

# **Dorian Traube**

**Associate Professor of Social Work at USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work**  
Los Angeles, CA, US

Dr. Traube focuses on early child development, home visitation, and telehealth solutions for families with young children.

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## **Biography**

DORIAN TRAUBE is an associate professor in the Suzanne Dworak Peck School of Social Work. She developed Parents as Teachers @ USC Telehealth, the first partnership of its kind between a national home visitation model and a university based telehealth clinic. In doing this she also established the first virtual home visitation program, offering an entire home visitation model with fidelity via video conferencing technology. This program was chosen as a Named Commitment by the Clinton Global Initiative and was selected as the winner of the Gary Community Investment/OpenIDEO Early Childhood Innovations Prize. In three years, the program offered over 1000 home visits and trained 25 home visitors in virtual service delivery strategies. This research laid the foundation for a \$1.2 million effort, funded by Heising Simons, to make virtual home visitation available nationally during the COVID 19 crisis. Her research agenda focuses on the utilization of technological solutions to provide early childhood health, education, and parent support services. She has expertise in children's mental health, child maltreatment prevention, family support interventions, and home visitation. Her research has been funded by the National Institutes of Health, the Parsons Foundation, Queenscare Foundation, and the Overdeck Foundation. Dr. Traube sits on the board of directors of Child 360 and the California Emerging Technology Fund. Dr. Traube received her doctorate and master's degree in social work from Columbia University, and is a licensed clinical social worker in California and New York. To reference the work of Dorian Traube online, we ask that you directly quote her work where possible and attribute it to "Dorian Traube, a faculty at the USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work? (LINK: <https://dworakpeck.usc.edu>)

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## **Industry Expertise**

Telecommunications, Public Policy, Education/Learning, Social Services, Research

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## **Areas of Expertise**

Parent Education, Telehealth, Children's Mental Health, Infant Mental Health, Home Visitation, Child Welfare

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## **Affiliations**

USC Center for the Changing Family

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## **Education**

**Columbia University**  
Ph. D.

**Columbia University**  
M. S. S. W.

**University of California, Berkeley**  
B. A.

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## **Accomplishments**

### **Champion of the Children Award, Drew Child Development Corporation**

Dorian Traube received the Champion of the Children Award from Drew Child Development Corporation.

**Mellon Mentoring Award for Faculty Mentoring Graduate Students, University of Southern California  
2012**

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