

## CURRICULUM VITAE

**Deborah Kay Buckingham, OTR, CVE, CCM, CRC**  
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### Education

M.S.	1986	Rehabilitation Services Administration University of North Texas Denton, Texas
B.S.	1979	Occupational Therapy Texas Woman's University Denton, Texas

### Dissertation

N/A

### Professional Certification/Licensure

Licensed Occupational Therapist, State of Texas, #100270  
Registered Occupational Therapist, #AA371328  
Certified Rehabilitation Counselor, #00057712  
Certified Case Manager, #00057712  
Certified Vocational Evaluator, #00057712

### Employment

2006-Present, Assistant Clinical Professor, School of Occupational Therapy, Texas Woman's University

1997-Present, Rehabilitation Consultant, Case Manager, Private Practice

1991-97, Occupational Therapist III, Vocational Specialist, and ADA Consultant, Baylor University Medical Center/Baylor Institute for Rehabilitation, Dallas, Texas

1993, Independent Case Manager, (Part time-Private Practice)

1988, 1991, 1998, 2004, Adjunct Faculty, Mentor, Texas Woman's University, Dallas/Denton, Texas

1990-91, Director of Occupational Therapy, Harris Methodist Hospital, Fort Worth, Texas

1984-90, Clinical Manager of Vocational Services, Dallas Rehabilitation Institute, Occupational Therapy Department, Dallas, Texas

1981-84, Clinical Instructor and Staff Therapist, Saint Joseph Hospital, Fort Worth, Texas

1980-81, Staff Therapist, High Plains Baptist Hospital, Amarillo, Texas

1979-80, Staff Therapist, Bexar County Hospital, San Antonio, Texas

1979, Staff Therapist, Warm Springs Rehabilitation Hospital, Gonzales, Texas

## TEACHING

### **Courses Taught at TWU**

#### **Graduate**

OT 5551 - Advanced Occupational Therapy Process (Fall, 2010)  
OT 5732 – Use of Specific Tools in Practice (Fall, 2010)  
OT 5561 – Occupational Adaptation Contexts of Adolescence to Middle Adulthood (Fall, 2010)  
OT 5022 – Systematic Inquiry in Occupational Therapy II (Fall, 2010)  
OT 5832 – Practice Tools, Ergonomics (Summer, 2010)  
OT 5012 – Systematic Inquiry in Occupational Therapy I (Spring, 2010)  
OT 5761 – Occupational Contexts of Middle and Late Adulthood (Spring, 2010)  
OT 5332 – Ways of Doing (Spring, 2010)  
OT 5032 – Systematic Inquiry in Occupational Therapy III (Fall, 2009)  
OT 5561 – Occupational Adaptation Contexts of Adolescence to Middle Adulthood (Fall, 2009)  
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OT 5551 – Advanced Occupational Therapy Process (Fall, 2006)

#### **Doctoral Dissertations**

#### **Master's Theses**

#### **Master's Professional Papers/Projects**

*Ergonomic Projects (chair)*

Morgan, Anna & Speer, Aaron (2009) The ABC's of Ergonomics for Educators.

Hobson, Courtney, Gonzalez, Courtney & Smoot, Laurie (2009) Computer Ergonomics in a School Setting.

*Assistive Technology Projects (chair)*

Hurley, Kristine & Pace, Holland (in process) Driving Evaluation Simulator: Critical Appraisal of Evidence.

Armato, Courtney, Chen, Annie & Myers, Abigail (2009) Local Clinicians Use of Assistive Technology in Adaptive Driving and Computer Access.

De La Cruz, Alyssa, Kuhlo, Maureen & Hill, Maria (2008) Assistive Technology Use in Adult Clinical Settings.

Epperson, Christina, & Wallace, Sara (2008) Assistive Technology in Transportation, Computer Use, and Work Transition.

*Pre-vocational Training Project (chair)*

Allen, Brianna, Kieffer, Rachelle, & Sanders, Crystal (in process) Life Skills Training: Assessing Priorities and Expanding Curriculum.

*MOT projects (committee member)*

Smith, Emily (2007) Universal Design to Increase Usability of Multifamily Housing.

Grandinetti, Cory (2007) Universal Design.

Young, Alesha (2007) Universal Design: Advocating for Advocacy.

Koeing, Pam (2007) Distinguishing between Universal Design and Assistive Technology.

Flores-Clemmons (2007) Universal Design.

SCHOLARSHIP/CREATIVE ACHIEVEMENTS

**Refereed Publications or Other Creative Achievements**

**Non-Refereed Publications or Other Creative Achievements**

Buckingham, D (2009), Expanding your practice with ergonomics consulting. Therapy Insider, Summer, 5-6.

**Presentations at Professional Meetings**

Trinity North Occupational Therapy Association, District Meeting, Dallas, Texas, October 19, 2010, "Assistive Technology: From Basic Concepts to Local Resources".

American Occupational Therapy Association, Annual Conference, Orlando, Florida, April 30, 2010, "Expanding Your Occupational Therapy Skills through Case Management & Rehabilitation Consulting Services".

Texas Occupational Therapy Association, Annual Conference, Austin, Texas, November 23, 2008, "Occupational Therapists as Case Managers and Rehabilitation Consultants".

TARPPS Fall Seminar, Plano, Texas, October 27, 2006, "Practical Ergonomics in the Office and Industrial Work Setting".

DFW Case Management Society of America, 15th Annual Conference, Plano, Texas, March 24, 2006, "Practical Ergonomics".

Vanderkooi Annual Endowed Lectureship, TWU Dallas Campus, February 15, 2004, "Administrative Strategies: to Meet Current and Future Challenges".

### **Honors/Awards**

Outstanding Alumna of the Year, Department of Rehabilitation, Social Work and Addictions, University of North Texas, 2003

Outstanding Individual Professional Member, International Association of Rehabilitation Professional in the Private Sector, 2000

Certificate of Appreciation, Texas Occupational Therapy Association, 1988

Outstanding Graduate Student in Rehabilitation, 1986

### **Fellowships**

### **Grants**

### **Scholarly Works in Progress**

### **Other Research and Creative Achievements**

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

### **Service Activities for the Component, College, University**

Student Occupational Therapy Association Faculty Advisor (Fall, 2009 – Present)

Additional Duty Safety Officer, Presbyterian Campus School of Occupational Therapy (2007 - Present)

MOT Curriculum Revision Committee (Elected as a representative, Fall, 2010)

ACOTE Self Study Committee (Member, 2008-December, 2010)

OT Director Search Committee (Member, Spring-Summer, 2010)

Ad Hoc Fieldwork I Committee (Chair, Fall 2009 – Spring, 2010)

MOT Curriculum Committee (Member, 2007- Summer 2009)

Vanderkooi Continuing Education Committee, School Of Occupational Therapy, (Member, 2006- 2008)

Learning Environment Committee (Member, 2007)

### **Service to the Profession**

Member, American Occupational Therapy Association

Member, Texas Occupational Therapy Association

Member, National Rehabilitation Association

### **Service to the Community**

Guest Presentations for University of North Texas (UNT) Kinesiology Class, Denton, Texas, Jeanette Malone instructor, April 27, 2009 & April 21, 2010 “Introduction to Occupational Therapy”.

Guest Presentation in conjunction with mentored work students Anna Morgan & Aaron Speer for classroom instructors at Lakehill Preparatory School, Dallas, Texas, November 17, 2009 “The ABC’s of Ergonomics for Educators”

Guest Presentation in conjunction with mentored work students Courtney Armato, Annie Chen & Abigail Myers for therapy staff at HealthSouth Rehabilitation Hospital, Arlington, Texas. October 20, 2009 “Local Clinicians use of Assistive Technology in Adaptive Driving and Computer Access”

Guest Presentations for Lakehill Preparatory School, Dallas, Texas April 15 & 19, 2009; January 28 & 29, 2008 “Ergonomics”

Volunteer “Rebuilding Together” in Dallas, Texas, November 10, 2007

Guest Presentation for Clinical Staff in the Day Neuro Treatment Program at Baylor Institute for Rehabilitation, Dallas, Texas, April 24, 2007, “Overview of Vocational Issues”

Guest Lecture for University of North Texas (UNT) Case Management Introductory Course, Dallas Campus, Valerie Armstrong, instructor, March 6, 2006, “Vocational Case Management: An Overview”

Guest Lecture for UNT Introductory Case Management Course, Dallas Campus, Valerie Armstrong instructor, March 6, 2005, “Job Analysis/Ergonomic Analysis”

Guest Lecture for TWU OT Class, Dallas Campus, Marsha-Neville Smith, instructor, November 17, 2004, “Case Management & Rehabilitation Consulting”

Guest Presentation for staff at the National Athletic Trainers Offices in Dallas, Texas, October 14, 2004, “Ergonomics & Injury Prevention”

Guest Presentation for Clinical Staff of Highpoint Rehabilitation, Arlington, Texas, September 16, 2004, "Texas Worker's Compensation Overview"

Guest Presentation for Risk Managers/Invited Representatives of various North Texas Companies at Square D - Schneider Electric Company, Coppell, Texas, January 27, 2004, "Reducing Workers Compensation Costs with Effective Injury Prevention & Intervention"

OTHER

**Significant Professional Development Activities**

Commissioner, (2001-2006) Commission for Certification of Work Adjustment and Vocational Evaluation Specialists (completed 5 year term 2006)