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SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

Psychoanalytically oriented emerging counselor educator and clinic supervisor who fosters practical growth and encourages honest and meaningful self-discovery and exploration.

EDUCATION

North Dakota State University; (*CACREP-Accredited*)

*Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) – Counselor Education and Supervision

Fargo, ND

Anticipated May 2024

Eastern Mennonite University; (*CACREP-Accredited*)

Master of Arts (MA) – Mental Health Counseling

Harrisonburg, VA

May 2019

Master of Divinity (M.Div.) – Theology

May 2018

Sterling College

Craftsbury Common, VT

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) – The Therapeutic Applications of Outdoor Education.

May 2014

Minor in Farming & Equine Agriculture Therapies

LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATIONS

Ordained Minister, *United Church of Christ (UCC)*

Licensed Associate Professional Counselor, *LAPC – # 1073-1-1-22A (North Dakota)*

National Certified Counselor, *NCC – #1723603, National Board for Certified Counselors, Inc. (NBCC)*

Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE), Association for Clinical Pastoral Education (*ACPE*)

Marriage and Family Facilitator – Pastoral Counselor, *Prepare-Enrich*

Myers-Briggs Type Indicator (MBTI) Facilitator, *Myers-Briggs Institute*

Suicide Prevention Specialist, *Assist - Life Works*

Master SCUBA Diver, *License #325080, SCUBA Schools International (SSI)*

Notary Public, *Commission #610712, expires 07/22/2025 (North Dakota)*

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

North Dakota State University, Community Counseling Services

Fargo, ND

Graduate Teaching Assistant - Clinical Supervisor

August 2021 – Present

- Provide on-site supervision to Graduate students in training
- Assist Clinical Director with the administration and supervision of students
- Co-Teach core CACREP curriculum to master-level students
- Facilitate core CACREP curriculum laboratory experiences
- Participate in new student interviews and orientation
- Maintain client caseload

Y-Knot Psychotherapy, LLC

Harrisonburg, VA

Private Practice, Pastoral Counselor – Ordained Minister

June 2019 – January 2020

- Provided psychotherapeutic services for members of the community through my Church
- Worked with children, adolescents, and adults
- Participated in speaking engagements, groups, and workshops in the community
- Provided crisis response, emergency consultation, and community outreach
- Participated in case consultations with colleagues
- Received analytic, counseling, and pastoral supervision

Eastern Mennonite University – Community Counseling Center

Harrisonburg, VA

Graduate Student - Practicum & Internship (un-paid/part-time)

January 2017 – May 2019

- Provided psychotherapeutic services for undergraduate and graduate students
- Facilitated psychotherapeutic groups and workshops
- Provided crisis response, emergency consultation, outreach and coverage for walk-in hours
- Received analytic, counseling, and pastoral supervision

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

North Dakota State University

Fargo, ND

Graduate Courses:

2020 – Present

- Internship — CNED-794; NDSU (Co-taught; Spring 2023)
- Practicum — CNED-794; NDSU (Co-taught; Spring 2023, Fall 2023, Spring, 2022/ TA; Fall 2021)
- Group Counseling — CNED-720; NDSU (Lab facilitator; Fall 2022, Fall 2021)
- Techniques — CNED-710; NDSU (Lab facilitator; Fall 2022, Fall 2021)
- Leadership and Advocacy in Counselor Education — CNED-866; NDSU (Special topic: *Counselor Identity*; Fall 2022)
- Counseling Theory — CNED-711; NDSU (Psychoanalytic content; Fall 2021)
- Advanced Multicultural Practice in Counselor Education and Supervision — CNED-871; NDSU (Special Topics Guest Lecturer: Religious Oppression; Spring 2023)

Sterling College

Craftsbury Common, VT

Undergraduate Courses:

2012 – 2014

- Orientation/Land Navigation Techniques (Advised & Coached Orientation Club; Spring 2014, Fall 2013/ TA; Spring 2013, Fall 2012, Spring 2011)
- Firearm Safety (Advised & Coached Shooting Sports Team; Spring 2014, Fall 2013)
- A Sense of Place (Co-taught; Spring 2014, Fall 2013 / TA; Spring 2012)
- Wilderness First Responder (Co-taught; Spring 2014)

SUPERVISION EXPERIENCE

North Dakota State University, Community Counseling Services

Fargo, ND

Graduate Teaching Assistant - Clinical Supervisor

August 2021 – Present

Graduate Students Supervised:

- Internship — CNED-794, NDSU
 - Spring-2023: 10 in group
- Practicum — CNED-794, NDSU
 - Spring-2023: 4 in group, 4 individuals
 - Fall-2022: 9 in group, 4 individuals
 - Spring-2022: 7 in group, 1 individual
 - Fall-2021: 10 in group
- Group Counseling — CNED-720, NDSU
 - Fall-2022: 9 in group
 - Fall-2021: 9 in group
- Techniques — CNED-710, NDSU
 - Fall-2022: 3 in group
 - Fall-2021: 5 in group

SUPERVISION COURSES TAKEN

- Counselor Supervision (Doctoral Course) — CNED 870, NDSU, Spring 2022
- Supervision & Consultation (Masters Course) — COUN509, EMU, Spring 2019