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Instructor, Communication Sciences and Disorders
Clinical Speech Language Pathologist
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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI

Master of Science, Speech-Language Pathology, May 2012

UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI

Bachelor of Arts, Journalism, May 2003

Emphasis: Public Relations

Minor: English

CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE

Certificate of Clinical Competence (CCC) American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, 2013 – Present

Speech-Language Pathology Professional License State of Mississippi, 2012-2020; 2022 – Present

Speech-Language Pathology Education License State of Mississippi 2013-Present

EMPLOYMENT

UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI

Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders

Instructor, Communication Sciences and Disorders

Clinical Speech Language Pathologist

OXFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

Speech-Language Pathologist

Oxford, Mississippi

August 2015- July 2022

BAPTIST HOSPITAL NORTH MISSISSIPPI

Speech-Language Pathologist, PRN
Oxford, Mississippi
May 2014-May 2019

WATER VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Speech-Language Pathologist
Water Valley, Mississippi
August 2013-July 2015

MID-SOUTH REHABILITATION SERVICES
Speech-Language Pathologist
Yalobusha General Hospital and Nursing Home
Water Valley, Mississippi
July 2012- August 2013

EXPERIENCE

OXFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

- Evaluate and Implement Individual Education Plan goals for students at Bramlett Elementary School, Oxford Elementary School, and Oxford High School in the areas of language, fluency, pragmatics, and articulation.
- Graduate Clinician Supervisor: supervise and train graduate students for school-based therapy. Mentor graduate students through post graduation job search, application, and interviewing.
- Coordinate IEP team meetings and planning sessions with parents, staff, and school administration.
- Organize mass hearing screenings for all Kindergarten students annually.

BAPTIST HOSPITAL NORTH MISSISSIPPI

- Implemented rehabilitation goals for adults at Inpatient Baptist Hospital Rehab in areas of cognition, language, swallowing, and voice.

WATER VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT

- Implemented Individual Education Plan goals for children ages 3 to 18 years in areas of language, fluency, pragmatics, and articulation.

MID-SOUTH REHABILITATION SERVICES

- Implemented rehabilitation goals for adults at Water Valley General Hospital and Nursing Home (skilled nursing facility and nursing home) in areas of cognition, language, and swallowing.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- AMERICAN SPEECH-LANGUAGE -HEARING ASSOCIATION
2012-Present
- NATIONAL STUDENT SPEECH-LANGUAGE-HEARING ASSOCIATION
2009-2012

CONTINUING EDUCATION

- LAMP Words for life for Accent 9/25/2018
- Therapy with Teenagers Who Stutter- Ole Miss Fall Institute 10/12/2018
- Pediatric Language and Literacy- Ole Miss Fall Institute 10/11/2019
- Let's Get Ethical- Ole Miss Fall Institute 10/11/2019
- Supervising Generation Z- Ole Miss Fall Institute 10/11/2019
- Childhood Maltreatment: Communication Outcomes and Services- ASHA Prof. Dev. 2/16/2021
- A Language-Based Approach to Managing Echolalia-ASHA Prof. Dev. 2/17/2021
- Changing Developmental Trajectories of Toddlers with ASD- ASHA Prof. Dev. 2/17/2021
- Teaching Approaches to Vocabulary and Word Learning-ASHA Prof. Dev. 2/18/2021
- Building and Expanding your CAS Toolkit-ASHA Prof. Dev. 2/19/2021
- Ethical Challenges in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology- ASHA Prof. Dev. 9/24/2021
- Children with Autism: School Supports-ASHA Prof. Dev. 10/12/2021
- Assessing School-Age Children with Language Disorders- ASHA Prof. Dev. 10/21/2021
- Assessing School-Age Children with Speech-Sound Disorders-ASHA Prof. Dev. 10/25/2021
- 2022 Fall Institute Ole Miss
- 2022 ASHA Convention

PROFESSIONALLY RELATED SERVICE

- Student Extern Coordination at Bramlett Elementary 2018-Spring 2022
- Participant in Fall Browse Fair for Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders at University of Mississippi
- Communication Sciences and Disorders at University of Mississippi Newsletter
- University of Mississippi NSSLHA Chapter Co-Supervisor
- Fall Institute Committee for 2023 at the University of Mississippi