CURRICULUM VITAE

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FORMAL EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Psychology, Department of Psychology, Northcentral University, Prescott, AZ, 2007

Published Dissertation Title: "Identification with Fictional Characters and Aggression Among Women"

M.MFT in Marriage and Family Therapy, Department of Marriage and Family Studies, Abilene Christian University, Abilene, TX, 1982

18 Graduate courses in Sociology: Our Lady of the Lake University, San Antonio, TX, 1995-96
Abilene Christian University, Abilene, TX, 1995-96

B.A. in Sociology, Department of Social Sciences, Angelo State University, 8/1979 Major: Sociology, Minor: Psychology

LICENSURE

Texas Licensed Professional Counselor – 8744 Texas Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist - 980

SUPERVISED EXPERIENCE

Supervised Post-Masters Experience:

Post-Masters Supervised Experience in Counseling and Marriage and Family Therapy Supervisor: Royce Money, Abilene, TX., LPC, LMFT Christian Counseling Center, San Angelo, TX 1984 - 1986

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND ACTIVITIES

Family Therapist/Counselor

YMCA, Abilene, TX. (1981 - 1982)

Part-time position while completing Masters Degree

Group behavior modification therapy with junior high students having behavior management problems; worked with students in a token economy system, provided family therapy to those families desiring to participate.

Marriage and Family Therapist

Southgate Church of Christ, San Angelo, TX. (1982 – 1998; 2018- 2022)

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Full-time position

Provided individual, marriage, and family counseling services to the community (25-30 counseling hrs. per week); developed seminars and programs to act as preventive measures in the area of marriage and family life.

Consultant

San Angelo Independent School District, San Angelo, TX. (1988 - 1998) Part-time position

Provided direct counseling to students involved in Special Education in the areas of behavior management, interpersonal relationships with teachers and peers, and the development of a healthy concept; developed behavior modification plans for students; attended ARD meetings as requested to make recommendations concerning students' needs.

Facilitator

"For Kids' Sake" program, San Angelo, TX. (1996 - 1998)

Facilitated a court-mandated educational seminar for divorcing parents with minor children. The seminar was a 4 hr. presentation to help parents to gain insight into the needs of their children during the transitions of divorce. This seminar was presented every month

Therapist

RiverCrest Hospital, San Angelo, TX. (1990-1991)

Part-time position

Implemented a program for RiverCrest Hospital (a private psychiatric facility) that combined psychology and spirituality in a group counseling format. Provided daily group counseling for adult psychiatric patients on issues pertaining to spiritual as well as psychological issues.

Director of Education

Southgate Church of Christ, San Angelo, TX. (1985 -1998)

Part-time position

Coordinated education programs for children and adults in a 600 member congregation. Organized and/or developed 13-week curriculum for 5 adult classes; taught an average of 26 weeks per yr; supervised 9 educational coordinators and 140 teachers annually. Coordinated annual educational budget of \$7,500.

Teaching

Angelo State University, Department of Social Work and Sociology, San Angelo, TX

Angelo State University, Department of Social Work and Sociology; Department of Psychology, San Angelo, TX,

Adjunct Lecturer (2019 - 2022)

Assistant Clinical Professor, 2022 to present

McLennan Community College, Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Waco, TX.

Tenured Professor, Sociology. (2001- 2018)

Texas Tech University, College of Arts & Sciences, Waco, TX.

Adjunct Lecturer (2012 -2018)

Tarleton State University, Department of Psychological Sciences, Waco, TX.

Adjunct Lecturer (2009; 2017)

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Lone Star College Montgomery, Psychology Department, Conroe, TX Assistant Professor (1998-2001)

Howard Payne University, Department of Sociology, Brownwood, TX. Adjunct Lecturer (1997-1998)

PROFESSIONAL ADVISORY BOARDS

Concho Valley Alzheimer's Family Support Group (1985 -1992)
Concho Valley Home Economics Council (1987 -1996)
Board of Visitors, Marriage and Family Institute, Abilene Christian University, (1989 -1991; 2008 – 2010)

Professional and Academic Service

Presented a seminar at the Consortium for Community College Development, Portland, Ore. "Hands on Psychology". June, 2000.

McLennan Community College:

Coordinator – Sociology and Psychology Departments – 2011-2018.

Faculty Senate - 2002 – 2003; 2008 – 2012. President, 2011-2012.

Professional Development Leave Committee - 2008-2010

Professional Development Committee – 2008 – 2011.

Served on the Dual Credit Handbook Advisory Committee - Spring, 2003.

Served as Tartan Scholar Coordinator, an Honor's Program - Summer, 2003 - Summer, 2006.

Chaired search committees for new Sociology and new Psychology position, Summer 2003; Spring, 2009

Chaired Professional Development Leave Grant Committee – 2004 -2006.

Attended the National Institute on the Teaching of Psychology Conference – January, 2003.

In-service Training:

"Handling Emotions and Stress in the Alzheimer's Disease Patient's Family" - Presented to the Concho Valley Continuing Education Committee for Nurses, Angelo State University, June, 1985

HONORS, AWARDS

"Teaching Excellence Award" - Montgomery College, 2000 – National Institute for Staff and Organizational Development (NISOD)

"Teaching Excellence Award" - McLennan Community College, 2002 - National Institute for Staff and Organizational Development (NISOD)

"Contributing to Student Success Award" – TRIO Award, McLennan Community College, 2010.

"Minnie Stevens Piper Professor" Nominee – McLennan Community College – 2016

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HIGHER EDUCATION COURSES TAUGHT

Bachelor's Level (Course Prefix)

Sociology Courses:

Introduction to Sociology (SOC)
Social Problems (SOC)
Criminology (SOC)
Social Psychology (SOC/PSY)
Marriage & the Family (SOC)
Family Violence (SOC)
Sociological Theory (SOC)
Social Research and Data Analysis (SOC)
Mental Health & Illness (SOC)
Social & Health Measurement (SOC)

Psychology Courses:

General Psychology (PSY)
Lifespan Growth and Development (PSY)
Psychology of Personality (PSY)
History of Psychology (PSY)
Child Growth & Development (PSY)