

## Curriculum Vitae

### Education and Training

#### **Graduate**

2007- 2013

University of Pittsburgh  
School of Education  
Pittsburgh, PA 15261

PhD  
Exercise Physiology

2009 -2011

University of Pittsburgh  
School of Nursing  
Pittsburgh, PA 15261

MSN  
Education

1991-1995

Pennsylvania State University  
University Park, PA 16807

MEd  
Health Education

#### **Undergraduate**

1978-1982

University of Pittsburgh  
School of Nursing  
Pittsburgh, PA 15261

BSN  
Nursing

### Appointments and Positions

#### **Academic**

2014-Present

University of Pittsburgh  
**School of Nursing**  
Pittsburgh, PA

**Primary Teacher**  
NUR1134

2014-2015

**School of Nursing**  
Pittsburgh, PA

**Lead Instructor**  
NUR 0082c

2014-Present

**University of Pittsburgh**  
School of Nursing  
Pittsburgh, PA

**Assistant Professor**

2002-2013

University of Pittsburgh  
School of Nursing  
Pittsburgh, PA

Instructor/  
Student Advisor

#### **Non-Academic**

1989 - 2013

University of Pittsburgh Medical Center  
Pittsburgh, PA

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 Support	National
1982 - present	BLS (CPR & AED)	American Heart Association
2005- present	UPMC Mandatory Module and Nursing Practice Requirements	
2021	VAH mandatory modules and Nursing Clinic requirements	

**CEUs**

2021	EVALI: New Pulmonary Disorder	1.0 AMSN
2021	Violence at the bedside	1.06 AMSN
2021	Pfizer Vaccinator training	1.0 VA
2021	Moderna Vaccinator Training	1.0 VA
2021	PA License Renewal packet	30 ELITE
2021	Dir, Acting Oral Anticoagulants	1.3 AMSN
2020	9 <sup>th</sup> Annual Scholarly Poster Symp.	1.5 UOP
2020	Gender Inclusive Theory and Prac.	1.5 UOP
2019	More Help With Clin. Judgement Test Questions	1.0 UOP
2019	Clinical Judgement Creating Test Questions	1.0 UOP
2019	Wat Does the Evidence Say About Health Promotion	1.0 UOP
2019	QSEN Learning Module: Safety	0.9 AACN
2019	Quality MS Care Update Conf.	6.5 UPMC
2019	Geriatric Trauma Case Review	1.0 UPMC

2019		
2019	Nursing leadership- What's Your Superpower?	4.0 UOP
2019	Impact of LGBTQ Cultural Competence Education for RNS	1.18 AMSN
2019	Innovation Igniter	0 UOP (Innov. Inst.)
2019	Recognizing and reporting Child Abuse Mandated and permissive reporting - PA	3.0 UOP
2019	Teaching Clinical Judgement: Putting It altogether	1.5 UOP
2018	Recruitment Attributes Important to GN	1.1 AMSN
2018	Management of the Aggressive Patient	1.3 AMSN
2018	Recognizing and Reporting Child Abuse	3 UOP SW
2018	"PNEG: Forging Revitalization: Eliminating Gaps between Nursing Science and Patient Care"	3.5 UOP
2018	"Clinical Judgement framework as An assessment model for educational Progression"	1.5 UOP
2018	"Enhancing Clinical Teaching & Clinical Judgement Competency"	1.5 UOP
2018	"Clinical Judgement Development & Evaluation: A Bridge Not Far Enough"	2.0 UOP
2018	"How learning Works:EBT Strategies"	2.0 UOP
2018	"UPMC Hamot Nursing Syposium"	8.0 UPMC
2018	"Drugs That Should Not Be Discontinued Abruptly"	1.83 AMSN
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**

2015 - present	MSNS – national and local
2014 - present	Sigma Theta Tau Nursing Society
2008- 2014	Pi Lambda Theta
1979-1983	Sigma Theta Tau Nursing Society

**Honors**

<b>2017</b>	Innovation in Education Award- “TWICE - Teaching Workplace Interprofessional Communication Effectively - Innovative Strategies to Improve Professional Communication in the
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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 Dean’s Distinguished Teaching Award Award Univ. of Pittsburgh School of Nursing
- 2013 Faculty Honors Award

**Other Scholarly Activities**

- 2019 “TWICE - Teaching Workplace Inter-professional Communication Effectively to undergraduate Nursing students”  
doi:103928/014 84838 Journal of NUR Ed.
- 2019 “Assessing the Impact of Embedding Students in BioE Senior Design Projects: Students Perceptions of Interprofessional Teams Benefits and Challenges” ASEE
- 2018 -23 PAR 16-108- “Team-Based Design In Biomedical Engineering Education” NIH
- 2016 Baccalaureate Student Nurses Knowledge, Self-Efficacy, Beliefs and Practices Engaging in Physical Activity Counseling. Journal of Nurs Care
- 2016 “Using Interactive Video-based Teaching to Improve Nursing Students’ Ability to Provide Patient-Centered Discharge Teaching” Publication Journal of Nursing Ed
- 2016 "Structured Medication Teaching And Patient Satisfaction with Medication Communication” Capstone

**Presentations**

**International**

2016	“Baccalaureate Student Nurses Knowledge, Self-Efficacy, Beliefs, and Practice in Engaging in Physical Activity Counseling”	Healthcare & Nursing
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**National**

2018	“Addressing Health Disparities in the Pediatric Population through an Innovative Legal-Healthcare Team Education Initiative”	PNEG
2016	“MLP – Building Capacity for HLC”	MLP Summit

**Local, Pittsburgh, PA**

2020	“ Interdisciplianry Opportunities- BioE and Nur	UOP
2016	“Addressing Health Disparities in the Pediatric Population through an Innovative Legal-Healthcare Team Education Initiative”	UPMC

**Posters**

**Local, Pittsburgh, PA**

2019	“TWICE- Teaching Workplace Interprofessional Communication Effectively”	UOP Assessment and Teaching Conf.
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 Preparatory Worksheet"	
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 Oncology Nursing Society <u>Teaching</u>	

**Primary Teacher /Clinical Instruction**

<b>Term / Years</b>	<b>Course Number &amp; Title</b>	<b>No. of Students</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>Didactic or Clinical</b>
2020-21 Fall and Spring	NUR 1134	188	Senior Trad and ABSN	
2020-21 Fall and Spring	NUR 1135	140	Senior traditional	
2020-21 Fall and Spring	NUR 1234C	48	ABSN	
Fall 2020	NUR 0080	24	sophomore	lab
Spring 2021	NUR 1281	4	ABSN	lab
2020m-2021	NUR 1061-Indep. Study Nursing and Biomedical Eng. Team –Based design	10	Senior	
2019-20 Fall and Spring term	NUR 1061-Indep. Study Nursing and Biomedical Eng. Team –Based design	11	Senior	Didactic And clinic
2014 – present Fall and Spring	NUR 1134	191	Senior	Didactic Fall and Spring
2016 – present Fall and Spring	NUR 1134c	127	Senior	Primary/Clinical Fall and Spring
2016 present Fall and Spring	NUR1234c	64		Primary – clinical Fall

				and Spring
2016 – present	NUR 1121c/1221c	8	Senior	Clinic Fall
2018	NUR 0081	24		Spring
2005 - 2016	NURS 0082 - Nursing Mgt of the Adult with Acute/Chronic Health Problems	8	sophomore	Clinical and didactic
2005 - present	NURS 0080 - Fundamentals of Nursing	8	sophomore	clinical
2005-2016	NURS 1281/1282, 0082 Nursing Mgt of the Adult with Acute/Chronic Health Problems	8	2 <sup>nd</sup> Degree	Clinical and didactic
2009, 2014, 2015	NUR 1120, 1220 Advanced Nurs. Management of Acute and Complex Disorders	8	junior	Clinical
2011- present	Fast Track Back Nursing	4	RN's	Clinical
2008-present	NUR 1134: Transition into Professional Nursing	4 - 6	Senior	Clinical
2012		1	Master	Clinical
2012	NUR1106 Independent Study	1	PhD	Clinic
2013	NUR:1120: Advanced Management of Acute and Chronic Health Problems	1	Junior	Clinical

### DNP Capstones

	Project Title	Student
<b>2020-21</b>	“Implementation of the Discovery Program Hire Option as a Recruitment and Retention Strategy for New Graduate Nurses for Adult Medical/Surgical Units”	Derry, Ellen

### 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

#### Mentor

**2018-19** - Undergraduate faculty Mentor for a Team Based Biomedical-Nursing Engineering  
 14 undergraduate senior nursing students



**2019** - Undergraduate IRB faculty Mentor for a Team Based Biomedical-Nursing Engineering student  
Nowa Bronner

**2018**  
Undergraduate IRB faculty Mentor for a Team Based Biomedical Nursing Design Group:  
Maddy Fritch  
Azante Griffith  
Hannah Fischer  
Aiden Reuter  
Andja Potkonjak  
Ryan Dubowy (Nursing)

**2013**  
**NURSP 2093-2293 – Education and Mentoring In the Clinical Setting**  
Preceptor for Kelly Davis

### Service

#### University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing

2021	Covid vaccine clinic -VAH
2020	2020 IP Forum UOP Facilitator
2020 - 2021	NUR 1134c new curriculum development
2020 -21	Developed Preceptor Communication Module
2021	Interprofessional Case Study Conference (UOP)
2018-2020	Univ. Academic Integrity Committee
2019 -2020	Transitions 1134c course development
2019-20	Transitions Competency Based development
2019 -20	Preceptor Module development Committee
2007	Typhon Committee
2006 – 2019	Ad Hoc Evaluation Forms Committee
2007- 2019	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
2017-18	NCLEX Task Force Committee
2018	Preceptor Certificate Class Revision Committee
2017-18	Gwen’s Girls: Youth Diabetes Prevention Program
2018	PCP Case Study Facilitator
2017-18	C0-Creator of Maker’s Space Room at the SON
2018	Created first Nursing and Biomedical Engineering Team- Based Design Expo

**University of Pittsburgh Medical Center**

2017	Flu Shot Clinic
2016	Flu Shot Clinic
2014	Flu Shot Clinic
2004 – 2007	Nurse Council Committee
2006	Pitt Panther Health Fair
2009	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**

**2019-present** BWEF scholarship review Committee

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  
2014, 2016-17 Flu vaccine administration UPMC