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EDUCATION

MASTER OF ADVANCED
STUDY IN MARRIAGE
AND FAMILY THERAPY
Arizona State University
2009 -2010

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE
IN PSYCHOLOGY
Northern Arizona University
2003 - 2007

CREDENTIALS

ARIZONA
LMFT-15125
May 2014 - Present

AZBBHE
APPROVED
SUPERVISOR
May 2014 - Present

SERVICE

Co-chair for MAS-MFT
Capstone Projects
2022- present

Co-chair for MAS-MFT
Comprehensive Exams
2022 - present

Chair Co-director Search
Committee 2023-present

ACADEMIC/CLINICAL TEACHING EXPERIENCE

ASSISTANT CLINICAL PROFESSOR AND CO-DIRECTOR- 2022 TO PRESENT

Arizona State University Marriage and Family Therapy Graduate Program

- Presents graduate courses FAS 570: Introduction to Marriage and Family therapy; FAS 572 Advanced Techniques in Marriage and Family Therapy; FAS 576 Applied Issues in Human Development: Psychopathology; FAS 578 Applied Issues in Sexuality for MFT & FAS 580 MFT Practicum
- Creates assignments, grades student submissions, and provides feedback to graduate students
- Procures and facilitates relationships with new and current clinical internship sites and supervisors
- Works collaboratively with clinical internship sites to address graduate student performance and concerns

ASSOCIATE FACULTY - 2020 & 2021

Arizona State University Marriage and Family Therapy Graduate Program

Oct. 2021 - Dec. 2021

- Presented graduate course FAS 574: Family Theory for MFT in-person and recorded class via Zoom
- Created assignments, graded student submissions, and provided feedback to students
- Prepared students for licensure process and identified resources beyond graduation for licensure
- Worked collaboratively with program directors to address graduate student performance and concerns

Arizona State University Marriage and Family Therapy Graduate Program

Oct. 2020 - Dec. 2020

- Instructed graduate course FAS 574: Family Theory for MFT in person and via Zoom
- Created and graded assignments and provided feedback to students in preparation for licensure
- Worked collaboratively with program directors regarding graduate student performance and concerns

CLINICAL SUPERVISION CO-FACILITATOR - APRIL 2018

AZMFT Clinic & Arizona's Children Association/Phoenix

- Facilitated clinical supervision refresher course to clinical supervisors continuing to supervise associate and intern clinicians
- Presented theoretical approaches for supervision

GUEST LECTURER - APRIL 2014

Arizona State University MAS-MFT Program/Tempe

- Presented lecture on Parenting Preschool and School-aged Children to graduate program students
- Lectured on developmental stages including physical, cognitive, and emotional development

CERTIFICATIONS & TRAININGS

EFT for Difficult Couples
2019

LGBTQ Cultural Competency
2019

PREPARE/ENRICH Facilitator
2021

Inclusive Communities
Faculty Training
2022

The ACT Model and Approach
2020

The ACT Model & Approach
2021

Healing Grief & Loss
2022

Transforming Trauma with
Emotionally Focused Individual
2023

Gottman Level 1
2024

Gottman Level 2
2024

AWARDS AND NOMINATIONS

Nominated for the SSFD
Outstanding New
Faculty Award
May 2023

COMPUTER SKILLS

Online Course Tools:
Canvas, Respondus
Monitor

Software: Adobe Sign,
PeopleSoft

Microsoft: PowerPoint,
Excel, Office and
Word

GUEST LECTURER – APRIL 2014

Arizona State University MAS-MFT Program/Tempe

- Presented lecture on Risk/Suicide Assessment to graduate program students
- Facilitated discussion on clinical assessment questions and approach

GUEST LECTURER – NOV. 2013

Arizona State University MAS-MFT Program/Tempe

- Presented lecture on Risk/Suicide Assessment to graduate program students
- Facilitated discussion on clinical assessment questions and approach

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

ARIZONA MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPY CLINIC-JAN.2011 TO PRESENT

Senior clinician and Clinical Supervisor - July 2016 to Present

- Provides psychotherapy to a caseload of 10-15 couples, families, and individuals
- Manage and schedule appointments, complete appropriate documentation and provide follow-up and case coordination as needed
- Provide clinical consultation on case with multiple supervisors to associate clinicians and clinical interns

Clinician and Clinical Supervisor – July 2014 to December 2018

- Supervised 300+ hours of therapy sessions for 2 to 3 intern clinicians with a caseload of 10 to 20 clients each
- Staffed cases, discussed theoretical approach and interventions with all clinical interns

Clinical Coordinator – January 2014 to December 2017

- Answered clinic phones, completed initial client screening and consults
- Scheduled new and current clients with clinicians at 3 different office locations
- Inventoried and stocked clinic paperwork at all 3 locations

Associate Clinician – January 2011 to May 2014

- Provided psychotherapy to a caseload of 20 to 30 couples, individuals, and families
- Staffed cases with supervisor and completed logs for supervision sessions
- Integrated appropriate interventions as directed in sessions
- Scheduled new and current clients with clinicians among 3 different office locations

ARIZONA'S CHILDREN ASSOCIATION –JAN. 2010 TO DEC. 2010

Clinical Intern

- Provided psychotherapy to a caseload of 15 to 20 children and their families
- Staffed cases with supervisor and completed logs for supervision hours
- Completed appropriate documentation and scheduled appointments with clients
- Provided follow-up and coordination of referrals as needed
- Provided clinical consultation with Child and Family Teams to ensure coordination of care
- Completed 300+ hours of client contact for internship