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Education:

08/07-08/2013	Ph.D.- Rehabilitation Counselor Education, University of Iowa
1997-2000	M.A. - Rehabilitation Administration and Programming Services-
1997-2001	Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, Illinois
1999-Present	Certified Alcohol and Substance Abuse Counselor, IAODAPCA
1991-1997	B.S. -Administration of Justice, Minor: African American Studies

Grants/Honors/Awards/Organizations

08/2013	Rehabilitation Capacity Building Project (RCBP) Scholarship (RSA),U.S. Department of Education: NIDRR FIP Grant Writing and Advanced Statistical Analysis Workshop.
08/2011	Rehabilitation Counseling Services (RSA) Graduate Scholars Grant
03/2011-04/2011	Committee on Rehabilitation Counselor Certification
06-2011	Summer Graduate Fellowship
03/2010-Presently	Doctoral Scholar, Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Ethics- (IDARE)
08/09-5/10	Diversity Scholarship
10/2009	Chi Sigma Iota Honor Society-Induction
04/2009	Women's Leadership Diversity Scholarship (Conference Fee)
08/09-08/07	Diversity Scholarship
08/97-08/99	Rehabilitation Supervision Training Scholarship

Presentations

- 05/2012 TACE Region IV-Southeastern Webinar Series
Traumatic Brain Injury: Coping with Grief and Loss
Development of Webinar and Presentation
- 03/2012 Self-Employment Training
Veteran Affairs-Vocational Rehabilitation and Evaluation
Des Moines, IA 50309
- 02/2012 Lecture Series –Substance Abuse Treatment-Program
Development, Management and Ethics, South Carolina State
University
- 10/2011 Lecturer- Medical Aspects
Substance Abuse, University of Iowa
- 07/2011 Addictions Lecture Series- South Carolina State University
Department of Human Services Rehabilitation Counseling
- 03/2011 Substance Abuse Counseling: Ethical Decision Making
ARCA Student Forum at ACA 2011 Conference
- 03/2010 The Perilous Journey to an Advanced Degree: Strategies for
Survival, American Counseling Association National Conference,
Pittsburgh, PA
- 03/2010 Voices of Soldiers Diagnosed with Post Traumatic Stress
Disorder (PTSD): The Needs and Barriers
American Counseling Association National Conference-
Pittsburgh, PA
- 07/2009 Substance Abuse in Educational Settings-South Carolina State
University
- 03/2009 A Supervisor's Guide for Preparing Novice Substance Abuse
Counselors
11th Annual James F. Jakobsen Graduate Conference
University of Iowa, Iowa City
- 02/2009 Articulating the Professions Identity
National Council on Rehabilitation Education
San Antonio, Texas
- 06/2008 Lecturer- Medical Aspects

The Renal System
Chronic Back Pain

- 03/2008 Lecture-Assistive Technology
- 11/2008 Conducting a Needs Assessment: Assistive Technology in the
State of Iowa
Closing the Gap Conference, Minnesota, Minneapolis
- 10/2007 Provision of Gender Responsive Substance Abuse Treatment
University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa

Relevant and Completed Coursework

Social Psychology, Advanced Seminar in Rehabilitation Counseling, Teaching and Learning in Higher Education. Essentials of Qualitative Inquiry, Supervision, Theory and Practice, Career Development, and Advance Social Psychology and Disabilities.

Skills

Assistive Technologies:

Dragon Naturally Speaking, Kurzweil 3000, Assistive Devices, and Window Eyes,

Programs:

Microsoft Word, Microsoft Powerpoint, Adobe Photoshop, IPSWITCH, Contribute, & SPSS-Statistical Packages

Work Experience

- 07/2013 Ethics Subject Matter Expert: Ethics, Department of Veteran
Affairs, Des Moines, IA
- Presently-08/2013 Assistant Professor, Winston-Salem State University, School of
Education and Human Performance.
- Presently-08/2012 The Mayatech Corporation, Consultant (SAMHSA, Behavioral
Health/ HIV/AIDS Initiative)
- 07/2012 Presenter, Southeast TACE Region IV (a project of the Burton
Blatt Institute at Syracuse University) Webinar Training:
Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI): Coping with Loss and Grief - VR
Implications.
- 06/2013-08/2012 Lecturer, Counseling for Related Professions, University of Iowa

03/2011-04/2011	Committee on Rehabilitation Counselor Certification (CRCC) in partnership with the University of Iowa's Institute on Disability Rehabilitation Ethics (I-DARE). Served as a moderator for five Continuing education webinars in 2011 CRC/CCRC Code of Ethics for Rehabilitation Counselors
8/2013-8/2010	Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor, Department of Veteran Affairs, Des Moines, IA
02/2010-05/2012	Doctoral Student Liaison, CRSD Program-University of Iowa
01/2010-05/2010	Lecturer, Multiculturalism and Diversity-University of Iowa
8/2013-2008	Instructor, Counseling for Related Professions, University of Iowa
08/2010-8/2009	Instructor, ePortfolio Technology in the Classroom, University of Iowa
8/2007-8/2009	Graduate Assistant, Iowa Center for Assistive Technology and Research (ICATER), University of Iowa.
8/2007-8/2010	Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist, Department of Veteran Affairs, Cedar Rapids, IA.
2007-2005	Director, Medmark Substance Abuse Treatment Centers, Oaklawn, Illinois
2005-2002	Director, Women's Treatment Center, Medical Detoxification, Stabilization, and Maintenance Substance Abuse Treatment Program, Chicago, Illinois
2002-1999	Clinical Supervisor/Assistant Director, Gateway Foundation, Sheriff Female Furlough, Outpatient/Residential Substance Abuse Treatment Program, Chicago, Illinois

Volunteer Experience

2011-2012	Delta Sigma Theta Teen Summit
2011-2012	Salvation Army
2003-2007	Angel Food Share Program, Prayer and Faith Outreach Ministries, Chicago, Illinois

Professional Memberships

10/2011-Present	National Association of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counselors
03/2009-05/2013	Diversity Committee

01/2009-05/2013	Graduate Student Senate
03/2009-Present	Chi Sigma Iota
08/2007- Present	UI-ARCA/Assistant Regional Recruiter
12/2007-Present	American Counseling Association
09/1999-Present	Illinois Alcohol & Other Drug Abuse Professional Certification Association.