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EDUCATION

- **2003, PhD, Department of Psychology, Florida State University, Tallahassee**
 - Major: Clinical Psychology; Minor: Statistics
 - Professor Directing Dissertation: Joseph K. Torgesen, PhD
 - Dissertation Title: *College students with learning disabilities: Using psychoeducational test results to predict accommodations and learning disability type*
- **1999, APA-Approved Clinical Internship, Florida State Hospital, Chattahoochee** (with out-placement at the Florida State University Multidisciplinary Evaluation and Consulting Center, Tallahassee and with Michael D'Errico, PhD, Private Forensic Psychology Practice in Alabama and Florida).
- **1988, MS, Department of Psychology, Florida State University, Tallahassee**
- **1985, BS in Psychology with Distinction, University of Oklahoma, Norman**

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- American Psychological Association (APA)
- American Psychological Association: Division 2 (Teaching Psychology)
- American Psychological Association: Division 41 (American Psychology and Law Society)
- Association on Higher Education and Disability (AHEAD)
- Illinois/Iowa AHEAD (Current Member; Past-President; Past Board Member)

RECENT HONORS

- “Honored by Honors” – 2017 – recognition from student in SAU Honors Program
- “In Recognition of Honor” – 2013 -- from Governor Branstad for service on Boards and Commissions
- Iowa Governor’s Volunteer of the Year Award – 2009 – for service to the State of Iowa.

SELECTED TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- **December 2006 to Present, Professor of Psychology (Tenured), Department of Psychology, St. Ambrose University.**
 - **Classes Taught:** Statistics for the Sciences, Abnormal Psychology, Psychology and Law, Psychology of Criminal Behavior, and Internship in Forensic Psychology
- **December 2003 to December 2006, Associate Professor (Tenured), Department of Psychology, St. Ambrose University**
 - **Classes Taught:** Introduction to Psychology, Statistics for the Sciences, Abnormal Psychology, Psychology and Law, Psychology of Criminal Behavior, and Internship in Forensic Psychology
- **August 1999 to December 2003, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology and Department of Education, St. Ambrose University**
- **August 1995 to 1998, Adjunct Faculty Member, Department of Special Education and Department of Psychology, St. Ambrose University**
- **August 1989 to August 1992, Psychology Instructor, Department of Psychology, Florida State University**
- **August 1989 to 1995, Adjunct Psychology Instructor, Division of Social Sciences, Tallahassee Community College**

SUPERVISION EXPERIENCE

- **Fall 2003 – Present, Supervised Undergraduate Forensic Psychology Interns.** Supervise 8 to 10 Junior and Senior level Forensic Psychology majors (per semester) in completing their internships at a variety of sites including: Scott County Jail, Davenport Police Department, Rock Island Police Department, Department of Corrections – State of Iowa, Department of Corrections – State of Illinois, and U.S. District Court.

SELECTED CLINICAL & FORENSIC EXPERIENCE

- **August 2009 – Present, Consultant for the Scott County Jail Programs.** Assisted in development of materials to measure outcomes for the Scott County Sheriff's Department, Corrections Division.
- **August 1998 – 1999, Internship in Forensic Clinical Psychology.** Part of multidisciplinary team and completed 70+ evaluations for state and federal courts -- Florida State Hospital (Forensic Division – Martin Bohn, PhD, Chief of Forensic Psychology). Assisted with private forensic psychology practice evaluating clients for competence to proceed and NGRI (Michael D'Errico, PhD – independent clinical forensic psychologist).
- **September 1995 to January 1997, Psychological Examiner, Kimberly Creek Psychology, Davenport, IA**
- **August 1988 to August 1989 and September 1992 to August 1995, Psychological**

Specialist, Florida State Hospital, Civil Services, Chattahoochee, FL

DISABILITY SERVICE & CONSULTING EXPERIENCE

- **August 1999 to Present**, *University Disability Consultant, St. Ambrose University, Davenport, IA.*
- **Summer 2011**, *Grant Review Team, Iowa Developmental Disabilities Council.* Reviewed grant applications and made recommendations for awarding four 5-year grants totaling \$2.5 million.
- **August 1995 to 1998**, *Coordinator of Services for Students with Disabilities, St. Ambrose University, Davenport, IA.*
- **June to July 1996 and 1997**, *Director, Summer Transition Program for Students with Learning Disabilities, St. Ambrose University, Davenport, IA.*

SELECTED UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- **July 2016 – Present**, Chairperson, *Department of Psychology*
- **July 2016 -- June 2017**, Chairperson, *Promotion, Tenure, & Standards Committee.*
- **July 2014 -- June 2017**, Member, *Promotion, Tenure, & Standards Committee.*
- **Fall 2010** – Chairperson, *Faculty Finance Committee.*
- **Fall 2007 – Spring 2013**, Member, *Faculty Finance Committee.*
- **August 2006 – May 2008**, *Faculty Mentor*, through the St. Ambrose Faculty Development Committee.
- **Fall 2006 to Fall 2009**, Assist with St. Ambrose *Mock Trial* activities.
- **Summer 2004 – Summer 2006**, Member of *Teacher Education Appeals Committee.*
- **Fall 2003 – Spring 2006**, Member of *Faculty Grievance Committee.*

SELECTED COMMUNITY SERVICE

- **January 2014 – Present**, Member, National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) of the Greater Mississippi Valley, Committee on Minority Community Outreach.
- **Fall 2007 -- Present**, Practice Review Editorial Board for *Journal of Postsecondary Education and Disability*, – Volume 20 (1) to present.
- **August 2004 – Present**, Assisting *Scott County Sheriff's Office* with Jail Programming.
- **Fall 2012 – Summer 2014**, Assisting Skip-A-Long Developmental Preschool for program evaluation twice per year.
- **July 2010 – June 2013**, Chairperson, *Iowa's Developmental Disabilities Council.* Responsibilities include: Presiding over 6 state council meetings and Chairing 6 executive committee meetings per year; Supervision and Monitoring evaluation of the Executive Director; Representing the Council to the public and to policymakers; and Serving as the Official Representative and Spokesperson of the Council.
- **July 2010 – June 2013**, Representative to *Olmstead Consumer Taskforce*, following a mandate to transform Iowa's Mental Health and Disability Service System. (DD Council Chair Representative.)

- **July 2007 – June 2013**, Member of *Iowa’s Developmental Disabilities Council*. Appointed by Governor Chester J. Culver & Governor Terry Branstad to serve through June 30, 2013 (2 terms).
- **August 2002 – August 2010**, *Community Jail and Alternatives Advisory Committee (CJAAC)*.
- **August 1999 – August 2003**, Founding Officer of *Illinois/Iowa Association for Higher Education and Disability (ILLOWA AHEAD)*.

RECENT PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS/GRANTS

- **April 2017** Kaiser, A. J., Correa Kaiser, M. J., Saddler, & Matlock, T. (2017). *Essential Functions & Technical Standards: Psychology Curriculum with Internships*. Invited Address to the ILLOWA AHEAD 2017 Spring Roundtable, Davenport, IA.
- **October 2016** Correa Kaiser, M. J. & Kaiser, A. J. (2016). *Win-Win Situation: Meeting APA Undergraduate Learning Goals 3 and 5 Via PCAR Service Learning While Receiving Monetary Benefits Through the AmeriCorps Program*. Poster presented at the Society for Teaching of Psychology, American Psychological Association, Atlanta, GA.
- **May 2016** Faculty Development grant (\$1100) for presentation at national conference.
- **October 2014** Correa Kaiser, M. J. & Kaiser, A. J. (2014). Meeting APA Goal 5 Professional Development: Using Community Engagement. Paper presented at the American Psychological Association’s Society for Teaching of Psychology Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- **November 2012** Faculty Development grant (\$754) submitted and accepted for purchase of statistical software.
- **May 2012** Elias, P. & Kaiser, A.J. (2012) Scott County Jail Programs Research Study. Evaluated Scott County Jail Programs (for the years 2009-11).
- **October 2010** Elias, P. & Rice, J. (with Kaiser, A.J.) (2010) Scott County Jail Programs Research Study. Evaluated Scott County Jail Programs (for the years 2009-10).
- **August 2010** Kaiser, A.J., Hitchings, W. E., & Saddler, R. (2010) St. Ambrose Faculty Development Workshop: *Universal Design and Accommodations for Instruction*.

RECENT PRESENTATIONS/GRANTS – as Faculty Sponsor

- **Fall 2016** Wurster, S. M. (A. Kaiser, Faculty Sponsor). Disability Voting Advocacy Forum & Disability Voting Education Events – grant supported voter education and advocacy.
- **June 2016** Wurster, S. M. (A. Kaiser, Faculty Sponsor). ID Action Grant – Direct funding \$1250; Community/Indirect funding \$3750.
- **May 2015** Hruska, M. (A. Kaiser, Faculty Sponsor). *Parental Relationships and Gender: The Impact on Jail Recidivism*, Poster Presentation at the 2015 Midwestern Psychological Association Convention, Chicago.
- **April 2015** Hruska, M. & Holm, P. (A. Kaiser, Faculty Sponsor). *Parental Relationships and Gender: The Impact on Jail Recidivism*. Presentation at the ILLOWA Undergraduate Psychology Conference, Davenport.
- **May 2013** Arnold, J, Mitchell, C., & Sharer, C. B. (A. Kaiser, Faculty Sponsor)

(2013) Factors impacting recidivism. Poster accepted at the 5th Annual College of Arts and Sciences Undergraduate Scholars Conference.

RECENT CONFERENCES & TRAINING ATTENDED

- **May 2016**, *NAMI Mind & Body Workshop*. Daylong programs for professionals on theory and practical application for living with a serious mental illness. Hosted by NAMI of the Greater Mississippi Valley, Davenport, IA.
- **April 2016**, *River Bend Psychological Association Student Research Conference*. Research presentations and psychology continuing education, Western Illinois- Quad Cities Campus.
- **March 2016**, *Community Connections Supporting Reentry Training*. Conference sponsored by the Iowa Department of Human Services and Iowa Department of Corrections, Bettendorf, IA.
- **October 2015**, *NAMI Mind & Body Workshop*. Daylong programs for professionals on theory and practical application for living with a serious mental illness. Hosted by NAMI of the Greater Mississippi Valley, Rock Island, IL.
- **September 2015**, *ADHD Grows Up: Assessment and Health-Related Implications*. Iowa Psychological Foundation, Celebrating Psychology in Eastern Iowa Event, Davenport.
- **November 2012**, *Iowa Mental Health and the Law 2012*. Workshop offered by HEALTH Education Network. Facilitators: Jeffrey Lipman, JD, Daniel Flaherty, JD, Murray Gotsdiner, JD, Cindy Goshorn, DNP, ARNP, & Kelly Yeggy, BSW. Des Moines, IA.
- **June 2012**, Invited and Attended National Conference: *Translating National Priorities into Action*. Sponsored by the Administration on Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities (AIDD) of the Administration for Community Living (ACL) in the US Department of Health & Human Services (HHS), Arlington, VA.
- **July 2011**, Invited and Attended National Conference: *Maximizing Effect: Strengthening Council Effectiveness and Accountability*. Sponsored by the Administration on Developmental Disabilities (ADD) of the Administration on Children and Families (ACF) in the US Department of Health & Human Services (HHS), Washington, DC.
- **June 2010**, Invited and Attended National Conference for Directors/Chairs of State Councils on Developmental Disabilities: Information and Technical Assistance Center for Councils (ITACC) on Developmental Disabilities. Sponsored by the Administration on Developmental Disabilities (ADD) of the Administration on Children and Families (ACF) in the US Department of Health & Human Services (HHS), Arlington, VA.
- **April 2010**, Attended workshops offered by the Iowa Psychological Association: *Empirically Supported Therapies: Science and Science Fiction*. IPA Spring Conference, Iowa City, IA.
- **March 2010**, Attended workshop offered by Association for Higher Education and Disability (AHEAD): *Demystifying the ADAAA, ADAAG, and Other Laws and Regulations: Mid Year Disability Law Update*. Facilitators: Irene Bowen, JD & Jo Anne Simon, JD
- **April 2009**, *ADA: Appropriate Technical Standards that Everyone Can Accept*. Facilitators: Jane Jarrow, PhD, President of Disability Access Information and Support & Scott Lissner, ADA Coordinator, The Ohio State University.