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EDUCATION

- 1986 Doctorate of Social Work
 University of Utah
 Salt Lake City, Utah
- 1980 Master of Social Work
 University of Utah
 Salt Lake City, Utah
- 1978 Bachelor of Sociology
 University of Utah
 Salt Lake City, Utah

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 1987-2012: Eastern Washington University
 -Social Work: Professor (1999)/ Associate (1993)/ Assistant Professor (1987).
 -Director, Center for Disability Studies & Universal Access (2005-present).
 -Social Work Technology Director, School of Social Work (2003-2006).
- 1982-1987: University of Utah
 Clinical Instructor (1982)/ Clinical Assistant Professor (1985)
 Graduate School of Social Work
- 1982-1987: University of Utah
 Adjunct Lecturer
 College of Medicine, Division of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (full-time)

- 1980-1987: University of Utah Medical Center
 Chief of Social Work, Division of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation
 Salt Lake City, Utah
- 1980: Salt Lake County, Youth Services Center
 Youth Specialist/ Family Therapist
 Salt Lake City, Utah

1977-1980: Primary Children's Medical Center
Psychiatric Specialist
Salt Lake City, Utah

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- 2011- Founder/ President of Access International
US based non-profit organization founded to invest in economic empowerment and social integration of people with disabilities and health impairments in developing countries.
- 2009-present Principal Investigator/ Project Coordinator Sub-Saharan Wheelchair Study
Liberia, Sierra Leone, Ghana, Kenya, and Tanzania.
- 2005-present International Consultant/ Researcher/ Advisor
International consultation includes disability rights work and initiatives in Africa, Australia, and Asia.
- 1982-present Social Work Legal Consultant/Expert
Expert opinion & testimony.
- 1982-present Clinician/ Clinical Supervisor
Individual, marriage, family, and sexual counseling. Clinical supervision for licensure.
- 1984-2007 Social Work Consultant
Consult & staff training for health care facilities.
- 1990-1991 Traumatic Brain Injury Project Director
Directed Statewide training project for Washington State Division of Mental Health.
- 1987-1992 Medical Social Worker
On call medical social worker, Deaconess Hospital, Spokane, Washington
- 1976-1977 School Counselor/Tutor
For students with special needs. Granite School District, Salt Lake City, Utah.

LICENSES/ CERTIFICATIONS

Washington: Licensed Independent Clinical Social Worker, 2001-present.
Washington: Certified Social Worker, 1988-2001.
Utah: Licensed Clinical Social Worker, 1982-1989.
Utah: Certified Social Worker, 1980-1989.

TEXTBOOKS

Mackelprang, R.W. & Salsgiver, R.O. (2009). *Disability: A Diversity Model Approach in Human Service Practice*. Chicago. Lyceum Books. (2nd Edition.)

Mackelprang, R.W. & Salsgiver, R.O. (1999). *Disability: A Diversity Model Approach in Human Service Practice*. Pacific Grove, CA: Brooks Cole.

Mackelprang, R.W. & Valentine D. (Eds.). (1993). *Sexuality and disabilities: A guide for human service practitioners*. (Special Issue). *Journal of Social Work and Human Sexuality*, 8(2). Reprinted as a textbook by Haworth Press.

TEXTBOOKS IN PROGRESS

Mackelprang, R.W. (In process). *The Social-Ecological Perspective: Biosocial, Psychosocial, and Social-Structural Domains of Human Behavior in the Social Environment*.

Mackelprang, R.W. & Salsgiver, R.O. *Disability: A Diversity Model Approach in Human Service Practice*. Chicago. Lyceum Books. (3rd Edition.)

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS/ BOOK CHAPTERS

Mackelprang, R.W. (2012). *Disability*. In M. Gray, J. Midgley, & S. Webb (Eds.). *The Sage Handbook of Social Work*. Chapter 35 (pp. 547-563). London, UK. Sage.

Mackelprang, R.W. (2012). *If I Go to Work, I Will Die*. In E.F. Hoffler & E.J. Clark (Eds.). *Social Work Matters: The Power of Linking Policy and Practice*. Chapter 21. (pp. 137-142) Washington, DC. NASW Press.

Mackelprang, R.W. (2010). *Cultural Competence with Persons with Disabilities*. In D. Lum (Ed.). *Culturally Competent Practice: A Framework for Understanding Diverse Groups and Justice Issues*. (4th Ed.). pp. 437-465.

Mackelprang, R.W. (2010). *Disability Controversies: Past, Present and Future*. *Journal of Social Work in Disability & Rehabilitation*. 9(2/3), 87-98.

Mackelprang, R.W., & Clute, MA. (2009). *Access for All: Universal design and the employment of people with disabilities*. *Journal of Social Work in Disability and Rehabilitation*. 8 (3/4), 205-221.

Mackelprang, R.W. (2008). *Disability: Overview*. *Encyclopedia of Social Work*. Washington, DC. National Association of Social Workers.

Altshuler, S.A., Mackelprang, R.W., & Baker, R.L. (2008). *Youth with disabilities: A standardized portrait of how they are they faring*. *Journal of Social Work in Disability and Rehabilitation*. 7(1), 20-42.

- Mackelprang, R.W. (2006). Emotional Reactions: Life after Spinal Cord Injury, PN, 60(12), 18-22.
- Mackelprang, R.W. & Mackelprang, R.D. (2005). Historical and Contemporary Issues in End of Life Decisions: Implications for Social Work, Social Work: Journal of the National Association of Social Workers, 50(4), 315-324.
- Mackelprang, R.W., Mackelprang, R.D. & Thirkill, A.D. (2005). Bioterrorism and Smallpox: Policies, Practices and Implications for Social Work, Social Work: Journal of the National Association of Social Workers, 50(2), 119-127.
- Mackelprang, R.W. (2005). Terry Shiavo-- A response. SCI Psychosocial Process, 18(3), 187-189.
- Mackelprang, R.W. & Altshuler, S. (2004). A youth perspective on life with a disability. Journal of Social Work in Disability and Rehabilitation, 3(3), 39-52.
- Mackelprang, R.W. & Salsgiver, R.O. (2002). How do we depress you? Let me count the ways. SCI Psychosocial Process, 15(4) 222-226.
- Mackelprang, R.W. & Salsgiver, R.O. (2002). Assisted suicide: Oregon and the Netherlands. SCI Psychosocial Process, 15(3) 164pp.
- Mackelprang, R.W. (2002). Social work practice and persons of disability. In S.F. Gilson (Ed.), Integrating disability content in social work education. Alexandria, VA: Council on Social Work Education 9-14.
- Salsgiver, R.O. & Mackelprang, R.W. (2001). The efficacy of the independent living movement: A historical review and a commentary on the movement in today's political climate. SCI Psychosocial Process, 14(2) 94-98.
- Mackelprang, R.W. & Salsgiver, R.O. (2001). Patient rights and health care. SCI Psychosocial Process, 14(1) 44-49.
- Mackelprang, R.W. (1999). Overhead mirrors in the treatment of persons with spinal cord injuries SCI Psychosocial Process, 12(2) 41-45.
- Mackelprang, R.W. & Johnson, P. (1998). Disability culture and spinal cord injury treatment: What is the fit? SCI Psychosocial Process, 11(2) 18-20.
- Mackelprang, R.W. & Salsgiver, R.O. (1996). Persons with disabilities and social work: Historical and contemporary issues. Social Work: Journal of the National Association of Social Workers, 41(1) 7-14.
- Johnson, P. & Mackelprang, R.W. (1996). Patients' right of refusal of treatment. SCI Psychosocial Process, 9(4) 95-99.

- Mackelprang, R.W., Ray, J., & Hernandez-Peck, M. (1996). Social work education and sexual orientation: Faculty, student and curriculum issues. Journal of Gay and Lesbian Social Services, 5(4) 17-31.
- Mackelprang, R.W. & Johnson, P. (1995). The impact of the disability rights movement. SCI Psychosocial Process, 9(1) 34-37.
- Johnson, P. & Mackelprang, R.W. (1995). Managed care: Balancing costs, quality and access. SCI Psychosocial Process, 8(4) 175-178.
- Mackelprang, R.W. & Johnson, P. (1995). Assisted suicide: The Oregon Law. SCI Psychosocial Process, 8(1) 41-45.
- Mackelprang, R. W. & Hepworth, D. H. (1995). Sexual adjustment following spinal cord injury: Empirical findings and clinical implications. In R.W. Weinbach & R.M. Grinnell (Eds.), Applying research knowledge: A workbook for social work students. Boston, MA. Allyn and Bacon.
- Mackelprang, R.W. (1994). Policy on disabilities. Social Work Speaks, New York: National Association of Social Workers, 206-210.
- Johnson, P. & Mackelprang, R.W. (1994). The health security act and long term care. SCI Psychosocial Process, 139-142.
- Mackelprang, R.W. (1993). A holistic approach to providing sexuality education and counseling for persons with severe disabilities. Journal of Social Work and Human Sexuality, 8(2) 63-87.
- Sigler, G.R. & Mackelprang, R.W. (1993). Cognitive impairments: Psychosocial and sexual implications and strategies for social work intervention. Journal of Social Work and Human Sexuality, 8(2) 89-106.
- Mackelprang, R.W. (1992). Psychosocial adjustment of persons with paraplegia and quadriplegia: Research findings vs. extant beliefs. SCI Psychosocial Process.
- Mackelprang, R.W. (1992). Social and emotional adjustment following spinal cord injury: Research findings vs. extant beliefs (abstract). SCI Psychosocial Process, 4(4) 134-135.
- Mackelprang, R.W. (1992). And they shall be one flesh: Sexuality and contemporary Mormonism. Dialogue, 25(1) 49-67.
- Mackelprang, R.W. (1991). Providing social and health services in a small community: A multidisciplinary approach in a family practice clinic. Human Services in the Rural Environment, 15(1) 19-24.

- Mackelprang, R. W. (1991). Neither hero nor objects of service: Developing positive attitudes toward persons with disabilities. Sunstone, 15(5), 11-14.
- Mackelprang, R. W. & Neubauer, R. L. (1991). Sexuality and sexual functioning after stroke: Implications for social work. Arete 15 (2), 1-10.
- Mackelprang, R.W. (1990). Developing positive attitudes and approaches when working with persons with disabilities. AMCAP 15, 17-30.
- Mackelprang, R. W. & Hepworth, D. H. (1990) Sexual adjustment following spinal cord injury: Empirical findings and clinical implications. Arete 15 (1), 1-13.
- Mackelprang, R.W. & Morris, L.C. (Ed.s.). (1989). AIDS in rural areas (Special issue). Human Services in the Rural Environment, 13, (Guest Editor).
- Mackelprang, R. W. & Hepworth, D. H. (1987). Ecological factors in the rehabilitation of people with severe spinal cord injuries. Social Work in Health Care, 13. 23-38.

EXAMPLES OF MONOGRAPHS & NON-REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

- Department of Education, Rehabilitation Services Administration, (In press). Impact of the Affordable Health Act on the Employment and Education of People with Disabilities. Washington, DC. Author. (Member of Primary Study Group responsible for researching and writing the book.)
- Mackelprang, R.W. & Altshuler, S.J. (2003). Youth with Disabilities in Spokane County. (Report of research project funded by CDC and Washington State Department of Health, Project # A-073098-H.)
- Salsgiver, R.O. & Mackelprang, R.W. (2003). Back to the Past? SCI Psychosocial Process, 16,(3) 110-111.
- Salsgiver, R.O. & Mackelprang, R.W. (2003). Christopher Reeve: not Superman, just a man. SCI Psychosocial Process.
- Mackelprang, R.W. & Salsgiver, R.O. (2002). 9/11. SCI Psychosocial Process, 15(1) 44-48.
- Mackelprang, R.W. & Salsgiver, R.O. (2001). President Bush and disability. SCI Psychosocial Process, 14(4) 212-214, 220.
- Mackelprang, R.W. & Salsgiver, R.O. (2000). Presidential candidates 2000. SCI Psychosocial Process, 13(3) 143-146.
- Mackelprang, R.W. (1998). Council on social work education and disability: Commission on disability and persons with disabilities. SCI Psychosocial Process, 11(2) 22-23.

Mackelprang, R.W. Spokane County Health District, HIV/AIDS Prevention Research Project: Final Report. Spokane, WA. (October 1995).

Governor's Advisory Council on HIV/AIDS. (1991-95). Annual Report to the Governor (Olympia, Washington), contributor.

Mackelprang, R.W. & Sigler, G. (1993). Americans with Disabilities in Post Secondary Schools: Monograph Series. Richland, WA. High Impact Press.

1) Accommodating Students with Disabilities in Post Secondary Education.

2) Communication Concerning disability: Terminology and Perception.

3) Higher Education: Disabilities and the Law.

4) Providing Higher Education Opportunities for Students with Disabilities.

Mackelprang, R.W. (1993). Eastern Washington University: Faculty and staff guide for understanding students with disabilities.

Mackelprang, R.W. (1991-92). Being Human. The New Press. Regular contributor on social issues for bi-weekly alternative Spokane, WA newspaper.

Mackelprang, R. W. & McDonald, B. B. (1988). A guide to sexuality following spinal cord injury. Salt Lake City: University of Utah Press.

Mackelprang, R. W. (1987). Sexuality after spinal cord injury. Series of six educational videotapes for SCI persons and health care professionals.

Mackelprang, R. W. & Gregory, S. (1986). Head Injury: The Major and Subtle Differences. Educational movie: Associate Director, Associate Author, and Narrator. (Utah State Governor's award winning film on traumatic brain injury.)

AWARDS/ COMMENDATIONS (Examples)

2012 Eastern Washington University
Faculty Merit Award for Outstanding Scholarship

2012 Eastern Washington University
Faculty Merit Award for Outstanding Service

2008 Paralyzed Veterans of America
Award for Service on the International Spinal Cord Consortium

2007 Eastern Washington University
Faculty Merit Award for Outstanding Scholarship

2004 Washington State Department of Health
Award for 12 Years Leadership on the Governor's Advisory Council on HIV/AIDS

- 2000 Spokane School District
Award for Outstanding Volunteer in Diversity
- 1998 Coalition of Responsible Disabled
Lifetime Achievement Award for Service to the Disability Community

EDITORIAL BOARDS/ REVIEW PANELS

Journal of Spinal Cord Medicine. (2006-present).

Journal of Social Work Education. (1995-present).

Arete. (1993-present).

Journal of Social Work In Disability and Rehabilitation. (2001-present).

Journal of Social Service Research, (1992-2010).

SCI Psychosocial Process, (1993-2007).

EXAMPLES OF PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS/ TRAININGS

- 2011 Utilizing Bridges Across Colleges to Improve the Recruitment and Retention of Students with Disabilities in STEM Programs. (June 2011). Vancouver, BC, CA.
- 2011 Disability and the Millennium Goals. (June 2011). International Social Work Symposium/ International Association of Schools of Social Work. Nairobi, Kenya.
- 2011 Impacts of Donated Wheelchairs on the Lives of Recipients in Sub Saharan Africa. (April 2011). International Pacific Rim Disability Forum. Honolulu, Hawaii.
- 2011 Pawns and Parasites: Promises and Challenges of Participatory and Emancipatory Research. (April 2011). Pacific Rim Conference on Disabilities. Honolulu, Hawaii.
- 2011 Template for Training Faculty and Staff in Universal Education Access. (May 2011). Pacific Rim Conference. Honolulu, Hawaii.
- 2010 Inclusive Academia: Creating Spaces for Student Retention in College. (June 2010). Beyond Inclusion Conference in Conjunction with Society for Disability Studies Annual Conference. Philadelphia.
- 2009 International Approaches to Disability Rights as Human Rights. Honolulu, Hawaii. (May 2009). International Pacific Rim Disability Forum. (Invited presenter).

- 2009 Beyond the Ivory Tower: University and Community Partnerships to Enhance Disability Rights. (May, 2009). Pacific Rim Conference on Disabilities. Honolulu, HI.
- 2008 International Issues in Disability (November 2008). Strength in Unity Conference of the Australian Association of Social Work. Sydney, Australia. (Invited Keynote Speaker).
- 2008 Disability Studies and Independent Living: A Burgeoning Union. (May 2008). Society for Disability Studies Annual Meeting. New York, New York.
- 2008 Disability in Kenya. (March 2008). Pacific Rim International Forum on Securing the Rights of Persons with Disabilities. Honolulu, Hawaii. (invited presenter).
- 2008 Access for All. (March 2008). One-day workshop for Health Faculty, St. Petersburg College, St. Petersburg, FL.
- 2008 Can We Please Leave our Silos Behind? (March 2008). Bridging the Gulf Conference on Disabilities. St. Petersburg, Florida.
- 2008 Flight of the Phoenix: Building successful collaborations between SILCs, Designated Service Units, and communities. (January 2008). State Independent Living Council Congress. New Orleans, LA.
- 2008 Disability Studies and Universal Access: Promoting independent living through SILC, CIL, and higher education collaboration. (January 2008). State Independent Living Council Congress. New Orleans, LA.
- 2007 Publish Don't Perish: Demystifying the Publication Process. (October 2007). Council on Social Work Education, APM, Faculty Development Institute. San Francisco, CA.
- 2007 Universal Access and Education. (July 2007). Seventh International Conference on Diversity in Organizations, Communities and Nations. Amsterdam, Netherlands.
- 2007 A Multicultural Approach to Universal Education Access in University Settings. (July 2007.) Association on Higher Education and Disability. Charlotte, NC.
- 2007 Beyond Accommodation: A Multicultural Approach to Universal Education Access. (June 2007). Society for Disability Studies Annual Meeting. Seattle, WA.
- 2007 Promoting Diversity through Universal Educational Access. (March 2007). Pacific Rim Conference on Disabilities. Honolulu, HI.
- 2007 Beyond Ethnicity: A Multicultural Vision for Universal Education Access. (March 2007.) International Globalization, Education and Diversity Conference. Spokane, WA.
- 2006 Publish Don't Perish: Demystifying the Publication Process. (February 2006). Council on Social Work Education, APM, Faculty Development Institute. Chicago, IL.

- 2005 Models of Disability: Implications for Spinal Cord Injury Professionals. (September 2005). American Association of Spinal Cord Injury Psychologists and Social Workers Annual Conference. Las Vegas, NV.
- 2005 Publish Don't Perish: Demystifying the Publication Process. (February 2005). Council on Social Work Education, APM, Faculty Development Institute. New York City.
- 2005 The Threat of Bioterrorism: Implications for Social Work (February 2005). Council on Social Work Education, APM, Refereed Paper. New York City.
- 2004 Critical Thinking and Diversity. Using Personal Narratives to Enhance the University Environment. (July 2004). Fourth International Conference on Diversity in Organizations, Communities and Nations. Los Angeles, California.
- 2004 Life Experiences and Disability. (May 2004). Society for Disability Studies Annual Conference. St. Louis, Missouri.
- 2004 Issues in End of Life Decisions. Implications for Social Work." (May 2004). Fourth International Conference on Social Work in Health and Mental Health. Quebec, Canada.
- 2004 Bioterrorism and Smallpox: Lessons for Social Work. (May 2004). Fourth International Conference on Social Work in Health and Mental Health. Quebec, Canada.
- 2004 Building Community Capacity to Enhance Lives of Persons with Disabilities. (May 2004). Fourth International Conference on Social Work in Health and Mental Health. Quebec, Canada.
- 2004 Youth With Disabilities and Quality of Life. (May 2004). Fourth International Conference on Social Work in Health and Mental Health. Quebec, Canada.
- 2004 Youth with Disabilities: How are They Doing and What do They Need? (March 2004). Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. Anaheim, California.
- 2003 Building Community Capacity to Meet Needs of Persons with Disabilities. (March 2003). Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. (CSWE Series: Practice, Field, and Disability Commissions). Atlanta, GA.
- 2003 Overcoming Inertia: What will it Really Take to Integrate Disability into Social Work Education. (March 2003). Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. (Curriculum workshop with E. Depoy, D. Strock-Lynsky, and S. Gilson). Atlanta, GA.
- 2002 Disability Issues and Services in the Inland Northwest. (April 2002). Public Benefits University: Inland Northwest Resource Awareness Consortium. Spokane, WA.

- 2002 Overcoming Inertia: What will it Really Take to Integrate Disability into Social Work Education. (February 2002). Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. Nashville, TN (with E. Depoy and S. Gilson).
- 2001 Accreditation, Curriculum and Disability. (March 2001). Special Session on Diversity. Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. Dallas, TX.
- 2000 Disability Issues and Diversity. (March 2000). Joint Session of the Commissions on 1) Disability and Persons with Disabilities, 2) Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgendered Commission, 3) Commission on Racial, Ethnic, and Cultural Diversity, and 4) Commission on the Role and Status of Women. Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. New York.
- 1998 Report of the Commission on Disability and Persons with Disabilities. (March 1998). Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. Orlando.
- 1997 Social Work and Persons with Disabilities: Are We Meeting the Challenges? (March 1997). Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. Chicago.
- 1997 Buiding on Shared Experiences: Teaching Disability and Sexual Minority Content and Practice. (March 1997). Presented at the Annual Program Meeting, Council on Social Work Education, Chicago, IL. (With S. J. Onken)
- 1996 Writing for Publication in Professional Journals. (September 1996). American Association of Spinal Cord Injury Psychologists and Social Workers Annual Conference. Las Vegas, NV.
- 1996 Disability and Culture: Educating about Disability Using a Diversity Perspective. (February 1996). Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. Washington, D.C. (Faculty Development Institute)
- 1996 Commonalities not Competition: Addressing Populations-at-Risk CSWE Standards." (February 1996). Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. Washington, D.C. (Special Commission/Task Force Presentation)
- 1996 Disability and Practicum: Issues for Social Work Education. (February 1996). Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. Washington, D.C.
- 1995 Social Work Education and Persons of Disability: Faculty, Student and Curriculum Implications. (March 1995). Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. San Diego, CA.
- 1995 Current Paradigms for Disability: Implications for Social Work Practice. (March 1995). Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. San Diego, CA.

- 1994 Teaching Human Biology: A Class for Social Workers by Social Workers." (November 1994). Council of Social Work Education, Baccalaureate Program Directors Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA. (Invited Workshop)
- 1994 Healthier Living and Relationships with Others. (September 1994). Conference on Healthier Living and Attitudes in the Age of HIV/AIDS. Spokane, WA. (Invited Presentation)
- 1993 Persons with Disabilities and Social Work Practice: Historical and Contemporary Issues. (March 1993). Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. New York City.
- 1993 Social Work Education and Persons of Disability: Are We Meeting the Challenges? (March 1993). Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. New York City.
- 1992 Issues in Rural Rehabilitation. (May 1992). National Rehabilitation Association, Pacific Region Conference. Spokane, WA.
- 1992 Psychosocial Issues of Head Injury Patients in Rehabilitation. (April 1992). Intercollegiate Center for Nursing Education: Neuroscience Nurse Symposium. Spokane, WA.
- 1992 Educational Strategies for Working With Persons of Disability. (February 1992). Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. (Invited, Faculty Development Institute). Kansas, City, MO.
- 1991 Social and Emotional Adjustment Following Spinal Cord Injury: Research Findings vs. Extant Beliefs. (September 1991). American Association of Spinal Cord Injury Psychologists and Social Workers Annual Conference. Las Vegas, NV.
- 1991 AIDS In Rural Areas - Policy and Practice. (May 1991). Third International Conference on Social Work Conference and AIDS. New Orleans, LA. (Invited speaker).
- 1991 Strategies for Working Competently With Persons of Disability. (April 1991). National Association of Social Workers Annual Northwest Regional Symposium. Spokane, WA.
- 1991 Death With Dignity: Washington's Initiative 119. (April 1991). National Association of Social Workers Annual Northwest Regional Symposium. Spokane WA.
- 1991 Introduction to Head Injury, A Comprehensive Overview. (March 1991). Washington Institute for Mental Illness Research and Training Program on Head Injury. Medical Lake, WA.
- 1990 Family Therapy for Families with Severely Disturbed Youth. (June 1990). Washington Mental Health Certificate Program for Severely Mentally Ill.

- 1989 Neither Hero Nor Service Project: Dealing with People with Disabilities. (November 1989). Sunstone Symposium, Seattle, WA. Paper presentation.
- 1989 Ethics and Professional Advocacy. (November 1989). Sunstone Symposium, Seattle, WA. Paper presentation.
- 1988 Issues in Access To Care For the Rural Disabled. (November 1988). American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA. Paper presentation.
- 1988 Impact of Federal Policy on Populations with Special Needs: Disability. (November 1988). American Public Administration Conference, Spokane, WA. Invited speaker.
- 1988 Activity Therapy Programs and Social Work Services in Nursing Homes. (October 1988). Washington State Department of Social and Health Services, Moses Lake, WA. (Training session.)
- 1988 Serving the Underserved: Access to Care. (March 1988). Northwest Annual Conference on Rural Health. Rural Health: Strategies and Solutions, Spokane, WA.
- 1986 Dealing with the Psychosocial Aspects of Illness and Disability: A Holistic Perspective. (May 21-23, 1986). Veterans Administration, Interwest Regional Medical Education Center Conference. Salt Lake City, UT.
- 1986 Sexuality and Physical Disability. (March 1986). University of Utah, Division of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation: Rehabilitation Update Conference. Salt Lake City, UT.
- "Sexuality and Spina Bifida." (January 1986). Primary Children's Medical Center: Regional Conference on Spina Bifida. Salt Lake City, UT.
- "Psychosocial and Sexual Effects of Illness and Disability." (June 1985). University of Utah College of Nursing: Conference on Aging and Disability. Salt Lake City, UT.

GRANTS, CONTRACTS AND FUNDING ACQUISITIONS

- US Department of Education: Universal Education Access to Ensure the Success of Students with Disabilities in Higher Education. 2008-2012. \$1,030,000.
- Washington State, Division of Vocational Rehabilitation. Transitioning College Students from School to Work. 2010-11. \$130,000.
- Africa Wheelchair Evaluation Project (2009-2011). Study on the Longitudinal Effects of Wheelchairs in Sub-Saharan Africa (Ghana, Sierra Leone, Liberia, Tanzania, Kenya, & Ethiopia).

Washington College Spark Program. Sparking the Success of Diverse Students at Eastern Washington University. With Sandra Altshuler. 2007-2008. \$50,000.

US Department of Education Grant for Improving Higher Education for Students with Disabilities. With Sandra Altshuler. 2005-2008. \$610,000.

Eastern Washington University. Student Technology Grant (for universal access to computers/technology). 2007. \$9800.

Federal Title III Grant through Eastern Washington University for Incorporating Technology into Education Strategies. 2002-2003-\$8500; 2004-\$2800.

Eastern Washington University: Board of Trustees Diversity Initiative Grant. 2004; \$2800. 2005: \$5000.

Eastern Washington University: Improving Student Learning Outcomes, Faculty mini-grant. \$1000. 2003-04.

National Institutes of Health, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention/ Washington Department of Health, Disabilities Project.

--Year 1: 2002-03: Health and Well-Being of Youth with Disabilities in Spokane County. \$48,800.

--Year 2: 2003-04: Dissemination of Health and Well-Being Study Results. \$12,000.

HIV/AIDS Prevention Outreach and Needle Exchange Research Project: Principal Investigator. HIV/AIDS Outreach Prevention With IV Drug Users and Sex Workers. \$15,000. Spokane County Health District. 1993-1996.

Schools of Social Work and Disability. Eastern Washington University Faculty Research Grant. \$7,200. 1993-1994.

Head Injury Research and Training Project for Eastern Washington. Washington Institute for Mental Health Research and Education. \$71,488. 1990-1991

Interdisciplinary Health Social Work Student Training Project. Medical Lake, WA. Eastern Washington Area Health Education Center. \$6,000. 1988-1989

Head Injury Group Home. State of Utah Division of Services to the Handicapped. Salt Lake City, UT. \$150,000. 1986-1987

PROFESSIONAL AND PUBLIC SERVICE

Consultant-Sub-Saharan Africa: (2008-12). Pan African Wheelchair Association, Association for the Physically Disabled of Kenya, & Latter Day Saint Humanitarian Services,

University of Ghana, University of Nairobi, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Ghanaian Government.

Federal Grant Reviewer. (2010-12). National Institute on Disability Research & Rehabilitation.

Federal Grant Reviewer: (2009). Substance Abuse & Mental Health Administration

Washington State Independent Living Council, Chair and member. 2004-present.

Consortium on Spinal Cord Injury Medicine. (2007-09). Sexuality and Reproductive Health Clinical Practice Guideline-panel member.

Council on Social Work Education. (2004-2007). Commission on Curriculum and Educational Innovation.

Council on Social Work Education. (2005). (Bylaws & Diversity) Transition Committee.

Consortium on Spinal Cord Injury Medicine, Steering Committee Member. (2001- 2007). Representative of the American Association of Spinal Cord Injury Psychologists and Social Workers.

Council on Social Work Education: Certified Site Visitor, 2003- 2010.

Council on Social Work Education. (2004). Committee on the Development of a new Diversity Commission.

NASW Social Work Summit II. Washington, DC. November 2002. Invited representative of American Association of SCI Psychologists & Social Workers and CSWE Task Force on Disability.

Liaison, Association of Spinal Cord Injury Psychologists and Social Workers to NASW. (2001-2008).

Council on Social Work Education: Commission on Disability and Persons with Disabilities, Commissioner, 1997-2004.

Washington Governor's Advisory Council on HIV-AIDS, Member 1991-2004. Chairperson 1996, Executive Committee member 1996-1997.

Consultant, Gallaudet University (January-May 2000). External Social Work program reviewer.

Spokane School District 81, Instructional Equities Citizens' Advisory Council, 1999- 2001.

Washington State Department of Health, CDC Secondary Disability Prevention Grant, Advisory Council member, 1998- 2002.

Andhra University, Visakhapatnam, India. External Doctoral Dissertation Reviewer, 1999-2000; 2007-09; 2010-11.

Washington State, Region 1 HIV/AIDS Planning Council, 1997-1999.

Washington State, Education and Training Advisory Council, 1996-97.

Washington State AIDS Prevention Policy Summit, Steering Committee Member, 1995.

Hospice of Spokane, Member, Board of Trustees. 1995- 2000.

CSWE Task Force on Social Work Education and Persons with Disabilities, Chair, 1993-1997.

Council on Social Work Education, Chair, Disability Issues Symposium, 1996-97 Annual Program Meetings.

Council on Social Work Education, Member Correspondence Committee, 1992-present.

Coalition of Responsible Disabled. Governing Board Member, 1991-1995; Board President, 1993-1994.

International Association of Schools of Social Work, Commission on AIDS. Committee member, 1991 AIDS Conference, New Orleans, LA.

Spokane Planning and Affiliates Network, Member, 1988-1993.
Chair: Planning and allocation subcommittee.

United Way of Spokane, Special Consultant, 1988. Conducted a needs assessment for epilepsy services in Spokane, WA, providing recommendations to United Way.

AIDS: A Workshop for Social Workers and Human Services Professionals, Co-Chair of Planning Committee, Spokane, WA 1988.

Annual Northwest Rural Health Conference, "Rural Health: Strategies and Solutions," Planning Committees, 1988 and 1989.

Utah State Department of Education, Rehabilitation Services Advisory Council Member, 1985-1987; Chairperson, 1986-1987.

Utah Brain Injury Foundation, Co-Founder and Board Member, 1983-1987.

Utah State Representative: National Head Injury Foundation, 1983-1987.

Utah Legislative Coalition for the Handicapped. 1982-1987.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE AND COMMITTEES

Eastern Washington University School of Social Work and Human Services, Personnel Committee, Chair. (Current/ multiple).

Eastern Washington University, Presidents Advisory Council on Diversity. 2009-11.

Eastern Washington University, United Faculty of EWU, Executive Board Member & Secretary (2008-2010).

Eastern Washington University, Graduate Affairs Council. 2006-2010.

Eastern Washington University, United Faculty of EWU. Union Steward, School of Social Work and Human Services, 2006-2011.

Eastern Washington University, Teaching & Learning Center, Board of Governors, 2004-2008.

Eastern Washington University, Scholars' Learning Community on Diversity, 2003-2010.

Eastern Washington University, School of Social Work and Human Services, Technology Director & Committee Chair, 2003-2007.

Eastern Washington University, Americans with Disabilities Act, Grievance Committee, 1995-2010.

Eastern Washington University, Disability Support Services Advisory Council. 1991-2009.

Eastern Washington University School of Social Work and Human Services, Graduate Committee. Several terms over the years.

Eastern Washington University, School of Social Work and Human Services, Practicum Committee.

Eastern Washington University, Disabled Students Association, Faculty Advisor, 1989-1995.

Eastern Washington University, Legislative Committee 1990- 1993.

Eastern Washington University, Social Workers Overcoming Racism and Discrimination through Diversity (SWORDD), Faculty Advisor, 1991-1992.

Eastern Washington University, Publications Committee, 1989- 1990.

Eastern Washington University, Special Task Force on Student Services. 1988-1990.

Eastern Washington University, Personnel Policies and Merit Committee. 1987-1988.

Eastern Washington University, School of Social Work and Human Services, Member and Chair, Student Services Committee. 1987- 1989.

Eastern Washington University, School of Social Work and Human Services, Women's Content Committee. 1987-1988.

University of Utah, Graduate School of Social Work Faculty Development Committee Member. 1983-1987.

PARTIAL LIST OF UNIVERSITY COURSES TAUGHT

Advanced Social Work Practice: Health and Mental Health
Advanced Social Work Practice in Health Care
Advanced Policy Seminar in Health
Advanced Policy Seminar in Health and Mental Health
Autogenic Training and Hypnosis
Biopsychosocial Bases of Human Behavior
Community Based Service Learning Course in Universal Access—Senior Capstone
International Service Learning: Faculty-Led Project to Ghana
Chronic Illness and Disability
Clinical Aspects of Human Sexuality
Disability, Culture, and Society
Disability as Diversity
Family Centered Social Work Practice
Family Therapy Theory
Family Therapy Techniques
Health and Illness
Health and Social Work
Human Development in Contemporary Environments
Human Sexual Behavior
Introduction to Social Welfare
Professional Development Seminar
Research: Program Analysis
Sexuality and Disability
Social Work Administration and Supervision
Social Work Assessment and Intervention
Social Work Intervention and Evaluation
Social Work and Public Health
Social Work Intervention with Individuals and Families