

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Professional Title and Affiliation:

Third Year Counseling Psychology Doctoral Student
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Professional Interests:

Mental health and sexual health issues of oppressed populations. Health behavior related to HIV/AIDS/STD education and prevention.

Birth Date and Place:

September 28 Rome, Georgia

Education:

1997 – 2001 B.S. in Psychology from the University of Georgia, Athens, GA

Hope Scholar, Honor Society, Dean's List, and Presidential Scholar.

2006 – 2008 M.S. in Counseling Psychology from the University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY

Professional Experience:

May 2008 – Present

Process Observer, University of Kentucky Counseling and Testing Center, Lexington, KY

Key Responsibilities: Attend weekly group therapy sessions and supervision meetings. Observe and create process notes for each group session. Provide copies of process notes to group members.

August 2007 – May 2008

Graduate Intern, Center for Women, Children, and Families – The Nest, Lexington, KY

Key Responsibilities: Conducts intakes and pre/post-test parenting assessments. Leads group parenting classes and individual parenting class make-ups. Conducts general counseling and provides referral information to clients.

August 2006 – Present

Graduate Assistant, Department of Educational and Counseling Psychology, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY

Key Responsibilities: Assists various faculty members in the Educational and Counseling Psychology Department.

August 2007 – December 2007

Group Leader, UK 100 Leadership Course, Gatton College of Business and Economics, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY

Key Responsibilities: Co-lead a weekly psychoeducational group on cultural competence. Created and performed didactic and experiential exercises.

February 2006 – June 2006

Tax Examiner, Grade 4, United States Department of Treasury, Internal Revenue Service, Atlanta, GA

Key Responsibilities: Coded and edited tax returns for the process of data transcription.

February 2005 – November 2005

Research Interviewer, Sr., Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, Emory University School of Medicine, Atlanta, GA

Key Responsibilities: Performed initial contact with prospective research subjects, explained research protocols and collected data for research studies using a detailed interview questionnaire. Monitored the information for eligibility for the specific protocol as well as accuracy and completeness prior to examination by the investigators. Participated in inter rater reliability groups to ensure accuracy and reliability in performing evaluations. Scheduled potential study participants with appropriate clinical staff according to requirements of the protocol. Collected, coded, and entered study information into a database. Assisted in database compilation using SPSS. Maintained records and study information, prepared reports and summaries as needed. Ensured that interview questionnaires were complete and accurate in accordance with FDA regulations and research protocols. Completed case report form books according to protocols. Maintained complete and accurate records and files pertaining to several research studies. Maintained detailed records of patients' visits and procedures. Identified possible study participants and abstracted data by reviewing medical records. Attended and participated in clinical conferences that support the objectives and goals of the specific protocols. Actively participated in study related meetings. Performed electrocardiogram and processing of biological specimens under the direct supervision of medical personnel. Created and maintained recruiting strategies to increase study enrollment.

Federal Grants

- 2005 Co-Investigator – Cognitive Behavioral Analysis System Psychotherapy Augmentation for Treatment of Chronic Depression. NIMH Grant MH63481 (1/1/03 to 12/31/06)
- 2006 Co-Investigator – REVAMP Follow-up Study. NIMH Grant MH071804

Industry Contracts

- 2007 Co-Investigator – A Multicenter, Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled Study of the Safety and Efficacy of Aripiprazole as Adjunctive Therapy in the Treatment of Patients with Major Depressive Disorder. Bristol-Myers Squibb Company
- 2008 Investigator – Follow-up Study of Long-Term, Open-Label Study of the Safety and Efficacy of Aripiprazole as Adjunctive Therapy in the Treatment of Patients with Major Depressive Disorder. Bristol-Myers Squibb Company
- 2009 Co-Investigator – A 10-Week, Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled, Parallel Group Study to Evaluate the Efficacy and Safety of Gabitril at 4, 8, and 12 Mg/day in the Treatment of Adults with Generalized Anxiety Disorder. Cephalon.
- 2005 Co-Investigator – Follow-up Study of Long-Term, Open-Label, Flexible-Dose Extension Study of the Safety and Efficacy of Gabitril in the Treatment of Adults with Generalized Anxiety Disorder. Cephalon
- 2010 Co-Investigator – Fixed Dose Comparison of Escitalopram Combination in Adult Patients with Major Depressive Disorder. Forest Laboratories, Inc.
- 2011 A Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled, Parallel-Group Study of Efficacy, Safety, and Tolerability of XBD173 in Patients with Generalized Anxiety Disorder. Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation.

February 2003 – February 2005

Transaction Buyer, Atlanta Sourcing Center, Procter & Gamble, Atlanta, GA

Key Responsibilities: Developed, managed, and maintained purchase orders issued at the sourcing center. Worked with sourcing and procurement buyers to process requisitions into purchase orders, verified pricing and vendor information, maintained SAP contracts, managed open orders, managed blocked invoices, and follow-up on pricing discrepancies, credits, and claims. Understood and followed all purchase policies and procedures, including commercial language requirements. Worked closely with Costa Rica service center and assisted in transitioning work to them.

May 2002 – February 2003

Flight Attendant, Atlantic Southeast Airlines, Inc., Atlanta, GA

Key Responsibilities: Greeted passengers, verified tickets, recorded destinations, and directed passengers to assigned seats. Explained use of safety equipment to passengers. Served prepared meals and beverages. Walked aisle of plane to verify that passengers have complied with Federal regulations prior to take off. Collected money for meals and beverages. Prepared reports showing place of departure and destination, passenger ticket numbers, meal and beverages inventories, and lost and found articles. Administered first aid to passengers in distress, when needed. Assisted passengers to store carry-on luggage in overhead, garment, or under-seat storage. Provided personal assistance, medical attention, emotional support, or other personal care to others such as coworkers, customers, or patients. Used hands and arms in handling, installing, positioning, and moving materials, and manipulating things. Communicated with people outside the organization, representing the organization to customers, the public, government, and other external sources in person, in writing, or by telephone or e-mail. Monitored and reviewed information from materials, events, or the environment, to detect or assess problems. Performed physical activities that required considerable use of your arms and legs and moving your whole body, such as climbing, lifting, balancing, walking, stooping, and handling of materials. Translated or explained what information means and how it can be used. Developed constructive and cooperative working

relationships with others, and maintained them over time. Used relevant information and individual judgment to determine whether events or processes comply with laws, regulations, or standards.

September 2001 – January 2002

Receptionist, Positive Outcomes Psychological Services, Athens, GA

Key Responsibilities: Performed a variety of clerical duties involved in greeting and directing patients, making appointments, processing forms and providing information to assist patients in obtaining clinic services. Assembled and routed patients records to assigned locations; ordered patient charts as required. Provided information to patients on such matters as services, charges and routine treatment procedures. Answered telephone, took messages, transferred calls and provide information upon request. Received payments on patient accounts; compared cash receipts and payments in balancing daily work; made refunds as required. Assisted in the compilation of data for regular and special reports. Performed other related clerical duties.

September 1997 – September 1999

Laboratory Assistant/Histotechnician, Howard Hughes Undergraduate Apprenticeship Program, University of Georgia School of Veterinary Medicine, Pathology Department, Athens, GA

Key Responsibilities: Processed, sectioned and stained animal tissues for microscopic examination by pathologists. Routine H&E, special and immunohistochemical (IHC) stains and in situ hybridization were performed according to Standard Operating Procedures (SOP). Developed and/or evaluated stains under supervision and with known measures and standards. Compiled research data. Prepared histological samples for shipping and maintained laboratory cleanliness.

Publications:

Book Chapters

Miller, T.W., Reese, R.J., & **Frieson, K.** (2008). Telehealth Technology Applications with Underserved Conduct Disorder Child and Adolescent Populations. In Lucia Martinez and Carla Gomez (Eds.), *Telemedicine in the 21st Century*. Hauppauge, NY: Nova Science Publishers, Inc.

Editorial Activities:

April 2007—Present

Co-Editor, University of Kentucky Wildcat Escape, a UK Department of Educational and Counseling Psychology newsletter.

Professional and Service Activities:

National

American Psychological Association of Graduate Students

National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)

National Scholars Honor Society

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Society for the Scientific Study of Sexuality (SSSS)

Community

Treasurer and Board Member, AIDS Volunteers, Inc. (AVOL), Lexington, KY

University

University of Kentucky Student Health Advisory Council (SHAC)
Treasurer, Black Graduate and Professional Students Association
University of Kentucky Student Public Health Association (UKSPHA)
Humanities Academy, University of Kentucky Training and Development

Awards and Honors:

2006—Present Lyman T. Johnson Fellow

2007—7th Annual National Sexuality Resource Center Summer Institute on Sexuality, Education, and Politics Participant

2007--- Doris Nowak and William E. Stilwell, III Graduate Fellowship in Educational and Counseling Psychology

Volunteer Activities:

January 2007—Present

Volunteer, University of Kentucky OUTsource

Key Responsibilities: To assist in providing a safe and confidential space for GLBTQQA students and foster an environment of learning related to gender identity, human sexuality, and other related issues. Assist in providing cultural and interpersonal resources and to promote a change in campus climate that is more inclusive of GLBTQQA students.

August 2005—August 2006

Volunteer, AID Atlanta, Atlanta, GA

Key Responsibilities: Provided HIV/AIDS education and risk reduction/prevention information to the community. Facilitated safer sex parties; staffed tables at community events, conducted workshops at schools, universities and civic groups and distributed condoms at special events. Staffed state HIV/STD hotline. Maintains strict confidentiality of all medical, social, and financial information.

August 2005 – August 2006

Volunteer, Nia Project at Grady Memorial Hospital, Atlanta, GA

Key Responsibilities: Attended weekly team meetings. Recruited participants with history of suicidal attempts and/or domestic violence. Completed screening interviews of possible participants.

August 2005 – August 2006

Volunteer, Planned Parenthood of Georgia, Cobb Health Center, Marietta, GA

Key Responsibilities: Assisted health center staff with routine clerical and clinical tasks. Provided patients with information on clinical procedures, birth control options, and sexual health education.

September 1999 – May 2001

Peer Educator, Advocating Safe Alternatives for Peers-Wisdom on Wellness (ASAP-WOW),
University of Georgia, Athens, GA

Key Responsibilities: Promoted low-risk choices concerning the use of alcohol and other drugs while offering alternatives to high-risk behavior. Served as an educational resource for peers. Designed and presented educational programs in a fun and interactive manner. Collaborated with other student organizations to promote overall health and wellness.