**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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Education

2011University of Georgia Athens, GA

Doctor in Philosophy (PhD) Counseling Psychology (APA)

Dissertation: *Level of agreement, predictive ability, and ratings of positive behavior of multiple informants on the BASC-2*

2007 Georgia State University Atlanta, GA

Specialist in Education (EdS) Professional Counseling - Child and Adolescent Specialization

2006 Georgia State University Atlanta, GA

Master of Science (MS) Professional Counseling (CACREP)

2000 Berry College

Atlanta, GA

Bachelor of Arts (BA)

Research Experience

Current research projects:

11/2016 – Present **Refugee Mental Health Initiative**

Principal Investigator, University of Utah

* Collecting data
* Data analysis
* Seeking grant funding

10/2016 – Present **Multicultural Education and Training**

Principal Investigator, University of Utah

* Collected first round of data
* Data analysis
* Two manuscripts to be submitted in Spring 2018

08/2016 – Present **Culture, Diversity, and Well-Being Lab**

Collaborator, University of Utah

09/2017 – Present **Psychotherapy Lab**

Collaborator, University of Utah

Past research projects:

12/2012 – 5/2012 **Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (CSEC) Work Group** Participated in a work group with Center for Disease Control, Children’s Health of Atlanta, Morehouse, Emory School of Medicine to collaborate on prevention efforts for CSEC victims; assisted with research/prevention proposal for CSEC victims in Atlanta (*Social Media as a Platform for Prevention and Early Intervention Efforts for At-Risk and Sexually Exploited Youth*)

8/2009 – 5/2010 **Qualitative Dissertation Research Team** University of Georgia

*Clinicians understanding and the use of their personal recovery in the treatment of eating disorders*

8/2009 – 5/2010 **DREAM (Diversity Research on Education and Multiculturalism)**  University of Georgia, Athens, GA

5/2008 – 8/2008 **Research Assistant as Summer Bridge Award Recipient for Minority Students**

University of Georgia, Athens, GA

Funding

Funded

LDS Humanitarian Grant ($9000) – 6/2017

Refugee Trauma Initiative

Submitted

Reducing Inequality William T Foundation Grant ($350,000) – 1/2018

Submitted/Unfunded

NINR – 6/1/17

Randomized trial of telehealth group intervention to reduce perinatal depressive symptoms in diverse populations. Score: 50

$1,624,181 (3 years)

Role: Co-investigator

HRSA – 6/1/17

Behavioral Health Workforce Education and Training (BHWET) Program

$1,920,000 (4 years)

Role: Co-investigator

K12 – 3/3/17

Building Interdisciplinary Research Careers in Women’s Health (BIRCWH) program

Prevalence of perinatal anxiety in women of color and understanding of their lived experiences

$115,000 - for salary & benefits/$25,000 - research and training support – 2 years

Role: Principal Investigator

R. Harold Burton Foundation (Invited for full proposal)

Refugee Trauma Initiative

Role: Co-investigator

$25,000

University Teaching Grant, University of Utah

Advanced Multicultural Counseling Lab

Role: Principal Investigator

$3500.00

Eskuche Foundation (pre-proposal)

Refugee Trauma Initiative

Role: Co-Investigator

$5000.00

Manuscripts

Latendresse, G., Parameswaran U.D., Ozawa-Kirk, J., Andreason, H., Thompson, N. (in review).

Women embrace facilitated group videoconferencing to reduce perinatal depressive symptoms. Maternal and Child Health Journal.

Parameswaran, U.D. & Ozawa-Kirk, J. (in review). To live (code) or not: A new method for coding in

qualitative research. Qualitative Health Research.

Parameswaran, U.D., Molloy, J.K., & Kuttner, P.J. (in preparation). Integration of restorative justice,

trauma-informed care, and culturally responsive education in K-12 schools. School Mental

Health.

Parameswaran, U.D., Andreason, H., Whiteley, A., Hasthpari, H., & Kuo, P. (in preparation). Picking

up the shattered glass: Student and faculty views on white fragility. The International Journal of

Critical Pedagogy.

Parameswaran, U.D., Kuo, P. & Imel, Z. (in preparation). Who dominates the talk space in the

counseling relationship?

Parameswaran, U.D., Kuo, P., Gunnerson, K., Ozawa-Kirk, J., Elaine, A.P. & Imel, Z. (in preparation).

Cultural conversations in the counseling relationship: Does it happen?

Teaching/Supervision Experience

8/2014 – Present **University of Utah**

Salt Lake City, Utah

*Assistant (Clinical) Professor*

*Program Director Clinical Mental Health Counseling (CMHC)*

*Practicum & Internship Coordinator for Master’s and Doctoral programs*

*Clinic Director for EASSC*

Courses:

EDPS 6210 Counseling Skills

EDPS 6360 Multicultural Counseling

EDPS 6710 Counseling Practicum

EDPS 6820 Ethics in Mental Health Counseling

EDPS 6822 Professional Issues in Mental Health Counseling

EDPS 6910 Masters Internship

EDPS 7080 History & Systems of Psychology

EDPS 7770 Field Practicum (Doctoral Students)

EDPS 6960 Expressive Arts Therapy

EDPS 6350 Group Counseling

5/2013 – 7/2014 **Mercer University**

Atlanta, GA

*Adjunct Faculty*

8/2012 – 5/2014 **Clayton State University**

Morrow, GA

*Adjunct Faculty*

8/2012-5/2012 **Kennesaw State University** Kennesaw, GA

*Adjunct Faculty*

Clinical/Supervision Experience

12/2015 – Present **University of Utah Counseling Center**

*Staff Associate*

3/2015 – Present **University of Utah Women’s Resource Center**

*Staff Associate*

8/2014 – Present **Educational Assessment and Student Support Clinic (Univ. of Utah)**

*Co-Clinic Director – CCP*

Managing clinic services including supervising students in therapy and

assessment services;

Providing direct service – co-leading an anxiety/depression group for students of color at West High School

Conducting Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule-2nd Edition (ADOS-2)assessments

1/2015 – Present **Salt Lake Psychology**

Salt Lake City, Utah

*Licensed Psychologist (Private Practice)*

5/2014 – Present **Innovative Systemic Partnerships - International**

Atlanta, GA

*Co-founder*

9/2015 – 5/2017 **School Psychology, Ed Psych Dept, University of Utah**

*Clinical Assessment Supervisor*

2/2013 – 8/2014 **Sandy Springs Psychological Center**

Sandy Springs, GA

*Licensed Psychologist (Private Practice)*

10/2012 – 8/2013 **Stephanie Blank Center for Safe and Healthy Children – CHOA**

Georgia Child Traumatic Stress Initiative

Atlanta, GA

*Licensed Psychologist (SAMSHA grant funded position)*

9/2011 – 9-2012 **Emory University School of Medicine (APPIC Approved)**

Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences

Children’s Healthcare of Atlanta – Hughes Spalding Child Advocacy Center

Atlanta, GA

*Psychology Postdoctoral Fellow*

11/2011 – 5/2012 **Jefferson Psychological Solutions**

9/2010 – 8/2011 **Northwest Georgia Consortium (APA Accredited Internship)**

Rome, GA

*Psychology Intern*

Rotation 1: Northwest Georgia Regional Hospital Rome, GA

Adult Inpatient Forensics Unit

Rotation 2: Murphy Harpst Children Center Cedartown, GA

Rotation 3: Lookout Mountain Community Services Board Summerville, GA

1/2010 – 5/2010 **Children’s Healthcare of Atlanta – Hughes Spalding**

Atlanta, GA

*Doctoral Evaluator (Advanced Assessment Practicum)*

8/2008 – 5/2010 **The Center for Counseling & Personal Evaluation**

University of Georgia

Athens, GA

*Doctoral Clinician & Evaluator (Practicum and Advanced Practicum)*

2/2009 – 12/2010 **Eating Disorder Center of Athens**

Athens, GA

*Doctoral Clinician (Advanced Practicum)/Psychometrist*

Supervised Masters school and professional counseling students

6/2005 – 12/2006 **Childkind, Inc**

Atlanta, GA

*Counselor (EdS Internship)*

8/2005 – 12/2006 **The Center**

Marietta, GA

*Counseling Intern (Masters & EdS Internship Site)*

Major: Interdisciplinary (Psychology, Family & Consumer Science, and Religion)

Professional Work Experience

8/2008 – 8/2010 **Gwinnett Graduate Program - University of Georgia**

Counseling and Human Development Services

Athens, GA

*Graduate/Program Assistant*

6/2002 – 12/2007 **Childkind, Inc**

Atlanta, GA

*Director of Program Services*

*Placement Services Coordinator*

*Child Placement Specialist*

5/2000 – 8/2002 **Bartow County Dept. of Family & Children Services**

Cartersville, GA

*Resource Development Coordinator*

*Social Services Case Manager*

Scholarly Presentations

Dorn, U.P., Kuo, P., Andreason, H. (2017). *Intent, impact, and insight of community learning groups in*

*multicultural education.* National Association for Multicultural Education annual conference.

Caperton, D., Dorn, U.P., & Imel, Z. (2017). *Multicultural education for therapists in training: Student*

*experiences and pedagogical lessons.* National Association for Multicultural Education annual

conference.

Liang, C., Dorn, U.P., & Tao, K. (2017). *Not Fresh Off the Boat: The Impact of the Model Minority*

*Myth on Asian Americans.* Roundtable discussion for Association for Women in Psychology

2017 Conference.

Ozawa-Kirk, J., Johnson, C., & Dorn, U.P. (2016). *Mind the Gap: Bridging Research and Practice.*

Poster presentation for the North American Society for Psychotherapy Research 2016

Conference.

Tao, K. & Dorn, U.P. (2016). *What is Asian American?: The complexity of identity and its*

*intersections.* Utah National Association of Multicultural Education 2016 Conference.

Liang, C. & Dorn, U.P. (2016). *Embarking on the journey: A student’s perspective on navigating the*

*regulatory highway.* AASCB 2016 Annual Conference.

Dorn, U.P., Tao, K.W., Allred, H., & Corrales, C. (2015). "*It's not just our agenda": Faculty of color*

*and students' perspectives on MC training*. 2015 APA Annual Convention, Toronto, Canada.

Tao, K.W. & Dorn, U.P. (2015). *Intersectionality and complexity: Expanding what it means for women*

*to "have it all.”* 2015 APA Annual Convention, Toronto, Canada.

Petersen-Coleman, M., Pate, L., Dorn, U., & Celano, M. (2013, August). *Familial tailoring of*

*trauma focused-cognitive behavioral therapy: An approach for children living in two*

*households.* Poster accepted at the 2013 American Psychological Association Annual

Convention, Honolulu, Hawaii.

Pate, L., Petersen-Coleman, M., Dorn, U., & Celano, M. (2013, August). *Systematic screening*

*and tracking of behavioral health services in a child advocacy center.* Poster accepted at

the 2013 American Psychological Association Annual Convention, Honolulu, Hawaii.

Urbano, A., Dorn, U., & McMahan, E. (2013, August). *Clinicians’ Understanding and Use of*

*Personal Recovery in the Treatment of Eating Disorders.* Poster accepted at the 2013 American Psychological Association Annual Convention, Honolulu, Hawaii.

Dorn, U.P., Snead, K., & Celano, M. (2012). *Family psychology in practice: A*

*behavioral health service in a child advocacy center.* 2012 APA Annual Convention. Orlando, FL.

Dorn, U.P. (2010). *Current trends of qualitative research methodology in multicultural research:*

*A review of the past decade.* Poster presentation at the Graduate Student Interdisciplinary Research Conference, Athens, GA.

Chang, P. S., Dorn, U. P., Wu, J., Hall, C., & Middendorf, K. (2009). *An examination of Asian*

*American/ Pacific Islander (AAPI) normative data in popular assessment inventories-Revised.* Asian American Psychological Association Conference, Toronto, Canada.

Chang, P. S., Dorn, U. P., Wu, J., Hall, C., & Middendorf, K. (2009). *An examination of Asian*

*American/ Pacific Islander (AAPI) normative data in popular assessment inventories.* Georgia Psychological Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA. Won Best Poster for Division E: Independent Practice.

Chang, P. S., Wu, J., & Dorn, U.P. (2009). *Sharing our experiences: Traditionality and modernity in clinical practice as student practitioners.* Roundtable presentation at the 2009 Southeastern

Regional Counseling Psychology Conference: Counseling Psychology in the 21st Century: Social Justice, Practice, and Research, Athens, GA.

Dorn, U.P., & Daigle, J. (2009). *Multicultural considerations and practices for elementary age*

*Latino/a children.* Paper presented at the annual South Eastern Conference on Cross-Cultural Issues in Counseling and Education, Savannah, GA.

Dorn, U.P., Edwards, N. A., McMichen, P., McNary, T., Stokes, S., & White, J. (2007). *Road to*

*theory: The journey to developing a theoretical approach in play therapy*. *Revised*, presented at the annual conference of the Association for Play Therapy, Hollywood, CA.

Dorn, U.P. (2007). *Basics of play therapy.*  Presented at the annual conference of the Georgia

Association for Homes & Services for Children, Savannah, GA.

Dorn, U.P., McMichen, P., McNary, T., Stern, L., Stokes, S., & White, J. (2006). *Road to theory: The journey to developing a theoretical approach in play therapy*. Presented at the annual

conference of the Association for Play Therapy, Toronto, Canada.

Workshops/Invited Talks

Dorn, U.P. (February 2017). *Intersection of trauma informed systems of care & restorative practices.*

Invited panelist and trainer for UEPC Bridgeworks – Distinguished Speaker Series. University of Utah. Salt Lake City, Utah.

Dorn, U.P (August 2016). *Understanding the impact of trauma and youth*. Invited workshop presented

to staff and faculty at Rose Park Elementary School. Salt Lake City, Utah.

Dorn, U.P. (March 2016). *Trauma across the life span: Evidenced-based interventions and*

*strategies for trauma recovery and related co-occurring disorders*. Department of Social Work. University of New Hampshire. Concord, NH.

Dorn, U.P. (July 2015). *Supervision process.* Workshop for staff psychologists. Salt Lake

City Veterans Affairs – Salt Lake City, Utah

Dorn, U. P. (July 2013). *Psychosocial impacts of maltreatment: Is trauma informed treatment always*

*indicated?* Webinar presented to mental health clinicians and medical professionals. Children’s Health Care of Atlanta – Atlanta, GA

Dorn, U.P. (June 2012). *Cultural issues in behavioral & developmental pediatrics.* Invited lecture

presented to pediatric residents. Emory School of Medicine – Atlanta, GA

Dorn, U.P. (May 2012). *Strategies for communicating with children and caregivers during the forensic*

*process: What is your role?* Webinar/long-distance learning presented to staff at

statewide child advocacy centers. Stephanie Blank Center for Safe and Healthy Children – Atlanta, GA

Dorn, U.P. & Snead, K. (April 2012). *Maintaining professionalism while catching criminals.* Invited

presentation for staff at the Stephanie Blank Center for Safe and Healthy Children – Atlanta, GA

Dorn, U.P. & Sneak, K. (March 2012). *Difficult parents in difficult situations: How to approach*

*caregivers in the context of child maltreatment.* Invited presentation for nursing staff at Children’s Health Care of Atlanta – Atlanta, GA

Dorn, U.P. (August 2012). *Positive discipline that works*. Invited workshop for Doctors and Dads

Program at Emory School of Medicine – Atlanta, GA

Dorn, U.P. (May 2012 & May 2013). *Protecting yourself from vicarious traumatization.* Invited

presentation for law students at Emory Law School – Atlanta, GA

Dorn, U.P. (December 2010). *Orientation to mental health disorders.* Staff training for hospital

employees at Northwest Georgia Regional Hospital – Internship.

Dorn, U.P. (April 2011). *Overview of bipolar disorders in children and adolescents.* Staff training for

direct services employees at Murphy Harpst – Internship.

Dorn, U.P. & Dunn, J. (July 2011). *Overview of personality disorders.* Staff training for Lookout

Mountain Community Services Board – Internship.

Specialized Training/Certification

3/2016 *Gottman Level 1 Training*

10/24/15 *Anti-Discrimination Response Training (ART)* with Irene Maya Ota and McCall Izatt

3/13 – 4/14 *Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule-2nd Edition* Case consultation with Noelle Santorelli, PhD

2/6/13-2/7/13 *Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule-2nd Edition* *(ADOS-2)* Training Pickens County School District – Jasper, GA

9/13 – 9/14 *Trauma Focused Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy* *(TF-CBT)* – Consultation Calls Carla Danielson, PhD

1/7/13 – 1/8/13 *Trauma Focused Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy (TF-CBT)* Training

Carla Danielson, PhD

2/12 *Trauma Focused Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy (TF-CBT)* Web-based training

9/12 – 8/13 *Parent Child Interaction Therapy* (PCIT) Training & Case Consultation Emory University School of Medicine/Children’s Healthcare of Atlanta

Marianne Celano, PhD, ABPP

Dissertation/Thesis Committees

Kritzia Merced Morales, Counseling Psychology Doctoral Student, Dissertation Committee

Keith Gunnerson, Counseling Psychology Doctoral Student, Dissertation Committee

Aaron Dembe, Counseling Psychology Doctoral Student, Dissertation Committee. *The role of emotion in motivational interviewing.*

Brianna Murray, Genetic Counseling Master’s Student, Thesis Committee. *Transition in Adolescents with genetic conditions: Perceived control*

Professional Activities

**Committees:**

2017-2018 *Conference planning committee,* Utah Mental Health Counseling Association Annual 2018 conference

11/15 – Present *Co-chair,* Diversity Committee, Department of Educational Psychology, University of Utah

9/15- 4/17 *Member,* Communication Task Force - Council for Master’s in Counseling Training Program (CMCTP)

2015 – 2016 *Member,* College of Education Diversity Committee, University of Utah

2015 – 2016 *Chair,* Master’s Clinical Mental Health Counseling Accreditation Committee, Department of Educational Psychology, University of Utah

2014 – 2015 *Member,* Diversity Committee, Department of Educational Psychology, University of Utah

2013 – 2014 *Community advisory board member,* Georgia Child Traumatic Stress Initiative (GCTSI)

12/2012 *Conference proposal reviewer,* Society for Family Psychology (APA – DIV 43) 2013 APA convention

4/2012 *Team lead.* Mental Health Standards Re-accreditation Committee CHOA Child Advocacy Center (CAC), Atlanta, GA

2/2012 *Committee member,* Dekalb County Child Abuse Protocol Development

Committee

12/2011 *Committee member,* Emory School of Medicine Psychology Intern Selection Committee

4/2009 *Committee member* University of Georgia Counseling Psychology Curriculum Committee – multicultural and social justice infusion into curriculum

**Membership:**

American Psychological Association (APA)

American Counseling Association (ACA)

Society of Counseling Psychology

Association of Women in Psychology (Utah and National Chapter)

Trauma Psychology

International Psychology

Utah Clinical Mental Health Counseling Association

**Certification/License:**

2014 – Present UT Licensed Psychologist (9165308-2501)

2013 – 2015 GA Licensed Psychologist (PSY003625)

National Certified Counselor (NCC)