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Curriculum Vitae

Academic Preparation

2008	Doctor of Philosophy	University of South Florida, Tampa, FL Department of Psychological & Social Foundations Concentration: Counselor Education & Supervision
1997	Masters in Social Work	Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA School of Social Work Concentration: Clinical Social Work
1994	Bachelor of Science	University of Louisiana, Lafayette, LA Department of Psychology Psychology

Supervision/Administrative Experience

2021-present *Associate Director*
University of South Florida, Tampa, FL
School of Social Work

2014-present *Faculty Director, Social Work*

1996-1997 *Social Work Intern*
Louisiana State Penitentiary, Angola, LA
Clinical Services Unit

1995 *Social Work Intern*
Baton Rouge Crisis Intervention Center, Baton Rouge, LA

Teaching Experience

University of South Florida

Graduate:

SOW 6105 Foundations of Human Behavior
SOW 6348 Clinical Practice: Perspectives on Race and Culture
SOW 6348 Diversity and Social Justice
SOW 6534 Internship I
SOW 6535 Internship II
SOW 6536 Advanced Internship
MHS 6800 Practicum in Counseling
SOW 6931 Multidimensional Issues of Child Assessment
SOW 6931 Child Maltreatment & Family Violence
SOW 6931 Clinical Practice with Special Needs Children,
Adolescents, Families
SOW 6931 Clinical Supervision
SOW 6931 Cognitive Behavior Therapy
SOW 6931 USF Peru: Global Health and Mental Health Practice

SW 339 Research Writing
SW 436 Social Work Practice II
SW 495 Social Work Internship
SW 496 Internship Seminar

Courses Developed:

University of South Florida

Graduate:

SOW 6931.901 USF Peru: Global Health and Mental Health Practice
SOW 6931.311 Cognitive Behavior Therapy (Online)
SOW 6348 Diversity and Social Justice (Online)

Undergraduate:

SOW 3802 Happiness and Well-being
SOW 4522 Multicultural America in a Global Society
SOW 4930.901 USF Peru: Global Health and Mental Health Practice

Scholarship:

* Denotes student co-author or co-presenter

Published manuscripts

1. Campbell, F., Simmons, C., & Lester, D. (1998). The impact of gambling on suicidal behavior in Louisiana. *Omega*, 38(3), 235-239.
2. Simmons, C. (2014). Graduate social work education and cognitive complexity: Does prior experience really matter? *Journal of Teaching in Social Work*, 34(3), 235-247.
3. Keena, L., & Simmons, C. (2015). Rethink, reform, reenter: An entrepreneurial approach to prison programming. *International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology*, 59(8), 837-854.
4. Simmons, C., & Fisher A. K. (2016) Promoting cognitive development through field education. *Journal of Social Work Education*, 54 (4), 462-462.
5. Fisher, A. K., Simmons, C., & Allen, S. C. (2016). An experiential approach to clinical supervision training: A mixed methods evaluation of effectiveness. *Journal of Teaching in Social Work*, 36(5), 460-476.
6. Fisher, A. K., Moore, D., Simmons, C., & Allen, S. C. (2017). Teaching social workers about microaggressions to enhance understanding of subtle racism. *Journal of Human Behavior and the Social Environment*. [!""#S%&'\(&\)*\(\)+,%-.-./.%-.0--120\(3.-4\(-3/0/44](#)
- 4(Simmons, C., Fisher, A. K., Barnard, M., & Allen, S. C. (2017). Exploring self-efficacy among entry-level and advanced BSW students. *Journal of Teaching in Social Work*,
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8. Watson, J. &, Simmons, C. (2017). A Cross-

23. *Hernandez, L., *Baker, C., McNeish, R., & Simmons, C. (2022, November). *Predictors of African American men's perceived health*. Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, Boston, MA.

Invited Speaker

1. Simmons, C., (2014, March,). *Addressing Mississippi's social work licensure pass rates: A partnership between professional schools, the Board of Examiners, and the NASW MS Chapter: A Panel Discussion*. National Association of Social Workers, Mississippi Chapter Annual Conference, Biloxi, MS.
2. Simmons, C. (with Patrick Alexander, Otis Pickett, and Linda Keena) (2014, April). *Toward a pedagogy of "Genuine Solidarity" at Parchman*. First UM Conference on Rethinking Mass Incarceration in the South. Parchman, MS.
3. Simmons, C. (2016, October,). *The entrepreneurial mindset: A transformative approach to prison programming*. Effects of Incarceration on Offenders, Families, and Communities. Tampa, FL.

Trainings

1. Simmons, C. *Promoting Critical Thinking Skills among Social Work Interns* Field Instructor and Clinical Supervision Training, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL. 2004-2007
2. Simmons, C. *Integrating Theory & Practice*. Field Instructor and Clinical Supervision Training, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL. 2004-2007
3. Simmons, C. *Clinical Supervision*. Field Instructor and Clinical Supervision Training, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL. 2004-2007
4. Simmons, C. *Developmental Supervision*. University of South Florida, Tampa, FL. 2008
5. Simmons, C. *Licensure exam prep: A refresher*. University of Mississippi, Oxford, MS. 2012 - 2014

Research Funding:

Simmons, C.

Shifting the paradigm for depression care among under-served populations in the U.S.: Feasibility and acceptability of a layperson-delivered Differentiated Depression Care Pathway (DDCP)

2020 R34 NIH/NIMH

Role: Co-I

Amount: 450,000

Status: Not Funded

Simmons, C.

Comprehensive Community Collaboration Demonstration Model to Strengthen and Preserve High Risk Families (CCCDM)

2020 ACYF/Stephen Group

Role: PI

Amount: 185,000

Status: Funded, 2020 – 2025

Simmons, C.

Making Connections for Mental Health and Well-being among Men and Boys

2015 Movember Foundation/Prevention Institute

Role: Cross-site Evaluator/TA

Amount: 100,000

Status: Funded, 2015 - 2020

Simmons, C.
Second Chance Act-Adult Mentoring and Transitional Services for Successful Reentry Program
2013 US Department of Justice
Role: Co-PI
Amount: 300,000
Status: Not Funded

Simmons, C.
Social Entrepreneurship Project. (Pre-release Offenders)

2014- BRIDGE Healthcare Clinic
2021- Success for Kids and Families (Board Member)

Social Work Profession

2016–present *Ad hoc Reviewer*, Families In Society

2015-present *Ad hoc Reviewer*, The Clinical Supervisor

2019 *Ad hoc Reviewer*, Journal of Cognitive Therapy

2019 *Ad hoc Reviewer*, Advances in Social Work

University of Mississippi

Department

2013