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ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor of Education
Bellarmine University, Louisville, Kentucky

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SPECIALIZATION AREAS

Trauma-Informed Practices, Education Policy, School Leadership, School Counseling, Mental Health Counseling

EDUCATION

May 2020 Ed.D., Educational Leadership and Policy
Peabody College, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN

December 2016 M.S.Ed., Educational Leadership and Policy
College of Education, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN

May 2015 M.Ed., Educational Psychology
School of Education, Loyola University Chicago, Chicago, IL

May 2014 Ed.S., Counseling and Counselor Education
School of Education, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN

May 2013 M.S.Ed., Counseling and Counselor Education
School of Education, Indiana University, Indianapolis, IN

June 2011 B.A., Psychology; B.M., Contemporary Voice Studies
Northwestern University, Evanston, IL

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

School Counselor, MSD Washington Township, Indianapolis, IN 2017 – 2020
Associate Faculty, Indiana University, Indianapolis, IN 2018 – 2020
Associate Faculty, University of Indianapolis, Indianapolis, IN 2019
Instructor, Kaplan Test Prep, Indianapolis, IN 2015 – 2019
School Counselor, Indianapolis Public Schools, Indianapolis, IN 2015 – 2017
After School Site Coordinator, MSD Washington Township, Indianapolis, IN 2012 – 2014
Clinical Associate, Healing Hidden Hurts, Carmel, IN 2011 – 2013

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Courses Taught at Indiana University, Indianapolis, Indiana
EDUC-G 505 Individual Appraisal: Principles and Procedures
EDUC-G 522 Theories of Counseling

EDUC-G 524 Practicum in Counseling
EDUC-G 550 Internship in Counseling
EDUC-G 563 Mental Health Counseling
EDUC-G 580 Teaching Anger Management
EDUC-G 615 Psychopathology and Advanced Diagnosis
EDUC-G 647 Advanced Internship in Mental Health Counseling

Courses Taught at the University of Indianapolis, Indianapolis, Indiana
MHC 550 Practicum Seminar

CERTIFICATIONS

Indiana Educator Licenses (10234497)

School Counselor; Building-level Administrator; Teaching - Psychology, grades 5-12

Kentucky Educator License (EPSB ID# 201229966)

School Counselor

Mental Health Counselor (LMHC): Indiana (39003449A)

National Certified Counselor; National Certified School Counselor

SCHOLARSHIP

Work in Progress

Thompson, C. & Wells, T. *How Do Peace Psychologists Address the Violent Assaults on Black People's Lives? A Review of Studies Published in the Peace and Conflict Journal.*

Chimka, K., Wells, T., & Kaur, S. *Supporting rural principals through connection: An early assessment of Elgin's Principal Support Program.*

Journal Publications

Graves, S. L., Newell, M., Harrell, F., & Wells, T. (2019). A mixed data analysis of graduate student mentoring for faculty careers in school psychology. *Contemporary School Psychology, 2159-2020*(7), 1-10.

Chapter Publications

Coffee, G., Fenning, P., & Wells, T. L. (2015). *Promoting youth sexual health: Home, school, and community collaboration.* New York, NY: Routledge.

Conference Presentations

Coffee, G., Wells, T., Holmes, K., Karahalios, V., & Way, K. (2015). "LGBTQI Youth Experiences and Perceptions of Sexuality Education." Paper presented at the annual convention of the National Association of School Psychologists, Orlando, FL.

AWARDS

Superstar Staff, MSD Washington Township (2020)

Transformational Leader, IUPUI (2018)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

American Educational Research Association (AERA)

American School Counselor Association (ASCA)