Summary

The poster outlines the activities of psychiatrists commissioned by the CIA to conduct mind control experiments. It provides an overview of the book 'The CIA Doctors' which outlines four possible sources of dissociative disorders and highlights how deeper insights into these realities could benefit society in solving some of the most disturbing cases.

Background

Ross (2000) published 'Bluebird: Deliberate Creation of Multiple Personalities By Psychiatrists' and republished the book in 2006 under the title 'The CIA Doctors - Human Rights Violations By American Psychiatrists'. It outlines Cold War project BLUEBIRD, ARTICHOKE, MKULTRA and MKSEARCH as well as other mind control experimentation programs.

Project MKUltra was first brought to public attention in 1975 by the Church Committee of the United States Congress and Gerald Ford’s United States President’s Commission on CIA activities within the United States. Investigative efforts were hampered by the fact that CIA Director Richard Helms ordered all MKUltra files to be destroyed in 1973. In 1977, a Freedom of Information Act request uncovered a cache of 20,000 documents relating to project MKUltra which led to Senate hearings later that year.

On the internet numerous accounts of self-identified survivors of mind control experimentation can be found. Many psychiatrists, psychologist and therapists encounter accounts of trauma-based mind control and frequently struggle to comprehend, diagnose and heal such experiences. Finally the training of assassins and terrorists appears to be linked to trauma.

Method

This paper outlines the research of Ross concerning mind control experiments and compares it with ‘wicked cases’ and disclosures of those affected by secret organisations.

The CIA Doctors

Ross (2000, 2006) provides an overview as well as detailed chapters on main actors such as Dr Louis Jolyon West, Dr Ewen Cameron (the first president of the American Psychiatric Association) and Dr Martin Orne (who heavily promoted the False Memories narrative).

Seven detailed case histories are provided. The Candy Jones account shows what grooming’ by secret organisations looks like, whereas the chapter on Mark David Chapman, who assassinated John Lennon, states, “During 1980, Chapman put himself in trance while sitting naked listening to Beatles songs on headphones. He did this in a ritualistic manner and called upon Satan for power to kill Lennon.”

Conclusions

This book and other publications, such as the 4hr documentary ‘The Minds of Men’ by Aaron and Melissa Dykes, point towards widespread perpetration of mind control experimentation: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LoUeESRFPSg

Ross concludes that dissociative identity disorders may arise as:

1) A response to severe, chronic childhood abuse
2) A response to severe, chronic child neglect
3) A factitious disorder that is self-created
4) Iatrogenic created by a doctor or therapist

Such deep insights could be helpfully deployed in tricky situations where extreme abuse is alleged (Kurz, 2017), in routine mental health practice and in the investigation of violent public ‘lone gunman’ or ‘terrorist’ attacks.

Survivor and artist Lynn Schirmer remarks, ‘Clandestine research into thought manipulation has not stopped, despite CIA protestations that it no longer sponsors such studies.’

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4jJebz5dsA8

What other organisations are harming citizens ostensibly in the interests of national security?

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