.I.P., "Gang Reduction Intervention Program" and the "Gang Awareness Project" (G.A.P.), both of which were coordinated with local law enforcement. July 1999 – July 2000.

**Consultant**, Public School Law, L.A. County Office of Education. Advisor to 81 school districts on L. A. County, state laws pertaining to child welfare and school attendance, student violence, suspensions and expulsions, gang activity/violence and parents' roles and responsibilities. At request of retired Supervisor Deane Dana, I helped to write the L.A. County "Anti-Truancy Ordinance, No 96-0009." September 1996 – June 1999.

**Consultant**, GAIN (Greater Avenues for Independence) Welfare-to-Work Program, L.A. County Office of Education. Supervised four Job Developers and 80 Job Search Specialists in the development of employer requirements, employment preparation, job market surveying, personal skills inventorying, job readiness, and personal responsibility courses; case follow-up and evaluation. September 1995 – September 1996.

**Producer**, Educational Television. Los Angeles County Office of Education. Produced focused programs: gang awareness and education; interviews with the State of CA Superintendent of Schools; curriculum series involving Institutes of Higher Education (IHE's): USC, Claremont Graduate University, and UCLA; and a widely-acclaimed special program I conceived, produced and hosted following the 1992 Los Angeles riot: "Let's Not Experience it Again." January 1991 to September 1995.



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## **EDUCATION**

Dr. James E. Shaw earned his Ph.D. degree (focus: Curriculum) from the **Claremont Graduate University** and received the Phi Delta Kappa (Mt. Baldy Chapter) "Best Dissertation of the Year" award for his pioneering study of a spectrum of children—including gang members—incarcerated in state prisons for murder and homicide. His 4-year in-person/in-prison research of 103 girls and boys was the subject of his doctoral dissertation. (1993 – 1997.)

**The University of Southern California**, Teacher Corps Cycle VII. Two-year graduate studies program focused on Troubled Youth/Gangs. Studies included classes and programs at the Delinquency Prevention Institute. Los Angeles, CA. Master of Science in Education (MSEd) Degree: 1972-1974.

**California State University at Los Angeles**, Los Angeles, CA. B.A. Degree: 1965 -1972.

## **PROPRIETARY PUBLICATIONS and INVOLVEMENT WITH OTHERS**

Ph.D. Dissertation: *Maturity and Choice in Adolescents Incarcerated for Murder and Homicide* (Ann Arbor; University Microfilms; 1997)

*Girl Sinner, Lady Saint: A Diva Redeemed* (novel based on true events, about prison sentence and transformation; Fredericksburg, MD; PublishAmerica Co., 2010)

*Jack & Jill, Why They Kill* (Seattle; Onjinjinkta Publishing Co., 2000)

*Bully-Proofing Your Child* (eBook, published in 2001).

*B.R.A.V.E. (Be Resilient Avoid Violence Everywhere)*. Field-tested (2001-2002, CA) by Downey Unified School District and the Los Angeles County Office of Education's Juvenile Court and Community Schools (JCCS). *B.R.A.V.E.* has been cited by the FBI/ATF Philadelphia Region as an example of "best community practices" for its violence education and prevention curriculum for grades 6 – 12.

In 2013 *B.R.A.V.E.* was accepted and acknowledged by the California Department of Education

*Los Angeles County Anti-Truancy Ordinance* (Public Law No. 96-0009, co-written in 1995, with other educators and lawyers, at request of then-County Supervisor Deane Dana).

*Los Angeles County Master Plan for School Safety* (1998; Co-Editor).

Advisor on the *Los Angeles County Office of Education and California State Department of Education "Classroom Management Guide"* (2000).

Advisor on the *Los Angeles County Office of Education, the Los Angeles County Sheriff Department, and the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors* manual, "Helping Improve Police Practices" (H.I.P.P.). A guide on improving relationships between law enforcement and students, particularly student gang members.

"Prosecutors as Persecutors: Can an Expert Save Justice?" (first published by T.A.B., Technical Assistance Bureau for attorneys).

"Evaluating Your Witness and Witnessing Their Value." Article for National Defender

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Investigator Association's *Eagle Eye* magazine.

"In Loco Parentis: the Hot Stock Du Jour." This article first appeared at HYPERLINK "http://www.Calif-legal.com" [www.Calif-Legal.com](http://www.Calif-Legal.com), and was the subject of my interview with editor Andrew Brownstein of *TRIAL* magazine (published by American Association for Justice, formerly the Association of Trial Lawyers of America).

"Expert Witnesses May Find Schools Hazardous to a Child's Health." Article for Consumer Attorneys of California *Forum* magazine.

"Drop the Fiction of Safe Schools," published by the *Los Angeles Times*.

"The Cruel Arithmetic of Adolescentcide," published by the *Long Beach Press Telegram*.

"Armed School Police Don't Equal Safer Schools," published by the *Los Angeles Times*.

"Kids Killing Kids," the *Boca Raton (FL) Times*.

## **HONORS, PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND ACTIVITIES**

"Certificate of Recognition" from the California State Legislature, for book: *Jack and Jill, Why They Kill*

Letter of gratitude and congratulations from President George W. Bush for book: *Jack and Jill, Why They Kill*.

The Neil Matsumora Scholarship, University of Southern California

The Phi Delta Kappa, Mt. Baldy Chapter, "Best (Doctoral) Dissertation of the Year" Award for four-year in-prison/in-person research on children who killed.

President-Elect of the California Association of Supervisors of Child Welfare and Attendance (CASCWA)

Association of California School Administrators (ACSA)

The California Teachers Association (CTA)

## **CIVIC ASSOCIATIONS**

Board member of G.O.O.D. ("Gangs Out of Downey") Organization. Other G.O.O.D. members with whom I worked include Judge Roy Paul, Judge David Perkins, Judge A. Lord, and Judge Manuel Rodriguez.

Member of the Multi-Agency Task Force on Gangs, Norwalk, CA.

Rotary International District No. 1774

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## **AFFILIATIONS WITH EXPERT WITNESS REFERRAL ORGANIZATIONS**

Technical Advisory Service for Attorneys (T.A.S.A.)  
Technical Assistance Bureau (T.A.B.)  
ExpertWitness.com  
eWitness.com  
California Attorneys for Criminal Justice  
Experts.com  
Forensis Group  
Expert Resources, Inc.  
National Expert Witness Network  
Summit Professional Resources  
Forensic Expert Advisors  
Consolidated Consultants Company  
The Chatham Group  
DJS Associates, Inc.

## **OTHER INFORMATION**

Dr. Shaw began studying the social phenomenon of troubled, bad-ass and criminal youth while a graduate student (1972-1974) in the nationally-acclaimed Urban Teacher Corps VII program at the University of Southern California. His training at USC's Delinquency Prevention Institute led to further gang education training by (1) the Department of Justice (at the L.A. County Office of Education and Inglewood USD "Gang Summit"); (2) the Norwalk Sheriff Department's Multi-Agency Task Force on Gangs; (3) the Los Angeles Sheriff's Youth Leadership Academy; (4) the Gang Awareness Project (GAP); (5) the Gang Risk Intervention Program (GRIP); (6) Juvenile Delinquency Summits conducted by California State Senator Betty Karnette (Long Beach); and (7) professional conferences across the nation hosted by law enforcement agencies and educators.

Dr. James E. Shaw is considered one of the nation's foremost gang, troubled youth, school safety and youth violence experts, and is still a regular guest expert on television and radio (*Good Morning, America*; *NBC Today Show*; *O'Reilly Factor*; *MSNBC Live*; *CBS EyeWitness News*; *ABC News*; *CNN*; and *Associated Press Radio*). He is quoted by a range of publications, from *TRIAL* magazine to the *Los Angeles Times-Washington Post Media Group* to the *Boca Raton Times* to the *Atlanta Journal Constitution* to the *Long Beach Press Telegram* to the *Sacramento Bee Newspaper* to *Seventeen Magazine*. He spent 48 months inside California Youth Authority state youth prisons interviewing and studying 103 girls and boys, among them gang members, incarcerated for committing murder and homicide.

The only researcher in the country allowed to go inside prisons and behind bars to get the life stories of a spectrum of children who killed, Dr. Shaw wrote the landmark, nationally-acclaimed book, *Jack and Jill, Why They Kill*, as a result of his four-year study. Referred to on CNN as the "the smart answer for today's troubled times," *Jack and Jill, Why They Kill* has a wide readership among school administrators, teachers, social workers, attorneys, law enforcement officers, districts attorney, probation officers, members of the clergy, psychologists, medical doctors, judges, colleges and universities, and students themselves. The book is used in colleges and universities nationwide. Dr. Shaw coined the word "adolescenticide," meaning children who kill other children. He has presented gang awareness and school safety programs for the California Attorney General, elected officials, law enforcement associations, and school administrators nationwide.

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**SOME WRITTEN COMMENTS ABOUT Dr. Shaw's *Jack & Jill, Why They Kill***

Reviewer: **The Honorable Lee Baca**, Sheriff, Los Angeles County

"No public safety policy maker can afford to overlook this common sense uncovering of the cause, terror, and nature of this human tragedy."

Reviewer: **The Honorable Nancy D. Daniels**, Referee, Los Angeles Superior Court

"*Jack & Jill, Why They Kill* should be in the maternity packet of expectant and adoptive parents and on the desk of every school teacher, child welfare worker and juvenile court judge."

Reviewer: **The Honorable Pamela Davis**, Judge, Santa Monica Superior Court

"Bravo, Dr. Shaw, for a finely-crafted book that will inspire parents and may yet save the lives of countless children!"

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