Curriculum Vitae

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Education and Training

Graduate2007- 2013 University of Pittsburgh

School of Education Exercise Physiology

PhD

Pittsburgh, PA 15261

2009 -2011 University of Pittsburgh MSN

School of Nursing Education

Pittsburgh, PA 15261

1991-1995 Pennsylvania State University MEd

University Park, PA 16807 Health Education

Undergraduate

1978-1982 University of Pittsburgh BSN

School of Nursing Nursing

Pittsburgh, PA 15261

Appointments and Positions

Academic University of Pittsburgh

2014-Present School of Nursing Primary Teacher

Pittsburgh, PA NUR1134

2014-2015 School of Nursing Lead Instructor

Pittsburgh, PA NUR 0082c

2014-Present University of Pittsburgh Assistant Professor

School of Nursing Pittsburgh, PA

2002-2013 University of Pittsburgh Instructor/

School of Nursing Student Advisor

Pittsburgh, PA

Non-Academic

1989 - 2013	University of Pittsburgh Medical Center Pittsburgh, PA	er Senior Professional Nurse
1985-1989	Visiting Nurse of Allegheny County Pittsburgh, PA	Visiting Nurse Coordinator
1982-1985	Presbyterian University Hospital Pittsburgh, PA	Clinical Nurse II
	Licensure and Certification	
1982 - present	RN-252672-L	Pennsylvania

2004 – 2013 Advanced Cardiovascular Life National

Support

1982 - present BLS (CPR & AED) American Heart Association

2005- present UPMC Mandatory Module and Nursing

Practice Requirements

CEU'S

2017	"Faculty Forum: Gaming Tool for the Classes"	1.5 UOP
2017	"Sigma Theta Tau Scholars Night 2017"	1.5 STT
2017	"Child Abuse: An Overview for Mandated Reporting"	2.0 PSNA
2017	"USPSTF Releases Final Recs for Genital Herpes Screening"	0.25 Medscape
2016	"Academic Service Partnership Council Spring Summit: Innovations in Education"	4.0 UPMC
2016	Treat the Risk, Not Just the Numbers, For Hypertension"	0.25 Medscape
2016	"Guidance for Prescribing Opioids"	.25 Medscape
2016	International Conf. Nursing and HC	21 Nursing 2016
2016	"Research Design & Writing Work"	1.5 UOP

2016	"Are You Providing EB Diabetes Care"	0.9 AMSN
2016	"11th Annual Medical-Legal Partnership Summit"	8.25 Boston Univ.
2015	"Faculty Forum: The Future of Nursing Simulation Education and Research. Why it matters to you and your Patients"	1.5 Univ. of Pitt
2015	"Quality Improvement: Design Implications"	1.5 Univ. of Pitt
2015	"Leadership and management for Every Nurse"	30 Western Schools (AACN approved)

Membership in Professional and Scientific Societies MSNS – national and local

2015 - present

2014 - present	Sigma Theta Tau Nursing Society
2008- 2014	Pi Lambda Theta
1979-1983	Sigma Theta Tau Nursing Society
	Honors
2017	Innovation in Education Award- "TWICE - Teaching Workplace Interprofessional Communication Effectively - Innovative Strategies to Improve Professional Communication in the Workplace."
1984	Nurse of the Year Award (for unit 9G) Presbyterian University Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA
2007	Candidate for Outstanding Doctoral Student Award, School of Education, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA
2012	Excellence in Teaching Award Univ. of Pittsburgh School of Nursing
2013	Faculty Honors Award

Other Scholarly Activities

Nurs Care

2017 Innovation in Education Award-

"TWICE - Teaching Workplace Interprofessional Communication Effectively - Innovative Strategies to Improve Professional Communication in the

Workplace."

2016 Baccalaureate Student Nurses Know- Journal of

ledge, Self-Efficacy, Beliefs and Practices

Engaging in Physical Activity Counseling.

2016 "Using Interactive Video-based Publication

Teaching to Improve Nursing Students' Journal of Ability to Provide Patient-Centered Nursing Ed

Discharge Teaching"

2016 "Structured Medication Teaching Capstone

And Patient Satisfaction with Medication Communication"

Presentations

International

2016 "Baccalaureate Student Nurses Healthcare & Nursing

Knowledge, Self-Efficacy, Beliefs, and

Practice in Engaging in Physical

Activity Counseling"

National

2017 "Addressing Health Disparities in the PNEG Conf

Pediatric Population through an Innovative Legal-Healthcare Team Education Initiative"

2016 "MLP – Building Capacity for HLC" MLP Summit

Local, Pittsburgh, PA

2016 "Addressing Health Disparities in the UPMC

Pediatric Population through an Innovative Legal-Healthcare Team Education Initiative"

Posters

Local, Pittsburgh, PA

2015	"Baccalaureate Student Nurses Knowledge, Self-Efficacy, Beliefs, and Practice in Engaging in Physical Activity Counseling"	GPNRC- poster	
2009- present	"Disorders of the Gastrointestinal Tract"	- NUR 0082 &1282: Acute/Chronic Health Care Problems	
2012- present	"Peripheral Vascular Diseases"	- NUR 0082 &1282: Acute/Chronic Health Care Problems	
2012	" Acute & Chronic Illness"	- NUR 0082 &1282: Acute/Chronic Health Care Problems	
2011	"Development of a Clinical Prepatory W		
2007- present	"Preceptor Project for UPMC"		
2006	"Student Nurse Satisfaction"- Research Project		
2004, 2005	"Medication and Poison Safety" - Girls Scouts		
2002	"Obesity review of the research for 2002"		
1995	"Smoking Cessation for the Elderly" (non-published) paper		
1987	"Hospice Care program by VNA" to One Teaching	cology Nursing Society	

Primary Teacher /Clinical Instruction

Term / Years	Course Number & Title	No. of Students	Level	Didactic or Clinical
2014 - present	NUR 1134	140	Senior	Didactic
				Fall and
				Spring
2016 - present	NUR 1134c	110	Senior	Primary/Clini
				cal
				Fall and
				Spring
2016- resent	NUR1234c	30		Primary –
				clinical Fall
				and Spring
2016 - present	NUR 1121c/1221c	15	Senior	Clinic
				Fall and

				Spring
20181	NUR 0081	24		Spring
2005 - 2016	NURS 0082 - Nursing Mgt of the Adult	8	sopho	Clinical and
	with Acute/Chronic Health Problems		more	didactic
2005 - present	NURS 0080 - Fundamentals of Nursing	8	sopho	clinical
			more	
2005-2016	NURS 1281/1282, 0082 Nursing Mgt of	8	2 nd	Clinical and
	the Adult with Acute/Chronic Health		Degree	didactic
	Problems			
2009, 2014,	NUR 1120, 1220 Advanced Nurs.	8	junior	Clinical
2015	Management of Acute and Complex			
	Disorders			
2011- present	Fast Track Back Nursing	4	RN's	Clinical
2008-present	NUR 1134: Transition into Professional	4 - 6	Senior	Clinical
	Nursing			
2012		1	Master	Clinical
2012	NUR1106 Independent Study	1	PhD	Clinic
2013	NUR:1120: Advanced Management of	1	Junior	Clinical
	Acute and Chronic Health Problems			

Other Mentoring Activities

Undergraduate academic advisement

Nicola, Meghan – 2006-2008

Chui, Cullen – 2006-2008

Mauro, Janelle- 2007 to present

Maxwell, Megan- 2007- present

Mathews, Marissa- 2007-present

Macinica, Emily-2007-present

Williamson, Alesandra-2007-present

2013

NURSP 2093-2293 – Education and Mentoring In the Clinical Setting

Preceptor for Kelly Davis

Service

University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing

2007 Typhon Committee

2006 – present Ad Hoc Evaluation Forms Committee

2007- present Spring nursing Graduation Ceremony

2007- present Convocation

2010 - 2013 Nursing Sophomore Tag ceremony

2012 -2014 End of Program Committee

2013 - present Development of Split Courses Committee

2014- present Academic Integrity Committee

2015 NCLEX Committee

2015 Refreshing the Curriculum – Task Force 2

2016- 2017 Student Advisor IHI student interprofessional group

2016 ATC Interview – participated in Interviews

University of Pittsburgh Medical Center

2016 Flu Shot Clinic

2014 Flu Shot Clinic

2004 – 2007 Nurse Council Committee

2006 Pitt Panther Health Fair

Flu vaccine administration on Pitt campus

2010 I month preceptor for Master's Student from China

2011 Hosted Nursing Admin. Guests from China

2013 Hosted guests from China in clinic

Community

2004 - present Parish Nurse at the Ascension of Our Lord Parish, Clairton, PA

2004 - 2008 Band Nurse for the Elizabeth-Forward High School, Elizabeth, PA

2008, 2011, 2013 Flu vaccine administration UPMC

2014, 2016-17