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### **EDUCATION**

**A**UGUST, 2007

Master of Science, Speech Language Pathology

**IDAHO STATE UNIVERSITY** 

MASTER THESIS: THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN AUDITORY COMPREHENSION AND AUDITORY PROCESSING IN BROCA'S APHASIA

May, 2005

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE, SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY & AUDIOLOGY

**IDAHO STATE UNIVERSITY** 

# **EXPERIENCE**

AUGUST 2016- PRESENT

CLINICAL ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, IDAHO STATE UNIVERSITY

2013 - 2016

**DIRECTOR OF PEDIATRICS, TD THERAPY SERVICES** 

2009-2014

Speech-Language Pathologist, Pocatello Care & Rehabilitation

2008-2009

Speech-Language Pathologist, Functional Pathways/ Pocatello Veterans Home

2007-2009

Speech-Language Pathologist, Speech Therapy services

#### **TEACHING AND RESEARCH INTERESTS**

- Adult neurological Rehabilitation
- Traumatic Brain Injury Rehabilitation
- Clinical Supervision
- Interprofessional Rehabilitation

# LICENSES/CERTIFICATIONS

- ASHA Certificate of Clinical Competence; 2007- Present
- Licensed Speech-Language Pathologist, State of Idaho; 2007- Present

#### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION

- American Speech and Hearing Association- ASHA
- Idaho Speech & Language Association- ISHA
- National Student Speech Language Hearing Association (Advisor)- 2017- Present

# Awards/Recognitions

Outstanding Service Award- Idaho State University; Spring 2019

#### **SERVICE**

## **Professional:**

- CFY Mentor; August 2021- Present
  - Mentored 1 CF each year. This consists of 4 hours observation/ month for 10 months;
     evaluation and discussion of CF's progress and needs throughout the CF duration.
- NSSLHA Capital Day; April 2019, 2023
- Hosted Southeastern ISU-SLP Alumni Dinner; April 2019, 2022, 2023
- Co- Host NSSLHA Conference; March 2020, 2022

#### Community:

- Leading the Community LOUD Crowd for Parkinson's group; August 2022- Present
  - Leading the LOUD Crowd weekly for 1 hour
- Participating in the Pocatello Parkinson's Support Group; August 2021- Present
  - o Assist in organizing the monthly meetings.
  - Speak at monthly meetings 1x/year
- Malad Elementary School, Hearing Screenings; December 2017- 2020
- Grace Lutheran Elementary School, Hearing Screenings; November 2017- 2020
- Gem Prep Elementary School, Hearing Screenings; November 2018

#### University:

- Interprofessional Affairs Council (IAC), Member; Fall 2022- Present
- ICOM Representative, Member; Fall 2022- Present
- KDHS Research Day Committee, Co-Chair; Fall 2020- Present
- KDHS Research Day Committee, Member; 2018-Spring 2020
- ISU Health Fair, Presenter; 2017-Present
- Majors & Minor's Fair; September 2019

#### Department:

- Undergraduate Advisor; 2018- Present
- NSSLHA Co-Advisor; 2019- Present
  - o Hold monthly Advisor Meetings
  - Hold monthly officer Meetings
  - Hold monthly member Meetings

- o Participate in a Monthly Activity that promotes and assists the students in increasing their service, knowledge, promoting knowledge of our profession, and leadership skills.
- Activities Include: Homecoming parade, Halloween Carnival, Activities in a skilled nursing facility, reading in Elementary Schools, having speakers share at meetings, Involvement Fair, etc.
- Provide opportunity for faculty, staff, and students to interact via Welcome BBQ,
   Christmas Potluck, End semester Potluck
- NSSLHA Advisor; 2017-2019
- Marketing/Recruitment; 2019- Present
  - Planning and organizing many events that promote our profession to high school students
    - Health Experience Night
    - Experience ISU
    - Discussing and designing new promotional information with LeeAnn Waldron
- CSD Department Scheduler; 2017- Present
- New Student Orientation; August 14, 2020
- Portfolio Revision Committee, Member; 2017-2018
- Faculty Promotion and Review Committee, Member; 2017- Present
- Objective III Reader for SLP Graduate Student Portfolio; 2018-2019
- Experience ISU; April 2018, 2023
- Clinical Search Committee; Spring 2017

#### **T**EACHING

#### Academic Teaching:

- CSD 2205: Introduction to Communication Science Disorders
  - o All Sections: Fall 2023
- CSD 4417/5517: Interdisciplinary Evaluation Team
  - o On Campus: Spring 2019, 2020,
  - o On Campus/Online: Spring 2021, 2022, 2023
- CSD 3335: Language Development & Disorders
  - o Spring 2018

#### Clinical Teaching:

- CSD 6602: Clinical Practicum Speech-Language Pathology, On-Campus
  - o Fall 2016
  - o Spring, Summer, Fall: 2017,
  - o Spring, Fall: 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023
- CSD 6602 L: Clinical Practicum Speech-Language Pathology Lab, On campus
  - o Home Exercise Program: Fall 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023
  - o Adult Learning/Motivational Interviewing: Fall 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023
  - o Functional Assessment: Spring 2019, 2023; Fall 2023

#### **SCHOLARLY**

#### On- Going:

Manuscript: Journal of Interprofessional Care

Title: Health Professional Student perceptions of an Interprofessional Clinical Assessment and Staffing Experience

Description: A number of professors from various fields are working together to collect data from students who experience the Interdisciplinary Evaluation Team Class to determine the effect it has on students behaviors and outlook of different professionals. Due to health issues in our team we were unable to complete the manuscript and are therefore extending one more year finalize the manuscript. Research Type: Scholarly

Collaborators: Jennifer Holst, Robert Rieske, Allisha Weeden, Leciel Bono

#### National:

#### • <u>Poster</u>

American Speech-Language-Hearing Association Convention 2023, Sponsoring Organization: ASHA, Location: Boston, Massachusetts, *Authentic Interprofessional Practice Spark SLP-MOT students while benefiting children in early intervention setting*, Presenters/Authors: Morgan, W., Miller, K., Gee, B., Conference, National, Non-Academic, Accepted, November 2023

#### Poster

American Speech-Language-Hearing Association Convention 2021, Sponsoring Organization: ASHA, Location: Virtual, *Enhancing Clinical Instruction Through use of Role Play*, Presenters/Authors: Woods, D., Miller, C., Miller, K., Morgan, W., Ament, R., Conference, National, Non-Academic, Accepted, November 2021.

#### • Oral Presentation

Woods, D., Miller, C., Miller, K., Morgan, W., & Falslev, R. (2020, November). Proposal 10561: Reframe Clinical Instruction: Building on Core Principles with Active Learning Methods. Proposal accepted for 1-Hour Seminar at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, San Diego, CA (Convention canceled).

#### • Poster

Woods, D., Miller, C., Miller, K., Morgan, W., & Falslev, R. (2020, November). Proposal 11332: Reframing Face-to-Face Clinical Instruction Through the Use of Role Play. Proposal accepted for the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, San Diego, CA (Convention canceled).

#### Oral Presentation

American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Sponsoring Organization: ASHA, Location: Orlando, Florida, Interprofessional Education & Practice: Survey of Students' Perceptions After Participating in an Interprofessional Evaluation Team, Presenters/Authors: Bono, L., Weeden, A., Rieske, R., Holst, J., Miller, K., Session, National, Non-Academic, Accepted, November 2019.

#### Poster

American Speech-Language-Hearing Associate Convention 2019, Sponsoring Organization: ASHA,

Location: Orlando, Florida, Imagine More Critical Thinking: Implementing Both PeerEvaluation & Video Self-Evaluation in Clinical Instruction, Presenters/Authors: Woods, D., Morgan, W., Miller, K., Ament, R., Miller, C., Conference, National, Non-Academic, Accepted, November 2019.

#### Local:

#### Poster

Idaho State University KDHS Research & Scholarship Day, Sponsoring Organization: Idaho State University KDHS, Location: Virtual, Role Play Enhances Clinical Instruction, Presenters/Authors: Woods, D., Miller, C., Miller, K., Morgan, W., Ament, R., Non-Academic, Professional, Accepted, April 2021.

#### Oral Presentation

First Friday, Idaho State University, Interprofessional Education & Practice: Survey of Students' Perceptions After Participating in an Interprofessional Evaluation Team, Presenters/Authors: Bono, L., Weeden, A., Rieske, R., Holst, J., Miller, K., December 7, 2018.

#### **CONTINUING EDUCATION**

- ASHA Conference, Boston, MA; 2023
- Comprehensive Geriatric and Dementia Care Certification: An Evergreen Certified Dementia Care Specialist, PESI.com; 2023
- CAPCSD Conference, Orlando, FL; 2023
- Beyond Workbooks: Cognitive Rehab for Traumatic Brain Injury, Online Course, SpeechTherapypd.com; 2022
- Communication Coaching for People who live with Dementia, Online Course, SpeechTherapypd.com; 2022
- A Deeper Dive to Return to Learning after a Sports Concussion, Online Course, SpeechTherapypd.com; 2022
- Return to Learning after a Sports Concussion, Online Course, SpeechTherapypd.com; 2022
- ASHA Conference, Online; 2021
- SPEAK OUT! & LOUD Crowd Training; 2021
- Evidence Base Treatments for Word Retrieval Impairments in Aphasia, Online Course, SpeechTherapypd.com; 2020
- Teletherapy Bootcamp Online course, SpeechTherapypd.com; 2020
- ASHA Conference, Orlando, FL; 2019
- Skilled and Unskilled SLP Services: Differentiation and Documentation; 2019
- Nine Building Blocks of Supervision; 2018
- ASHA Conference, Boston, MA; 2018
- ASHA Conference, Los Angeles, CA; 2017
- IMASH, Boise, ID; 2017