

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

PhD in Counselor Education & Supervision (2012)
University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama
Dissertation: "High School Counselors' Attitudes toward the Sexuality of Students with Intellectual Disability"

MS in Rehabilitation Counseling (2006)
Troy University, Troy, Alabama

BS in Psychology (2004)
Xavier University of Louisiana, New Orleans, Louisiana

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS/EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor (2015-Present)
University of Montevallo, Montevallo, Alabama
Department of Counseling and Leadership

Assistant Professor (2012-2015)
Troy University-Montgomery, Montgomery, Alabama
Counseling, Rehabilitation, and Interpreter Training Department

Adjunct Instructor (2009-2012)
University of Montevallo, Montevallo, Alabama

Department of Counseling & Leadership

Senior Rehabilitation Counselor (2009-2010)

Rehabilitation Counselor (2005-2009)

Alabama Department of Rehabilitation Services, Homewood, Alabama

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Certified Rehabilitation Counselor-expired

National Certified Counselor

Associate Licensed Counselor

SCHOLARSHIP /RESEARCH

Jackson, J., Parker, L., & Harrington, J. (2017). Counselor Professional Self-Care. In Jackson-Cherry, L. & Erford, B. Crisis assessment, intervention and prevention. (3rd Ed.) Upper Saddle River NJ: Pearson.

Daughhetee, C., Jackson, J. & Parker, L. (2017). Issues and Safety Concerns in Crisis Situations. In Jackson-Cherry, L. & Erford, B. Crisis assessment, intervention and prevention. (3rd Ed.) Upper Saddle River NJ: Pearson

Boyd, L., Reed, S., Crawford, S., Tew-Washburn, S., & Parker, L. (2016). A guide to addiction certification in Alabama. Alabama Counseling Journal, 40 (2), 18-33.

Patterson, L. and Templeton, M.A. (2007). Psychiatric disabilities and substance abuse disorder. Psychosocial and vocational concerns: Implications for rehabilitation professionals. Alabama Counseling Association Journal, 32 (2), 28-34.

AWARDS/HONORS

2010	Leeman Joslin Behavioral Science Scholarship
2010	Sandra R. Apolinsky Memorial Scholarship
2010	University of Alabama-Most Outstanding Student in Counselor Education
2008	Ralph W. Cowart Memorial Scholarship
2007	Sigma Chi-Outstanding Professional Award

FELLOWSHIPS

2008 Troy University-African American Fellowship Program

GRANTS

2015 Tew-Washburn, Cozetta D. Shannon, Paola Premuda-Conti, Latofia Parker, and Joel Willis. A Multi-Campus Approach to Training Rehabilitation Counselors for Public Service to General Caseloads and Consumers with Mental Illness US Department of Education: Rehabilitation Services Administration (March 2015) – Funded (\$1 Million)

2015 Suzanne Tew-Washburn, Cozetta D. Shannon, Paola Premuda-Conti, Latofia Parker, and Joel Willis. A Multi-Campus Approach to Training Rehabilitation Counselors for Public Service to General Caseloads and Consumers Who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing US Department of Education: Rehabilitation Services Administration (March 2015) – Funded (\$1 Million)

PRESENTATIONS/WORKSHOPS

Parker, L.P. (July, 2016). Symposium: Current Trends and Future Implications in Rehabilitation Counseling Education and Practice. Symposium panelist discussion presented at the National Association of Multicultural Rehabilitation Concerns 23rd Annual Training Conference in New Orleans, LA.

Parker, L.P. (July, 2016). A Systematic Approach to Changing the Game of Counselor Education Programs. Training workshop presented at the National Association of Multicultural Rehabilitation Concerns 23rd Annual Training Conference in New Orleans, LA.

Parker, L.P. (November 2016). The Miseducation of Social Justice Counseling. Training workshop presented at the Alabama Counseling Association in Birmingham, Alabama.

Parker, L.P. (June, 2015). Diversity and the College Experience. Training workshop presented at the Alabama Department of Rehabilitation Services-College Preparation Program in Troy, Alabama.

Parker, L.P. (June, 2015). Diversity and the College Experience. Training workshop presented at the Alabama Department of Rehabilitation Services-College Preparation Program in Jacksonville, Alabama.

Parker, L.P. (October, 2014). Ethics in Supervision, Training, & Teaching. Training workshop presented at the Alabama Association of Mental Health Counselors Fall Ethics Workshop in Montgomery, Alabama.

Parker, L.P. (June, 2104). Diversity and the College Experience. Training workshop presented at the Alabama Department of Rehabilitation Services-College Preparation Program in Troy, Alabama.

Parker, L.P. (July, 2013). Transition Services for Youth with Disabilities Living in Rural Communities. National Association of Multicultural Rehabilitation Concerns annual conference in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Shannon, C.D. & Parker, L.P. (July, 2013). Effectively Assisting Non-traditional Rehabilitation Counseling Graduate Students. National Association of Multicultural Rehabilitation Concerns annual conference in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Parker, L.P. (April, 2013). Providing Supervision for the Counselor-in-Training: Key Concepts for Effective On-site Counselor Supervision. Training workshop presented at the Troy University Annual Site Supervisor's Workshop.

Patterson, L. & Wren, S. (March, 2010). On the Road to Transition: Next Exit...College. Poster presented at the Alabama Transition annual conference in Auburn, Alabama.

Patterson, L. (November, 2009). The Impact of Sexuality in Teens with Developmental Disabilities. Alabama Counseling Association Fall Conference in Birmingham, Alabama.

Bivens, C., Dudley, B., Patterson, L., & Pearson, S. (March, 2007). Transition in Action: Building Effective Transition Programs. Alabama Transition annual conference in Auburn, Alabama.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Montevallo (2015-Present)

Clinical Coordinator of UM Community Counseling Clinic
Career and Lifestyle Counseling

Foundations of Research
Counseling Practicum
Counseling Internship
Professional, Ethical, and Legal Issues in Counseling
Social and Cultural Foundations in Counseling

Troy University-Montgomery (2012-2015)

Vocational Psychology
Professional Orientation & Ethics
Medical & Psychosocial Aspects of Disability
Crisis Intervention
Group Dynamics & Counseling
Counseling Practicum
Human Growth & Development

University of Montevallo (*Doctoral Intern*) (2009-2012)

Group Procedures in Counseling,
Psychosocial Aspects of Disability
Counseling Practicum
Counseling Internship
Crisis Intervention

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

Alabama Board of Examiners in Counseling-Board Member (Present-2023)

DEPARTMENTAL/UNIVERSITY SERVICES

University of Montevallo Counseling Committee
University of Montevallo College of Education Mission Statement Committee
University of Montevallo Faculty Senate
Troy University Graduate Counseling Retention Committee (Chair)
Rehabilitation Counseling Program Curriculum Facilitator
Chi Sigma Iota (Tau Omega) Faculty Advisor

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- American Counseling Association
- National Career Development Association
- Association for Counselor Education and Supervision
- Southern Association for Counselor Education and Supervision

- Alabama Association of Counselor Education and Supervision (Past President-2017)
- Alabama Counseling Association
- Alabama Division of the American Rehabilitation Counseling Association
- Alabama Career Development Association