

Dr. Sharyn Salsberg Ezrin, Psychologist (retired)
Registered Psychologist (C. Psych.) 1982
Ph.D. Carleton University 1978

Retired organizational psychologist and coach with over 30 years' experience in the public and private sectors; a community leader and an award winning professional, teacher, author and media commentator.

Dr. Sharyn Salsberg Ezrin had a private practice for individual clients or groups wanting to plan change in their work or life. Clients came to Sharyn for guidance on career and life planning at a work or personal crossroads. Her book, ***Living Through Transitions: Harnessing your courage at a personal crossroads*** (2008, 2nd Edition), offers a unique framework for anyone experiencing planned and unplanned transitions. Details about her book are available on her website, www.transitionstory.com

Current role: Independent Philanthropy Professional

Self-Employment periods in Canada: 1986 to 1992 and 1994 to June 2009

Previous work within organizations:

2001-2007	<i>DBM Canada:</i> on-site career transition consulting for public, not-for-profit & private sector clients.
1996-2007	<i>The Niagara Institute:</i> roles included feedback coach, executive coach & facilitator
1992-1994	<i>TD Bank:</i> Human Resources Consultant and Manager, Quality Improvement
1986	<i>Goldfarb Corporation:</i> Consultant
1982-1986	<i>Price Waterhouse Management Consulting:</i> Management Consultant

Awards

2001	<i>Ontario Psychological Association's</i> Public Education Award for 2001 for leadership in bringing mental health issues to the forefront in Toronto
1990	<i>School of Continuing Studies University of Toronto,</i> Excellence in Teaching Award

Volunteer and community involvement:

Over the past 20 years, Sharyn has devoted significant attention to community involvement and leadership.

2011 ongoing	Volunteer, Buddy's Glee Club, Baycrest Community Day Program
2008-2011	Royal Conservatory of Music, Campaign Cabinet
2006-2013	Holy Blossom Temple (Toronto), Lay Cantor
2004-2010	Director, The Ontario Trillium Foundation
1999 ongoing	Trustee Chair of the J.B. and Dora Salsberg Fund, Jewish Foundation of Toronto
1997-2003	Director, Board of Jewish Family and Child Services (two terms)
1994-2001	Director, Lester B. Pearson College of the Pacific, United World Colleges (two terms)
1996-2000	Mezzo Soprano, The Toronto Mendelssohn Choir
1991-1999	Trustee, Hospital for Sick Children

Sharyn has been regularly quoted in Canada's leading business and national media. Her articles on a wide range of topics have appeared in among others *Financial Post*, *The Toronto Star*, *Canadian Business* and *Psychologist of Ontario*.