

Dr. Steven Schlozman

Before coming to UVM, Steve was an associate professor of psychiatry, pediatrics, and medical education at Dartmouth Medical School where he served as the director of pediatric psychiatry consult-liaison service and associate course director of the MS2 course in psychiatry and the psychiatry clerkship. Prior to Dartmouth, Steve was at Harvard Medical School where he was a faculty member in Health, Sciences and Technology program run jointly by the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Harvard. He was also the director of medical student education in psychiatry at Harvard and the associate director of the Clay Center for Young Healthy Minds at Massachusetts General Hospital, where he practiced child and general psychiatry.

Steve majored in English and biology at Stanford University, and after teaching high school English and science, he attended Dartmouth and Brown University Medical Schools, where he received his M.D. in 1994. He is also a novelist and short story writer. George Romero optioned Dr. Schlozman's first novel, *The Zombie Autopsies*, for film and *The Zombie Autopsies* has also been used to create curricular offerings in neuroscience and as the substrate for a virtual reality mini-series. Dr. Schlozman's second novel, *Smoke Above Treeline*, was a finalist in the North Street Book Prize competition and a semi-finalist in the Screencraft novel competition.

Dr. Schlozman served on the faculty at the Harvard Graduate School of Education where he created a course to better educate future teachers about psychiatric illnesses. He left the School of Education to become co-director of medical student education in psychiatry at Harvard Medical School. Dr. Schlozman also served as the Associate Director of Training at the MGH/McLean Child Psychiatry Fellowship, and he was a member of the Executive Committee for Teaching and Learning at the American Psychiatric Association and the Executive Leadership Committee for the American Association of Residency Training Programs in Psychiatry. He has received national awards for his medical school teaching, and he currently serves as the psychiatry course director at the Harvard Medical School/MIT combined program in Health, Science and Technology. This is a smaller medical school under the direction of both universities that accepts only 30 students per year who plan careers in medicine as well as research and medical informatics.

At the undergraduate level, Schlozman taught a course on horror films and creative writing at Harvard University. He has authored more than 50 academic publications, often focusing on the relationship of the humanities, media, and popular culture to the ways that psychiatry and psychiatric illnesses are perceived by the medical community and the general population. He has helped to design video games that teach adolescents about neurobiology, and he has collaborated at Kings College, London to assess attitudes regarding psychiatry among medical educators. He has written articles for *Psychology Today*, *The New York Times Sunday Magazine*, *Newsweek*, and *The Guardian*. His first non-fiction book, *Film and Health*, was published by the Emerald Publishing Group in November, and he is co-editor for the Cambridge University Press *Textbook of Psychiatry for Medical Students*.