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## **OBJECTIVE**

I am a licensed clinical therapist, sexuality educator and clinical supervisor. I have experience counseling in a community, private and clinical settings both nationally and internationally. My experience at various social service agencies, universities, hospitals/treatment facilities has allowed me to build knowledge of physical, emotional, and psycho-social needs of various underrepresented communities.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

## September 2023 – present

Professor Vacataire • Université Jean Moulin Lyon 3

- Creating and reviewing the curriculum for Law classes on the topics of law and sexual violence, US and English law
- Teaching classes for students in Faculté de Droit
- Teaching classes for License (Bachelor) levels

#### August 2021 - present

Assistant Professor, Our Lady of the Lake University

- Creating and reviewing the curriculum for the semester
- Course redesign of Bachelor, Master, and PhD classes in need of updating or redesigning on various LMS systems
- Grading and evaluating students
- Preparing students for national exams (LSW and LCSW)
- Teaching asynchronous and synchronous classes for Bachelor and Master level students for approximately
- Course load each semester varies between 4-5 classes
- Conducting collaborations with other university/department faculty

#### January 2021 – present

Adjunct Faculty • Virginia Commonwealth University

- Creating and reviewing the curriculum for the semester
- Teaching asynchronous and synchronous classes for Master level students on various LMS systems
- Course loach each semester varies between 2-3 classes
  - Master class size: 25-50

## August 2012 - May 2013

Teaching Assistant, Widener University in Psychology, Social Work and Criminal Justice Department

- Taught in-person undergraduate courses within the 3 departments, averaging 50 students per semester
- Developed quizzes, exams, written papers and homework
- Revised the syllabus to meet accreditation standards

## **EDUCATION**

# The Pennsylvania State University

August 2006 – August 2009 Bachelor of Science- Women Studies

## Temple University

08/2010 - 05/2012 Master of Social Work

## **Widener University**

08/2012- 12/2014

Master of Education- Human
Sexuality

# **Widener University**

08/2018 - 08/2020 PhD- Human Sexuality

## TREATMENT MODALITIES

- MOTIVATIONAL INTERVIEWING
- TRAUMA FOCUSED
   COGNITIVE BEHAVIORAL
   THERAPY (TF-CBT)
- COGNITIVE BEHAVIORAL THERAPY (CBT)
- COGNITIVE BEHAVIORAL THERAPY FOR DEPRESSION (CBT-D)

Coordinated grading and teaching with assigned instructor

#### August 2012 - May 2013

Teaching Assistant, Kean University in Psychology Department

- Taught PSY05310: Foundations of Human Sexuality, an undergraduate course averaging 120 students per semester
- Developed guizzes, exams, written papers and homework
- Revised the syllabus to meet accreditation standards
- Coordinated grading and teaching with Instructor

# **CLINICAL EXPERIENCE**

#### February 2021 - present

Welcoming WELLBeing LLC

Private Practice Owner & Therapist • US, France

#### March 2018 - January 2021

Multisystemic Therapist • Center for Family Services • Camden, NJ Outpatient Therapist • Center for Family Services • Voorhees, NJ

#### August 2017 - September 2020

Sexual Health Adviser & Trainer • National Health Service • UK Teaching & training professionals to implement sexuality curriculum in schools, community centers and various allied organizations across the U.K and the E.U.

#### September 2019 - July 2020

Crisis Specialist • Legacy Treatment Services • Burlington, NJ Conducting psychiatric assessment and mental health care planning to individuals experiencing a mental health crisis

## December 2013 - August 2017

Functional Family Therapist • Intercultural Family Services • Philadelphia Provide intensive family treatment FFT model comprising three distinct phases of therapy delivered over 3-4 months

# July 2012 - August 2015

Community Health Educator • GALAEI • Philadelphia, PA Implement age appropriate, evidence-based sexuality and reproduction education in group, classroom, and clinical settings to students across 25 schools in the Philadelphia school district

#### August 2011 - July 2012

Child Therapist • Congreso de Latinos Unidos • Philadelphia, PA

## August 2010 - July 2011

Medical Social Worker • Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital • Burlington, NJ

## PRESENTATIONS & PUBLICATIONS

DialogoGlobal – Barcelona, Spain (July 2016)

Progressive Connexions – Prague, March 2019

International Conference on Gender and Sexual Orientation Diversity in Children and Adolescents – London, UK (October 2020)

2020 ICGSD: International Conference on Gender and Sexual Diversity – Bangkok, December 2020

- FUNCTIONAL FAMILY THERAPY (FFT)
- MULTISYSTEMIC FAMILY THERAPY (MST)
- DIALECTICAL BEHAVIORAL THERAPY (PART 1 & PART 2)
- PROLONGED EXPOSURE THERAPY (PE)
- EMDR

# LANGUAGES SPOKEN

- FRENCH
- HAITIAN CREOLE
- ENGLISH

Cross-National Perspectives on Social Work in the Time of COVID-19 – Bangalore, India (March 2021) International Conference on Gender Studies & Sexuality – Amsterdam,

International Conference on Gender Studies & Sexuality – Amsterdam Netherlands (November 2021)

## **Keynote Speaker**

- ✓ Cross-Cultural Sexual Encounters & Sexual Migration Dublin, Ireland (July 2022)
- ✓ Social Work Distance Education Conference 2023 San Antonio, TX Social Work or New Age Imperialism

**CSWE APM 2022:** Raising Awareness about Human Trafficking: A University Partnership (November 2022)

SWDE Conference 2023 - Out with the Old, In with the New

**ProQuest**- August 2020: The Experiences of Afro/Black Caribbean American Women Navigating Sexual Pleasure and Their Bicultural Identity as A Result of Immigration

## **LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS**

PA Social Work License SW 136635

NJ Social Work License: 44SL06607100

NJ Licensed Clinical Social Worker: 44SC06059700

NJ Clinical Supervisor- April 2022

CPR/First Aid: November 2021 - November 2023

# REFERENCES

[Available upon request.]