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### EDUCATION

**Master of Education, Clinical Mental Health Counseling** | *Augusta University*, Augusta, GA

December 2015

**Master of Science in Management** | *Southern Wesleyan University*, North Augusta, SC

December 2004

**Bachelor of Arts in English** | *Augusta University*, Augusta, GA

May 1991

### LICENSE AND CERTIFICATION

**National Certified Counselor** – National Board of Certified Counselors

March 2016 – April 30, 2021

**Licensed Professional Counselor** – Georgia LPC#010987

Expires September 30, 2020

### HIGHER EDUCATION EXPERIENCE

**Career Consultant** | *Augusta University Career Services*, Augusta, GA

September 2006 – Present

- Effectively collaborate with administration and faculty in the College of Education and in the Pamplin College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences to develop **curriculum-driven career programming** for majors
- Develop and deliver **career exploration and development seminars** on *What Can I Do with a Major In..?*, On-line Profile Development, Networking, Resume Development, Interviewing, and Job Search Strategies.
- Administer and interpret **career assessments** such as Myers-Briggs Type Indicator, Strong Interest Inventory, DISC and Values Index, Focus2
- Conduct an average of 350 **individual career development** and **graduate school preparation** meetings per year.
- Provide average of 700 **critiques** of student resumes, cover letters, personal statements and portfolios per year.
- Help organize and promote Career Services events such as the Networking Mixer, Etiquette Dinner, and Career Fairs.

**Adjunct Professor** | *Augusta University Department of Communication*

August 2009 – Present

- Develop and provide syllabi outlining expectations, assignments and examinations for Fundamentals of Human Communication
- Facilitate discussion and practice of effective speech research and delivery techniques

**Enrollment Counselor, Southern Wesleyan University** | *Apollo Group, Inc.*, South Carolina

April 2001- August 2006

- Recruited over 300 students for associate, bachelor, and master degree programs in business management and education for Southern Wesleyan University

### COMMUNITY SERVICE EXPERIENCE

**Counseling Intern – 600 hours** | *SafeHomes of Augusta*, Augusta, GA

December 2014 – December 2015

- Provided emotional and counseling support to clients seeking refuge from domestic violence situations
- Facilitated weekly domestic violence support group meetings for shelter and community clients

**Therapy Intern – 150 hours** | *Lighthouse Care Center of Augusta*, Augusta, GA

May 2014- August 2014

- Facilitated individual therapy sessions with children ages eight to 14 who had mental health and trauma issues
- Provided treatment update on clients during weekly multidisciplinary treatment teams
- Created and co-facilitated weekly group psycho-education activities for girls group and boys group

**T-Group Co-facilitator** | PSYCH 6147 Seminar in Group Process, *Augusta University*

August 2012 – December 2012

- Co-facilitated T-Group using Here and Now focus for Dr. Jennifer Whitford prior to each group meeting

### PRESENTATIONS

**Presenter** | **11<sup>th</sup> Annual Southeastern Conference on Cross-Cultural Issues in Counseling**, Savannah, GA

February 2012

*Exploring Ethics and Values in Counseling LGBTQIA Populations*

**Teaching English as a Foreign Language /Crossover Volunteer** | *Peace Corps*, Kalasin, Thailand

July 1991-November 1993

- Completed language and culture training in three months
- Trained 100 Thai student teachers to teach English as a Foreign Language in nine provinces.
- Taught 250 Thai secondary school students English as a Foreign Language in provincial village for two years

### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

▪ **American Counseling Association**, *Professional Member*

October 2011- Present

▪ **National Peace Corps Association**

January 2010 – Present

▪ **Phi Kappa Phi**, International Honor Society

March 2013 - Present