

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Marshall University, College of Health Professions
School of Physical Therapy,
Doctor of Physical Therapy Program
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Education:

Institutional:

Doctor of Education
Marshall University
Graduate School of Education and Professional Development
South Charleston, WV
Higher Education Administration
August 2011-present
Dissertation in progress (anticipated completion 2016)
*“Career Paths, Barriers, and Professional Experiences: A
Comparison Study of Physical Therapy Program Directors in the
United States”*

Doctor of Philosophy
University of New Orleans
Graduate School of Education and Human Development
New Orleans, LA
August 2009-August 2011
Higher Education Administration
Matriculated to Marshall University August 2011

Residency in Geriatric Physical Therapy,
St. Catherine’s Rehabilitation Hospital and Villa Maria
Nursing Center, North Miami, FL
March 2003-March 2004
Geriatric Physical Therapy
March, 2004

Doctor of Physical Therapy,
University of Miami School of Medicine
Coral Gables, FL
December 2002-December 2003
Physical Therapy
December, 2003

Master of Science in Physical Therapy,
University of Miami, School of Medicine
Coral Gables, FL
May 2000-December 2002
Physical Therapy
December, 2002

Bachelor of Health Sciences,
University of Miami
Coral Gables, FL
August 1996-May 2000
Pre-Physical Therapy
May, 2000

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Licensure Information/Registration Number:

May 2011 - Present West Virginia Physical Therapist License, ID PT 002939, active
July 2008 – December 2010 Louisiana Physical Therapist License, ID LA 07435R, inactive
March 2003 – December 2009 Florida Physical Therapist License, ID PT20800, inactive
May 2005-May 2015 Board Certified Clinical Specialist in Geriatric Physical Therapy,
American Board of Physical Therapy Specialties. #9174

Certifications:

May 2015-May 2025 Recertified as Board Certified Clinical Specialist in Geriatric
Physical Therapy, American Board of Physical Therapy
Specialties.
July 2014-July 2017 Credentialed Clinical Instructor Program Trainer, APTA,
Alexandria VA
July 2015-July 2017 Basic Life Support, Health Care Provider. American Heart
Association, Huntington WV
July 2013 Certified Exercise Expert for Aging Adults, Section on Geriatrics,
APTA, Huntington WV
April 2013 Advanced Geriatrics Skills, West Virginia Geriatric Education
Center, Bridgeport, WV.
March 2012 Advanced Credentialed Clinical Instructor, American Physical
Therapy Association, CIECP Training Course: Miami, FL
May 2011 Credentialed Clinical Instructor, American Physical Therapy
Association, CI Training Course: Cleveland, OH
January 2011 Master Trainer, Chronic Disease Self-Management Program,

Stanford University, WV Rural Health Initiative. Huntington, WV

January 2011 Master Trainer, Diabetes Self-Management Program, Stanford University, WV Rural Health Initiative. Huntington, WV

February 2007 Geriatric Specialist Certification Exam Item Writer, American Board of Physical Therapy Specialties

2004 Credentialed Clinical Instructor, Clinical Instructor Education Board, Florida Physical Therapy Association, Miami, FL

Employment and Positions Held:

Academic

Associate Professor/Director of Clinical Education
Tenured
Marshall University, College of Health Professions
School of Physical Therapy
2847 5th Avenue, Huntington, WV 25702
January 2016 to present

Assistant Professor/Director of Clinical Education
Tenure Track
Marshall University, College of Health Professions
School of Physical Therapy
2847 5th Avenue, Huntington, WV 25702
January 2011 to present

Assistant Professor of Clinical Physical Therapy
Clinical track
Louisiana State University, Health Sciences Center
Department of Physical Therapy
1900 Gravier Street, New Orleans, LA 70112
July 2008 - present

Voluntary Faculty
Instructor
University of Miami, School of Medicine,
Department of Physical Therapy
5100 Ponce De Leon Blvd, 5th floor, Coral Gables, FL 33124
January 2004 - June 2008

Hospital Affiliations

Residency Program Coordinator,
Post-Professional Residency Program: Geriatric Physical
Therapy
St. Catherine's Rehab Hospital & Villa Maria Nursing Center
1050 NE 125th Street, North Miami, FL 33161
October 2005 - June 2008

Affiliated Academic Programs:
University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL
Sacred Heart University, Fairfield, CT

Adjunct Clinical Faculty
Drexel University, College of Nursing and Health Professions
Philadelphia, PA
January 2008 - June 2008

Adjunct Clinical Faculty
Columbia University, College of Physicians and Surgeons
Program in Physical Therapy
New York, NY
October 2007 - June 2008

Adjunct Clinical Faculty
Nova Southeastern University, Physical Therapy Program
Fort Lauderdale, FL
October 2006 - June 2008

Adjunct Clinical Faculty
University of Alabama at Birmingham, Physical Therapy Program
Birmingham, AL
March 2006 - June 2008

Adjunct Clinical Faculty
Medical University of South Carolina, Division of Physical Therapy
Charleston, SC
March 2005 - June 2008

Adjunct Clinical Faculty
Florida International University, Physical Therapy Program
Miami, FL
January 2005 - June 2008

Adjunct Clinical Faculty
University of Miami, School of Medicine,
Department of Physical Therapy
Coral Gables, FL
January 2004 - June 2008

Clinical/Non-Academic

Physical Therapist, Per Diem
St. Mary's Medical Center, Huntington, WV 25702
October 2013 to Present

Physical Therapist, Per Diem
Louisiana State Penitentiary, Angola, LA
December 2008-December 2010

Physical Therapist, Per Diem
University Hospital, New Orleans, LA 70130
December 2008-December 2010

Senior Physical Therapist, and
Center Coordinator of Clinical Education (CCCE),
St. Catherine's Rehab Hospital & Villa Maria Nursing Center
1050 NE 125th Street, North Miami, FL 33161
January 2006 - June 2008

Physical Therapist,
Clinical Instructor
St. Catherine's Rehab Hospital & Villa Maria Nursing Center
Catholic Health Services
1050 NE 125th Street, North Miami, FL 33161
March 2003 - December 2005

Internships:

Student Physical Therapist,
Mercy Hospital Coconut Grove, FL
October –December 2002
Outpatient Orthopedic and Wound Care
Presented Hospital In service:
Chondromalacia Patella- Diagnosis and Treatment.

Student Physical Therapist,
Parkway Regional Memorial Hospital, N. Miami, FL
August 2002 – October 2002
Acute and Wound Care
Hospital In service: *Osteoporosis & Exercise in the Elderly.*

Student Physical Therapist,
HealthSouth Rehabilitation Hospital, Miami, FL
March 2002- May 2002
Inpatient Rehabilitation, TBI, and Wound Care
Presented Hospital In service: *Clinical Pharmacology.*

Student Physical Therapist,
Villa Maria Rehabilitation Hospital & Nursing Center, N. Miami, FL
January 2001- February 2001
Inpatient Rehabilitation, LTC, SNF, and Outpatient Care

Peer Reviewed Publications:

Ferguson, M; **Gravano, T**; Hoffman J. Integrating Scientific Inquiry, Numeracy, and Literacy in the Elementary Classroom 2015 Improving Teacher Quality. Marshall University, Submitted December 2015 and pending publication in the National Social Science Journal April 2016.

Blackwood J, **Gravano T**, Hardage J, Hartley G, Heitzman J, Libera J, Miller K. Development of a Statement on Autonomous Practice in Geriatric Physical Therapy. *Journal of Geriatric Physical Therapy.* 2012; 35(2): 82-85.

Brueilly KE, Nelson TK, **Gravano** TN, Kroll PK. The effect of early contextual learning on student physical therapists' self-perceived level of clinical preparedness. *Acute Care Perspectives*. 2009;18(3):6-13.

Editorial Board, *Journal of Geriatric Physical Therapy*. Appointed March 2009.

Peer Reviewed Scientific and Professional Presentations:

Specialization, Residency and Fellowship Education for Future PT Specialists. West Virginia Physical Therapy Association. Spring Conference, Roanoke, WV. 1 hour April 30, 2016.

Integrating Scientific Inquiry, Numeracy, and Literacy in the Elementary Classroom 2015 ITQ. National Social Science Association Annual meeting, Las Vegas, NV March 20, 2016.

Understanding Residency and Fellowship 102. American Physical Therapy Association. Charlotte, NC. 0.60 ceu. June 8, 2015.

Residency and Fellowship Education for Future PT Specialists. West Virginia Physical Therapy Association. Spring Conference, Roanoke, WV. 1 hour April 25, 2015.

Gravano, T; Heaton Lisa, Jennifer Hoffman. *Simple and Advanced Technological Teaching techniques for the Flipped Laboratory*. Inquiring Pedagogies (iPED) Teaching Conference. Marshall University. August 19, 2014.

Residency/Fellowship 102, Parts 1-4. American Physical Therapy Association. Charlotte, NC. 0.60 ceu. June 14, 2014.

Residency and Fellowship Education for Future PT Specialists. West Virginia Physical Therapy Association. Spring Conference, Roanoke, WV. 1.5 hours. April 6, 2014.

Earning and Maintaining Specialization for Physical Therapists. West Virginia Physical Therapy Association. Spring Conference, Roanoke, WV. 1.0 hour. April 6, 2014.

Specialization and Recertification. West Virginia Physical Therapy Association Spring Conference, Roanoke, WV. 1.0 hour. April 27, 2013.

Fall Risk Assessment & Intervention for Older Adults. Presented at Shawnee State University, Rehab Tool Kit Conference. 6 hours, 75 Attendees. Portsmouth OH. March 17, 2012.

Autonomous Practice in Physical Therapy: What Does This Mean to Me? Blackwood J, **Gravano T**, Hardage, J, Hartley G, Heitzman J, Libera J, Miller K. APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Chicago, February 10, 2012

Ethical Decision Making in Geriatric Residency: Clinical and Academic Environments, **Gravano T**, Schunk C, Kirsch, N, Davis C APTA Combined Sections Meeting, San Diego, February, 2006

Poster Presentations at Professional Meetings

Currier T and **Gravano T**. "Determining the Effectiveness of a Variety of Rehabilitation Programs and Strategies in Improving Functional Outcomes in Patients Post-CABG: A

Systematic Literature Review. APTA Combined Sections Meeting New Orleans, February, 2011

Graham J and **Gravano T**. "The Role of Videoconferencing in Future Physical Therapy Practice: A Systematic Literature Review". APTA Combined Sections Meeting New Orleans, February, 2011

Hartley GW, Cope KA, Lemberger RR, Santana KM, **Gravano T**. "Rehabilitation of a Centenarian in an Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility". APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Nashville, TN. February, 2008

Rine RM, Spielholz N, Braswell J, Min N, **Pasek T** (*maiden name*) and King S. Reliability and Comparison of Latency Measures Obtained with H-Reflex, DTR and Functional Stretch Reflex Testing. APTA Annual Conference and Symposium. June 2002.

Invited Presentations

"Flipped Learning in DPT Education" Invited presentation to the faculty at New York University School of Physical Therapy. NYC, NY. October 9, 2015

"How to Live to 100". Invited to speak to multidisciplinary undergraduate students at Shawnee State University, Portsmouth OH, June 30, 2015.

"Professionalism for healthcare majors and beyond" Invited to speak to multidisciplinary undergraduate students at Shawnee State University, Portsmouth OH, July 27, 2015.

"Doctor of Physical Therapy Program at Marshall University". Invited to speak to undergraduates at Glenville State College in Glenville WV, April 28, 2015

"Falls and Dizziness in the Elderly" Interdisciplinary conference presentation. AGES Advanced Geriatrics Educator Skills. West Virginia Geriatric Education Center, Morgantown, WV. March 27, 2015.

"Geriatric Education and Training in West Virginia: Strengths and Opportunities on the Horizon". Cross Discipline Panel Presentation. Geriatric Leadership Summit. West Virginia Geriatric Education Center. Glade Springs, WV June 19, 2014.

"Mobility and ROM skills for nursing" Marshall University School of Nursing, NUR 221 Foundations of Professional Nursing I, November 18, 2013 & November 17, 2014

"Research and poster presentation preparation" Marshall University College of Health Professions, HP 210 Introduction to Research. November 12, 2013.

"Bed mobility and transfer skills". Marshall University School of Nursing, NUR 221 Foundations of Professional Nursing I, October 28, 2013 & November 10, 2014

"Specialization: Is it for me?" Pre Physical Therapy Club, Marshall University. October 28, 2013

"Residency Education: What's in it for me?" APTA National Student Conclave, Louisville, KY, October 26, 2013

"How to Live to 100" – APTA National Student Conclave, Louisville, KY, October 26, 2013

Harrington, Hartley, Rowe, **Gravano**, Burlis, Briggs, Mulligan. Residency/Fellowship 102, 4 part series. APTA Annual Conference 2013, Salt Lake City, June 27-28, 2013.

“Moving forward in your profession” – Marshall University Doctor of Physical Therapy Student White Coat Ceremony – Huntington, WV – May 3, 2013.

Blackwood J, **Gravano T**, Hardage J, Hartley G, Libera J, Miller K, Heitzman J. *Section on Geriatrics Statement on Autonomous Practice: Defining Autonomous Practice across Various Practice Settings*. Presented at APTA Combined Sections Meeting, New Orleans, LA. February, 2011

Abstracts:

Rine R, Braswell J, King S, Min N, **Pasek T.** (*maiden name*) Reliability and Comparison of Latency Measures Obtained with H-Reflex, DTR, and Functional Stretch Reflex Testing. In: *Abstracts of Platform and Poster Presentations, 77th Annual Conference of the APTA*, Cincinnati, OH, June 5-8, 2002, (PO-RR-75-TH)

Non-Peer Reviewed Publications:

SCC PTA Student Wins National Award. In *Gerinotes*, Vol. 21, No. 2. March 2014.

Featured in article “Lacing Up Their Sneakers”. In *Gerinotes*, Vol.20, No. 3. May 2013.

Gravano, T. & O’Terry, K. Specialization, Recertification, and Advanced Clinical Practice. West Virginia Physical Therapy Association Newsletter, Vol. 54, No.2, May 2013.

Kegelmeyer D, **Gravano T**, Quiben M, Barredo RD. Geriatric Physical Therapy Specialty Practice: Determining the Current Status. *Gerinotes*, Vol. 19, No. 3, May 2012.

Gravano, T. “Residency Corner”. *Gerinotes*, Vol. 18, No. 6, November 2011.

Co-author, Hardage J, Hartley G., Mattingly H., Libera J., **Gravano T.**, Camilo S.

“Understanding Autonomous Practice” *Gerinotes*, Vol. 17, No. 2, March 2010

Gravano T. “Residencies and Fellowships 101”, *APTA Student Assembly Pulse*, March 2008

Featured in article “You Can Be Me”, in APTA Brochure *Fit Teens*, July 2008

Featured in article “25 Emerging Leaders Recognized” in *PT Magazine*, October 2007

Interviewed in article “Residents and Fellows: Get There Sooner” in *Perspectives for New Professionals of the American Physical Therapy Association* supplement to *PT Magazine*, June 2007.

Featured in article “Residents and Fellows: Where are they now?” in *PT Magazine*, January 2007.

Co-author, Camilo S, **Gravano T**, Lagares K, Longfellow G. The Geriatric Residency Experience. *GeriNotes*, Vol. 13, No. 4, June 2006.

Non-Peer Reviewed Presentations:

Gravano, T. Careers in Physical Therapy, Cabell-Midland High School Academy of Health Sciences, Career Fair. April 12, 2012.

Gravano, T. Careers in Physical Therapy, Cabell-Midland High School Academy of Health Sciences, Career Fair. October 12, 2013

Gravano T. *Build Your Career*, Geriatrics and Residency Programs Facilitator, APTA Combined Sections Meeting, New Orleans, LA. February, 2011

Gravano T. *Build Your Career*, Geriatrics and Residency Programs Facilitator, APTA Combined Sections Meeting, San Diego, CA. February, 2010

Gravano T. *Build Your Career*, Geriatrics and Residency Programs Facilitator, APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Las Vegas, Nevada. February, 2009

Gravano T. *Build Your Career*, Geriatrics Facilitator, APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Nashville, TN. February, 2008

Research Activity:

Gravano, T; Clyse, S; Miller, M. Implementation Rates of Skills Learned In a Continuing Education Course for Physical Therapists. IRB# 883392-1

Gravano, T; Hamilton, J; Porter J; Stanley, B. Effectiveness of the Chronic Disease Self-Management Program in Older Adults. Meta-analysis Literature review. Completed 4/29/16.

Childress, R; Ferguson, M; **Gravano, T;** Hoffman J. Integrating Scientific Inquiry, Numeracy, and Literacy in the Elementary Classroom 2015 ITQ. Marshall University, June 15, 2015 – June 15 2016. IRB #766451-1.

Mehta, S; **Gravano, T;** Shuler F; Koester A; Karim, R; Novotny, S. Qazi, Z; Prediction of adverse health outcomes post distal radius fracture. Grant denied. IRB IRB #574376-3
Closed: 3/18/2016

Gravano, T; Huxley J; Mugrage, K; Shleser, T. Physical Therapist Understanding of Geriatric Health Literacy. July 28, 2014- June 8, 2015. IRB#636535-2

Other Scholarly Products:

Geriatric Physical Therapy Description of Specialty Practice. **Gravano, T,** Kegelmeyer D, Quiben, M. (2010) American Physical Therapy Association. Alexandria, VA: Specialty Council on Geriatric Physical Therapy

Continuing Education Workshops Conducted/Organized:

Gravano, T., Clyse, S., Miller, M. New and Improved Functional Outcome Measures for Older Adults. West Virginia Physical Therapy Association. Marshall University, Huntington WV. April 23, 2016. (4.5 ceu)

Gravano, T., Barredo, R. Certified Clinical Instructor Training Program (CCIP). Taught and certified 12 participants as APTA certified CIs. Marion, VA. April 9-10, 2016. (15 ceu)

Gravano, T. & Utzman, R. Certified Clinical Instructor Training Program (CCIP). Taught and certified 14 participants as APTA certified CIs. Morgantown, WV. March 12-13, 2016. (15 ceu)

Gravano, T. Certified Exercise Expert for Aging Adults. (CEEAA) Instructor. Course 3. Evaluation techniques. Academy of Geriatric Physical Therapy. St. Louis MO. October 23-25, 2015. (15 ceu)

Gravano, T. Certified Exercise Expert for Aging Adults. (CEEAA) Lab instructor. Course 1. Evaluation techniques. Academy of Geriatric Physical Therapy. Laguna Hills, CA. March 7,8, 2015. (15 ceu)

Gravano, T. Certified Exercise Expert for Aging Adults (CEEAA) Program faculty retreat for revision of course content. November 14-16, 2014.

Gravano, T. Certified Exercise Expert for Aging Adults. (CEEAA) Instructor. Course 3. Evaluation techniques. Academy of Geriatric Physical Therapy. Cherry Hill, NJ. September 20-21, 2014. (15 ceu)

Gravano, T. Certified Exercise Expert for Aging Adults. (CEEAA) Lab instructor. Course 2. Evaluation techniques. Academy of Geriatric Physical Therapy. Milwaukee, Wisconsin. August 16-17, 2014. (15 ceu)

Gravano, T. Certified Exercise Expert for Aging Adults. (CEEAA) Lab instructor. Course 2. Evaluation techniques. Academy of Geriatric Physical Therapy. Cherry Hill, NJ. July 19-20, 2014. (15 ceu)

Gravano, T. Certified Exercise Expert for Aging Adults. (CEEAA) Lab instructor. Course 1. Evaluation techniques. Academy of Geriatric Physical Therapy. Cherry Hill, NJ. June 19-20, 2014. (15 ceu)

Gravano, T. Continuing Education Instructor: Specialty Board Examination Item Writing Workshop, Geriatric and Cardiopulmonary Specialties. Specialty Academy of Content Experts of the American Board of Physical Therapy Specialties: New York, NY, November 2011

Gravano, T. Continuing Education Instructor: Specialty Board Examination Item Writing Workshop, Geriatric and Neurological Specialties. Specialty Academy of Content Experts of the American Board of Physical Therapy Specialties: Dallas, TX, April 2008.

Continuing Education Organizer: Miller, D. "Constraint-induced Physical Therapy Techniques" St. Catherine's Rehabilitative Services Dept. 2007

Gravano, T., Camillo S. Continuing Education presenter. "Allen's Cognitive Level Program" St. Catherine's Rehabilitative Services Dept. 2006

Continuing Education Organizer: Hayes, S. "Sexual Dysfunction and Disability" St. Catherine's Rehabilitative Services Dept. 2006-2007

Continuing Education Organizer: Cohen, M. "Cardiopulmonary Physical Therapy: a Two Part Series" St. Catherine's Rehabilitative Services Dept. 2006-2007

Continuing Education Organizer: Davis, C. "Ethical Concerns in Physical Therapy" St. Catherine's Rehabilitative Services Dept. 2006-2007

Continuing Education Organizer: Gailey, R. "The Role of PT in the New Era of Bionic Prosthetics" St. Catherine's Rehabilitative Services Dept. 2007

Participant and development of Multiple Sclerosis, Pulmonary Physical Therapy, and Post-Polio Clinics. St. Catherine's Rehabilitation Hospital, Miami, FL 2003

Membership in Scientific/Professional Organizations:

Member, National Social Science Association, November 2015-Present

Member, West Virginia Geriatric Education Center. November 2012-Present.

Member, Phi Kappa Phi, Graduate Honor Society, April 2013 to Present

Member, Academy of Medical Educators, Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, Huntington WV. February 2012-Present.

Active Member, West Virginia Physical Therapy Association, 2000- July 2008

Member, APTA Education Section, 2009-present

Active Member, Louisiana Physical Therapy Association, July 2008-Dec 2010

Associate Member, Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy, (FSBPT) 2008- present

Member, Florida Consortium of Clinical Educators-SE Region, 2008

Active member, Geriatric Section APTA, 2003 – present

Member, Cardiopulmonary Section APTA, 2001-2003

Active Member, American Physical Therapy Association, 2000- present

Active Member, Florida Physical Therapy Association, 2000- July 2008

Consultative and Advisory Positions Held:

ABPTS Physical Therapy Geriatric Specialist Certification Exam Standard Setting Task Force, 2008, 2010, 2012

Editorial Advisory Board, *Today in PT* magazine, Gannett Healthcare Group, 2007-present

Editorial Board, *Journal of Geriatric Physical Therapy*, 2009- present. (Reviewed 32 manuscripts to date)

Community Service:

Team Captain

Walk to End Alzheimer's- raised 126% of goal funds

Huntington, WV

October 2014, September 2015

Treasurer

Florida Physical Therapy Association

South East District

2006-2008

Volunteer walker, 2006

The Susan J Komen 3 Day Walk for Breast Cancer Research

Raised \$2300

Volunteer
New Orleans Mission
2008

Physical Therapist
Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Clinic
University of Miami Miller School of Medicine
2007-2008

Physical Therapist
Bi-annual Community Balance Screenings
St. Catherine's Rehabilitation Hospital, Miami FL
2003-2008

**Services to the University/College/School on
Committees/Councils/Commissions:**

National

Founding Chair, Residency and Fellowship Special Interest Group (RFSIG) of the Academy of Geriatric Physical Therapy of the APTA. 2015-present.

Chair, Residency & Fellowship Subcommittee, APTA Geriatric Section Practice Committee, 2007-2014 (dissolved, and reformed as the RFSIG)

Appointed member, Board of Directors, American Board of Physical Therapy Residency and Fellowship Education (ABPTRFE), 2015-2018.

Appointed Member, Credentialing Services Council, American Board of Physical Therapy Residency and Fellowship Education (ABPTRFE), 2010-2015

Appointed Member, Reviewer Subcommittee, APTA Committee on Clinical Residency & Fellowship Program Credentialing, 2008-2009

Chair, Specialty Council on Geriatric Physical Therapy, American Board of Physical Therapy Specialties (ABPTS), July 2011-December 2012.

Appointed Member, Specialty Council on Geriatric Physical Therapy, ABPTS, 2009-2012
Appointed Member, ABPTS Specialization Academy of Content Experts, 2008-2009

Chair, Geriatric Section Membership Committee, American Physical Therapy Association, (APTA) February 2010 to present

Co-Chair, Geriatric Section Membership Committee, APTA, 2009 to 2010

Member, APTA Geriatric Section Membership Committee, 2007-2009

Member, Education Committee, West Virginia Physical Therapy Association, 2011–present

Appointed Member, Task Force on Recertification/Continued Competency, ABPTS, 2009-present

Item Writer and Review Committee Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy; Alexandria, VA. National Physical Therapy Examination July 2006, Term Appointment: 120 days

Mentor; Members Mentoring Members Program- APTA: 2005-2010 (program dissolved)

University

MUDPT Alumni club faculty advisor. January 2016 to present.

"How fit are you? Fitness screening for MU faculty and staff. April 11, 2014

Marshall University School of Physical Therapy (MUDPT) club faculty advisor 6/2012 to present.

Pre-Physical Therapy Club Faculty Advisor 8/2012-present

Career Expo. Cabell Midland High school recruitment event, April 2012, October 2013, April 2014.

Green and White Day. Marshall University, COHP career major info event, Biannual 2012-present

Health Science Technology Academy, COHP career major event for underprivileged WV youth. 2012, 2013, 2014

Health Science Careers, panel discussion, Career services event, November 2013.

Marshall University Committees

University Functions Committee
September 2012-September 2015

Marshall University
Marshall & Shirley Reynolds Outstanding Teacher Award Committee
August 2013-present

Marshall University
College of Health Professions
Academic Appeals Committee
February 2012-Present

Marshall University
College of Health Professions
Ad hoc Geriatric Certificate/Minor Committee
September 2012-Present

Marshall University
College of Health Professions
Publications Committee
February 2011-Present

Marshall University
College of Health Professions
Curriculum Committee, Chair
May 2011-Present

Marshall University
College of Health Professions
Learning and Laboratory Resources Committee
May 2011-Present

Department Marshall University
School of Physical Therapy
Information Sessions Leader
March 2011 – Present

Marshall University
School of Physical Therapy
Search Committee Chair
March 2011 – March 2014

Marshall University
School of Physical Therapy
Clinical Education Committee
March 2011 – Present

Marshall University
School of Physical Therapy
Administrative Committee
March 2011 – Present

Marshall University
School of Physical Therapy
Curriculum Committee
January 2011-Present

Marshall University
School of Physical Therapy
Admissions Committee
January 2011-June 2014

Honors and Awards:

Presidents Award
Academy of Geriatric Physical Therapy
In recognition of exceptional service and commitment
Presented by the President of the AGPT of the APTA
February 2016

David K. Brown Scholarship
Recognition of completion of 40 hours of CEU in Geriatric education
sponsored or approved by the WVGEC.

West Virginia Geriatric Education Center
2013

Phi Kappa Phi
National Graduate Honor Society
Marshall University
2013

Emerging Leader Award
National award annually recognizing top 25 new physical therapy
professionals in leadership, service and commitment
American Physical Therapy Association
2007

Psi Chi
National Psychology Honor Society, University of Miami 1999, 2000
Gamma Sigma Alpha
National Greek Academic Honor Society, University of Miami
2000

Continuing Education Attended:

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| February 2016 | Combined Sections Meeting, APTA. Anaheim, CA (1.9 ceu) |
| October 2015 | Moving beyond flipped learning... Education Leadership Conference. APTA. Baltimore, MD. (1.5 ceu) |
| October 2015 | Nuts and Bolts for the Novice DCE/ACCE. Education Leadership Conference. APTA. Baltimore, MD. (1.5 ceu) |
| October 2015 | Moving Forward: Integrating Technology-Mediated Instruction into Curricula. Education Leadership Conference. APTA. Baltimore, MD. (1.5 ceu) |
| September 2015 | Geriatrics Retreat Immersion Training. Marshall University Health. Glade Springs Resort, Daniels, WV. (0 CEU) |
| April 2015 | Is your tool box up to date? West Virginia Physical Therapy Association Spring Conference: WVPTA, Roanoke WV. (1.3 ceu) |
| April 2015 | Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias Webinar Three: Understanding and Responding to Behavior. Online. Alzheimer's Association/West Virginia Geriatric Education Center. |
| February 2015 | Fall Risk Assessment for Special Populations, Vibrant and Healthy Sexual Aging, Exercise for the older adult with chronic conditions, Adding power to the aging adults exercise program, Optimizing dosage in acute care and outpatient settings. Combined Sections Meeting, APTA. Indianapolis, IA. (1.9 ceu) |
| January 2015 | High-speed exercise training variations: A multi-dimensional approach. |

Online, ICAA Webinar. .1 ceu

October 2014 Education Leadership Conference. APTA. Kansas City, MO. (1.3 ceu)

June 2014 West Virginia Geriatric Leadership Summit: Shaping the Future. WVGEC. Glade Springs, WV. June 19-20, 2014. (6 ceu)

June 2014 Dementia in the Long Term Care Setting, Clinical Practice Guidelines for Non-Prescribers. American Medical Directors Association: The Society for Post Acute and Long Term Care Medicine. (5 ceu)

June 2014 Guiding Faculty through a Successful Accreditation Process. APTA NEXT, Charlotte, NC. (0.15 ceu)

June 2014 Collaborative Learning in Clinical Education. APTA NEXT, Charlotte, NC. (0.15 ceu)

June 2014 Building on ICE: Integrated Clinical Education models for Preparing Physical Therapists for Tomorrow. APTA NEXT, Charlotte, NC. (0.15 ceu)

May 2014 End of Life Care. WVU School of Social Work, online course. (6 ceu)

April 2014 Credentialed Clinical Instructor Program Training, APTA, Alexandria VA (2.2 ceu)

April 2014 Law and Procedure Governing Advance Medical Directives & the WV POST form. Geriatrics Lunchtime Learning, WV Geriatric Education Center and CAMC institute. Online.

April 2014 Differential Diagnosis, Evaluation, and Management of the Hip Complex. 2014 Spring Conference: What's Hip in 2014?" WVPTA, Roanoke WV. (3.5 ceu)

April 2014 A Multi-Disciplinary Approach to the Treatment of Dementia. 2014 Spring Conference: What's Hip in 2014?" WVPTA, Roanoke WV. (.2 ceu)

April 2014 Platform Presentations. Spring Conference: What's Hip in 2014?" WVPTA, Roanoke WV. (.3 ceu)

April 2014 Joint Session, What's Hip in 2014? 2014 Spring Conference: What's Hip in 2014?" WVPTA, Roanoke WV. (.3 ceu)

Mar 2014 2014 APTA Membership Chair Conference, APTA, Alexandria VA.

Mar 2014 Health Literacy: Do your patients Understand? CAMC Institute. Online

Mar 2014 Delirium: A Geriatric Perspective, CAMC Institute. Online

Feb 2014 Seating and Mobility for Geriatrics, APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Las Vegas, NV. (.2 ceu)

Feb 2014	Managing Ethical and Legal issues in Education: APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Las Vegas, NV. (.2 ceu)
Feb 2014	Motivating Apathetic and Depressed Clients, APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Las Vegas, NV. (.2 ceu)
Feb 2014	Falls: Identification, Prevention and treatment, APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Las Vegas, NV. (.2 ceu)
Feb 2014	Weaving Compliance into Clinical Decision Making: Preparing Students to Successfully Manage Risk, APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Las Vegas, NV. (.2 ceu)
Nov 2013	Case Challenges in Early Alzheimer's Disease. Medscape online course. November 26, 2013. (2.25 ceu)
Nov 2013	Updating your Policy Toolbox: Aging, Retirement and Healthcare. WVU School of Social Work, online course. (6 ceu)
Oct 2013	Clinical Performance Algorithm for Clinical Education Decisions for ICEs. Education Leadership Conference 2013, Portland OR. October 4, 2013
Oct 2013	iTeach, iLearn, iPad: Using Technology to Promote PTA student success. Education Leadership Conference 2013, Portland OR. October 5, 2013
Oct 2013	Geriatric Competencies for PTA Education. Education Leadership Conference 2013, Portland OR. October 4, 2013
Oct 2013	The ACA: Impact on PT Services. WVPTA PT After Hours. Huntington WV. (2.5 ceu)
July 2013	Clinical Performance Instrument for Students: A Self-Guided Training Course. APTA Online. (0.2 ceu)
July 2013	Certified Exercise Expert for Aging Adults, Course 3. Section on Geriatrics, APTA. Huntington, WV. (15 ceu)
June 2013	Certified Exercise Expert for Aging Adults, Course 2. Section on Geriatrics, APTA. Huntington, WV. (15 ceu)
April 2013	Collaborative Patient Care. 2013 Spring Conference, West Virginia Physical Therapy Association. Roanoke, WV. (2.0 ceu)
April 2013	Non and Post-operative Rehabilitation Strategies. 2013 Spring Conference, West Virginia Physical Therapy Association. Roanoke, WV. (4.0 ceu)
April 2013	Non Acute Lower Back Pain: Rethinking Physical Therapy Examination and Treatment. 2013 Spring Conference, West Virginia Physical Therapy Association. Roanoke, WV (4.0 ceu)

April 2013	Certified Exercise Expert for Aging Adults, Course 1. Section on Geriatrics, APTA. Huntington, WV. (15 ceu)
April 2013	Advanced Geriatrics Skills, West Virginia Geriatric Education Center, Bridgeport, WV. (no PT ceus awarded)
January 2013	Exercise Prescription. Are you pushing older adults hard enough? Combined Sections Meeting, APTA. San Diego, CA. (.2 ceu)
January 2013	Emerging issues in Medicare and federal affairs. What every PT needs to know. Combined Sections Meeting, APTA. San Diego, CA. (.2 ceu)
January 2013	Changing Family Dynamics Effect on Healthcare. Combined Sections Meeting, APTA. San Diego, CA. (.2 ceu)
January 2013	The D in Dementia is not for Discharge. Combined Sections Meeting, APTA. San Diego, CA. (.2 ceu)
January 2013	Managing the At-Risk Student. When the sailing isn't smooth. Combined Sections Meeting, APTA. San Diego, CA. (.2 ceu)
Nov 2012	Balance and Vestibular Assessment and Treatment. WVPTA Winter Conference, Huntington, WV. (6 hour CE)
Nov 2012	Fundamentals of Measurement in Rehabilitation for Older Adults, Center for Rehabilitation Outcomes Research (CROR), online. (.1 ceu)
June 2012	Epidemiology, Current Research, and Best Practices in Fall Prevention for Older Adults. APTA Annual Conference, Tampa, FL (.3 ceu)
June 2012	Assessing Fall Risk in Older Adults: What Are Current Best Practices in Fall Risk Assessment, and What Should Be Included In Entry-Level DPT Education Programs?. APTA Annual Conference, Tampa, FL (.3 ceu)
June 2012	Comparing Evidence-based Fall Prevention Programs for Active, Community-Dwelling, Older Adults, Including T'ai Chi: Moving for Better Balance. APTA Annual Conference, Tampa, FL (.3 ceu)
June 2012	Comparing Evidence-based Fall Prevention Programs for Active, Community-Dwelling, Older Adults, Including "Stepping On" and "Matter of Balance". APTA Annual Conference, Tampa, FL (.3 ceu)
June 2012	Evidence-based Fall Prevention Programming for Frail Older Adults Delivered by Physical Therapists in the Home: The Otago Exercise Program APTA Annual Conference, Tampa, FL (.3 ceu)
June 2012	Community Stakeholders, Resources, and Public Health: Disseminating Effective Fall Prevention Programs in Your Area, Including the NCOA's National Falls Free Initiative. APTA Annual Conference, Tampa, FL (.3 ceu)

June 2012	Leadership Opportunities in Clinical Education and Academic Administration in PT and PTA Programs. APTA Annual Conference, Tampa, FL (.3 ceu)
April 2012	Rehabilitation of Knee Pathology Across the Lifespan. West Virginia Physical Therapy Association. Roanoke, WV. (6.0 ceu)
April 2012	Plain Film Radiology. West Virginia Physical Therapy Association. Roanoke, WV. (6.0 ceu)
April 2012	Health Care Reform: What's New for 2012. APTA, International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET), online training course (.2 ceu)
March 2012	Advanced Credentialed Clinical Instructor Education for Physical Therapists, APTA, Miami, FL (1.675 ceu)
March 2012	Professionalism, Module 1: Introduction to Professionalism. APTA, International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET), online training course (.2 ceu)
March 2012	Professionalism, Module 2: History of Professionalism in Physical Therapy. APTA, International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET), online training course (.2 ceu)
March 2012	Professionalism, Module 3: Ethical Compass. APTA, International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET), online training course (.25 ceu)
Feb 2012	It's All in the Family: Instructional Collaboration Using the Integrated Longitudinal case-based learning module. APTA CSM, Chicago, IL (.2 ceu)
Feb 2012	Making the Decision: Identifying Reasonable Accommodations for Students with Disabilities. APTA CSM, Chicago, IL (.2 ceu)
Feb 2012	Physical Therapy for Boomers: Is the Academy Preparing and Motivating Students for Working with Older Adults? APTA CSM, Chicago, IL (.2 ceu)
Feb 2012	Effective Wound Pain Management in the Older Adult. APTA CSM, Chicago, IL (.2 ceu)
Feb 2012	The Neurological Impact of Forced Exercise in Parkinson Disease and its Translation into Clinical Care. APTA CSM, Chicago, IL(.2 ceu)
Feb 2012	Exercise Adherence in Older Adults: Why Don't my Patients Do Their Exercises and How Can I Improve This? APTA CSM, Chicago, IL (.2 ceu)
Oct 2011	Educational Leadership Conference: Innovations in Teaching and Clinical Instruction. Clearwater FL (1.8 ceu)

June 2011	Leadership Opportunities in Clinical Education and Academic Administration in PT and PTA Programs. APTA Annual Conference, National Harbor, MD (.3 ceu)
June 2011	Measuring Ambulation and Mobility Outcomes in Adults. APTA Annual Conference, National Harbor, MD (.3 ceu)
June 2011	Evidence Based Exercise Prescription for the Older Adult. APTA Annual Conference, National Harbor, MD (.3 ceu)
June 2011	Mental Health and Aging: The Art in Successful Aging. APTA Annual Conference, National Harbor, MD (.3 ceu)
June 2011	The 2011 Oxford Debate: CPR Dead or Alive? APTA Annual Conference, National Harbor, MD (.1 ceu)
June 2011	Optimizing the Physical Therapists Role in Aging. APTA Annual Conference, National Harbor, MD (.3 ceu)
June 2011	Health and Wellness for the Older Adult: Roles Responsibilities, and Evidence for Physical Therapist Practice. APTA Annual Conference, National Harbor, MD (.3 ceu)
May 2011	Clinical Instructor Credentialing Program, APTA, Cleveland, OH (1.5 ceu)
April 2011	Incorporating Yoga into your Physical Therapy Treatments: Facilitating a Mind/Body Connection. WVPTA, Spring Conference, Roanoke, WV (4.0 hrs)
April 2011	Professional Issues Panel Discussion on New PT Practice Act: How it affects your practice and you. WVPTA Spring Conference, Roanoke, WV (6.0 hrs)
April 2011	Consumer Self-Referral: Advanced Keys to Collaborative Practice. WVPTA Spring Conference, Roanoke, WV (1.0 hrs)
February 2011	Healthy People 2020: Physical Therapist Roles in Health and Wellness Across the Life Stages. APTA CSM, New Orleans, LA. (.20 ceu)
February 2011	Structured and Intentional teaching Strategies for the Clinical Instructor: Development and Deployment of a Clinical Curriculum. APTA CSM, New Orleans, LA. (.30 ceu)
February 2011	Intensity in Geriatric PT: Determining the Dosage. APTA CSM, New Orleans, LA. (.20 ceu)
February 2011	PTs and Nurses: A collaborative Wound Management Model. APTA CSM, New Orleans, LA. (.15 ceu)
February 2011	Building Bone Health into your Practice: Osteoporosis Functional Exam and Exercise Intervention. APTA CSM, New Orleans, LA. (.20 ceu)

February 2011	Geriatric Competencies in Physical therapy: Preparing for the Future. APTA CSM, New Orleans, LA. (.30 ceu)
February 2011	Utilizing Learning Styles as a Method of Enhancing Patient Care. APTA CSM, New Orleans, LA. (.20 ceu)
February 2011	Enhancing Educational Outcomes Utilizing Clinical Prediction Rules as Part of an Entry-Level Physical Therapist Education Program Curriculum. APTA CSM, New Orleans, LA. (.20 ceu)
January 2011	Stanford University Chronic Disease Self-Management Program, Marshall University Center for Rural Health, Huntington, WV (27 CEH)
September 2010	CPR Recertification, American Heart Association, New Orleans, LA
June 2010	Thawing Out- Treatment Strategies for Frozen Shoulder Syndrome, Gannett HealthCare Group, Online, (1.0 Contact hour)
Mar 2010	Family Caregivers: Doing Double Duty, Gannett HealthCare Group, Online, (1.0 Contact hour)
Mar 2010	ABCs of Physical Therapy Wound Management, Gannett HealthCare Group, Online, (1.0 Contact hour)
Feb 2010	Concussion and Mild TBI: Update 2010, APTA CSM, San Diego CA. (.2 ceu)
Feb 2010	Sternal Precautions: What Do They Mean?, APTA CSM, San Diego CA. (.2 ceu)
Feb 2010	Treatment of the Burn Wound in the Outpatient Setting, APTA CSM, San Diego CA. (.2 ceu)
Feb 2010	The Promise of Telemedicine for Wound Management, APTA CSM, San Diego CA. (.15 ceu)
Feb 2010	Expert Panel: The Effect of Technology on Vision 2020, APTA CSM, San Diego CA. (.275 ceu)
Feb 2010	Coronary Artery Bypass Graft Surgery: Physical Therapy from Hospital to Home, APTA CSM, San Diego CA. (.3 ceu)
Feb 2010	Beyond Ankle Pumps and Quad Sets: Early Functional Exercise and Mobility for Bed Bound Patients, APTA CSM, San Diego CA (.3 ceu)
Feb 2010	The Acute Care Physical Therapist's Role in Pressure Ulcer Prevention, APTA CSM, San Diego CA. (.1ceu)
July 2009	Parkinson's Disease and Physical Therapy, Gannett Healthcare Group, Online, (1.0 Contact Hour)

July 2009	The Management of Knee Osteoarthritis, Gannett Healthcare Group, Online, (1.0 Contact Hour)
July 2009	Age Discrimination and the Economic Downturn, Maturity Works Alliance Webinar, (1.0 Contact hour)
June 2009	Moodle 101: Course Creation, International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET), online training course (2.0 CEU)
May 2009	Fall Prevention Among the Elderly, Gannett Healthcare Group, Online, (1.0 Contact hour)
April 2009	The Peer's Role in Creating a Culture of Professionalism, International Association of Medical Science Educators (IAMSE) Webcast Audio Seminar (1 Contact hour)
April 2009	Professionalism: Hidden Curriculum, International Association of Medical Science Educators (IAMSE) Webcast Audio Seminar (1 Contact hour)
April 2009	The Teacher-Student Relationship Boundaries: Professionalism Applied, International Association of Medical Science Educators (IAMSE) Webcast Audio Seminar (1 Contact hour)
March 2009	Assessment of Professional Behavior, International Association of Medical Science Educators (IAMSE) Webcast Audio Seminar (1 c.hour)
March 2009	Scientific Integrity and Professionalism: Instruction Using Problem-Based Learning, International Association of Medical Science Educators (IAMSE) Webcast Audio Seminar (1 Contact hour)
March 2009	Definition/Creating a Culture of Humanistic Medicine, International Association of Medical Science Educators (IAMSE) Webcast Audio Seminar (1.0 Contact hour)
March 2009	Moodle 100: Introduction to Moodle, International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET), online training course 1.0 CEU)
March 2009	Lipedema: Often Confused with Lymphedema, Gannett Healthcare Group, Online, (1.0 Contact Hour)
March 2009	Developing the products of your teaching for publication, Teaching Excellence Workshop Series, LSUHSC-NO,(2.0 Contact hours)
February 2009	Clinical Examination and Evidence Based Interventions to Improve Gait in Older Adults, APTA Combined Sections Meeting (CSM), Las Vegas, Nevada (.175 CEU)
February 2009	Being Present with Suffering, Loss, or Dying, APTA, CSM, Las Vegas, Nevada (.2 CEU)

February 2009	Funded Research and Early Career Development Opportunities (K12) for Faculty Members, APTA, CSM, Las Vegas, Nevada (.3 CEU)
February 2009	What You Need to Know Before Exercising Patients Taking Anti-Inflammatory Agents and Other Pain Medications. APTA, CSM, Las Vegas, Nevada (.3 CEU)
February 2009	Paying attention, Making Choices: The Role of Cognition in Fall Prevention, APTA, CSM, Las Vegas, Nevada (.2 CEU)
February 2009	Essentials of Writing and Reading Research Papers, APTA, CSM, Las Vegas, Nevada (.2 CEU)
February 2009	Physical Therapy Interventions Across Cultures and Countries for Patients with Post-polio or Post-CVA Diagnoses, APTA, CSM, Las Vegas, Nevada (.275 CEU)
February 2009	Diagnosis Dialog: Research and Clinical Perspectives on Defining the “x” in DxPT, APTA, CSM, Las Vegas, Nevada (.275 CEU)
February 2009	Therapeutic Modalities: What Drives the Decision Making Process?, APTA, CSM, Las Vegas, Nevada (.25 CEU)
February 2009	Neurological Screening and Return to Participation Following Mild Traumatic Brain Injury. APTA, CSM, Las Vegas, Nevada (.175 CEU)
February 2009	People with Diabetes: A Population Desperate for Movement, APTA, CSM, Las Vegas, Nevada (.4 CEU)

Current Teaching Responsibilities in the DPT Program:

Year I Director of Clinical Education for 40 students

Summer:

- L: PT 750 Foundations of PT
- L: PT 710 Introduction to Human Movement
- Graduate Advisor for 5 doctoral students

Fall:

- I: PT 731 Clinical Skills I
- L: PT 711 Human Movement I
- CC, I: PT 771 Clinical Application Seminar Experience I
- Graduate Advisor for 5 doctoral students

Spring:

- I: PT 732 Clinical Skills II
- L: PT 702 Neuroscience I
- I: PT 772 Clinical Application Seminar Experience II
- Graduate Advisor for 5 doctoral students

Year II Director of Clinical Education for 38 Students

Summer:

- I: PT 773 Clinical Application Seminar Experience III

I: PT 763 Evidence Based Physical Therapy III
Graduate Advisor for 7 doctoral students

Fall:

CC: PT 791 Clinical Internship I
I: PT 774 Clinical Application Seminar Experience IV
Graduate Advisor for 7 doctoral students

Spring:

CC, I: PT 786 Rehabilitation Considerations of Special Populations I: Pediatrics-
Geriatrics
L: PT 783 Cardiopulmonary Conditions
I: PT 775 Clinical Application Seminar Experience V
I: PT 764 Evidence Based Physical Therapy IV-capstone advisor
Graduate Advisor for 7 doctoral students

Year III Director of Clinical Education for 37 students

Summer:

CC, I: PT 776 Clinical Application Seminar Experience VI
CC, I: PT 784 Integumentary
I: PT 765 Evidence Based Physical Therapy V-capstone advisor
Graduate Advisor for 8 doctoral students

Fall:

CC: PT 792 Clinical Internship II
I: PT 777 Clinical Application Seminar Experience VII
I: PT 766 Evidence Based Physical Therapy VI capstone advisor
Graduate Advisor for 8 doctoral students

Spring:

CC: PT 793 Clinical Internship III
I: PT 767 Evidence Based Physical Therapy VII capstone advisor
Graduate Advisor for 8 doctoral students