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# Neuroplasticity and Neurological Disorders

*Effective Therapeutic Strategies for Dementia, Parkinson's Disease, Acquired Brain Injury, and Chronic Headaches*

★★★★☆ **4.7 Instructor Avg Rating**

**Presented by Peter Levine, RA, BA, PTA, AAS**

### About Peter Levine, RA, BA, PTA, AAS

Peter Levine is a researcher, author, clinician and science communicator, dedicated to finding and reporting on the best systems for driving post-brain injury cortical plasticity. Mr. Levine is a consultant at the B.R.A.I.N. Lab at The Ohio State University, a premier center for treatment of motor deficits caused by neurological disabilities. He has been involved in brain injury-specific rehabilitation research since the late 1990s, is the co-developer of modified constraint-induced therapy (mCIT), and is a former Research Associate at both the Department of Rehabilitation Sciences, University of Cincinnati Academic Medical Center, and the Human Performance & Motion Analysis Laboratory at Kessler Rehabilitation Research and Education Corporation, the research arm of the Kessler Institute for Rehabilitation.

Mr. Levine has co-authored more than 60 articles and abstracts published in peer-reviewed journals including Stroke, the American Journal of Occupational Therapy, Neurorehabilitation and Neural Repair, Physical Therapy, Archives of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, and Topics in Stroke Rehabilitation. Mr. Levine is the author of the best-selling book Stronger After Stroke, beloved by stroke and TBI survivors alike for its easily understandable and scientifically accurate information on how to achieve optimal recovery. He has produced and presented training workshops and seminars nationally and internationally on rehabilitation and neuroplasticity. He received his degree in communication from George Mason University and his degree as a physical therapist assistant from Union County College.

### Who Should Attend This Course

- Physical Therapists
- Physical Therapist Assistants
- Occupational Therapists
- Occupational Therapy Assistants

### Dates/Locations

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- Provide clinical strategies to leverage positive brain plasticity to rewrite for recovery
- Hands-on active labs for spasticity, headache treatment, and progressing repetitive practice to drive beneficial brain plasticity post brain injury
- Immediately engage treatments and strategies to decrease negative brain plasticity inherent in neuropathologies
- Practical, common sense tools to educate patients, caregivers and fellow clinicians to decrease the "dark side of brain plasticity" - pathology-driven disassembly of neural networks
- Effective, evidence-based intervention treatments that can be used clinically to leverage brain plasticity to improve outcomes
- Strategies to reduce spasticity by restoring executive control by the brain over spastic muscles

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Lafayette, LA 70508  
(337) 233-8120

**Baton Rouge, LA**  
March 06, 2019  
Hampton Inn & Suites Baton Rouge  
I-10 East  
11271 Reiger Road  
Baton Rouge, LA 70809  
(225) 751-4600

**New Orleans, LA**  
March 07, 2019  
Ramada Metairie New Orleans Airport  
3400 South I-10 Service Rd W  
Metairie, LA 70001  
(504) 322-1284

**Biloxi, MS**  
March 08, 2019  
IP Casino Resort  
850 Bayview Ave  
Biloxi, MS 39530  
(228) 436-3000

**Hattiesburg, MS**  
March 19, 2019  
Thad Cochran Center at USM  
121 Ray Guy Way  
Hattiesburg, MS 39406  
(601) 266-4399

**Jackson, MS**  
March 20, 2019  
Regency Hotel and Conference  
Center  
400 Greymont Street  
Jackson, MS 39202  
(601) 969-2141

**Monroe, LA**  
March 21, 2019  
Hampton Inn West Monroe  
601 Mane St  
West Monroe, LA 71292  
(318) 938-2800

**Shreveport, LA**  
March 22, 2019  
Holiday Inn Shreveport Downtown  
102 Lake Street  
Shreveport, LA 71101  
(318) 222-7717

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## Effective Therapeutic Strategies for Dementia, Parkinson's Disease, Acquired Brain Injury, and Chronic Headaches

This course provides a commonsense perspective of the immediate and long-lasting effects brain diseases have on the human brain. Presented are new resources, research, and ideas to leverage brain plasticity with the aim to reverse brain damage, and promote recovery. Included will be a discussion of the tools, and techniques therapists have to ameliorate pain, and reduce or halt potential brain damage caused by Parkinson's, Alzheimer's, Acquired Brain Injury (incl. TBI and stroke), phantom limb pain, spasticity and headache. These populations, cumulatively, represent over 10 million diagnoses per year—in the U.S. alone.”

Participants of this one-day interactive course will have global insight as to the profound plastic nature of the human brain, and plasticity's effect on both amplifying as well as ameliorating these diseases and their sequelae. The brain is command and control of every one of the trillions of cells in the human body. Most clinicians have a little training that provides insight into this wondrous organ. The aim of this course is to equip clinicians with tools, strategies, and treatments to work in tandem with the patient's brain to reduce pain and increase function. At the core of these treatment options is the melding of bleeding edge neuroscience with clinical practice.

## Learning Objectives

1. Describe the effect of neuroplasticity on a micro (neuron, synapse, glial cell), and macro (CNS) scale.
2. Evaluate how the basic “rules of neuroplasticity” can be used to treat any neuro patient.
3. Summarize the theory supporting cortical plasticity as a substrate for neuropathology and recovery.
4. Implement brain focused treatments for each discussed neuropathology.
5. Identify what is and what is not clinically effective for spasticity reduction.
6. Accurately and quickly measure spasticity of any muscle group.

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## Course Outline

- I. Neuroplasticity 101: Neuroplasticity Made Simple**
- » Neuroplasticity demystified
  - » How neuroplastic is the human brain?
  - » Rules for driving neuroplastic change
  - » Technologies for measuring neuroplastic change
  - » Simple clinical measurement of neuroplastic change

Hands-On Lab

- II. Direct Implications of Neuroplasticity on Pathologies of the Central Nervous System**
- » Alzheimer's disease
  - » Parkinson's
  - » Chronic headaches
  - » Acquired brain Injury

- III. How Neuroplasticity Magnifies Pathologies Outside the Central Nervous System**
- » Phantom limb pain
  - » Spasticity
  - » Spasticity measurement

Hands-On Lab

- IV. Treatments and Strategies to Leverage Brain-Plasticity for Dementia, Parkinson's Disease, and Chronic Headaches**
- » General treatments and strategies to help brain healing using neuroplasticity across all pathologies
  - » Specific brain plasticity strategies and treatment options for each pathology
  - » Alzheimer's disease
  - » Parkinson's
  - » Chronic headaches
  - » Neck exercises to reduce headache duration/frequency

Hands-On Lab

- V. Treatments and Strategies to Leverage Brain-Plasticity to Reduce Any Unilateral Pain Syndrome, Spasticity**
- » Phantom limb pain
  - » Complex regional pain syndrome
  - » Additional pain issues
  - » Spasticity

- VI. Treatments and Strategies to Leverage Brain-Plasticity for Recovery of Acquired Brain Injury**
- » Neuroplasticity for recovery from brain injury
  - » Breaking down task-specific training

Hands-On Lab

## Course Schedule

7:30am - Registration & Coffee  
8:00am - Workshop Begins  
11:30am - 12:30pm - Lunch On Your Own  
3:30pm - Workshop Adjourns

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Your instructor will break for 15 minutes in the morning and afternoon at appropriate times.

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This event contains intermediate level content.

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### WORKSHOP HANDBOOK

Included with your registration you will receive a comprehensive manual compiled by the instructor.

### DISCLOSURES

**FINANCIAL:** Peter Levine is compensated by Summit as an instructor and receives royalties as the author of Stronger After Stroke.  
**NONFINANCIAL:** Peter Levine is the co-developer of modified constraint-induced therapy (mCIT) and is a co-publisher of more than 60 peer-reviewed journal articles on various topics related to stroke recovery.

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