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Curriculum Vitae 2021

**Education**

**Doctorate in Public Administration**

Spring, 2014

**Master of Arts**, Child, Family & Community Services **May 1992**

University of Illinois, Springfield

**Bachelor of Arts,** Child, Family & Community Services **Dec. 1983**

University of Illinois, Springfield

**Professional Work Experience**

**Clinical Assistant Professor 8/15/12-**

University of Illinois Springfield

Public Administration Graduate Program

Coordinator, Child Advocacy Studies (CAST)

**Center for State Policy and Leadership Appointment**

Director, Alliance for Experiential Problem-Based Learning

P.I. for Federal SAMHSA grant

P.I. Office for Victims of Crime Project CHILD

P.I. for Child Protection Training Academy

**Zero Abuse National Child Protection Training Center Consultant 1/1/16 – 6/30/20**

Provide technical assistance and training for universities interested in implementing the CAST curriculum.

**National Consultant** **1992 – Present**

Provide training and technical assistance for children’s advocacy centers, state chapter of CAC’s and regional CAC’s. Present at national conferences on child abuse related topics (the development of children’s advocacy centers, the role of the victim advocate, policy development, collaboration, grant writing and team development) **Developed the Advanced Victim Advocacy Training curriculum for National Children’s Advocacy Center**.

**Membership Specialist, National Children’s Alliance, Washington DC** **2002 – 2007**

Responsibilities included conducting nationwide accreditation site reviews of Children’s Advocacy Centers. Presented at national conferences on the following topics: development of children’s advocacy centers, public policy, juvenile sex offenders, victim advocacy, and multidisciplinary team development.

**Children’s Policy Advisor, Illinois Attorney General Jim Ryan 1995 – 2002**

Responsibilities: Advise Attorney General on issues that impacted children, with particular emphasis on child abuse and family violence. Coordinated the Attorney General’s 48-member ***Violence to Children Task Force***, the ***Illinois Child Advocacy Commission,*** the ***Advisory Group on School Safety***, the ***Sex Offender Management Board*** and the ***Youth At Risk Commission.*** Assisted with drafting legislation and monitoring all legislation that affected children and youth. Appointed to the National Attorney’s General Task Force on School Safety. Testified before a United States Congressional Committee on school safety initiatives. **Wrote a successful $250,000 Department of Justice CSOM grant for the development of the Illinois Sex Offender Management Board** and served as staff to the Board for the duration of the two year grant. Developed policy initiatives related to child protection, child welfare, family violence and school safety. Managed multiple teams and work groups.

**Founding Executive Director, Sangamon County Child Advocacy Center 1989 – 1995**

Organized county-wide task force to implement the center and wrote the original protocol for the multidisciplinary approach to the investigation, prosecution, and treatment of child sexual abuse cases. Supervised five professional staff members and assigned team members. In1991 successfully marketed and passed a county-wide property tax referendum to support the center. Secured over a half a million dollars in grant funding including a Community Development Block Grant to write and implement the first school-based child sexual abuse prevention curriculum. Trained nationally on the development of children’s advocacy centers and developed the State Chapter of Children’s Advocacy Centers. Served as first President of the Chapter.

**Child Protective Investigator, Department of Children and Family Services 1988 – 1989**

Investigated allegations of child sexual abuse, neglect and physical abuse in Sangamon County. Provided training on interviewing skills and mandated reporting.

**Sexual Assault Victim Advocate, Rape Information and Counseling Services 1986 – 1988**

Provided counseling and advocacy for adult and child victims of sexual assault. Trained and supervised hotline and advocate volunteers and interns.

**Teaching Experience**

**Faculty, Public Administration, UIS**

Core courses taught: Introduction to the Profession, Organizational Development, and Capstone.

Elective courses developed and taught: Social Entrepreneurship (PAD 590) Nonprofit Capacity and Collaboration (PAD 590) and Advocacy and Policy (PAD 590) Development of the three electives in the Child Advocacy Studies Curriculum (CAST)

**Development of the CAST Minor – Implementation, Fall 2020**

**Publications**

Goulet, B., Cross, T., Chiu, Y., & Evans, S. (2020). Moving from Procedure to Practice: A Statewide Child Protection Simulation Training Model, Journal of Public Child Welfare, DOI: 10.1080/15548732.2020.1777247.

Available at: <https://doi.org/10.1080/15548732.2020.1777247>

Goulet, B., Cross, T.P. & Chiu, Y. (2020). Mandated reporting of child maltreatment: Mandated reporting. In R. Geffner, V.Vieth, V. Vaughan-Eden, A. Rosenbaum, L.K. Hamberger, & J. White, (Eds.). *Handbook of Interpersonal Violence Across the Lifespan*.  New York: Springer.

Vieth, Victor I.; Goulet, Betsy; Knox, Michele; Parker, Jennifer; Johnson, Lisa B.; Tye, Karla Steckler; and Cross, Theodore P. (2019) "Child Advocacy Studies (CAST): A National Movement to Improve the Undergraduate and Graduate Training of Child Protection Professionals," Mitchell Hamline Law Review: Vol. 45 : Iss. 4, Article 5.   
Available at: <https://open.mitchellhamline.edu/mhlr/vol45/iss4/5/>

National Children’s Advocacy Center Research Project: “*National Children’s Alliance Accreditation Standards: The Evidence Foundations”* Fall, 2019

**PA Times Fall 2015 article:** “Are We the People? Reviving Civics as a Public Value”

**Book Chapter with Dr. Ted Cross:** *“What will happen to this Child if I Report”* in Mandatory Reporting Laws and the Identification of Severe Child Abuse and Neglect, Ben Mathews and Donald Bross, Editors. Spring, 2015

**Legislative Initiatives**

Spring 2019 HB 2833 Amendment to the Child Protection Training Academy Statute 99-0348

Spring 2015 Legislation Session: **Senate Bill 653** Child Protection Training Academy, Drafted bill, testified in both chambers. Bill signed by Governor August 11, 2015.

Spring 2013 Legislative Session: Recommended legislation addressing mandated reporting training for teachers. Worked with Illinois Federation of Teachers on draft language, testified on behalf of **HB 2245**. Governor signed bill on August 17, 2013, effective July 1, 2014.

**Professional Affiliations**

Appointed Governor’s Task Force on Strengthening the Child Welfare Workforce 2019

Central Illinois DCFS Child Death Review Council 2018 -

Child Death Review Executive Council 2019 -

National Network of Children’s Advocacy Centers/National Children’s Alliance 1993- 1996 and 2000-2002, serving as Treasurer

Illinois Children’s Justice Task Force 1998 -2007 Committee Chair and Member

Midwest Regional Children’s Advocacy Center Advisory Board Member

Sangamon County Child Advocacy Center, President, Friends of the CAC Board of Directors

**Honors**

2019 Parent Place Champions for Children Award

2018 Women for Women “Atta Girl” Award

2011 Children’s Advocacy Centers of Illinois: ***Champion for Children Award Recipient***

**Presentations/Federal Grant Review**

Co-Presenter, National Children’s Alliance Leadership Conference, “Safe from the Start: The Role of Children’s Advocacy Centers”

Washington, DC June 2001

Presenter, National Children’s Advocacy Centers Rural Children’s Advocacy Center Summit

Jackson Hole, WY July 2002

Facilitator, Wisconsin State Chapter of Children Advocacy Centers

Osh Kosh, WI September 2002

Trainer: Multidisciplinary Team Members, (Law Enforcement and CPS)

Luling, LA October 2002

Presenter, National Child Maltreatment Conference, Public Policy Workshop

San Diego, February 2003

Presenter, National Symposium on Child Sexual Abuse, “Effective Grant Writing”

Huntsville, Alabama March 2003

Trainer: Child Advocacy Center Task Force, Children’s Advocacy Centers 101

Kissimmee, Florida March 2003

Facilitator, Michigan State Chapter of Children’s Advocacy Centers Strategic Planning

Grand Rapids, MI May 2003

Facilitation, Multidisciplinary Team Members Team Week, National Children’s Advocacy Center

Huntsville, Alabama August 2003

National Children’s Alliance Grant Review

Washington DC November 2003

Facilitator, Kissimmee Child Advocacy Center’s Board of Directors, Strategic Planning

Kissimmee, FL December 2003

Presenter, National Child Maltreatment Conference, “The Role of the Victim Advocate”

San Diego, January, 2004

Facilitator, Missouri State Chapter of Children’s Advocacy Centers Strategic Planning

Branson, MO March 2004

Presenter, National Symposium on Child Sexual Abuse Pre Conference Institute, “Developing Children’s Advocacy Centers”

Huntsville, Alabama March 2004

Presenter, National Symposium on Child Sexual Abuse, “The Role of the Victim Advocate in Sex Offender Management”

Huntsville, AL, March 2004

Co-Presenter, National Symposium on Child Sexual Abuse, “Orientation Programs for Multidisciplinary Team Members”

Huntsville, AL, March 2004

Presenter, National Children’s Alliance Leadership Conference, “New Director’s Orientation”

Washington DC, May 2004

Facilitator, Board of Directors Strategic Planning

Kansas City, MO May 2004

Facilitator, Board of Directors Strategic Planning

Des Moine, IA May 2004

Trainer: Multidisciplinary Team Development

Rapid City, SD May 2004

Facilitator, Wisconsin State Chapter of Children’s Advocacy Centers Strategic Planning

Osk Kosh, WI June 2004

Facilitator, Kentucky State Chapter of Children’s Advocacy Centers Strategic Planning

Elizabethtown, KY August 2004

Facilitator, State Chapter Summit

Washington, DC September 2004

Trainer: Accreditation Site Review Orientation, Washington DC September 2004

Presenter, Indiana State Chapter Conference “Developing Children’s Advocacy Centers”

Indianapolis, IN October 2004

Trainer: Morristown Child Advocacy Center Multidisciplinary Team development

Morristown, NJ, October 2004

Facilitator, Accreditation Boot Camp

Minneapolis, MN, November 2004

National Children’s Alliance Grant Review

Washington, DC November 2004

Key Note presenter, Wisconsin State Chapter Conference

The Dells, WI, December 2004

Co-Presenter, National Child Maltreatment Conference, “Formulating and Advocating for Public Policy”

San Diego, February 2005

Trainer: Illinois State Chapter of Children’s Advocacy Centers, “Accreditation Standards”

Bloomington, IL May 2005

Presenter, National Children’ Alliance Leadership Conference, “New Director’s Orientation”

Washington, DC June 2005

Facilitator, Wisconsin State Chapter of Children’s Advocacy Centers Strategic Planning

LaCrosse, WI, August 2005

National Children’s Alliance, Grant Review

Washington, DC November 2005

Presenter, National Child Maltreatment Conference, “Advocacy Efforts with State Level Executive Branch Agencies” and Co- Presenter, “Special Considerations for Government-based & Hospital-based Children’s Advocacy Centers”

San Diego, January 2006

Presenter, National Symposium on Child Sexual Abuse, Pre-Conference Institute “Fundamentals of Developing Children’s Advocacy Centers” and “Helping Families Navigate the Legal System: Seamless Victim Advocacy”

Huntsville, AL, March 2006

Presenter, Missouri Statewide Conference on Child Sexual Abuse, “Advocacy Efforts with State Level Executive Branch Agencies”

St. Louis, MO, April 2006

Presenter, National Children’s Alliance Leadership Conference, “New Director’s Orientation”

Washington, DC, June 2006

Presenter, New Jersey State Child Welfare Conference, “The Multidisciplinary Team Response to Juvenile Sex Offenders” and “Helping Families Navigate the Legal System: The Role of the Victim Advocate”

Morristown, New Jersey June 2006

Presenter, North Carolina State Child Abuse Conference, “The Impact of Collaboration on Courtroom Success” and “Helping Families Navigate the Legal System: The Role of the Victim Advocate”

Lake Junaleska, North Carolina, September 2006

National Children’s Alliance Grant Review

Washington, DC November 2006

Presenter, Child Maltreatment Conference “Building an Effective Advisory Board” and Co-presenter: “Special Considerations for Government-based and Hospital-based Children’s Advocacy Centers”

San Diego January, 2007

Presenter, National Children’s Alliance Leadership Conference, “New Director’s Orientation”

Washington, DC June 2007

Facilitator & Coordinator, “Successful Collaborations: Successful Cases” Children’s Advocacy Centers of Illinois Statewide Conference

Springfield, IL September 2007

Presenter, Illinois Family Violence Coordinating Council Conference: “The Co-Occurrence of Domestic Violence, Child Abuse & Animal Abuse”

Belleville, IL April 2008

Presenter, NCA Accreditation Standards, Whiteside County CAC Board members

Sterling, IL August 2008

Facilitator, Florida State Chapter Strategic Planning

Orlando, FL September 2008

Presenter, Midwest Regional State Chapters Retreat: “New Director’s Train the Trainers”

Minneapolis, MN September 2008

Facilitator, North Dakota State Chapter Strategic Planning

Bismarck, North Dakota September 2008

Consultant, Children’s Trust Fund

Columbus, Ohio October 2008

Presenter, Texas State Chapter Conference: “Seamless Victim Advocacy”

Austin, TX October 2008

National Children’s Alliance Grant Review

Washington DC, November 2008

Presenter, National Symposium on Child Sexual Abuse: “Pre Conference Institute Accreditation Standards”

Huntsville, Alabama March 2009

Trainer: Texas State Chapter Victim Advocate Retreat: “Helping Families Navigate the Legal System: The Role of the Victim Advocate”

Austin, TX April, 2009

Trainer: Texas State Chapter Victim Advocate Retreat: “Helping Families Navigate the Legal System: The Role of the Victim Advocate”

Austin, TX May, 2010

Presenter, National Organization of Victim Assistance, “Seamless Victim Advocacy”

Salt Lake City, Utah August, 2010

Presenter, Champions for Children Statewide Conference: “Seamless Victim Advocacy”

Chicago, IL March, 2011

Presenter, National Child Sexual Abuse Symposium, “Seamless Victim Advocacy”

Huntsville, Alabama March, 2011

Trainer: Texas State Chapter Family Advocate Retreat: “Helping Families Navigate the Legal System: The Role of the Victim Advocate”

Austin, TX April, 2011

Trainer: Texas State Chapter Family Advocate Networking Forum (CAC Executive Directors and Family Advocates)

Austin, TX September, 2011

Co-Presenter, NCAC Basic Victim Advocacy Training

Huntsville, Alabama

January, 2012

Trainer: NCAC Advanced Victim Advocacy Training

Sacramento, CA

February, 2012

Trainer: NCAC Advanced Victim Advocacy Training

Philadelphia, PA

March, 2012

Trainer: NCAC Basic Victim Advocacy Training

St. Paul, MN

May, 2012

Trainer: Texas State Chapter Family Advocate Retreat: “Helping Families Navigate the Legal System: The Role of the Victim Advocate”

Austin, TX June, 2012

Trainer: Oklahoma State Chapter Advocate Training: “Advanced Victim Advocacy ”

Oklahoma City, OK August, 2012

Guest Speaker: “From Penn State to State Policy: Child Sexual Abuse in our Communities” MacMurray College’s Speaker Series – Perspectives on Social Justice

September 20, 2012

Facilitator: Executive Director Succession Planning

North Carolina State Chapter

October, 2012

Trainer: Denver, CO, State Chapter of Children’s Advocacy Centers “Advanced Victim Advocacy”

April 24-25, 2013

Trainer: Jefferson City, MO, State Chapter of Children’s Advocacy Centers “Advanced Victim Advocacy”

September 17-18, 2013

Trainer: Huntsville, AL National Children’s Advocacy Center, “Advanced Victim Advocacy”

October 9-10, 2013

Trainer: State Chapter Wisconsin “Advanced Victim Advocacy”

October, 2014

Trainer: Bethpage, New York Children’s Advocacy Center “Advanced Victim Advocacy”

June, 2015

Trainer: Jackson, MS “CAST Curriculum” CAST Faculty Training, Gundersen National Child Protection Training Center, October, 2015

Trainer: Atlantic City NJ: “CAST Curriculum” CAST Faculty Training, VIP Summit June, 2016

Presenter: Child Welfare Transformation Summit, “From the Classroom to the Field: Child Protection Training and Experiential Learning” DCFS Chicago, Illinois, October 2016

Trainer: Jackson, MS “CAST Curriculum” Mississippi Model for Universities and Community Colleges, March, 2017

Presenter: IPSCAN “Experiential Training for Child Protection Investigators:

The Illinois Simulation Training Lab Experience” The Hague, Netherlands, Oct. 2017

**SAMHSA Grant Project FORECAST National Facilitator 2017 - 2022**