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### Bio

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#### BIO

Dr. DiRago is a bilingual (Spanish) licensed clinical psychologist who specializes in diagnostic psychological and neuropsychological evaluations of individuals across the lifespan. In her role as Adjunct Professor, she teaches and supervises fellows in the Stanford Forensic Psychiatry Fellowship Program. She is a member of the Program in Psychiatry and the Law.

#### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Academic Staff - Hourly - CSL, Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences

#### ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

- Co-Director, Assessment Clinic, Palo Alto University, (2016-2018)

#### BOARDS, ADVISORY COMMITTEES, PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Co-Chair of Forensics Committee, Santa Clara County Psychological Association (2018 - 2019)
- Chair of Forensic Assessment/Neuropsychology Subcommittee, Santa Clara County Psychological Association. (2018 - 2019)

#### PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- Ph.D., University of Minnesota - Twin Cities , Clinical Psychology
- M.A., University of Minnesota - Twin Cities , Psychology
- Sc.B., Brown University , Psychology

#### LINKS

- LinkedIn Profile: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/anadiragophd/>
- Forensic Psychiatry Fellowship: <https://med.stanford.edu/psychiatry/education/forensic.html>
- Personal Site: <https://www.diragoassessment.com/>

### Publications

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#### PUBLICATIONS

- **Inconvenient Truths Profiling and Its Limitations** *SAFE PASSAGE: A GUIDE FOR ADDRESSING SCHOOL VIOLENCE*  
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- **Resilience in inner city youth: Childhood predictors of occupational status across the lifespan** *JOURNAL OF YOUTH AND ADOLESCENCE*  
DiRago, A. C., Vaillant, G. E.  
2007; 36 (1): 61-70
- **Satisfaction with retirement in men's lives** *Annual Review of Gerontology and Geriatrics: The Crown of Life: Dynamics of the Early Post-Retirement Period*  
Vaillant, G. E., DiRago, A. C., Wink, P.  
edited by James, J.  
NY: Springer.2007
- **Natural history of male psychological health, XV: Retirement satisfaction** *AMERICAN JOURNAL OF PSYCHIATRY*  
Vaillant, G. E., DiRago, A. C., Mukamal, K.  
2006; 163 (4): 682-688