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Education

Ph.D.	Syracuse University 1996 - Marriage and Family Therapy
M. A.	Syracuse University 1992 - Marriage and Family Therapy
B. S.	Brigham Young University 1990 - Family Sciences

Professional Experience

Professor (Tenured)

University of Minnesota, Couple and Family Therapy (CFT) Program, Department of Family Social Science, College of Education and Human Development, 8/2009 – present.

-Position's responsibilities include: Teaching doctoral (CFT) and undergraduate courses in Family Social Science. Supervising doctoral MFT interns' clinical work. Mentoring graduate students in their research activities. Conducting a research program and providing University community service.

-**C/MFT Program Director** - Directed all academic and clinical affairs of the CFT program including COAMFTE accreditation compliance 08/2009 – 08/2017.

Editor-in-Chief Journal of Marital and Family Therapy

01/2018 – present (appointed for a four-year term (2018 – 2022)).
Editor Elect 05/2017 – 12/2017.

-Position's responsibilities include: Reviewing all manuscripts submitted to JMFT for publication, assigning peer reviewers, communicating to authors, the editorial board, and the leadership of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, and Wiley Publishing regarding the business of the Journal. Making all editorial decisions for JMFT during my tenure.

Professor (Tenured)

Texas Tech University, Marriage and Family Therapy (MFT), Department of Applied and Professional Studies, College of Human Sciences, Effective 8/2008 – August 2009.

-Position's responsibilities include: Teaching doctoral, masters, and undergraduate level courses in MFT and Applied and Professional Studies. Supervising doctoral and masters level MFT interns at the Family Therapy Clinic. Mentoring graduate students in their research activities. Conducting a research program and providing University community service.

Associate Professor (Tenured)

Texas Tech University, Marriage and Family Therapy (MFT), Department of Human Development and Family Studies Lubbock, Texas, 9/02 – 8/04, MFT - Department of Applied and Professional Studies (Dept. change due to college reorganization) College of Human Sciences, 9/04 – 8/08.

-Position's responsibilities include: See Professor responsibilities above

Associate Director – Minnesota Couples on the Brink Project

University of Minnesota, Department of Family Social Science, St. Paul, MN, 3/2011 – present.

-Responsible for the development of training and evaluation protocols for the Minnesota Couples on the Brink Project. Team member for discernment counseling protocol development. Trouble shooting research and implementation issues.

Associate Dean for Academics and Students

Texas Tech University, College of Human Sciences, Lubbock, Texas, 6/99 – 8/2007.

-Position's responsibilities include: Supervision of the College's Academic Advising Office and Recruitment Coordinator position, fiscal and enrollment management of College (HUSC prefix) courses, College level distance education oversight (i.e., GPIDEA), representative for the College of Human Sciences in all academic affairs, counseling with students who have academic problems, serving on college and university committees, faculty development and public relations for the college.

Assistant Professor (Tenure-track)

Texas Tech University, Marriage and Family Therapy, Department of Human Development and Family Studies, College of Human Sciences, Lubbock, Texas, 9/96 – 9/02.

-Position's responsibilities include: See Professor responsibilities above.

Research Advisory Group Chair: Texas Healthy Marriage Initiative

Member of a 13 person interdisciplinary team charged by the Texas Health and Human Services Commission with surveying the state of Texas on marriage, marriage attitudes, and divorce as well as advising HHSC on program evaluation of the Texas Healthy Marriage Initiative.

Group Chair – June 2007 – 2011 – Group disbanded due to funding constraints
Group Member - June 2005 – May 2007.

Research Advisory Group Member: Oklahoma Marriage Initiative

Member of an interdisciplinary research team that advises the Oklahoma Marriage Initiative

Group Member – January 2011 – Present.

Private Mental Health Practice – Individual, Couple, and Family Therapy

St. Paul & Woodbury, Minnesota August 2009 – Present.
Lubbock, Texas, August 1996 – August 2009

-Serving a host of couples and families as well as multiple contracts with a variety of entities in the St. Paul (and formerly South Plains of West Texas) area including: Public school systems, drug and alcohol treatment centers, South Plains College's counseling center, legal consultation (expert witness), etc.

Subject Matter Expert (SME) – EDMC On-Line Higher Ed./Argosy University

October 2008 – January 2009

Contracted to design an on-line Marriage and Family Therapy Assessment Course for Argosy University's Ph.D. program in MFT.

Radio Talk Show Host – “50/50 With Tom and Steve”

News Radio 1420 KJDL, Lubbock, Texas, September 2005 – August 2006.

Weekly radio talk show addressing relational and mental health issues. Co-host with Thomas G. Kimball, Ph.D.

Family Therapy Clinic Director

-Family Therapy Clinic at Texas Tech University, August 1998 – August 1999.

-Position's responsibilities include: Fiscal, Clinical and Marketing supervision and general operation of the TTU Family Therapy Clinic.

Invited Visiting Professor – Helsingin Yliopisto (University of Helsinki – Finland)

Faculty of Social Psychology – May 20 – June 2nd, 2000.

-Position responsibilities include: Teaching a graduate class on family violence: Families in Crisis. Enrollment 26.

Therapist

Crouse Irving Memorial Hospital - Employee Assistance Program, Syracuse, New York, 3/94 - 8/96.

-Position's responsibilities include: Providing counseling and crisis intervention services. Clinical work with children, adolescents and couples. Conducting mental health presentations and other public relations seminars. Administration of hospital's mental health managed care program. Conducting program research and evaluation.

Clinical Assistant

Syracuse University's Office of Residence Life/Counseling Center, Syracuse, New York, 8/90- 5/94.

-Graduate assistantship responsibilities include: Working inside campus residence halls and the University Counseling Center counseling students and providing psychoeducation. Member of an "On-Call" crisis intervention team.

Therapist

Clinical Counseling Services, Syracuse, New York, 3/93 - 12/93.

-Responsibilities include: Providing couples, families and individuals with psychotherapy. DWI evaluations and drug/alcohol use assessments. Periodic presentations on mental health issues for staff development.

Clinical Intern

Goldberg Marriage and Family Therapy Clinic, Syracuse University, 1990 - 1993.

-Responsibilities include: Providing couples, families and individuals with psychotherapy. Working toward 500 supervised clinical hours per AAMFT accredited Master's program requirements.

Clinical Intern

Family Service Associates, Liverpool, New York, 8/91 - 7/92.

-Master's degree placement - Responsibilities include: Providing couples, families, and individuals with psychotherapy. Member of "live" observation intake clinic team.

Research Assistant

Dr. Dean M. Busby, MFT Program, Syracuse University, 1991 - 1992.

-Collected and analyzed clinic data. Conducted ethnographic interviews after client's fourth and termination sessions. Tracked therapist case-load and assisted in the assignment of clients.

Research Assistant

Dr. Eugene Mead, MFT Program, Brigham Young University, 1989.

-Member of a five person team assigned to micro-code therapist behavior.

Staff Member

High Challenge Trainings – Outdoor Experiential Learning (Ropes) Course, Pleasant Grove, Utah, 1989 - 1990.

Publications (Peer Reviewed)

Crabtree, S. A., **Harris, S. M.**, Bell, N. K., Allen, S., & Roberts, K. (in submission). The Roles of Love and Happiness in Divorce Decision Making. Journal of Divorce and Remarriage.

Hong, S., Hall, E. L., Bell, N. K., Burcher, S., & **Harris, S. M.**, (in submission). Just the Two of Us: How Parental Sacrifice and Religiosity Influence Couple Bonding. Journal of Family Studies.

Newstrom, N. P., **Harris, S. M.**, Miller, M. (in submission –Revise and Resubmit). Adolescent Sex Offenders and Relationship Strain: An Exploration of Family and Peer Strain. Sexual Abuse: A Journal of Research and Treatment.

Cooper, D. K., Holth, A., Jordan, E., Braughton, J. Li, Y, Ausherbauer, & **Harris, S. M.** (in press). Stress, Couple Satisfaction and the Moderating Role of Couple Sexuality. Journal of Family & Consumer Sciences.

Wickel Didericksen, K., Berge, J. M., Hannan, P. J., **Harris, S. M.**, MacLehose, R. F., & Neumark-Sztainer, D. (in press). Examining the Relationship between Family Triadic Concordance and Discordance on Home Environment Factors and Adolescent Disordered Eating Behaviors. Family Systems and Health.

Zubatsky, M, Mendenhall, T. J., Fowler, J., & **Harris, S. M.** (in press). A Pain to Practice: Attitudes of Medical Family Therapists Working with Patients with Opioid Abuse. American Journal of Family Therapy.

Harris, S. M., Crabtree, S. A., Bell, N. K., Allen, S. M., & Roberts, K. M. (in press). Seeking Clarity and Confidence in the Divorce Decision Making Process. Journal of Divorce and Remarriage. DOI <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/10502556.2016.1268015>

Novak, J., Whiting, J. B., Brown, M., & Harris, S. M. (2018). The Impact of Relationship Education on the Couple Relationship: A Grounded Theory of Intentionality and Awareness. Journal of Couple and Relationship Therapy. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1080/15332691.2017.1417939>

Bell, N. K., **Harris, S. M.**, Crabtree, S. A., Allen, S. A., & Roberts, K. M. (2017). Divorce Decision-Making and the Divine. Journal of Divorce and Remarriage. DOI: 10.1080/10502556.2017.1375330

- Hawkins, A. J., Galovan, A. M., **Harris, S. M.**, Allen, S. E., Allen, S. M., Roberts, K. M., & Schramm, D. G., (2017). What Are They Thinking? A National Study of Stability and Change in Divorce Ideation. Family Process, 56, p.852-868. DOI: 10.1111/famp.12299
- Zubatsky, J. M., **Harris, S. M.**, & Mendenhall, T (2017). Clinical Training and Practice Patterns of Medical Family Therapists: A National Survey. Journal of Marital and Family Therapy, 43, 264-275. DOI: 10.1111/jmft.12203
- Carlson, R.G., Rappleyea, D.L., Daire, A.P., **Harris, S. M.**, & Liu, X. (2017). The Effectiveness of Couple and Individual Relationship Education: Distress as a Moderator. Family Process, 56, 91-104. DOI: 10.1111/famp.12172.
- DuPree, D. G., Whiting, J. B., & **Harris, S. M.** (2016). A Person-Oriented Analysis of Couple & Relationship Education. Family Relations, 65: 635–646. doi:10.1111/fare.12222
- Newstrom, N. P. & **Harris, S. M.** (2016). Pornography and Couples: What Does the Research Tell Us? Contemporary Family Therapy, 38, 412-423. DOI 10.1007/s10591-01609396-4
- Harris, S. M.**, Porter, R., Whiting, J. B., Brown, M., Rappleyea, D. L., & Crabtree, S. A., (2016). Perceptions of Personal Safety among Lower-Income Relationship Education Participants: A Grounded Theory Study. Journal of Couple and Relationship Therapy, 15, 321-340
<http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/15332691.2015.1103349>
- Whiting, J. B., **Harris, S. M.**, Cravens, J. D., & Oka, M. (2016). Be the Change You Want to See: Discovering Principles of Nonviolent Social Movements in Intimate Relationships. The Family Journal: Counseling and Therapy for Couples and Families, 1-11 DOI: 10.1177/1066480716663190
- Lind Seal, K., Doherty, W. J., & **Harris, S. M.** (2016). Confiding about Problems in Marriage and Long-Term Committed Relationships: A National Study. Journal of Marital and Family Therapy, 42, 438-450, DOI:10.1111/jmft.12134
- Doherty, W. J., **Harris, S. M.**, & Wilde, J. L. (2016). Discernment Counseling for “Mixed Agenda” Couples. Journal of Marital and Family Therapy, 42(2), pp. 246-255, DOI: 10.1111/jmft.12132
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- Kanewischer, E. J. W, & **Harris, S. M.** (2015). Deciding Not to Un-do the “I Do.” Therapy Experiences of Women Who Consider Divorce but Decide to Remain Married. Journal of Marital and Family Therapy, 41(3), 367-380 DOI: 10.1111/jmft.12064
- Rowden, T. J., **Harris, S. M.**, & Wickel, K. (2014). Understanding Humility and Its Role in Relational Therapy. Contemporary Family Therapy. DOI: 10.1007/s10591-013-9297-8
- Perez, C., Brown, M. D., Whiting, J. B., & **Harris, S. M.** (2013). Experiences of Latino Couples in Relationship Education: A Critical Analysis. The Family Journal, 21(4), 377-385 DOI: 10.1177/1066480713488525
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- Schramm, D. G., **Harris, S. M.**, Whiting, J. B., Hawkins, A. J., Brown, M., & Porter, R. (2013). Economic Costs and Policy Implications Associated with Divorce: Texas as a Case Study. Journal of Divorce and Remarriage, 54, 1-24. DOI: 10.1080/10502556.2012.725354

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- Szarzynski, A., Porter, R., Whiting, J. B., & **Harris, S. M.** (2012). Low-Income Mothers in Marriage and Relationship Education: Program Experiences and Beliefs about Marriage and Relationships. *Journal of Couple and Relationship Therapy*, 11, 322-342. DOI: 10.1080/15332691.2012.718972
- Becher, E., Ogasawara, T., & **Harris, S. M.**, (2012). Death of a Clinician: The Personal, Practical and Clinical Implications of Therapist Mortality. *Contemporary Family Therapy: An International Journal*, 34, 313-321. DOI 10.1007/s10591-012-9181-y.
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Books and Manuals

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- The National Divorce Decision-Making Project (2015). *What are they thinking? A national survey of married individual who are thinking about divorce*. Provo, UT: Family Studies Center, Brigham Young University. Authors, Hawkins, A. J., Roberts, K., Harris, S. M., Allen, S., Schramm, D., & Galovan, A.
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- Harris, S. M., & Bean, R. A. (2012). *Seven Letters That Will Bring You Closer to Your College Student*. Y Mountain Press: Provo, Utah (Books in print and distributed: 450 as of Fall 2012).
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Book Chapters

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Instructional Media

- Harris, S. M. (2011 – Present – updated continually). Channel “MinnMFT” on Youtube.com. Channel presents interviews with leading researchers in the field of Marriage and Family Therapy. Each interview is available for educators to use in their own teaching and mentoring. New interviews are added periodically.
- Harris, S. M., & Bagwell, D. C. (2005). Case Studies in Financial Counseling. Instructional DVD, Lubbock, TX. *This DVD presents 8 case vignettes of individuals and couples meeting with counselors to discuss their financial and relational concerns. The vignettes were created for use in problem-focused instruction at the undergraduate and graduate levels.* Written, Directed, and Produced by Steven M. Harris and Dorothy C. Bagwell.
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Media Appearances

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Rappleyea, D.L., Harris, S.M., Hawkins, A.J., & Fawcett, E. (2007). Health and Conflict in Relationships:

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- Harris, S. M.** (1992, August). Ethics, Legalities, Professionalism, and the Professor: A Document Analysis. Master's degree thesis project, Syracuse University.

Research in Progress

- Divorce Ideation and Marital Reconciliation Decision Making (Discernment Counseling)
- Ethical Mental Health Delivery and Professional Development of Marriage and Family Therapists
- Effectiveness of Marriage and Relationship Education

Grants and Sponsored Projects

Total Funding \$ 3,013,080.00

Journal of Marital and Family Therapy (JMFT). Grant funded through the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy for Dr. Harris to serve as the Editor in Chief of the Journal for a four-year term. Role: PI.

Requested: \$ 2,444 **Funded:** \$ 2,444 – (October 2017 – December 2017)

Requested: \$69,873 **Funded:** \$ 69,873 – (January 2018 – August 2018)

Hmong Healthy Marriage Healthy Families (HHMHF) Project. Federal grant submitted to the Department of Health and Human Services: Administration for Children and Families (ACF) to initiate and develop capacity within the Hmong community in the Twin Cities area to strengthen marriage, increase the number of marital first responders in the community, and reduce divorce. Co-PI with Dr. Zha Blong Xiong

Requested: \$ 6,495,069 **Not Funded (Spring 2015)**

Marital First Responders Project. Bradley Foundation grant proposal. Funding requested to establish a protocol for training individuals within naturally occurring social networks to support marriages in distress. Co-PI with Dr. William J. Doherty.

Requested: \$ 74,459 **Funded:** \$ 35,000 (Jan 2014)

Requested: \$ 88,524 **Funded:** \$ 45,000 (December 2012)

The influence of past and current family experiences on compulsive hoarding behavior. International OCD Foundation. February 2012. Grant request to develop and fund a nation-wide internet survey of people who hoard and family members of people who hoard to examine the etiological influence of family relationships and unresolved trauma and loss on compulsive hoarding behavior. Co-PI with Jennifer Sampson.

Requested: \$48,253 **Not funded**

Texas Healthy Marriage Initiative. Texas State Health and Human Services Commission. Contract to complete state-wide survey of marriage trends, attitudes, and divorce in Texas. Additional responsibilities include coordination of Research Advisory Group (RAG) meetings, data management, and public relations related to dissemination of findings. Additional projects include program evaluation of multi-site Community Healthy Marriage Initiatives (CHMIs), Regional Intermediary (RI) Premarital Education project, and Healthy Marriage Demonstration Projects/Development Programs (HMDPs) throughout Texas. Harris served as PI 2007 – 2009. From 2009 – 2011 J. Whiting served as institutional PI (@ TTU) with Harris as lead consultant.

Requested: \$285,812 **Funded \$ 285,812** (September 2009 – August 2010).

Requested: \$ 1,100,000 **Funded \$ 626,501** (September 2008- August 2009).

Requested: \$ 347,000 **Funded \$ 347,000** (June 2007 – August 2008).

National Healthy Marriage Resource Center. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration of Children and Families. Grant to develop and maintain a national resource for supporting individuals in the United States who choose to marry. Five-year grant received by the National Council on Family Relations in partnership with Texas Tech University, Brigham Young University, University of Minnesota, Syracuse University, and Norfolk State University. Texas Tech Co-PIs include Steven M. Harris, James Mitchell and Dean M. Busby (1st year only).

Requested: \$160,000 **Funded \$160,000** (Year 1 –TTU portion only) (total grant \$900,000 -2004)
Requested: \$160,000 **Funded \$160,000** (Year 2 – TTU portion only) (total grant \$900,000 -2005)
Requested: \$512,993 **Funded \$512,993** (Year 2 - TTU, Dr. Harris became the sole PI on this collaborative venture Feb – Sept 06).

National Healthy Marriage Resource Center (Matching Funds). Annie E. Casey Foundation. Additional funds to support the ACF funded NHMRC (see above).

Requested: \$ 50,000 **Funded \$ 50,000** (Year 2 of HMRC grant Feb – Sept 2006)

Developing Problem-Focused Instructional Media for Financial and Marital Counseling. Teaching, Learning, and Technology Center, Texas Tech University, 2004. Proposal to create an instructional video/DVD to enhance teaching financial related couple and family dilemmas to family therapists and personal financial planners. Co-PI with Dottie Bagwell, Ph.D.

Requested: \$9,820 **Funded \$9,820**

Enhancing Disability Counseling Resources for Internet and In-Class Instruction. Teaching, Learning, and Technology Center, Texas Tech University, 2003. Proposal to create an instructional video to enhance disability counseling education to be delivered by Internet technology and traditional means. Co-PI with Jared C. Schultz, Ph.D. Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center.

Requested: \$ 5,000 **Not Funded.**

Early Head Start - Fatherhood Demonstration Project - “Engagement, Education, Encouragement, and Empowerment: A Program to Involve Fathers in New and Emerging EHS Centers.” Department of Health and Human Services, Administration on Children, Youth and Families. Grant to engage fathers in the lives of their EHS children. Requested funding for three year demonstration project. Lead PI, Steven M. Harris, Ph.D., Co-PI s Dean M. Busby, Ph.D. & Eric Lindsey, Ph.D.

Requested: \$ 151,589 **Funded: \$ 151,589** Spring 01 (Year 1)
Requested: \$ 182,605 **Funded: \$ 182,605** Spring 02 (Year 2)
Requested: \$ 154,691 **Funded: \$ 154,691** Spring 03 (Year 3)

Premarital Education: Evaluating the Effectiveness of Programs to Strengthen Marriage and Reduce the Incidence of Divorce in Texas. Grant submitted to the Texas State Attorney General’s Office. Lead PI, David C. Ivey, Ph.D., CO-PIs, Dean M. Busby, Ph.D., & Steven M. Harris, Ph.D.

Requested: \$ 185,282 **Funded: \$92,641** (Year 1 - 2001)
 Funded: \$92,641 (Year 2 - 2002)

Beaten But Not Beating: Revisiting the Cycle of Violence. Guggenheim Foundation research grant - 1999. Proposed to study a sample of violent and non-violent people who had experienced abuse as children to determine why most have not become violent despite witnessing/experiencing violence in their own homes.

Requested: \$ 32,236 **Not Funded.**

Support and Change for Emotionally Disturbed Youth: YWCA Recreation for the Challenged Program. Community service contract, Lubbock YWCA, Spring 1999 (Feb-May), Fall 99-Spring 00.

Funding for 2 mental health specialists from the MFT program at TTU to provide counseling and support to the children referred to the Recreation for the Challenged Program as well as training to the YWCA staff on how to work with emotionally disturbed children.

Requested: \$ 7,746.96 **Funded: \$ 7,746** Spring 99
Requested: \$ 13,024.80 **Funded: \$ 13,024** Fall 99 – Spring 00

Developing Cultural Diversity Media for Classroom and Web-Based Instruction. Teaching, Learning, and Technology Center, Texas Tech University, 98-99. Create an instructional video depicting clinical vignettes involving multi-cultural issues mental health professionals encounter. Distribute the videotape in both traditional and non-traditional means (i.e., via the Web). Co-PI with Elizabeth Wieling, Ph.D..

Requested: \$ 5,700 **Funded: \$ 5,700**

The Effects of Family Characteristics on Family Business Functioning. Grant proposal submitted to TTU's Office of Research Services' Interdisciplinary Research Project -- 1998. Assessment and analysis of family business characteristics as well as the interpersonal and relational aspects of family life in family owned and operated businesses. Co-PI with Ritch L. Sorenson, Ph.D., College of Business Administration.

Requested: \$ 15,485 **Not Funded**

Interpersonal Attraction in the Therapeutic Relationship. Faculty Development Grant funded by the College of Human Sciences at Texas Tech University, 96-97 and 97-98 (two funding cycles). Conduct research on the phenomenon of attraction in the therapeutic relationship via traditional (pen and paper survey) and non-traditional means (web/internet).

Requested: \$ 8,000 **Total Funded: \$ 8,000**

Meeting the Needs of Children who Receive Counseling at an Employee Assistance Program (EAP). Grant proposal submitted to the Children's Miracle Network: Central New York Children's Health Fund, May, 1996. Funds requested to outfit the EAP at Crouse Memorial Hospital, Syracuse, New York, with toys, activity resources, and other media designed to engage children in counseling.

Requested: \$ 1,945 **Not Funded**

Teaching Experience

Courses Taught

FSOS 4104 – Family Psychology (Undergraduate) University of Minnesota, Spring 2012, 2013, 2016, 2017, Fall 2016.

FSoS 5014 – Quantitative Research Methods (Graduate) University of Minnesota Fall 2016

FSOS 8560 Special Topics – Professional Writing in MFT (Doctoral) University of Minnesota, Spring 2011.

FSOS 8036 Couple and Family Therapy Research Methods (Doctoral) University of Minnesota, Fall 2010, 2012.

FSOS 8034 Marriage and Family Therapy Supervision (Doctoral) University of Minnesota, Fall 2010, Spring 2012, 2014, 2015 (dual listed as EDHD 5300:009, 5300.013).

FSOS 8297 – Supervision of Supervision (Practicum) – University of Minnesota, Fall 2011,

2012, 2013, 2014, Spring 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015.

FSOS 8039 Clinical Interventions for Couples (Doctoral) University of Minnesota, Fall 2009, 2011.

FSOS 8037 Ethics, Legal, and Professional Issues in MFT (Doctoral) University of Minnesota, Spring 2010, 2012, 2014 (taught as independent study to MFT doc student – non-credit).

CFAS 4300 – Coaching Leaders (Undergraduate). Texas Tech University, Spring 2008.

HDFS/CFAS 4331 – Introduction to Marriage and Family Therapy (Undergraduate). Texas Tech University, Fall 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2007. (Course prefix changed to CFAS 4331 in 2005)

MFT 5300 – Introduction to MFT (Graduate). Texas Tech University Fall 07, 08 (Cohort building course - credit under MFT 7000).

IS 1100 – Interdisciplinary Studies Freshmen Seminar. Texas Tech University Core Curriculum Course designed to acculturate first year students to the University and academic life. Fall 00, 01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 08.

MFT 5370 - Ethical and Professional Issues in Marriage and Family Therapy (Doctoral). Texas Tech University, Fall 96, Spring 99, 02, 03, 05, 09, Fall 99, 00, 01, 06.

MFT 6303 - Sex and Marital Therapy (Doctoral). Texas Tech University, Spring 98, 00.

MFT 6342 - Doctoral Seminar - Family Violence, Texas Tech University, Fall 97.

FS 3326 - Families in Crisis (Undergraduate), Texas Tech University, Spring 97, 98, Summer 98, Fall 98.

FS 2322 - Courtship & Marriage (Undergraduate). Texas Tech University, Summer I, 99.

MFT 6395 - Practicum in Marriage and Family Therapy (Doctoral). Texas Tech University, Fall 96, 97, 08, Summer 97, Spring 98, 99, 01, 04, 06, 07.

CFS 625- Introduction to Marriage and Family Therapy (non MFT graduate students). Syracuse University, Summer Session 94, (Co-Taught with Dr. Dean Busby).

Graduate Research Advising (University of Minnesota)

<u>Doctoral Students</u>	<u>Project - Advising Role</u>	<u>Status</u>
Emily Becher	Committee member AAMFT Minority Fellowship MAMFT Outstanding Student 2010	Critical - complete Special –complete Defended Fall 2014
Tasha Bell	Academic Advisor – MFT	Critical – Complete Pre-Lim exam Complete
Jackie Broughton	Academic Advisor - MFT	Critical – Complete Pre-Lim exam Complete
Anna Bohlinger	Committee member AAMFT Thesis Award 2012	Critical – complete Special – complete

		Defended March 2016
Sarah Crabtree	Academic Advisor – MFT AAMFT Minority Fellowship Chair	Critical - complete Pre-Lim exam complete Dissertation Proposed
Iman Dadras Konestani	Committee Member	Qualifying Exam complete Defended 2015
Jessie Everts	Dissertation Committee member	Defended – Spring 2011
Noah Gagner	Committee Co-Advisor w/ Tai Mendenhall AAMFT Minority Fellowship	Critical Review - complete Pre Lim exam complete
Derek Gwinn	Dissertation Committee member	Proposal –Defended Defended Spring 2014
Eugene Hall	Academic Advisor	Critical Complete Pre Lim exam complete
Carrie Hanson	Academic Advisor Chair	Critical Review – complete Special Project – complete Qualifying Exam complete Defended Summer 2015
Blendine Hawkins	Committee member	Critical Review – complete Defended 2014
To Nga Hoang	Committee member	Proposal – in progress Qualifying Exam complete Defended Summer 2014
Aimee Hubbard	Academic Advisor	
Melanie Jackson	Committee member	Critical Review – complete Qualifying Exam complete Defended Summer 2015
Erica Kanewischer	Academic Advisor Dissertation Chair 2012 AAMFT Grad Student Research Award Recipient	Critical Review – complete Special Project – complete Qualifying Exam complete Defended Fall 2012
Ashley Landers	Academic Advisor – Temporary	2012-2013
Chris Mehus	Committee member AAMFT Minority Fellowship	Critical Review - complete Special – complete Defended – Spring 2015
Matt Miller	Committee member	Critical Review – complete Qualifying Exam complete Defended Fall 2014
Erin Morgan	Committee member	Defended Spring 2015
Nick Newstrom	Academic Advisor	Critical Review – complete

	AAMFT Minority Fellowship	Special – Complete Defended Dec 2107
Jennifer Sampson	Academic Advisor Dissertation Chair AAMFT Minority Fellowship MAMFT Outstanding Doctoral Student 2012	Qualifying Exam complete Proposal Defended Defended Spring 2013
Charles Sim	Committee member	Critical Review – complete Special Project – complete Defended Summer 2015
Tisa Thomas	Committee member	Critical Review – complete
Holli Trombley	Committee member	Special Project – complete Qualifying Exam Complete Defended Summer 2014
Jason Wilde	Dissertation Committee member	Defended Fall 2011
Kit Wickel	Academic Advisor – MFT Chair AAMFT Minority Fellowship	Critical Review – complete Special Project - submitted Qualifying Exam complete Defended May 2014
Corey Yeager	Academic Advisor –Temporary Committee Member AAMFT Minority Fellowship	2013-2013 Defended Dec 2017
Janet Yeats	Committee Member Dissertation Chair	Special Project – complete Completed w/MS 2013
Max Zubatsky	Academic Advisor – MFT MAMFT Outstanding Doctoral Student 2011	Critical Review – complete Special Project – complete Qualifying Exam complete Defended Spring 2013

Graduate Research Advising (Texas Tech University)

Doctoral Students	Project - Advising Role	Status
Mark Adams	Dissertation – Chair	Defended- Spring 05
Sonya Britt (PFP)	Dissertation Committee Member	Completed Harris resigned in fall 2009
Charette Alyse Dersch	Research Experience (7000) - Chair Dissertation - Chair AAMFT Graduate Student Research	Completed – Spring 98 Defended - Summer 02 Award 1999
Shannon Dial	Research Experience (7000) – Chair	in progress Harris resigned in fall 2009
Chad Graff	Dissertation – Chair	Defended Summer 09
Gillett, Kyle	Dissertation – Committee Member	Defended Summer 06

Darryl Haslam	Research Experience (7000) Chair Dissertation – Chair TTU Summer Dissertation Award	Completed – Fall 2003 Defended – Summer 06 2005
Austin Houghtaling	Research Experience (7000) Chair Dissertation – Chair	Completed Summer 06 Harris resigned Fall 2009
Kelli Wenner Hays	Research Experience (7000) - Chair Dissertation - Chair	Completed – Fall 2000 Defended Fall 2002
Branden Henline	Research Experience (7000) – Chair Dissertation- Chair	Completed – Summer 04 Defended – Summer 06
Steven Humphries	Dissertation - Committee Member	Defended – Fall 99
Lynnanne Joiner	Dissertation – Chair	Defended – Spring 08
Matthew Jordan	Research Experience (7000) - Chair Dissertation – Chair	Completed 2008 Harris resigned fall 2009
Thomas G. Kimball	Ad Hoc Dissertation Cmt member Research Experience (7000) – Co-Chair w/ Karen S. Wampler, Ph.D.	Defended - Fall 01 Completed – Fall 99
Shaun Lester	Research Experience (7000) – Chair	Completed – Summer 05
Marika Martin	Dissertation –Co-Chair (K.Wampler)	In progress 2009 Harris resigned in fall 2009
Austin Moore	Research Experience (7000) - Chair	In Progress Harris resigned in fall 2009
Adam Munk	Dissertation Committee Member	Defended – Fall 08
Tim Parker	Research Experience (7000) – Chair Dissertation – Chair	In progress Harris resigned in fall 2009
Robert Porter	Research Expeirnce (7000) – Chair Dissertation – Chair	In progress Harris resigned in fall 2009
Damon Rappleyea	Research Experience (7000) – Chair Dissertation – Chair	Completed Summer 06 Defended Spring 09
T. J. Rowden	Research Experience (7000) – Chair Dissertation – Chair	Completed – Summer 04 Completed – Spring 09
Brian Samford	Dissertation – Chair	Defended Fall 2006
Paul Springer	Research Experience (7000) – Chair Dissertation – Chair	Completed – Spring 04 Defended – Summer 07
Glade Topham	Research Experience (7000) – Chair Dissertation – Committee Member	Completed – Summer 02 Defended – Fall 03

Master’s Students

James Drake	M.S. Research Project Experience	took leave of absence
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Nancy Frye	Thesis – Committee member (HDFS)	Defended – Spring 1998
Dinah Harriger	M.S. Research Project Experience	Completed – Summer 2007
LaToya Hill	Thesis – Committee member	Defended – Summer 2001
Rachel Saul Lacey	Thesis – Committee member (HDFS)	Defended - Summer 1999
Valerie McGaha	M.S. Research Project Experience	Completed- May 04
Austin Moore	M.S. Research Project Experience	Completed – Summer 08
Stephen Ochsner	Thesis - Chair	Withdrew from program
Jere' Webber	Thesis - Chair	Defended – Summer 2002
Ashlee Winkler Brown	Research Project Experience	Completed Summer 2006

Graduate Research Advising (External Universities)

Doctoral Students	Project - Advising Role	Status
Renata Carneiro Drexel University	Dissertation – Outside member	Proposal – Fall 2014 Defended – Spring 2015
Devin Dupree Texas Tech University	Dissertation – Outside member	Proposal – Spring 2014 Defended – Fall 2014

Professional Organizations & License

American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (AAMFT) - Clinical Fellow, Approved Supervisor, COAMFTE Site Visitor (not currently active as a site visitor).

Minnesota Association for Marriage and Family Therapy - Clinical Member, Approved Supervisor (August 2009 – present)

Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy - Clinical Member, Approved Supervisor (August 1996 – August 2009)

Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist - Texas # 004761 (December 1997 – December 2010)

Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist – Minnesota # 2233 (August 2010 – Present)

Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist Approved Supervisor – Minnesota (October 2010 – present.)

Professional Service Activities

Editor in Chief – Journal of Marital and Family Therapy
Oct 2017 – Present

Editorial Advisory Board – Journal of Marital and Family Therapy
August 2000 – present.

Reviews Editor – Journal of Marital and Family Therapy
August 2000 – January 2005.

Editorial Advisory Board – Family Relations
January 2011 – present.

Editorial Advisory Board – Journal of Couple and Relationship Therapy
January 2011 – 2012.

Reviews Editor – Journal of Couple and Relationship Therapy
January 2011 – August 2012.

At-Large Board Member – Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy
January 2001 – 2003. Elected position.
January 2003 – 2005. Elected position.
January 2005 – April 2007. Elected position.

Reviews Editor
Journal of the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy
March 2008 – August 2009.

Friend and Advisor – National Healthy Marriage Resource Center
July 2008 – present.

External Member of Review Team
Administrative Unit Review – Brigham Young University. Invited External Review team member to review operations and policies associated with the University's Comprehensive Clinic (Serving BYU's Clinical Psych, Social Work, and MFT programs), September 2005.

COAMFTE Accreditation Site Visits
Utah State University (Master's Program) September 2006
Loma Linda University (Master's, Ph.D, & DMFT Programs) February 2005
The University of Oregon (Master's Program) December 2002 - Chair
The Ohio State University (Doctoral Program) April 2001
Iowa State University (Doctoral Program) February 2000
University of Akron (Master's & Doctoral Programs) December 1999

Ad Hoc Reviewer
Journal of Divorce and Remarriage, 2017 (1 article)
The Forum for Family and Consumer Issues 2016. (1 article)
Family Relations 2009, 2010, 2011 (multiple articles)
Employee Assistance: Research Supplement, 1998, 1999.

MFT Doctoral Educators Research Summit Group
Annual Conference Co-Chair (Milwaukee) 2014.
Chair: Mission Statement Sub Committee 2012
Fort Worth Meeting Planning Committee Member 2011

Family Therapy Research Consortium (AAMFT)

Technology Committee member, 1996 - 1998.
Texas Tech Liaison 1999-2001.

Great Plains Interactive Distance Education Alliance (GPIDEA)

Board Member - Texas Tech University Representative 2002- 2007
Treasurer 2005 – August 2007

Committee Membership – University of Minnesota

University Level

College Level

- * Tenure and Promotion Advisory Committee 2017 – Present
- * Tenure and Promotion Advisory Committee 2011 – 2013

Department of Family Social Science

- * Awards and Scholarship Committee 2012 – 2015
- * Curriculum Re-vamp task force 2011-2014 (ex officio-CFT Program Director)
- * Examination and Evaluation Committee 2011- 2014
- * Futures Committee 2009-2014
- * MFT Committee – 2009 – present
- * Policy and Procedure Work Group 2009-2010
- * Post Tenure Review Committee 2012 – 2015
- * MFT Faculty Search 2011-2012 – Hired Tai Mendenhall
- * CFT Faculty Search 2013-2014 - Chair
- * FSoS Dept Head Search 2012-2013

Committee Membership - Texas Tech University

- * Teaching Academy – Departmental Excellence in Teaching Award Selection Committee 08-09.
- * Academic Council, 1999-2007.
- * Associate Dean’s Council, 1999- 2007.
- * Member Sub-Committee on Probation-Suspension Policy 1999-2002.
- * Member Sub-Committee on Disciplinary Actions Policy 2002 – 2004.
- * Member Academic Integrity Committee & Implementation Task Force 2001-2005.
- * Student Information System Priority Committee, 1999- 2004.
- * Member Sub-Committee on Formatting Schedule of Classes for Web-based delivery. 2002.
- * University “Rump” Group, 1999- 2007. (A council of 30 administrators responsible for troubleshooting University operations. Acts as an advisory body to the University’s Academic Council.)
- * Academic Integrity Task Force 2002-2004
- * Academic Integrity Implementation committee 2003-2004
- * Enrollment Management Council – 2000- 2007.
- * SACS Compliance Review Committee 2003-2005
- * Hill Country Academic Advisory Committee 2002 – 2007.
- * Distance Education Council 2002 – 2005.
- * Teacher Education Council 1999 – 2007.
- * Who’s Who Selection Committee – (University level 1999, 2000) (College level 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007).
- * Student Life Council, 2006 – 2007.
- * Sexual Harassment Prevention Committee, 1997 - 2000.
- * Administrative Council - College of Human Sciences, 1999- 2005.
- * Executive Committee - College of Human Sciences, 1999- 2007.
- * Curriculum Committee - College of Human Sciences, Chair, 1999- 2007.
- * Graduate Coordinating Committee - College of Human Sciences, Chair 1999-

- 2007.
- * Grade Appeals Committee - College of Human Sciences, Member 1997 – 1998; Ex-Officio Member, 1999- 2007.
 - * Commencement Activities Committee - College of Human Sciences, 1998 – 2007, Chair - 1999- 2007.
 - * Advising Center Committee - College of Human Sciences, 1999-2003.
 - * Computer Users Committee - College of Human Sciences, 1998- 1999.
 - * “Substance Abuse Studies as a Major” committee – HDFS 1998-1999.
 - * Faculty Development Committee: Dept. of HDFS 2002-2003.
 - * Human Sciences Research Advisory Committee 2007-2008.
 - * Faculty Development and Personnel Committee: Dept of APS 2006-2007, 2007-2008.
 - * Health and Social Services Scholarship Selection Committee – Graduate School, 1999.
 - * 3rd Year Review Committee Chair – Dept. of Applied & Professional Studies 2005-2006 (Review of James Morris, Ph.D. in the MFT program)

Search Committees

Texas Tech University

- MFT Faculty Search 2008 Chair – Assistant Level Professor (hired)
- MFT Faculty Search 2006 Chair - Program Director (Associate Level) & Assistant Level professor (both hired)
- MFT Faculty position 2005 - one hired
- * MFT Faculty position 2002 Chair – two hired
- * MFT Faculty position 1997 - one hired
- * HDFS Faculty position(s) 1997 - two hired
- * HDFS Faculty position in Early Childhood Education 1998 – one hired
- * MEDCE Faculty position in Family Financial Planning 1999 – one hired

Graduate Student Representative

College of Human Development, Curriculum Committee, Syracuse University, 1991 - 1993.

Vice-President

Family Science Honor Society (Phi Sigma), Brigham Young University, 1989 - 1990.

Awards & Honors

“Big Idea” winner – College of Education and Human Development, University of Minnesota Fall 2012 Assembly.

-Shrinking the world of MFT research through youtube.com (MinnMFT) interviews presentation.

Outstanding Service Recognition – Together in Texas, Texas Healthy Marriage Initiative – Texas Health and Human Services Commission.

-Awarded at the Texas Healthy Marriage Summit, Austin, TX May 12-14, 2008

Nominee - Faculty Distinguished Leadership Award – TTU Human Sciences

-Nominated to represent the College of Human Sciences as a recipient of this University award (Spring 2008).

Meritorious Service Award

-For demonstrated leadership and significant contributions to the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy for three or more years (Jan 2005).

Nominee – Presidents Academic Achievement Award TTU Human Sciences

-Nominated to represent the College of Human Sciences as a potential recipient of this University award (spring 2003).

Guest (Academic) Lady Raider Basketball Coach

Texas Tech vs. Wyoming, December 6th 2003.

Mentor – TEACH Program

-Teaching Learning Technology Center (TLTC) at Texas Tech University. Student initiated mentor program to prepare future University professors.
-Mark Adams (01-02), Mike Hardin (01-02), Glade Topham (02-02), Trent Parker (02-03).

Apple Polishing Teacher Recognition

November 7, 2000, Texas Tech University Mortar Board Honor Society. Selected by Michele Horn, Mortar Board Member.

Guest (Academic) Football Coach

Texas Tech vs. Missouri, October 7, 2006.
Texas Tech (13) vs. North Texas (7), September 9, 2000.

Hemphill Wells New Professor Excellence in Teaching – Nominee

December 1999, Texas Tech University, College of Human Sciences.

Outstanding Instructor

March 1999, Texas Tech University, Department of Human Development and Family Studies – Presented by the Dean's Leadership Council & Human Sciences Alumni Association.

Master's Prize

May 1993, Syracuse University, Graduate School. Award given for outstanding research and scholastic contributions in a Master's program.

Master's Prize

May 1993, Syracuse University, College of Human Development. Award given for outstanding graduate contributions in a Master's program.

Academic Scholarship

From 1990 - 1994 - Syracuse University.

Academic Scholarship

From 1989 - 1990 Department of Family Sciences - Brigham Young University.

Presentations (Professional Conferences)

1. Children and finances in divorce decision-making. Poster presented at the annual meeting for the National Council on Family Relations, Orlando, FL. Bell, N. K., Harris, S. M., & Crabtree, S. A. (2017, November).
2. Just the Two of Us: How Parental Sacrifice and Religiosity Influence Couple Bonding. Poster

presented at the annual meeting for the National Council on Family Relations, Orlando, FL., with Seonghee Hong, Eugene Hall, Tasha Bell, Sarah Burcher, Steven Harris, (2017, November).

3. Familial Triadic Concordance of Home Environment and Disordered Eating. Paper presented at the annual meeting for the National Council on Family Relations, Orlando, FL, with Katharine Didericksen, Jerica M. Berge, Peter Hannan, Steven Harris, Richard MacLehose, Dianne Neumark-Sztainer, (2017 November).
4. "What are we?" A critical review of marital separation research. Research discussion presented at the annual conference for the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Atlanta, GA. Crabtree, S. A., & Harris, S. M. (2017, October).
5. Stability and change in divorce ideation in a national sample. Research workshop presented at the annual conference for the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Atlanta, GA. with Roberts, K. M., Crabtree, S. A., & Bell, N. K., October 2017.
6. Discernment Counseling for Mixed-Agenda Couples. Day-long training workshop for the Minnesota Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (Northern Conference), Duluth, MN October 27, 2017.
7. Divorce Decision-Making and the Divine. Poster Session presented at Brigham Young University's Women in Academia Conference, Provo, UT, with Tasha Bell and Sarah Crabtree, September, 2017.
8. Divorce Decision-Making and the Divine. Poster Session presented at The European Conference on Psychology & the Behavioral Sciences, Brighton, United Kingdom, with Tasha Bell and Sarah Crabtree, July 2017.
9. Social Movements and Social Justice: How to Invite them into Our Clinical Conversations: Workshop presented at the Minnesota Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Edina, MN. April 21, 2017 with Noah Gagner, Nick Newstrom and Elsa Kraus.
10. How Personal Identity Shapes and Influences Divorce Decision Making. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Minnesota Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (April 2017), with Shauna Fenske.
11. Divorce Decision-Making and the Divine. Poster Session presented at the Minnesota Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Edina, MN, with Tasha Bell and Sarah Crabtree, April 2017.
12. Love and Happiness in Divorce Decision-Making. Poster Session presented at the Minnesota Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Edina, MN, with Sarah Crabtree and Tasha Bell, April 2017.
13. Same-sex Divorce/Separation: A Critical Review of the Literature. Poster Session presented at the Minnesota Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Edina, MN, with Eugene Hall, April 2017.
14. Divorce Decision-Making and the Divine. Poster Session presented at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, February 2017 Austin, TX, with Tasha Bell & Sarah Crabtree.
15. Love and Happiness in Divorce Decision-Making. Poster Session presented at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Austin, TX, February 2017, with Sarah Crabtree & Tasha Bell.
16. When Divorce is on My Mind: Understanding Divorce Ideation (Special Session): Discernment Counseling for Couples on the Brink of Divorce. Annual Conference of the National Council on Family Relations, Minneapolis, MN. November 5, 2016, with Sarah Crabtree.

17. Metaphors as Model: Using Metaphors to Build Research and Theory, Theory Construction and Research Methods section. Annual Conference of the National Council on Family Relations, Minneapolis, MN. November 2, 2016, with Sarah Allen and Kelly Roberts.
18. Adolescent Sex Offenders and Relationship Strain: An Exploration of Family and Peer Strain. Paper presented at the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers Annual Conference, Orlando, FL, November 3, 2016 with Nick Newstrom & Michael Miner.
19. Attitudes Towards Working on My Marriage. Paper presented at the Annual Conference of AAMFT in Indianapolis, IN, September 16, 2016, with Tasha Bell and Sarah Crabtree.
20. Discernment Counseling for Mixed-Agenda Couples. Brigham Young University Family Therapy Program. Provo, UT, May 26-27, 2016.
21. Divorce Decision Making and Mixed-Agenda Couples. Walk In Counseling Center Quarterly Training – Keynote Address. Minneapolis, MN, May 5, 2016.
22. Master Therapist Series – Divorce Decision Making and Discernment Counseling for Mixed Agenda Couples. Texas Wesleyan University, Forth Worth Texas. April 8, 2016.
23. Attitudes Towards Working on My Marriage. Paper presented at the International Family Therapy Association annual conference, Kona, HI (April 1, 2016), with Sarah A. Crabtree.
24. Clarity and Confidence in Divorce Decision-Making. Paper presented at the International Family Therapy Association annual conference, Kona, HI (April 1, 2016), with Sarah A. Crabtree.
25. I Want a Divorce...Maybe Not – Keynote/Workshop presented at the Family Therapy Symposium, Lubbock, TX February 26, 2016.
26. From wandering to arriving: Finding clarity and confidence in divorce decision-making. Poster symposium for the meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Vancouver, BC. Harris, S. M., & Crabtree, S. A. (2015, November).
27. Exploring Family Discord and Adolescents with Disordered Eating. Paper presented at the AAMFT Annual Conference in Austin, TX, September 4, 2015, Austin, TX, with Kit Wickel, Jerica Berge, Peter Hannan, Richard MacLehose, & Dianne Neumark-Sztainer.
28. Master Therapist Series – Discernment Counseling for Mixed Agenda Couples. Texas Wesleyan University, Forth Worth Texas. August 8, 2015.
29. Discernment Counseling for Couples Considering Divorce. Workshop/training presented to mental health professionals in the Twin Cities area. Sponsoring organization, Minnesota Couples on the Brink Project. July 21, 2015.
30. Discernment Counseling for Couples Considering Divorce. Workshop/training presented at the Annual Meeting of the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Austin, TX Feb 27, 2015 (approx. 80 in attendance).
31. In or Out – Discernment Counseling for Mixed Agenda Couples. Day-long training offered to members of AAMFT at the Annual Conference in Milwaukee, WI, October 17, 2014, with Bridget Manley Mayer (about 65 in attendance).
32. Discernment Counseling for Couples Considering Divorce. Day-long training provided to mental health providers in St. Cloud, MN, July 21, 2014. With Bill Doherty (72 in attendance).
33. Discernment Counseling for Mixed Agenda Couples. Day-long training provided to Licensed Marriage and Family Therapists in Roswell, GA, November 12, 2013 (27 in attendance).

34. The Role of Humility in Client Change: A Delphi Study. Paper presented at the AAMFT Annual Conference in Portland, OR, October 19, 2013, with Kit Wickel and T J Rowden.
35. The Influences of Unresolved Trauma and Family on Hoarding Behavior. Paper presented at the AAMFT Annual Conference in Portland, OR, October 17, 2013, with Jennifer Sampson.
36. In or Out – Discernment Counseling for Mixed Agenda Couples. Day-long training offered to members of AAMFT at the Annual Conference in Portland, OR, October 17, 2013, with Bill Doherty (about 50 in attendance).
37. Discernment Counseling for Mixed Agenda Couples. Day-long training provided to Licensed Marriage and Family Therapists in Utah Valley, Provo, UT, July 23, 2013 (45 in attendance).
38. In or Out – Discernment Counseling for Mixed Agenda Couples. Key Note Speaker at the Alabama AMFT annual conference (day-long training) to members of ALAMFT in Birmingham, AL, February 25, 2013 (about 120 in attendance).
39. Couples in Crisis and Marital Reconciliation: Discernment Counseling – Invited Presenter. Oklahoma Marriage Initiative – Research Advisory Group Annual Meeting, Oklahoma City, OK, December 11, 2012.
40. Collaborative Care Practices of Marriage and Family Therapists. Presented at the Annual Conference of the Collaborative Family Healthcare Association (CFHA), Austin, TX, November 2012, with Max Zubatsky & Tai Mendenhall.
41. Sexual Issues and Self of the Therapist – Invited Panel Discussant. MAMFT Fall Conference, “Let’s Talk about Sex: Sex & Sexuality in our Practices.” November 2, 2012.
42. The Role of Therapy in Women’s Divorce Decision Making Process. Paper presented at the AAMFT Annual Conference in Charlotte, NC, Sept 12, 2012, with Erica Kanewischer.
43. In or Out – Discernment Counseling for Mixed Agenda Couples. Day-long training offered to members of AAMFT at the Annual Conference in Charlotte, NC, September 13, 2012, with Bill Doherty (about 70 in attendance).
44. In or Out – Discernment Counseling Basic Level Training. Day-long training offered to members of the Twin Cities professional community with guests from out of state (80 in attendance). June 22nd, 2012. With Bill Doherty and Bridgett Manley Mayer.
45. Sexual Attraction in the Therapeutic Relationship. Lecture presented for the Minnesota AMFT division’s “Sessions on Saturday” for graduate students and new professionals in MFT. November 12, 2011, St. Paul, MN.
46. Discernment Counseling for Couples Considering Divorce. Workshop presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy annual meeting, Fort Worth, TX September 25, 2011, with William Doherty.
47. Gender Differences in Violent Behavior in Adolescence. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy annual meeting, Fort Worth, TX September 23, 2011, with Damon Rappleyea and Roy Bean.
48. Innovations, Options and Resource Sharing in MFT Doctoral Education. Presentation at the COAMFTE Doctoral Educator’s Summit annual meeting, Fort Worth, TX, September 22, 2011, with Richard Wampler.
49. Latino couple’s perspectives on marriage and relationship education: A grounded theory. Presented at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (TAMFT) Annual Conference. Austin, Texas March 4th, 2011, with Matt Brown, Carlos Perez, and Jason Whiting.

50. Program Evaluation Update – *Twogether* in Texas HMI. Paper presented at the semi-annual conference of the Texas Healthy Marriage Coalition. Austin, TX February 15, 2011.
51. Community Contextual Influences on Family Education. Paper presented at the NCFR national conference, Minneapolis, MN, November 6th, 2010, with Damon Rappleyea, and Rob Porter.
52. Nonviolence in Intimate Relationships: A Grounded Theory – Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy annual meeting, Atlanta, GA September 24, 2010, with Jason B. Whiting, Douglas B. Smith, Shannon N. Dial, Megan Oka, & Amber L. Anderson.
53. Ethnic Group Differences and Violence in Adolescence – Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy annual meeting, Atlanta, GA September 24, 2010, with Damon L. Rappleyea, & Roy A. Bean.
54. Acculturation and Assimilation: Hispanic Views on Marriage Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy annual meeting, Atlanta, GA September 24, 2010, with Rolando Diaz-Loving, Damon Rappleyea, Rob Porter, Jennifer Moynihan, Venita Wright, & Kristen Kaverman.
55. Perspectives of Finances in Pre-Marital Couples – Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy annual meeting, Atlanta, GA September 24, 2010, with Max Zubatsky, Dean M. Busby, & David C. Ivey.
56. Effectiveness of Short-Term Relationship Education Programs – Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy annual meeting, Atlanta, GA September 24, 2010, with Rob Porter, Austin Houghtaling, Damon Rappleyea, & Jason Whiting.
57. MFTs Involved in Healthy Marriage Initiatives – Presentation at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy annual meeting, Atlanta, GA September 24, 2010, with Brian Higginbotham, Scott Ketring, Kelly Roberts, & Jason Whiting.
58. Does it work? Program evaluation 101 – Presentation to Smart Marriages Annual Conference, July 9, 2010, Orlando, FL, with Rob Porter.
59. Evaluating *Twogether* in Texas – Workshop presented at the Winter Conference of the Regional Intermediaries of the Texas Healthy Marriage Initiative, Dec. 1, 2009, Austin, TX, with Anupa Bir, Sara Smith and Rob Porter.
60. An Introduction to Alzheimer’s Disease and the Barriers and Bridges it Offers Marital Relationships – Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Minnesota Council on Family Relations, Dec. 4, 2009, St. Paul, MN, with Max Zubatsky, & Mark S. Adams.
61. Threatened Egotism and Violent Behavior in Adolescence – Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy annual meeting, October 2, 2009, Sacramento, CA, with Damon Rappleyea, & Roy Bean.
62. Does it work? Program evaluation 101 – Presentation to Smart Marriages Annual Conference, July 9, 2009, Orlando, FL, with Andrew Patrick Daire.
63. *Twogether* in Texas – Presentation of research findings from the Texas Statewide Survey on Marriage to the Texas Psychological Association Annual Meeting, November 21, 2008
64. Development of the Attitudes and Beliefs Toward Pharmacotherapy Scale – Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy annual meeting, October 13, 2008, Memphis, TN, with Paul R. Springer.
65. Atheist Resiliency in 12-Step Fellowships – Paper presented at the American Association for

- Marriage and Family Therapy annual meeting, October 13, 2008, Memphis, TN, with Austin Moore.
66. Texas Statewide Survey on Marriage – Presentation of research findings to the National Association of Social Workers - Texas Chapter Annual Meeting, November 7, 2008.
 67. Evaluating Twogether in Texas - Texas Academy for Healthy Marriage Training. Workshop and Research Discussion. August 22, 2008, Austin, Texas.
 68. Texas Healthy Marriage Initiative - Regional Intermediary Research Conference. Presented and Lead Conference. July 12 - 13, 2008, Austin, Texas.
 69. Texas Healthy Marriage Initiative - Program Overview and New Directions Conference – Presentations given and discussions lead at the Annual meeting of the Texas Healthy Marriage Research Advisory Group – May 14, 2008, Austin, Texas.
 70. Texas State Wide Survey on Marriage – Presentation of research findings from the Texas State Wide survey on Marriage and Family Life – Texas Healthy Marriage Summit, May 13, 2008, with Damon Rappleyea, Alan Hawkins, Rolando Diaz-Loving, and Cynthia Osborne.
 71. Curbside Consultation – Professional Development Workshop at the Annual Conference of the Texas Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, March 27, 2008 with Saliha Bava.
 72. Texas Baseline Survey: Hispanic Oversample – Presentation given at the Hispanic Healthy Marriage Initiative Research Symposium. Oklahoma City, OK, September 17, 2007. With Rolando Diaz-Loving.
 73. Marriage in Texas - Writing Conference of the Texas Healthy Marriage Initiative: Baseline Survey Report. Conference Chair & Presenter, March 5 – 8, 2008, Horseshoe Bay, Texas.
 74. MFTs Attitudes and Beliefs Regarding Psychotropic Drugs. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 12, 2007, Long Beach, CA with Paul Springer.
 75. What Do We Know About Marriage in Texas? Presentation at the Texas Healthy Marriage Summit, June 21, 2007, Austin, TX with Norval Glenn.
 76. Extending the Reach of Your Private Practice. Workshop presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 20, 2006, Austin, TX with Roy A. Bean and David C. Ivey.
 77. Therapist Recognition and Response to Domestic Violence: A Content Analysis. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 20, 2006, Austin, TX with Damon L. Rappleyea and Charette Dersch.
 78. Pros and Cons of Technology Use within Close Relationships. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 20, 2006, Austin, TX with Branden Henline.
 79. The Use of Child Drawings in Family Therapy. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 20, 2006, Austin, TX with Matthew Jordan, Ashlee Winkler Brown, & Richard S. Wampler.
 80. Practice Patterns and Attitudes of Family Play Therapists. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 20, 2006, Austin, TX with Darryl Haslam.
 81. Continuity of Marital Intimacy for Couples with Alzheimer’s. Paper presented at the annual

College of Human Sciences Research Presentation, March 6, 2006, Lubbock, TX with Mark S. Adams.

82. Problem-Focused Instructional Media for Financial Counseling. Workshop presented at the Association for Financial Counseling, Planning, and Education Annual Meeting, November 18, 2005, Scottsdale, AZ, with Dottie C. Bagwell, Ph.D.
83. Gerontology Pedagogy on the Great Plains. Presentation on the Great Plains Interactive Distance Education Alliance (GPIDEA) Gerontology Curriculum and inner workings of the Alliance to Graduate Deans from the State of Texas. Association of Texas Graduate Schools Annual Meeting "Cooperation in the Age of Technology" October 28, 2005, Lubbock, TX with Jean Person Scott.
84. Extending the Reach of Your Private Practice. Workshop presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 22, 2005, Kansas City, MO with Roy A. Bean and David C. Ivey.
85. Continuity of Marital Intimacy for Couples with Alzheimer's. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 21, 2005, Kansas City, MO with Mark S. Adams.
86. Sexual Attraction in the Therapeutic Relationship. Invited 3-hour ethics workshop co-sponsored by the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, and the Austin Academy for Individual and Relationship Therapy, Austin, TX May 20, 2005.
87. Publishing Research: Roundtable Discussion Leader. Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Annual Conference, Plano, TX January 29th 2005.
88. Politics and Marriage Panel. Plenary moderator. Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Annual Conference, Plano, TX January 27th 2005.
89. Sexual Attraction in the Therapeutic Relationship. Keynote Speaker at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Annual Conference, Plano, TX January 26th 2005.
90. Duty to Warn. Invited presentation to Lubbock Chapter of the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, December 16, 2004.
91. Extending the Reach of Your Private Practice. Workshop presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, September 11, 2004, Atlanta, GA with Roy A. Bean and David C. Ivey.
92. A Study of the Effectiveness of Three Pre-Marital Education Programs. Paper presented at the American Psychological Association Annual Meeting. July 29, 2004, Honolulu, HI with David C. Ivey and Dean M. Busby.
93. Publishing Scholarly Writing. Roundtable discussion. Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Houston, TX, January 2004.
94. Approved Supervisor Breakfast/Roundtable. Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Houston, TX, January 2004.
95. Therapist Reactions to Treating Cases of Partner Violence. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 17, 2003, Long Beach, CA with Charette Dersch.
96. Engaging Minority Fathers: Overcoming Obstacles. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 17, 2003, Long Beach, CA with David Ward, T.J. Rowden, Jorge Zamora & Wendell Davis.

97. An Analysis of Informed Consent Documents of MFTs in Private Practice. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 17, 2003, Long Beach, CA with Daryl Haslam.
98. A comparison of Three Premarital Programs. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 17, 2003, Long Beach, CA with David Ivey & Dean Busby.
99. Sexual Attraction in the Therapeutic Relationship. Invited Workshop presented to the Lubbock Chapter of the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Lubbock, TX, July 2003.
100. Approved Supervisor Breakfast/Roundtable. Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Dallas, TX, January 2003.
101. MFTs Sexual Knowledge & Comfort with Sexual Content. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 25, 2002 Cincinnati, OH with Kelli Hays.
102. Psychotherapists' Perspectives on Multiculturalism. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 25, 2002 Cincinnati, OH with Liz Wieling.
103. Premarital Education: Comparing Outcomes from Three Programs. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 25, 2002, Cincinnati, OH with David C. Ivey and Dean M. Busby.
104. Assessing Attitudes Toward Multiculturalism in Mental Health Counseling. Paper presented at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Meeting, November 9, 2001, Rochester, NY with Liz Wieling.
105. Knowing What We Don't Know: Cultural Diversity in MFT. Workshop presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 19, 2001, Nashville, TN, with Liz Wieling.
106. Client Improvement with EAP Treatment: An Outcome Study. Paper presented at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, January 25, 2001, Dallas, TX, with Margaret Morgan, La Toya Hill and Mark Adams.
107. A Secondary Analysis: Attraction in Conjoint Couple Therapy. Paper presented at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, January 25, 2001, Dallas, TX, with Bobbi Miller, Jere' Webber and Shayne Webber.
108. The Influence of an Employee Assistance Program on Work and Family Life. Paper presented at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Meeting, November 11, 2000, Minneapolis, MN, with Mark Adams, LaToya Hill, Margaret Morgan, and Carmen Soliz.
109. The Scientist-Practitioner Model in Doctoral MFT Training: Does the Boulder Perspective Apply? Workshop presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, November 3, 2000, Denver, CO, with David C. Ivey, Karen S. Wampler, Richard S. Wampler, Elizabeth Wieling, and Thomas Kimball.
110. Therapist Reactions to Treating Cases of Partner Violence. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, November 3, 2000, Denver, CO, with Charette A. Dersch.
111. Sexuality, Love, and Mate Selection: An Attitudinal Study. Paper presented at the 72nd Annual Meeting of the Midwestern Psychological Association, May 2000, Chicago, IL with Rachel Lacey, Alan Reifman, Jean Pearson Scott, & Jacki Fitzpatrick.

112. Cultural Diversity in Marriage and Family Therapy: A Video Presentation. Roundtable discussion facilitated at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Meeting, November 13, 1999, Irvine, CA, with Elizabeth Wieling and Michael Negretti.
113. Tapping Into the Internet: Sexuality Resources for Senior Citizens. Paper presented at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Meeting, November 14, 1999, Irvine, CA, with Charette Dersch, Thomas Kimball, James Marshall, and Michael Negretti.
114. Sexual Attraction in Therapy. Workshop presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 9, 1999, Chicago, IL.
115. Why Can't We All Just Get Along? Cultural Sensitivity in MFT. Workshop presented at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, January 29, 1999, San Antonio, TX, with Elizabeth Wieling and Michael Negretti.
116. Tap Into the Internet: Sexuality Resources for Aging Adults. Paper presented at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, January 28, 1999, San Antonio, TX, with Charette A. Dersch, Thomas Kimball, James P. Marshall, Michael A. Negretti.
117. Conducting Research on the Internet: Potential, Concerns, and Reflections. Paper presented at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Meeting, November 16, 1998, Milwaukee, WI, with Charette Dersch.
118. When therapists are Attracted to Clients. Roundtable discussion presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 16, 1998, Dallas, TX, with Don Arterburn.
119. Therapists-in-Training and Interpersonal Attraction in Therapy. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 16, 1998, Dallas, TX.
120. Research on the Internet: Potentials, Problems, and Concerns. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 16, 1998, Dallas, TX, with Charette Dersch.
121. Family Violence: Fairytale or Real Life? Invited Lecturer to the Northwest District of the Texas Association for Family and Consumer Sciences Fall Meeting, Lubbock, TX, October 9, 1998.
122. Sexual Attraction in Therapy. Workshop presented at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, January 29, 1998, Dallas, TX, with Don Arterburn.
123. MFT Data Collection Via the Internet. Paper presented at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, January 29, 1998, Dallas, TX, with Charette A. Dersch.
124. Measuring Self Disclosure. Paper presented at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, January 29, 1998, Dallas, TX, with Charette A. Dersch.
125. Witnesses of Spouse Abuse: Revisiting the Cycle of Violence. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, September 19, 1997, Atlanta, GA, with Charette Dersch.
126. Sexual Attraction in the Therapeutic Relationship. Workshop presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, September 19, 1997, Atlanta, GA, with Don Arterburn.
127. Research on the Internet: Potential, Problems, and Concerns. Workshop presented to the faculty user's group of Texas Tech University, August 12, 1997, Lubbock, Texas.

128. The Marriage and Family Therapist as an Employee Assistance Professional. Workshop presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 20, 1996, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
129. The Influence of Therapist Attractiveness, Presenting Problem, and Client Gender on Clients' Comfort with Disclosing in Couple Therapy. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 20, 1996, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
130. The Impact of Therapist Attractiveness, on Clients' Comfort with disclosing in Therapy - Research in Progress. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, November 3, 1995, Baltimore, MD.
131. Outcome Research for Employee Assistance Programs - Quarterly meeting of the Central New York Employee Assistance Professionals Association, Syracuse, NY, June 22, 1995.
132. Teaching Marriage and Family Therapy Ethics. Paper presented at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Meeting, November 11, 1994, Minneapolis, MN.
133. Pant-Legs and Pathology: The Marriage of Individual and Family Assessment. Paper presented at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Meeting, November 10, 1994, Minneapolis, MN, with Dean M. Busby.
134. Ethics, Legalities, Professionalism and the Professor: A Document Analysis. Paper presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, November 4, 1994, Chicago, IL.
135. Acquaintance Rape: Loss in the System. Accepted paper for The New York Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference, April 16, Rochester, NY. (Conference canceled).
136. Family Treatment of Rape: The Introduction of a Grief Model. Paper presented at The Second Annual Central New York Conference on Campus Rape & Sexual Assault, March 24, 1994, Syracuse, NY.
137. Spirituality, Postmodernism and Family Therapy Theory. Paper presented at The National Council on Family Relations Annual Meeting, November 15, 1993, Baltimore, MD.
138. Sex as a Metaphor: The Impact of Relationship Variables on Couple Sexuality. Paper presented at The National Council on Family Relations Annual Meeting, November 15, 1993, Baltimore, MD, with Maria E. Merida.
139. Ethical Dilemmas in Family Therapy. Workshop presented at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Meeting, November 10, 1992, Orlando, Florida, with Dean M. Busby.
140. Ethical Dilemmas in Family Therapy: Video Presentation. Workshop presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Meeting, October 18, 1992, Miami Beach, Florida, with Dean M. Busby.

Presentations (Community Organizations)

- Current Trends in Marriage and Divorce. Invited Speaker, LDS Institute of Religion, Minneapolis, MN, February 17, 2012.
- Finding Home. College of Human Sciences Recruiter's Annual Banquet. Invited Keynote speaker. May 1, 2007.
- What Really Matters. Texas Tech University Chapter "Farmhouse Fraternity" Annual Founders Day

Dinner. Invited Keynote speaker. April 14, 2007.

Ethical Dilemmas in Mental Health Counseling Relationships. Staff development training at The Ranch at Dove Tree, Lubbock, TX, February 28, 2007.

Keeping it Real. Texas Tech University Marriage and Family Therapy Student Association Annual Scholarship Dinner. Invited Keynote speaker. April 18, 2005.

Resiliency and the Cycle of Violence. Volunteer training and staff development at Family Outreach Center, Lubbock, TX, October 4, 2000.

Attraction in Therapy. Staff development meeting presented at the South West Institute for Addictive Diseases, Texas Tech Health Sciences Center, Lubbock, TX, April 26th, 1999.

Preparing for Your Future. Presentation to youth of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, Lubbock, TX, April 11, 1999.

Family Therapy 101... Get Real. Presentation to women's organization of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, Lubbock, TX, April 7, 1998.

Maintaining a Family in the 90s: Blended Families. Panel presentation and discussion to community group. Lubbock, TX, June 22, 1997.

Redefining Your Relationship with Money - Presentation to general membership of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, Syracuse, NY, June 27, 1995.

Ethical Counseling in a Pastoral Setting - In-Service Training at Onondaga Pastoral Counseling Center, Syracuse, NY, January 10, 1995.

"Not in our home"- Presentation on family violence and how to handle it as an ecclesiastical leader. Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, Liverpool, NY, June 3, 1993.

"Family Feud"- Three one-hour presentations to youth groups regarding communication in families. Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, Liverpool, NY, February 21, 1992.

Enriching Relationships - Workshop at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, Syracuse, NY, October 23, 1991.

Suicide: Assessment and Detection of Students at Risk. Staff development workshop presented to the staff of the Office of Residence Life at Syracuse University, August, 1991.
