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**Education**

- Doctorate of Philosophy: Lifespan Human Development (2003)  
College of Human Ecology, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS  
  
Dissertation - “Effects of PATHS® After School on Childrens’ Social Environment and Behavior”  
  
Evaluator’s Institute, American Evaluation Association (2004): Fifty-hour basic evaluation and outcome/impact evaluation institute with Dr. Mark Lipsey, Vanderbilt University  
  
Graduate Faculty Status: School of Family Studies and Human Development (2004)
- Master of Science: Adult and Community Counseling (1982); Gerontology emphasis,  
College of Education, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS  
  
Report: “Counseling Elderly Female Victims of Rape”  
  
Domestic Violence Response volunteer and “staff-on-call” (1979-1987), Crisis Center,  
Manhattan, KS
- Bachelor of Science: Psychology (1979); Psychological Technician emphasis,  
College of Arts and Sciences, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS  
  
Community counseling internship, manager of *The House, Inc.*, Hays, KS (summer 1978)  
  
Diagnostic assessment internship, Kansas Vocational Rehabilitation Center, Salina, KS (summer 1979)

**Professional Employment**

2005 – current Assistant Professor and Extension Specialist – Youth Development  
Coordinator of Great Plains – IDEA Youth Development Masters Program  
School of Family Studies and Human Services  
Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS

2005 Extension Specialist, Community Youth Development  
Kansas 4-H Youth Development, K-State Research and Extension  
Kansas State University

**Primary responsibilities:**

Health-related programming (e.g., physical activity, community-development intervention through USDA grant, etc.)

Out-of-School-Time (afterschool) programming and coordination

Professional development (e.g., training of Kansas Assoc. of Extension 4-H Agents)

Fund/Grant development and management

Evaluation implementation and technical assistance

1993-2005 Extension Assistant and Specialist, Community Youth Development, and Prevention and Human Development  
Community Health Institute (formerly Office of Community Health)  
K-State Research and Extension, Kansas State University

Primary responsibilities:

Translation of research-based community health interventions to applied out-of-school settings (e.g. afterschool sites, 4-H clubs, camps, etc.)  
Resource development and project management (e.g., USDA/OPENK, Connect KS project, Family Nutrition Program evaluation, etc.)  
Support strategic and outcomes-based planning (e.g., USDA 5-Year-LTIO development, Outcomes-based Extension Cadre training and project support)

1991-1993 Extension Assistant - Rural Mental Health Project Manager and Crisis Counseling Project Director, Kansas State University, Research and Extension

Primary responsibility:

Kansas implementation of a multi-state, federally funded farm and crisis related mental health promotion project; liaison to Kansas Community Mental Health Centers and Regional Prevention Centers

1982-1991 Director, Community Services for Aging and Flint Hills Housing Authority, North Central-Flint Hills Area Agency on Aging

Primary responsibility:

Direct eighteen county social service (e.g., case management, information and assistance, abuse response, health insurance counseling, housing rehabilitation, rental housing) area for elder and at-risk family services with average annual budget of \$450,000; direct supervision of four departmental staff and 35 volunteers.

**Professional Experience – Resource Development and Project Management:**

Co-Principal Investigator, Center for Engagement and Community Development; Partnerships for Healthier Kansas (\$12,000), Jan. 2007-December 2008.

Co-Principal Investigator, USDA-CYFAR; Department of Defense; Operation Military Kids (\$100,000), October 2005-September, 2007; \$18,824 add-on April 1-Sept. 2007)

Co-Principal Investigator, Sunflower Foundation, Powerful YOUth on 4-H Trails (2 grants, \$85,000), August 2005- July, 2007

Co-Investigator; US Centers for Disease Control (CDC); Youth Obesity Website (\$250,000); Oct. 2005 – December, 2006. (Time extension awarded)

Principal Investigator and Project Director – USDA/Children, Youth and Families At-Risk (CYFAR) “Kansas Teen Leadership for Physically Active Lifestyles” - \$732,000 (5 years; \$150,000 annually); May, 2004 – current

Grant Reviewer – National 4-H Council Healthy Lifestyles projects funded through Kraft Foods and Cargill; December, 2004 – February, 2005

Collaborator and Training Coordinator – USDA/National Research Initiative “Youth Obesity Prevention” project; \$996,000 (\$249,000 annually); awarded November, 2004

Author and Project Evaluator – National 4-H Council Afterschool Mentorship Project- \$15,000; June, 2004 – 2005

Author and School Health Council Member – Coordinated School Health Project Unified School District 383, Manhattan-Ogden - \$5,000; March, 2003 – current

Project Director – USDA/Family Nutrition Education Project (FNP) - \$213,612; October, 2002 – September, 2004

Project Manager – USDA/AES “Healthy Places for 4-H Youth” project - \$100,000; October 2001- September 2003

Grant Reviewer – Chronic Disease and Risk Reduction, Kansas Rural Health Options Program; Kansas Department of Health and Environment; February, 2000 – current

Project Director – Outcomes-based Health Cadre development course, \$100,000 Kansas Health Foundation, 2003-2004

Principal Investigator and Project Director - USDA/Children, Youth and Families At-Risk “Opportunities for Prevention Education and Networking in Kansas” (OPEN-K) – \$1.9 million; May, 1998-October, 2003

Project Evaluator – Ogden Youth Center, Kansas Juvenile Justice Authority - \$25,000; July, 1998 – June, 2002

Principal Investigator and Project Director - Kansas Dept. of SRS, Mental Health and Aging - \$61,404; January, 1997-December, 1997

Principal Investigator and Project Director - Kansas Dept. of Health and Environment Operation Immunize \$25,000; January, 1997-December, 1997

Principal Investigator and Project Director - Kansas Dept. of Health and Environment Operation Immunize \$20,000; January, 1996-December, 1996

Principal Investigator and Project Director - CMHSA and Kansas Dept. of SRS Crisis Counseling Training \$53,250; October, 1994-September, 1995

Principal Investigator and Project Director - CMHSA and Kansas Dept. of SRS Crisis Counseling Technical Assistance - \$42,060; October, 1994-September, 1995

Principal Investigator and Project Director - CMHSA and Kansas Dept. of SRS Domestic Violence training \$41,000; October, 1993-September 1995

Project Manager - USDA Rural Mental Health Project - \$350,000 total; January, 1991- September, 1994

Project Manager - USDA Flood Recovery - \$270,000; October, 1993 - September, 1995

Director - HUD Flint Hills Housing Authority - \$100,000 annually; July, 1989-December, 1990

Director - Farmers Home and Administration/USDA Housing Rehabilitation project - \$100,000 annually; October, 1988-March, 1991

**Professional Experience – Instruction and Sample of Presentations:**

April 10-12, 2007 – Presenter, 2007 Priester National Extension Health Conference, Kansas City, MO;  
*Behavioral Change- How You REALLY Get Results*

November 1-3, 2006 – Presenter, National American Evaluation Association (AEA) Conference, Portland, OR;  
*“Multidimensional Evaluation of Extension Nutrition Education Program Curricula for Youth: Knowledge Gaps Revealed and Strategies to Fill Them”.*

August-December, 2006 – Instructor FSHS 713 “Adolescents and Their Families” GP-IDEA Graduate Course, School of Family Studies and Human Services, Kansas State University

May, 2005 – National Children, Youth and At-Risk Families Conference, “Kansas 4-H Afterschool: A Mentorship Model”

April, 2005 –National Preister Extension Health Conference, “Kansas Teen Leadership for Physically Active Lifestyles”

January-May, 2005 – Instructor FSHS 719 “Program Management and Administration”  
GP-IDEA Graduate Course, School of Family Studies and Human Services, K-State University

May-July, 2004 – Co-Instructor FSHS 715/716 “Issues in Youth Development – Youth Violence”  
GP-IDEA Graduate Course, School of Family Studies and Human Development, K-State University

March, 2004 – “4-H Afterschool,” Kansas Community Education Association conference, Wichita, KS

March, 2004 – “Healthy Youth Places – NIH project overview,” Kansas Community Education Association conference, Wichita, KS

February, 2003 – January, 2004 – “Outcomes-based Health Cadre,” series of quarterly sessions for twenty-four participant professional development group

May, 2002 – “OPEN-K Evaluation,” USDA-Children, Youth and Families At-Risk (CYFAR) national conference, New Orleans, LA

April, 2002 – “Balancing Worklife,” USDA Administrators Conference, Kansas City, MO

June, 2001 – “Healthy Places Framework,” NASPSPA, St. Louis, MO

October, 2000 – “Community Collaboration,” Invited Speaker – Kansas Governor’s Prevention Conference, Topeka, KS

April, 1999 – “Youth Violence: Intervention and Prevention,” Invited Speaker – Univ. of Missouri, Research and Extension, Columbia, MO

November, 1993 – 1996 – Critical Incident Stress Debriefing and Trainer; Manhattan, KS

November, 1993 – 1996 – National Disaster Mental Health Trainer; American Red Cross, USA; Ft. Smith, AR; Houston, TX; Oklahoma City, OK

### **Professional Publications and Reports:**

August, 2004 – February, 2005 – Reviewer, Co-Author with Drs. Carol Kellett and Carol Fink – USDA/CSREES/Family and Consumer Sciences Plan-of-Work Project – \$15,000

2004 Kansas 4-H Youth Development Strategic Plan (co-author), K-State Research and Extension

2003 “Outcomes-based Planning Guide: Path to Improving Your Communities Health,” Community Health Institute, K-State Research and Extension

2002 “Our Collective Work – Youth Development through 4-H Opportunities: Profiles to Build Upon,” Office of Community Health, K-State Research and Extension

2000 “Students Building and Promoting Healthy Places,” Office of Community Health, K-State Research and Extension

1999 “Beginning with Bullying: Youth Violence Prevention” – USDA, MF-2412, Family and Consumer Sciences, K-State Research and Extension

1997 “Youth Violence: Seeking Solutions” – USDA, MF-2286, Family and Consumer Sciences, K-State Research and Extension

1996 “Youth Violence: What’s Happening and Why” – USDA , MF-23, Family and Consumer Sciences, K-State Research and Extension

1995 “When Words Become Weapons” Verbal Abuse Prevention – USDA, GT-346, Family and Consumer Sciences, K-State Research and Extension

1994 “When Violence Hits Home” Domestic Violence Prevention Program – USDA, MF-1162, Family and Consumer Sciences, K-State Research and Extension

1993 “Flood of Emotions: Recovery After the Crisis”- USDA, MF-1152, Family and Consumer Sciences, K-State Research and Extension

**Selected Recognition:**

2006 – Team Award Recipient, K-State Research and Extension, “Risk Management Team”

2004-2006, National Extension Leader Development (North Central Region) Fellow

2001 Builder (Innovation) Award Kansas State University, Research and Extension

1999 State Team Recognition Award for “Opportunities for Prevention Education and Networking in Kansas (OPEN-K),” Epsilon Sigma Phi National Extension Honorary

1998-2002 Governor Appointee, Executive Advisory Committee State Incentive Cooperative Agreement, federal SAMHSA \$9.6 million grant to prevent substance abuse in Kansas

1997-2002 Governor Appointee Citizens Advisory Committee; Kansas Dept. of SRS/Alcohol and Drug Abuse Services

1995 State Team Recognition for “When Violence Hits Home” Domestic Violence Prevention; Epsilon Sigma Phi, National Extension Honorary

1994 Public Awareness Award for K-State Rural Mental Health; Kansas Alliance for the Mentally Ill

**Memberships and Service:**

2007 – Special Alcohol Fund Advisory Committee, Mayoral Appointment, Manhattan

2006 – National Council on Family Relations (NCFR)

2006 - Epsilon Sigma Phi National Extension Honorary

2006 – Flint Hills Community Clinic volunteer, Manhattan, KS

2004-2006, Kansas Dept. of Education, Coordinated School Health Advisory Member

2004-2006, Executive Safety/Risk Management Committee, K-State Research and Extension

2003-current, Kansas Enrichment (Afterschool) Network Board Member and Standards Committee

2003-2005, Kansas Action for Healthy Kids Executive Board Member

2003-2006, USD 383 Coordinated School Health Committee

2003-current, USD 383 Site Council member

2003-current, Great Plains – IDEA faculty (six-state distance learning consortium for higher education)

2003-2004, Society for Adolescent Research

2003, USD 383 Budget Committee member

2002-current, Board member, Ogden Youth Center

2002-current, Kansas Extension Association of 4-H Agents

2002-2005, Kansas Communities-in-Schools Board Member, Secretary-Treasurer (2004-2006)

2001-current, American Evaluation Association; Extension Evaluation Topical Interest Group

1999-2004, Allocations Committee, Manhattan United Way

1997-2002, Board Member and President; Kansas Family Partnership