

CURRICULUM VITAE

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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, #000270
Registered Occupational Therapist, #371328
Certified Rehabilitation Counselor, #00057712
Certified Case Manager, #24737
Certified Vocational Evaluator, #01663

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 5832 – Practice Tools, Ergonomics (Summer, 2008)

OT 5332 – Ways of Doing (Spring, 2008)

OT 5012 – Systematic Inquiry in Occupational Therapy I (Spring, 2008)

OT 5761 – Occupational Contexts of Middle and Late Adulthood (Spring, 2008)

OT 5561 – Occupational Adaptation Contexts of Adolescence to Middle Adulthood (Fall, 2007)

OT 5732 – Use of Specific Tools in Practice (Fall, 2007)

OT 5551 – Advanced Occupational Therapy Process (Fall, 2007)

OT 5032 – Systematic Inquiry in Occupational Therapy III (Fall, 2007)

OT 5832 – Practice Tools, Ergonomics (Summer, 2007)

OT 5022 – Systematic Inquiry in Occupational Therapy II (Summer, 2007)

OT 5332 – Ways of Doing (Spring, 2007)

OT 5012 – Systematic Inquiry in Occupational Therapy I (Spring, 2007)

OT 5761 – Fieldwork I: Occupational Contexts of Middle and Late Adulthood (Spring, 2007)

OT 5732 – Use of Specific Tools in Practice (Fall, 2006)

OT 5551 – Advanced Occupational Therapy Process (Fall, 2006)

Doctoral Dissertations

Master's Professional Projects

De La Cruz, Alyssa "Assistive Technology Use in Adult Clinical Settings"; in progress (chair)

Gonzalez, Yessica "Computer Ergonomics in a School Setting"; in progress (chair)

Hill, Maria; "Assistive Technology Use in Adult Clinical Settings"; in progress (chair)

Hobson, Courtney "Computer Ergonomics in a School Setting"; in progress (chair)

Kuhlo, Maureen “Assistive Technology Use in Adult Clinical Settings”; in progress (chair)

Smoots, Lori “Computer Ergonomics in a School Setting”; in progress (chair)

Epperson, Christina “Assistive Technology in Transportation, Computer Use, and Work Transition”; 2008 (chair)

Wallace, Sara “Assistive Technology in Transportation, Computer Use, and Work Transition”; 2008 (chair)

Smith, Emily “Universal Design to Increase Usability of Multifamily Housing”; 2007 (committee member)

Grandinetti, Cory “Universal Design”; 2007 (committee member)

Young, Alesha “Universal Design: Advocating for Advocacy”; 2007 (committee member)

Koeing, Pam “Distinguishing between Universal Design and Assistive Technology”; 2007 (committee member)

Flores-Clemmons “Universal Design”; 2007 (committee member)

SCHOLARSHIP/CREATIVE ACHIEVEMENTS

Refereed Publications or Other Creative Achievements

Non-Refereed Publications or Other Creative Achievements

Presented 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”.

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

Presented for Clinical Staff of Highpoint Rehabilitation, Arlington, Texas, September 16, 2004, “Texas Worker’s Compensation Overview”.

Presented 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".

Presented for Clinical Staff of Baylor Center for Pain Management, Dallas, Texas, July 16, 2003, "Overview of the Social Security Disability Process".

Presented for Clinical Staff of Highpoint Rehabilitation, Arlington, Texas, March 14, 2002, "Case Management and Vocational Services"

Presented for Production Staff of Square D - Schnieder Electric Company, Coppell, Texas, September 5, 2000, "Safety & Injury Prevention".

Presentations at Professional Meetings

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

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

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

Vanderkooi Annual Endowed Lectureship, TWU Dallas Campus, February 1, 2002, "Life Care Planning 101: An Overview".

IARPPS National Conference, Miami, Florida, May 17, 2001, "A Day in the Life of a Case Manager".

Arthritis Foundation's Conference for Consumers and Professionals, Dallas, Texas, November 6, 1998, "Posture and Productivity: Are They Related?"

Occupational Therapy Mountain Central Conference, Dallas, Texas, September 13, 1993, "Innovative Stroke Rehabilitation Strategies: A Transdisciplinary Approach".

SMU- ADA Conference, Dallas, Texas, January 26, 1993, "ADA "Reasonable" Accommodations".

Achieving Disability Awareness Workshop, Dallas, Texas, October 15, 1991, "Job Analysis: The Foundation of Accurate Job Descriptions"; "Environmental Assessment"; and "Vocational Testing, Training and Transition".

Honors/Awards

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

Outstanding Individual Professional Member, IARP, 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

MOT Curriculum Committee (Member 2007-Present)

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

Learning Environment Committee (Member 2007-Present)

Hazardous Communication/Safety Representative, Presbyterian Campus School of Occupational Therapy (2007)

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

Service to the Profession

Member, International Association of Rehabilitation Professionals

Member, Academy of Certified Case Managers

Member, American Occupational Therapy Association

Member, Texas Occupational Therapy Association

Service to the Community

Volunteer "Rebuilding Together" in Dallas, Texas, November 10, 2007

Guest Presentations for Lakehill Preparatory School, January 28 & 29, 2008
"Ergonomics"

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OTHER

Significant Professional Development Activities

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