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Academic Degrees:

Ph.D., Juvenile Justice, Prairie View A&M University, 2004.

Dissertation: Identification of sociodemographic indicators of attempted and completed rape.

M.Ed., Counseling Education, Sam Houston State University, 1989

B. S., Sociology, Sam Houston State University, 1973

Alpha Phi Sigma—National Criminal Justice Honor Society

Additional Graduate Study

University of St. Thomas Graduate School of Theology 47 SCH

Southern Methodist University Perkins School of Theology 9 SCH

Academic Experience:

Current: Assistant Professor and Human Science
Graduate Program Coordinator
College of Agriculture, and Human Ecology
Prairie View A&M University
1997 to Present.

Adjunct Faculty
Department of Criminal Justice
University of Houston Downtown
2006 to Present.

Courses Taught:

Criminal Justice:

Undergraduate: Correctional Counseling, Community Corrections, Correctional Systems, Juvenile Justice and Victimology

Human Science:

Graduate (Masters): Child and Adolescent Therapy, Clinical Supervision, Family Issues and Ethics, Group Therapy, Human Development, Individual and Clinical Psychotherapy, Interpersonal Communication, Introduction to Clinical Hypnosis, Marriage and Family Pre-practicum, Marriage and Family Therapy,

Marriage and Family Therapy Practicum I, and Marriage, Family Therapy Practicum II, Mental Health and Psychopathology, Research Problems, Sex Therapy, Special Topics: Victim and Victimization, and Thesis.

Undergraduate: Pre-Adolescent/Adolescent Development, Adult Development, Childhood Disorders, Contemporary Families, and Lifespan: Human Development

Graduate course design and adoption. Individual and Clinical Psychotherapy, Mental Health and Psychopathology, Special Topics: Victims and Victimization, and Marriage and Family Pre-Practicum.

Thesis Committees:

2007 “The effect of childhood neglect on subsequent juvenile and adult behavior”

Administrative Experience:

2005—2006 Acting Human Science Graduate Program Coordinator
2006—Present Human Science Graduate Program Coordinator

- a. Coordinating a graduate program of approximately 100 graduate students with self and 3 part-time adjunct faculty.
- b. Proposed an upgrading of curriculum from offering a 36/39 hr. Master’s of Human Science degree to including a 48 hr. Marriage and Family Therapy non-thesis Master’s degree and a 51 hr. Marriage and Family Therapy thesis Master’s degree.
- c. Recommending the deletion of obsolete courses and changing curriculum prefixes to a more contemporary identification.
- d. Recommending a reformulation of the current Thesis course, adding a Thesis II course and a Statistics course.
- e. Preparing the re-location of the Human Science Graduate program from the Main Campus at Prairie View, Texas to a satellite campus in the Houston Metropolitan Area.

Faculty Committees:

2005 to Present: PVAMU Institutional Review Board
2006: PVAMU Faculty Advisory Committee
College of Agriculture,
Nutrition & Human Ecology Excellence Faculty Team
Faculty Search Committee: 4 faculty and 1 department head for College of Agriculture,
Nutrition & Human Ecology
College of Agriculture and Human Ecology Building Planning Committee
2007 College of Agriculture and Human Ecology Outstanding Faculty Award Development
Committee

Grants & Research:

2005: Title III Grant- (\$40,000)
2006: Proposal: The Effects of Caseworker Characteristics: National Survey of Child and Adolescent Well-Being (NSCAW): HHS-2006-ACF-OPRE-PH-0095 (\$100,000).
2006: Title III Grant extension (\$20,000)
2008: Title III Grant extension (\$6,000).
2008: Project “PAW” (Peers Affirming Wellness) Pals - A Campus Wellness Program (pending)

Association and Organization Memberships:

American Board of Hypnotherapy
Academy of Criminal Justice Science
 Juvenile Justice
Southwest Academy of Criminal Justice Science
The American Society of Criminology

Bibliography:

Encyclopedia Entries and Book Reviews:

2002. Book review of *Excluding violent victims from juvenile court: The effectiveness of legislative waiver* by David L. Myers *Criminal Justice Review*, 26:2, pp. 271-272.
2002. "James Franklin Short, Jr." *Encyclopedia of juvenile justice*. Marilyn D. McShane and Frank Williams, III (eds.). Newbury Park, CA.: Sage Publishing.
2005. "Group therapy." *Encyclopedia of prisons and correctional facilities* (2 Vols.). Bosworth, Mary (ed.). Newbury Park, CA.: Sage Publications.
2005. "Individual therapy." *Encyclopedia of prisons and correctional facilities* (2 Vols.). Bosworth, Mary (ed.). Newbury Park, CA.: Sage Publications.
2005. "Victims of crime act." *Criminal justice* (3 Vols.). Gerstenfeld, Phyllis (ed.) Pasadena, CA: Salem Press.
2006. Book review of *Crime profiles: The anatomy of dangerous persons, places, and situations 3rd Edition* by Miethe, T.D., McCorkle, R.C., & Listwan, S. J. *Journal of Criminal Justice Education*, 17(2), pp. 393-396.
- 2007 "Age, gender, race, and rep: Trends in juvenile offending and victimization." *Youth violence and delinquency interventions* (3 vols.). Marilyn D. McShane and Frank Williams, III (eds.). Westport, CT: Greenwood/Praeger Publishing.
- 2008 "Victimology" *Forensic Science*. Ayn Embar-Seddon and Allan Pass (eds.). Pasadena, CA: Salem Press.
- Forthcoming Fall 2009. "Hate crimes: Psychological causes and effects." *Salem Health: Psychology and Mental Health*. Tracy Irons-Georges (ed.). Pasadena, CA: Salem Press.
- Forthcoming Fall 2009. "Punishment." *Salem Health: Psychology and Mental Health*. Tracy Irons-Georges (ed.). Pasadena, CA: Salem Press.
- Forthcoming Fall 2009. "Terrorism: Psychological causes and effects." *Salem Health: Psychology and Mental Health*. Tracy Irons-Georges (ed.). Pasadena, CA: Salem Press.
- Forthcoming Fall 2010. "Lynchings and Other Hate Crimes." *The forties in America*. R. Kent Rasmussen (ed.). Pasadena, CA: Salem Press.

Custom Publications:

2005. McWhorter, R. (compiled). *Boundaries 2005: Readings in deviance, crime and criminal justice*. New York, NY: Pearson Custom Publishing.
2009. McWhorter, R. (compiled). *Boundaries 2009: Readings in deviance, crime and criminal justice*. New York, NY: Pearson Custom Publishing.

Papers Presented and Participation at Scholarly Meetings:

2001. "Teaching James F. Short: Examining theory through biography in the classroom." Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Association of Criminal Justice, San Antonio, TX.
2002. "Revisiting the role of the victim in coursework." Southwester Association of Criminal Justice Annual Conference, San Antonio, TX.
2003. Panel Chair/Discussant: "Is there life after tenure? Plotting a career in Criminal Justice education." Southwestern Association of Criminal Justice Annual Conference, Houston, TX.
2004. Chair/Discussant: Southwestern Association of Criminal Justice Annual Conference, Houston, TX.
2005. "Rape: The hidden crime." Southwestern Association of Criminal Justice Annual Conference, Oklahoma City, OK.
2006. Chair/Discussant: Southwestern Association of Criminal Justice Annual Conference, Houston, TX.
2007. "Crime at six: Media coverage of crime." Southwestern Association of Criminal Justice Annual Conference, Corpus Christi, TX.

Miscellaneous Presentations:

1999. "Domestic violence," Guest Lecturer, Abnormal Psychology Class. Prairie View A&M University
2000. "History of ethics;" Guest Lecturer, Juvenile Justice Ethics Class. Prairie View A&M University

Providing Continuing Education and Licensure Training for Professionals:

1991. "Professional codependency: Setting boundaries in the workplace." Forest Springs Hospital, Houston, TX.
1992. "Victims to survivors of abuse" (9 hrs.). Counselors Comprehensive Workshops, Galveston, TX.
1992. "Healing traumas in society" Pt I & Pt II, "Healing traumas in the family, healing traumas of the past" with Judy Johnson and Linda White (12 hrs.). Forest Springs Hospital, Houston, TX.
1995. "Confronting spirituality in the counseling setting" (9 hrs.). Counselors Comprehensive Workshops, Galveston, TX.
1995. Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor Training With B. J. Davis, (45 hrs.). The Bridge Counseling Center. Conroe, TX
1996. "Regaining myths and rituals of life" With B. J. Davis, (9 hrs.). Counselors Comprehensive Workshops, Galveston, TX.
1996. Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor Training With B. J. Davis, (45 hrs.). The Bridge Counseling Center. Conroe, TX
1998. "Victims of violence" (9 hrs.). Counselors Comprehensive Workshops, Galveston, TX.

Other Work Experiences:

Private Clinical Practice, Houston, Texas, September 1990 to 2000.

Other Credentials:

License No. 0201, Texas State Board of Examiners of Marriage and Family Therapists since 1992.
License No. 10101, Texas State Board of Examiners of Professional Counselors since 1990.
Certified Hypnotherapist, American Board of Hypnotherapy.
Registered Hypnotherapist, American Board of Hypnotherapy.