

Curriculum Vitae

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Citizenship: The Chickasaw Nation of Oklahoma; United States

EDUCATION

Ph.D.	University of Utah Social Work	May 2012
M.S.W.	University of California at Berkeley Social Welfare	June 1996
B.A.	University of Utah Anthropology; Minor- Native American Studies	March 1994

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Publications

Ned, J.D., Frost, C. (Eds.). (2017). *Contemporary Issues in Child Welfare: American Indian and Canadian Aboriginal Contexts*. Vernon, B.C.: JCharlton Publishing Ltd.

Barkdull, C., Ned, D., Limb, G., Weaver, H.N., & Himonas, L. (2015). Dan was there for us. In Reflections issue "Honoring our indigenous elders in social work education, Vol 21, No 2. Published Spring 2016.

Rutman, S., Taulii, M., Ned, D., & Tetrick, C. (2012). Reproductive health and sexual violence among urban American Indian and Alaska native young women: select findings from the national survey of family growth (2002). *Maternal and Child Health Journal*.

Book Chapters

Bussey, B., Day, P.A., Ned, J.D., & Smalling, S.E. (2017). Chapter 1: Introduction. In J.D. Ned & C.J. Frost (Eds.), *Contemporary Issues in Child Welfare: American Indian and Canadian Aboriginal Contexts* (pp. 1-16). Vernon, B.C.: JCharlton Publishing Ltd.

John, A., Ned, J.D., & Tanana, H. (2017). Chapter 7: Adoption-United States. In J.D. Ned & C.J. Frost (Eds.), *Contemporary Issues in Child Welfare: American Indian and Canadian Aboriginal Contexts* (pp. 157-178). Vernon, B.C.: JCharlton Publishing Ltd.

PRESENTATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Research Presentations: National & International

Ned, J.D., & Frost, C. (October, 2015). Contemporary Child Welfare Issues in American Indian and Canadian Aboriginal Contexts. Presented at the 61st Annual Program Meeting for the Council on Social Work Education, Denver, CO.

Ned, J.D. (May, 2015). Historical Trauma: How Traumatic Experience is Revealed in Indigenous and Aboriginal Communities. Presented at the 24th Annual Global Awareness Society International Conference, Philadelphia, PA.

Ned, J.D. (May, 2014). Has the U.S. Economic Recovery or U.S. Federal Indian Law, Contributed to the Increase of American Indian Children in Out-Of-Home Care? Session Chair; presented at 23rd Annual Global Awareness Society International Conference, Montego Bay, Jamaica.

Ned, J.D. (May, 2012). Cultural Values of American Indian People: Their Impact on Families and Health. Presented at the 21st Annual Global Awareness Society International Conference, New York City, NY.

Ned, J.D. (May, 2011). Health Disparities Experienced by Urban American Indians: Possible Adaptions to Other Global Indigenous Peoples. Presented at the 20th Annual Global Awareness Society International Conference, San Juan, PR.

Ned, J.D. (November, 2010). An interpretive policy analysis of perspectives on Title V of the Indian Healthcare Improvement Act. Presented at the 138th Annual American Public Health Association Conference, Denver, CO.

Invited Presentations: State & Local

(November, 2020). Sisters Rising. Panelist, American Indian Film Festival, Salt Lake City, UT.

(September, 2020). Beyond the Classroom: Race at Rowland Hall, Salt Lake City, UT.

(November, 2019). Blood Memory. Panelist, ICW Foster Families, Utah Foster Care, Salt Lake City, UT.

- (May, 2019). Dawnland. Panelist, ICWA, Utah Foster Care, Salt Lake City, UT.
- (November, 2018). Dawnland. Panelist, Utah Foster Care, Salt Lake City, UT.
- (August, 2018). Sharing Our Stories: Narrative of Historical Trauma. Moderator for the 6th Annual Indian Child Welfare Conference, Midway, UT.
- (May, 2017). We Can't Make the Same Mistake Twice: Indian Child Welfare. In-service Presentation to Primary Children's Hospital Medical Social Workers, Salt Lake City, UT.
- (March, 2017). Contemporary Issues in Child Welfare: American Indian Context. Panelist for Child Welfare Book launch, Salt Lake City, UT
- (March, 2016). Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women. Presentation for University of Utah's Women's Week, Salt Lake City, UT.
- (April, 2016). The Path Taken to the U. Presentation at the Intertribal Student Association American Indian High School Conference, Salt Lake City, UT.
- (November, 2015). Unspoken. Lecture and Moderator for UEN Community Outreach Project, Ogden, UT.
- (October, 2014). Spirituality and Resiliency with American Indians. Panelist at the Harvard Global Mental Health Trauma and Recovery Training Program, Porano, Italy.
- (September, 2013). How I Got Here. Invited Speaker, Annual College of Social Work Scholarship Dinner, Salt Lake City, UT.
- (November, 2012). Working Successfully with Partners. Workshop Presentation, National Tribal PREP Grantees, Austin, TX.
- (November, 2012). Kind Hearted Woman: Violence against Women & Children in Indian Country. Panelist, KUED Community Outreach, Salt Lake City, UT.
- (October, 2012). Impasse: An American Indian's Reflections on Social Justice. Panelist, Voices of Diversity, Salt Lake City, UT.
- (September, 2008). The Importance of Mentors. Keynote Speaker, Annual College of Social Work Scholarship Luncheon, Salt Lake City, UT.

(September, 2008). Current Status of Indian Health in Utah. Presentation, College of Nursing, Salt Lake City, UT.

(February, 2008). American Indian Experience. Panelist at College of Social Work Social Justice Series, Salt Lake City, UT.

(December, 2006). Urban American Indian Perspectives in Utah. Presentation to the United States Commission on Civil Rights Community Forum, Salt Lake City, UT.

(November, 2006). Cultural Awareness Workshop. Panelist, 3rd Annual Health Summit on Eliminating Inequalities in Utah, Salt Lake City, UT.

(April, 2006). American Indian Women. Panelist, 34th Annual American Indian Awareness Week, Salt Lake City, UT.

(April, 2005-06). State of Title V Urban Indian Health Care in Utah. Presentation, Phoenix Area Indian Health Service I/T/U Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV.

(November, 2014). Modern Indian Health and Traditional Medicine. Presentation, Salt Lake County Department of Public Health Annual Meeting, Sandy, UT.

(March, 2004). Incident at Oglala. Moderator, 32nd Annual American Indian Awareness Week, Salt Lake City, UT.

(January, 2004). Urban Indian Health Status. Presentation, DHHS Region VIII Chlamydia Project, Denver, CO.

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Associate Professor/Lecturer since 05/2015
University of Utah, College of Social Work

Assistant Professor/Lecturer 06/2007- 05/2015
University of Utah, College of Social Work

Adjunct Professor 08/2004- 12/2006
Westminster College, School of Arts and Sciences

TEACHING

Experience

University of Utah

Academic Years 2007-2021

- *Course design, lecture/instruction, and student evaluation for campus, distance, and on-line learning*

BSW Introduction to Social Work and Social Welfare; 3 CR: grounded & on-line

BSW Practice with Individuals; 3 CR

BSW Practice with Communities and Organizations; 3 CR: grounded & on-line

BSW Social Welfare Policy & Services; 3 CR: grounded & on-line

BSW Social Work Research and Evaluation; 3 CR/QI

BSW Independent Study; 1-3 CR

MSW Community Based Strategies for Social Change; 3 CR

MSW Social Policies and Programs; 3 CR

Invited Lecturer

Aging Well in Utah- American Indian Elders, HONOR 3700-02	09/2020
Indian Child Welfare Act of 1978, ETHNC 3870	10/2018
Federal Health Care Policy for American Indians, SW 6241	10/2017
Introduction to Social Work Profession, UC 1050	09/2015
Non-Profit Healthcare Administration, FCS 5450/6450	11/2010
Federal Indian Policy, SW 3564/ES 3600	11/2009-03/2012

Westminster College, Salt Lake City, UT.

Academic Years 2004-2006

- *Course development and instruction of introduction to social work course for the Sociology & Anthropology Program, School of Arts and Sciences*

EVALUATION EXPERIENCE

Indian Training and Education Center

West Valley City, Utah

Program Evaluator 06/-08/2013

Conducted program review of federally-funded 501-c3 to establish priorities for upcoming fiscal year, including revision of job descriptions, community outreach activities, and staff training

Rising American Indian Nations (RAIN)

Salt Lake City, Utah

Co-evaluator 09/2009

Principle Investigator Dr. Naomi Silverstone; conducted qualitative, process evaluation to determine impact RAIN pilot project had with its American Indian participants

National Council of Urban Indian Health

Washington, DC

Evaluator

10/2008

Urban Indian Health Program Survey; cultural review of pilot national survey for improving technical assistance provided to UIHPs through governmental programs, and on the circumstances and obstacles that UIHPs face in their day-to-day operations

Indian Natural Resource, Science, & Engineering Program

Arcata, California

Project Interviewer

07/2002- 03/2003

“American Indians in the Sciences at Predominately White Universities” (unpublished); funded by 2000 Presidential Award for Excellence in Science, Mathematics and Engineering Mentoring; qualitative data collection from undergraduate student support services for AI on campuses in Washington, Oregon, Colorado, and Utah

School of Social Welfare

Berkeley, California

Graduate Research Assistant

09/-12/1995

Principle Investigator: Dr. Jewelle Taylor-Gibbs. Extracted qualitative responses from a series of taped focus groups with Los Angeles residents of color concerning issues of police brutality and racism

Western Consortium for Public Health

Berkeley, California

Project Interviewer & Data Analysis

08/1994-06/1995

“Perinatal American Indian Study” with Senior Researcher Dorie Klein; recruited and interviewed American Indian women residing in the Bay Area about their health behaviors and beliefs; coded quantitative and qualitative responses

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Indian Walk-In Center, Inc.,

Salt Lake City, Utah

Executive Director

03/2003-08/2007

- *Overall leadership and administration of urban Indian 501c3 health organization*
- *Planned, directed, and evaluated all activities including staffing, fiscal accountability, human resource development, quality management, process improvement, and systems development*

- *Developed and administered operating budget of \$1.5 million; special attention to financial performance by assuring compliance with contract/grant productivity requirements*
- *Established and fostered collaborative relationships with local, state, and federal governments and agencies, community organizations, and consumers consistent with objectives of the agency*

Indian Natural Resource, Science, and Engineering Program

Humboldt State University, Arcata, California

Program Coordinator

08/1998-03/2003

- *Active development, implementation and maintenance of program recruitment and retention activities- including local, state, and national presentations*
- *Enhanced student life by providing academic, personal, and career counseling, evaluations, workshops, internship and scholarship database, and cultural specific gatherings for students and their families; Specialized counseling, support, and summer opportunity programs for American Indian Pre-Med students funded by Howard Hughes Medical Institute*
- *Award for excellence from the National Science Foundation for outstanding program retention*

Humboldt County Department of Children and Family Services

Eureka, California

Social Worker IV

07/1996-08/1998

- *Case manager in Family Maintenance/Family Reunification Unit*
- *Provided culturally appropriate case management services to non-voluntary clients; Coordinated and initiated public and private provider services for client/ family, or caregiver*
- *Applied intervention, crisis management, and brief therapy counseling to children, adults, and families; Prepared case assessments, recommendations, and court ordered reports regarding child placement*

Alameda County Department of Children and Family Services

Oakland, California

Social Work Intern

09/1995-05/1996

- *Under direct supervision provided short-term, intensive, clinical case management to families of diverse cultural, social and economic backgrounds in Family Preservation Unit*
- *Made recommendations for court ordered reports*
- *Counseling services included advocacy, parent education, drug and alcohol counseling, career training, home visits*

American Indian Child Resource Center

Oakland, California

Social Work Intern

10/1994-05/1995

- *Under the Indian Child Welfare Act provided placement and counseling services for American Indian children within nine Bay Area counties*

- *Facilitator of foster child play therapy group*
- *Under direct supervision with Lead Social Worker, conduct home assessments as part of recommendation for foster care placements*

ACADEMIC SERVICE

University Service

University Career-line Faculty Reappointment Committee	11/2020- 05/2021
University Gender-Based Violence Consortium, Moderator, Reclaiming Our Values and Visibility in Indian Country	10/2020
University Studies Committee, Appointment	07/2020- 07/2023
Women’s Week Planning Committee, Organizer (Warrior Women)	08/2019- 03/2020
Graduate Council, CSW representative	08/2019-04/2022
Native American Land Use Committee, Faculty member	since 10/2019
American Indian Scholarship Committee, Faculty member	since 09/2019
American Indian Resource Center Advisory Board, Member	since 09/2019
3rd Annual Sustainability & Diversity Mentorship, Faculty mentor	04/2016
Senate Advisory Committee on Diversity (2 consecutive appointments)	08/2014- 05/2019
Faculty Committee on Community & Governmental Relations, Appointment	08/2011- 05/2014

College Service

BSW Reaffirmation Committee	since 11/2020
Faculty Executive Committee, Career-line representative	07/2019-06/2021
BSW Program Advisory Committee	since 01/2018
• <i>Sequence Head: Social Welfare Policy; Social Work & Social Welfare as a Profession</i>	
Search Committee, Career-line representative	09/2014-04/2016
Strategic Planning Committee, Career-line representative	09/2012-04/2016
MSW Admissions Committee	10/2012-02/2015
Scholarship Committee	04/2012-11/2017
Qualifying Exam Committee, Ph.D. Program	10/2012- 11/2015
BSWSA, Faculty Advisor	08/2011-05/2016
Field Supervisor, BSW & Hinckley Institute of Policy	since 01/2011
Pete Suazo Social Justice Awards Planning Committee	02/2009- 04/2012
Career-line Faculty Retention Committee	since 11/2009
American Indian Social Work Education Program, Director,	since 08/2012
Co-Director	09/2007- 06/2012
• <i>Recruitment, advising, and retention of American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN) social work students</i>	
• <i>Administration of AI/AN & Diversity Student scholarships to Indigenous recipients.</i>	

BSW Admissions Committee	since 10/2007
California State Employees Charitable Campaign, Department Representative	09/2001-02/2003
HSU Presidents' Diversity Initiative, Representative	09/1999-05/2002
HSU Student Club Advisor (AISES, Pow Wow Committee, SACNAS)	09/1998-03/2003

Editorial Service

<i>Child Welfare League of America</i> , Reviewer	12/2020- 01/2021
<i>Utah Women's Health Review</i> , Associate Editor	since 01/2020
<i>College of Social Work Newsletter</i> , Reviewer	10/2010-04/2015

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Utah ICWA Conference, Panel Moderator, Salt Lake City, UT.	10/2020
Restoring Ancestral Winds Board of Directors, Secretary	since 05/2020
Utah Bar Indian Section/ICWA, Planning Member	since 2019
Utah Court Improvement Program/ICWA, Planning Member	2017-2019
KRCL Community Radio, Community Advisory Board Member	since 2017
Academy Health/Aetna Foundation Minority Scholars Program, Advisory Member; Co-Chair Minority Scholars Virtual Brown Bag Series	2011-2014
Zion's Bank, Native American Diverse Market Advisory Board Member	2011-2013
ACLU of Utah, Community Volunteer	2011-2014
National Academy for State Health Policy, Advancing Health Equity through the Implementation of Health Reform Advisory Committee Member; Reviewer- NASHP Health Equity Learning Collaborative	2011-2013
Utah Museum of Natural History Indian Advisory Committee Member	since 2010
United Natives, Inc., Mentor	2010-2017
Indian Training Education Center, Board of Directors	2009- 05/2013
Volunteers of America, Inc., Board of Directors	2008-2010
KUED, We Shall Remain Community Coalition Member	2007-2009
Urban Indian Health Institute, National American Indian Maternal and Child Health Advisory Council Member	2006-2013
Center for Documentary Arts, Advisory Council Member	2006-2009
Sundance Institute, Community Volunteer	2006-2019
University of Utah, Associate Vice President for Diversity Search Committee Community Member	2006
Ethnic Health Advisory Committee, Utah Department of Health, Community Representative	2005-2008
Zion's Bank, Community Advisory Board Member	2004-2008
Salt Lake City Mayor's Coalition on Alcohol, Tobacco, and Substance Abuse,	

Advisory Community Member	2004-2008
Utah Department of Health, Utah Indian Health Advisory Board Member	2004-2008
University of Utah Senate Diversity Committee, Retention Sub-Committee Community Member	2004-2007
University Neighborhood Partners, Community Advisor	2004-2006
Center for Documentary Arts, Board of Directors	2004-2006
Salt Lake Mayor's Office, Unity Center Advisory Committee Member	2004-2005
Association for Utah Community Health Centers, Board of Directors	2003-2007
Plumas County Arts Commission, Community Volunteer	since 2001

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Academy Health	
American Public Health Association	
Council on Social Work Education	
CSWE Advance Anti-Racism in Social Work Education Task Force, Member	10/2020
CSWE APM reviewer for the Indigenous Track	03/2018
CSWE APM reviewer for the Indigenous Track	03/2017
CSWE Council on Racial, Ethnic, and Cultural Diversity, Member	2015-2018
CSWE Council on Practice Methods and Specialization (2 terms), Member	2010-2016
Global Awareness Society International	
National Council of Urban Indian Health	
National Indian Child Welfare Association	
Society for Advancement of Chicanos and Native Americans in Science	

AWARDS, HONORS, & FELLOWSHIPS

Harvard Program in Refugee Trauma, Global Mental Health Trauma and Recovery	2014-2015
Center for Teaching & Learning Excellence, Teaching Fellows	2012-2014
Global Awareness Society International, Crown Products Global Scholarship	2012
Academy Health, Minority Scholars Program	2010
Presidential Commission on the Status of Women, University of Utah Woman of Note	2010
College of Social Work, William McPhee Scholarship	2009
Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, Research Fellowship	2007-2009
Indian Health Service Phoenix Area Office, Recognition for Outstanding Service	2006
University Neighborhood Partners Appreciation for Service	2006
National Council of Urban Indian Health Eagle Award for Leadership	2004
Humboldt State University, Outstanding Student Advisor	2001
University of California, Berkeley, Title IV-E	1994-1996

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Faculty Boot Camp 2020, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT	2020
Abuelita Epistemology: A Reflexive Practice, Utah Association for Women in Psychology, Salt Lake City, UT.	2020
Advocacy Bootcamp with Action Utah & YWCA, Salt Lake City, UT.	2019
37 th Annual Protecting our Children National American Indian Conference on Child Abuse & Neglect, Albuquerque, NM.	2019
State of Utah Indian Child Welfare Conference, “40 Years of ICWA in Utah - Past, Present, And Future.” Midway, UT.	2018
36 th Annual Protecting our Children National American Indian Conference on Child Abuse & Neglect, Anchorage, AK.	2018
State of Utah Indian Child Welfare Conference, “Healing Trauma through Kinship Connections.” Salt Lake City, UT.	2017
Anti-Discrimination Response Training, College of Social Work, Salt Lake City, UT.	2017
State of Utah Indian Child Welfare Conference, “Strengthening Families, Communities, and Our Future.” Salt Lake City, UT.	2016
Center for Teaching & Learning Excellence, On-line Development, Salt Lake City, UT.	2014
Center for Teaching & Learning Excellence, Annual Teaching Symposium, Salt Lake City, UT.	2012
Center for Teaching & Learning Excellence, LGBTQA Training, Salt Lake City, UT.	2012
Research with Urban Indians: Opportunities and Challenges, Northwest-Alaska Pharmacogenomics Research Network, Seattle, WA.	2012
Safe Zone Training, College of Social Work, Salt Lake City, UT.	2012
Center for Teaching & Learning Excellence, Promoting Critical Thinking, Salt Lake City, UT.	2012
National Academy for State Health Policy, Advancing Health Equity through Health Reform Implementation, Washington, DC	2011
Urban Indian Health Summit, Washington, DC	2011
American Public Health Association, Annual Conference, Denver, CO.	2010
Academy Health, Annual Research Meeting, Boston, MA.	2010
National Council of Urban Indian Health Conference, Washington DC	2010
National Indian Education Association Conference, Seattle, WA.	2008
National Association for Community Health Centers Policy and Issues Forum, Washington DC	2006-07
National Institute for Multicultural Competence Training, Salt Lake City, UT.	2005
National Indian Child Welfare Association, Culturally Competent Practice and Positive Indian Parenting, Portland, OR.	2004
National Council of Urban Indian Health Annual Conference, Washington DC	2003-07
Northern California Children & Family Services Training Core Programs, Eureka, CA	1996-97