
KINSEY TRUTH COALITION

Kinsey, Unsanitized

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Among the many reasons to question not only Bill Condon's Hollywood version of *Kinsey* but also the entire sexual revolution that Kinsey spawned, four stand out:

- 1. Kinsey's "science" was fraudulent and in some cases criminal.**
- 2. Children were sexually molested for the data that Kinsey gathered.**
- 3. An entire sex education industry grew out of Kinsey's deceptive data.**
- 4. The Kinsey-engineered Model Penal Code resulted in reducing penalties for sex offenses, such as rape and molestation, thus putting women and children at increased risk.**

Note: Many of the points listed below are drawn from Judith A. Reisman, Ph.D. and Edward W. Eichel, *Kinsey, Sex and Fraud: The Indoctrination of a People* (Lafayette, Louisiana: Lochinvar/Huntington House, 1990); *Alfred C. Kinsey: A Public/Private Life*, by James H. Jones (W.W. Norton & Company, 1997); Judith Reisman, Ph.D., *Kinsey: Crimes & Consequences* (Crestwood, Kentucky, Institute for Media Education, 2000); and the Yorkshire Television Channel 4 (London) documentary, *Kinsey's Paedophiles* (1998).

Kinsey's Fraudulent Science

Alfred Kinsey's *Sexual Behavior in the Human Male* (1948) and *Sexual Behavior in the Human Female* (1953) revolutionized the study of sex, and provided a "scientific" justification for sexual promiscuity, pornography, abortion, homosexuality and "child sexuality." But upon closer scrutiny, Kinsey's work was a thinly disguised attempt to misuse science to justify his own prolific sexual appetites and practices, which included group sex, homosexual sadomasochism, voyeurism, wife-swapping and his support for the idea of adult-child sex.

Here are some of the problems with Kinsey's research.

Kinsey:

- fabricated some of his findings by misrepresenting the source. For instance, Kinsey wrote that nine pedophiles provided data on child sexuality, while his colleagues later insisted that it was largely the work of one man, a pedophile named Rex King. "In a letter that combined flattery and praise, Kinsey wrote [to Mr. X], "I congratulate you on the research spirit which has lead [sic] you to collect data over these many years." – Jones, p. 508
- included in his male sample large numbers of convicted criminals – as much as 25 percent of the group – and portrayed them as average American men. "In fact, he had devoted much of his time to interviewing members of the underclass, including drug addicts, alcoholics, prostitutes, pimps, gamblers and the like." – Jones, p. 429 "At the Indiana State [prison] Farm we had no plan of sampling—we simply sought out sex offenders and, after a time, avoided the more common types of offense (e.g. statutory rape) and directed our efforts toward the rarer types." – Gebhard, et al, *Sex Offenders* (New York: Bantam Books, 1965, pp. 31-33).
- reclassified as "married" all women who lived with a man for a year or more, including prostitutes who lived with pimps. He did this because he could not find enough married women who wanted to discuss their sex lives with him and his researchers. – Kinsey, *Female*, p. 53
- excluded large numbers of minority women from his female sample, thus skewing the results. – Reisman, *Kinsey: Crimes & Consequences*, p. 117
- "forced" results out of interviewees by threatening to end the session if they didn't tell him what he wanted to hear. This worked particularly well on inmates, who did not want to return to their cells. – Kinsey, *Male*, p. 55

- concocted the famous “Kinsey Scale” ranking sexual preference on a 0 to 6 continuum, with heterosexuality scoring at 0, and homosexuality at 6—before he did his research. Kinsey said that large numbers of American males were bisexual (like him) and that 37 percent of males had some “some overt homosexual experience” after adolescence.¹ – Kinsey, *Male*, pp. 650-651
- inspired the false 10 percent estimate of homosexuality by writing that 10 percent of men engaged in homosexuality for up to three years following adolescence. – Kinsey, *Male*, pp. 650-651
- corresponded with a Nazi SS officer, Fritz von Balluseck, who was convicted of a child sex murder following World War II, and who molested hundreds of children and sent the data to Kinsey, who encouraged him to send more. – Reisman, *Kinsey: Crimes & Consequences*, p. 165
- covered up for sex criminals. In one case, the Kinsey team refused to cooperate with police who were investigating one of their subjects for a child sex murder. – Reisman, *Kinsey, Sex and Fraud*, p. 53
- testified to state legislatures that rape and sexual molestation didn’t harm victims as much as previously thought, thus penalties should be reduced for sex offenders. In state after state, penalties were dropped. – Reisman, *Kinsey: Crimes & Consequences*, p. 213

Children Harmed

- Kinsey collected data on the molestation of hundreds of children, most of them males. His associates encouraged the molesters to send them detailed accounts of what were described as “orgasms.” In his chapter on “early sexual activity” in *Sexual Behavior in the Human Male*, Kinsey recorded the data in chart tables 31 through 34. In Table 34, one of the more shocking “findings” is 26 “orgasms” observed in a 4-year-old boy within a 24-hour period. This meant the child was molested around the clock, in the name of “science.” – Kinsey, *Male*, p. 180
- “By the time Dickinson brought him [Mr. X—a federal government employee who used his extensive business travels to prey on children] to Kinsey’s attention, wrote Pomeroy, ‘This man had had homosexual relations with 600 preadolescent males, heterosexual relations with 200 preadolescent females, intercourse with countless adults of both sexes, with animals of many species....’” – Jones, p. 507
- “If we had turned him (Mr. X) in it would have been the end of our research project [on male sexuality].” – Kinsey research associate Paul Gebhard in *Kinsey’s Paedophiles*
- “A less neutral observer than Kinsey would have described these events as sex crimes, since they involved sexual contact between adults and children.” – John Gagnon, *Human Sexualities*, Scott Foresman & Co., Glenview, Illinois, 1977, p. 84. Gagnon was a Kinsey research associate.
- “In a letter that combined flattery and praise, Kinsey wrote [to Mr. X], ‘I congratulate you on the research spirit which has lead [sic] you to collect data over these many years.’” – Jones, p. 508
- “Even the youngest males, as young as 5 months of age, are capable of such repeated reactions. Typical cases are shown in Table 34. The maximum observed was 26 climaxes in 24 hours....” – Kinsey, *Male*, p. 180
- Kinsey described children’s “orgasms” in graphic detail: “the legs often become rigid, with muscles knotted and toes pointed. ...eyes staring or tightly closed, hands grasping, mouth distorted, sometimes with tongue protruding....” Other individuals had orgasms “culminating in extreme trembling, collapse, loss of color, and sometimes fainting....” Some boys suffered “excruciating pain and may scream if movement is continued....” Members of this latter group, Kinsey noted, “will fight away from the partner and may make violent attempts to avoid climax, although they derive definite pleasure from the situation.” – Kinsey, *Male*, p. 161
- “From Kinsey’s perspective, child molestation, like other sexual taboos, violated morals, but the actual harm it inflicted was all in people’s minds. If society did not make a big deal of it, the children would not be harmed.” – Jones, pp. 752-753
- According to another friend, Kinsey believed that the public did not realize the social benefit of the pedophile.” – Jones, p. 753
- “It is difficult to understand why a child, except for its cultural conditioning, should be disturbed at having its genitalia touched, or disturbed at seeing the genitalia of other persons, or disturbed at even more specific sexual contacts.” – Kinsey, *Female*, p. 121

Kinsey's Influence on Sex Education

- 1964: Alfred Kinsey's successors at Indiana University's Kinsey Institute began the Sex Information and Education Council of the United States (SIECUS).
- John Gagnon (a Kinsey research associate) serves as a research sociologist at the Kinsey Institute for 15 years before joining SIECUS' ranks.
- Wardell Pomeroy was one of Kinsey's closest associates before helping to found SIECUS and serving as its director.
 - Pomeroy served on the Board of Consultants for *Penthouse Forum Variations* and wrote an article titled "A New Look at Incest" for a 1977 issue of *Penthouse*. In the article, Pomeroy wrote: "Incest can be a satisfying, non-threatening and even an enriching emotional experience."ⁱⁱ
- Mary Calderone, medical director of Planned Parenthood and SIECUS's first president, wrote that human sexuality should be taught "with awareness of infant and childhood sexuality."ⁱⁱⁱ And she wrote, "It is not that [pedophilia] is a bad thing or a wicked thing, it just simply should not be part of life in general, right out on the sidewalk."^{iv} (The SIECUS library is named for Mary Calderone.)
- In 1980 SIECUS published a report titled "Attacking the Last Taboo," which stated, "We are roughly in the same position today regarding incest as we were a hundred years ago with respect to our fears of masturbation."
 - Apparently, "Attacking the Last Taboo" was so blatant that an article in the April 14, 1980, issue of *Time* magazine concluded that SIECUS was part of a "lobby against the [incest] taboo."^v
- On its Web site, SIECUS boasts of its wide-ranging influence in sex education:

SIECUS works to make sure that information, knowledge, and skills are within everybody's reach. Each year, SIECUS distributes hundreds of thousands of print and electronic resources to educators, advocates, parents, researchers, physicians, and others working to expand sexual health programs, policies, and understanding. SIECUS also offers specialized assistance to help individuals locate research, write accurate news articles, create sexual health curriculum, and build support for high quality programs in their community.

- "Modern psychologists agree that human beings are sexual from birth until death and that no latency period exists."^{vi} (Based on Kinsey's "research.")
- Following are direct quotations from SIECUS' "Guidelines for Comprehensive Sexuality Education":^{vii}
 - *Both girls and boys have body parts that feel good when touched.* (For ages 5 – 8)
 - *Touching and rubbing one's own genitals to feel good is called masturbation.* (For ages 5 – 8)
 - *Homosexuals are also known as gay men and lesbian women.* (For ages 5 – 8)
 - *A woman faced with an unintended pregnancy can carry the pregnancy to term and raise the baby, place the baby for adoption, or have an abortion to end the pregnancy.* (For ages 9 – 12)
 - *Sexual relationships can be more fulfilling in a loving relationship.* (For ages 12 – 15)
 - *Talking to one's partner about using contraception is important.* (For ages 12 – 15)

Kinsey's Effects on Sex Laws

- Conclusions are based on data from 30 states, focusing on six states: Missouri, Kentucky, New Jersey, Kansas, Minnesota and Georgia. For example, in Missouri revisionists redefined rape as 11 different crimes yielding more than 11 different adjudication issues and sentences. - Judith A. Reisman, "ALEC Exposes Kinsey's Role in Sabotaging American Law"^{viii}
 - Rapist(s) can now plea-bargain for a substantially lesser offense (e.g., sexual misconduct or simple assault).
 - In other cases, offenders simply pay a misdemeanor fine, avoiding the "sex crime" stigma.
 - Like all states, to make these changes, Missouri relied on the Kinsey-based 1955 Model Penal Code

- Other states' Law Journals cite the Kinsey Report data to: (Reisman, *Alec*)
 - Legalize prostitution (Maine, 1976)
 - Trivialize boy prostitution (Duke University, 1960)
 - Lighten all sex crime penalties (Ohio, 1959)
 - Express “beneficent concern for pedophiles” (Georgia, 1969)
 - Aid molesters as children seduce men (Missouri, 1973, Tennessee, 1965)
 - Reject judicial "condemnation of sex offenders" (Pennsylvania, 1952)
 - Assert that 95% of males are sex offenders (Oregon, 1972)
 - Reduce, eliminate most sex crime laws, including rape (Oklahoma, 1970)
 - Legalize homosexuality (South Dakota, 1968)
 - Legalize sodomy if 10%-37% of males have been homosexual (most journals)

Kinsey: Not a Well Man

- “She [Kinsey’s daughter] would sit on the toilet seat, and he [Kinsey] would stand naked before the mirror, making up ‘silly-song rhymes’ to entertain her while he shaved.” – Jones, p. 261
- “Kinsey also discovered that the urethra [the canal that carries urine from the bladder to the outside of the body] was, for him, an erogenous zone, and over time he teased and plied it with various instruments, culminating in the use of a toothbrush.” – Review of *Alfred C. Kinsey: A Public/Private Life* by Martin Duberman, *The Nation*, November 3, 1997)
- “Kinsey climbed into a bathtub, unfolded the blade of his pocketknife, and circumcised himself without benefit of anesthesia...” – Jones, p. 610
- “Skillfully, he [Kinsey] tied a strong, tight knot around his scrotum with one end of the rope dangling from the pipe overhead. The other end he wrapped around his hand. Then he climbed up on a chair and jumped off, suspending himself in midair.” – Jones, p. 739



Would you trust this man to teach your kids?

Alfred C. Kinsey, the “Father” of the “Sexual Revolution”—and of modern sex education—was not an emotionally well man. Don’t accept Bill Condon’s and Liam Neeson’s version of Kinsey without learning for yourself more about the man and his legacy.

ⁱ Vern Bullough, "The Kinsey Scale in Historical Perspective," In *Homosexuality/Heterosexuality: Concepts of Sexual Orientation*. David P. McWhirter, Stephanie A. Sanders, June Machover Reinisch (Eds), Part 1, Chapter 1, pg. 3. Oxford University Press: New York/Oxford, 1990.

"[T]he scale was not developed after research was done but either before the research was undertaken or by the time the first 60 interviews were completed (Pomeroy, 1986*). Pomeroy, Wardell (1986). [Interview with Vern Bullough]

ⁱⁱ Judith A. Reisman & Edward W. Eichel, *Kinsey, Sex And Fraud: The Indoctrination of a People* (Lafayette, Louisiana: Huntington House, 1990) p. 112.

ⁱⁱⁱ Reisman & Eichel, p. 112.

^{iv} "Pedophilia Steps Into the Daylight," *Citizen* magazine, Vol. 6, No. 11, Nov. 16, 1992, pp. 6-8.

^v *Time*, April 14, 1980.

^{vi} "Responding To Arguments Against Comprehensive Sexuality Education," SIECUS Web site, <http://www.siecus.org/advocacy/kits0005.html>

^{vii} "Guidelines for Comprehensive Sexuality Education, 2nd edition," <http://www.siecus.org/pubs/guidelines/guidelines.pdf>

^{viii} <http://www.cwfa.org/articledisplay.asp?id=6119&department=CWA&categoryid=family>