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EDUCATION

Graduate: University of South Florida
Degree: Doctor of Philosophy (degree conferred August 2008)
Program: School Psychology (APA Accredited, NASP Approved)
Concentration: Pediatric School Psychology
Dissertation: *Beyond the Barriers: A Qualitative Investigation into the Experiences of General Pediatricians Working with Young Children Exhibiting Developmental vsung Children Exhibiting Deve*



OTHER TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of South Florida

Adjunct Professor

January 2017 & January 2018

Adjunct instructor and developer of the course, *Advanced Psychoeducational/Behavioral Interventions*, for the School Psychology Program.

- Supervised graduate-level practicum students within Hillsborough County Public Schools regarding the administration of evaluation tools, utilization of consultation skills, and implementation of social-emotional supports within elementary schools.
- Supervised graduate-level clinical externs within

- Completed assessments and psychological evaluation

FUNDED GRANTS

Co-Principal Investigator

Duration: 1/1/2023 12/31/2027

Title: *Project TIERS (Targeted and Intensive Emotional and Relational Supports) in Schools*

Funding Source: U.S. Department of Education

Total amount: \$4,092,846

Description: *Project TIERS*

school district. The primary aims of this project are to increase access to quality school-based mental health services for children attending high-needs elementary schools, address the shortage of school psychologists in high-needs Local Education Agencies (LEAs), and increase the presence

Search Committee Member	Project TIERS Coordinator Position	May 2023	July 2023
Search Committee Member	Asst./Assoc. Researcher Position	May 2023	present
Search Committee Member	Asst Visiting Professor of Research Position	May 2023	present
<i>College/University Service</i>			
Diversity Committee Member		Aug 2019	present
Diversity Comm. Moderator:	<i>International Student Experiences Panel</i>	Jan 2020	
COEDU Interview:	<i>Meeting the Social & Emotional Needs of Your Child</i>	March 2020	
COEDU Panelist:	<i>Real Talk: Systemic Racism and the Murder of George Floyd</i>	June 2020	
-USF Tampa, St. Pete, & Sarasota Campuses			
Graduate Policy Council (GPC) Member		Aug 2022	
present			
COEDU 3-Minute Thesis Competition Judge		Nov 2022-23	
Graduate Admissions Recruiter Committee Member		March 2023	
<i>State Professional Organization Service</i>			
Florida Assoc. of School Psychologists (FASP) Research Committee Member		Aug 2022	present
<i>Journal Reviewer Service</i>			
School Psychology Review		Oct 2023	
<i>Community Service</i>			
Mindful Mentoring - Workshop Presenter		Feb 2020	
100 Girls Summit	Guest Speaker	April 2020	
Princess Project	Guest Speaker	April 2022	
<u>MEDIA-RELATED TEACHING EXPERIENCES</u>			
USF College of Education Interview:	<i>How to meet the social, emotional needs of your child during COVID-19</i>	April 2020	
LA Times Interview:	<i>Social & Emotional Impacts on Distance Learning</i>	July 2020	
ABC Action News Interview:	<i>Call Me MiSTER Program</i>	Feb 2021	

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Florida Association of School Psychologists (FASP)	2019	present
National Association of School Psychologists (NASP)	2019	present
National Black Child Development Institute (NBCDI)	2022	present

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Center for Innovative Teaching and Learning	Fall 2022
Ida S. Baker Diversity Educator Belle Witter Elementary, HCPS	Fall 2018
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