

*Curriculum Vitae, 2023*  
**Kristina S. Brown, PhD, LMFT**

**EDUCATION**

<b>PhD in Marriage and Family Therapy (COAMFTE)</b> Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY Dissertation Title: <i>Dyspareunia Due to Endometriosis: A Qualitative Study of Its Effect on the Couple Relationship</i> , Chair: Jonathan Sandberg, PhD	2007
<b>MA in Marriage and Family Therapy (COAMFTE)</b> University of San Diego, San Diego, CA	1999
<b>BA in English, Minor in Women's Studies</b> University of Colorado at Boulder, Boulder, CO	1994

**LICENSURE & CERTIFICATIONS**

<b>American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (AAMFT) Approved Supervisor #69451</b> Current through August 31, 2024 (since 2009)	
<b>Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist, Illinois</b> Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation	<i>in progress</i>
<b>Licensed Marital and Family Therapist #2008022376, Missouri</b> Missouri State Committee of Marital & Family Therapists	2008-present
<b>Missouri Approved Supervisor</b> Missouri State Committee of Marital & Family Therapists	2007-2015
<b>Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist #000592, New York</b> Office of the Professions, New York State Education Department	2006-2009
<b>Gottman Level I Training</b> Forest Institute, Springfield, MO	2015
<b>Primary Care Behavioral Health Certificate Program</b> Springfield, MO	2008
<b>Within Our Reach®, PREP</b> Operation US, Springfield, MO	2007
<b>Prevention and Relationship Enhancement Program (PREP®)</b> Operation US, Springfield, MO	2007
<b>Marriage and Family Therapist Intern</b> California Department of Consumer Affairs, Board of Behavioral Sciences	2002-2003

## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

<b>Couple and Family Therapy Department (COAMFTE)</b>	2015-present
<b>Adler University, Chicago, IL</b>	
Chair of the Couple and Family Therapy Department	
Professor (Core Faculty), Couple & Family Therapy	2019-present
Interim Manager of Certificate in Sex Therapy (2021-2023)	
Interim Clinical Training Director (2018-2019, 2023-2024)	
Associate Professor (Core Faculty), Couple & Family Therapy	2015-2019
PhD in Medical Family Therapy Program Development (2020-)	
Certificate in Sex Therapy Program Development (independent certificate with approvals through IBHE, HLC, and DOE; 2019-2021)	
MCFT COAMFTE Annual Report for 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020	
Masters in CFT – COAMFTE Initial Accreditation - effective 11/1/2016	
CFTD COAMFTE Annual Report for 2019, 2020	
PhD in CFT – COAMFTE Initial Accreditation – effective 11/1/2018	
Shifting the doctoral program from a DCFT to a PhD - effective 3/2017	
<b>Marriage and Family Therapy Program (COAMFTE)</b>	
<b>The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO</b>	
Program Director of the Marriage and Family Therapy Programs (MAMFT & PDC)	2010-2015
Associate Professor (Core Faculty), Marriage & Family Therapy	2011-2015
Assistant Professor (Core Faculty), Marriage & Family Therapy	2007-2011
COAMFTE Plan for Closure, MAMFT and PDC (2015)	
COAMFTE Annual Reports (MA & PDC) for 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2015	
Masters in MFT COAMFTE Renewal of Accreditation Cycle (2012-2014)	
Post-graduate Degree Certificate in MFT COAMFTE Renewal of Accreditation Cycle (2012-2014)	
MA in Medical Family Therapy Program Development (2011-2012)	

## PUBLICATIONS

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### Edited Volumes

**Brown, K.S.** (Ed.). (in progress). *American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Systemic Ethics Textbook*. AAMFT.

### Refereed Journal Articles (^denotes student)

Sterrett, E., Sutton, A., **Brown, K.S.**, Culver-Turner, R., Ketring, S., & Rastogi, M. (2023). "I was simply trying to make it through the day": A collaborative autoethnography of Couple/Marriage and Family Therapy Program Directors in a diversity and anti-racism peer consultation group. *Family Process*. <https://doi.org/10.1111/famp.12907>

^Paquelet, D.R., & **Brown, K.S.** (2022). Parental alienating behaviors in Noah Baumbach's high-conflict divorce films, *The Squid and the Whale* and *Marriage Story*: A cinematherapy tool for (training) mental health providers. *Contemporary Family Therapy*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10591-022-09656-3>

- Brown, K.S.\***, & Gale, J.\* (2022). Dyadic interviews: A chronological review of the literature with research recommendations. *Journal of Ethnographic and Qualitative Research*, v16(n3), 196-206. <https://eric.ed.gov/?id=EJ1359947> \*Co-first authors
- Brown, K.S.**, Bender, S., Lambrechts, A., Boutelier, S., Farwell, T., ^Martinez-Suarez, A., & ^Larasatie, P.^ (2022). "Set your soul on fire": A feminist-informed co-constructed autoethnography of sixteen multidiscipline, multicultural, and multilingual globally located academic women exploring gendered academic productivity during Covid-19. *American Journal of Qualitative Research*, 6(2), 242-264. <https://doi.org/10.29333/ajqr/12291>
- Brown, K.S.**, Farwell, T., Bender, S., Boutelier, S., Leonoqicz-Bukala, I., ^Martinez-Suarez, A., & ^Larisset, P. (2022). "Part of something larger than myself": Lessons learned from a multidisciplinary, multicultural, and multilingual international research team of academic women. *International Journal of Qualitative Methods*, 21, 1-15. <https://doi.org/10.1177/16094069211073209>
- Bender, S., **Brown, K.S.**, ^Kasitz, D., & ^Vega, O. (2022). Academic women and their children: Parenting during Covid-19 and the impact on engagement in scholarship. *Family Relations*, 71(1), 46-67. <http://doi.org/10.1111/fare.12632>  
\*Top cited article published in an issue between January 1, 2021 to December 15, 2022 (also listed under Honors & Awards)
- Brown, K.S.**, Bender, S., ^Vega, O., & ^Kasitz, D. (2021). Academic womxn and their partners: Managing scholarly expectations within the couple relationship in quarantine. *Family Relations*, 70(4), 939-954. <https://doi.org/10.1111/fare.12572>
- Brown, K.S.**, ^Schmidt, B., ^Morrow, C., & Rougeaux-Burnes, G. (2021). Pre-cohabitation conversations for Relationships: Recommended questions for discussion. *Contemporary Family Therapy*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10591-021-09594-6>
- Brown, K.S.**, ^Iverson, L., & "Cari." (2020). Using BDSM (bondage/discipline, dominance/submission, sadism/masochism) to manage endometriosis pain: A case report. *Journal of Pain Management*, 13(4), 395-399. [http://www.novapublishers.org/catalog/product\\_info.php?products\\_id=66323](http://www.novapublishers.org/catalog/product_info.php?products_id=66323)
- Diamond, R., **Brown, K.S.**, & ^Miranda, J. (2020). Impact of COVID-19 on the perinatal period through a biopsychosocial systemic framework. *Contemporary Family Therapy*, 42(3), 205-216. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10591-020-09544-8>
- Brown, K.S.**, ^Londergan, K., & Bluvshstein, M. (2020). And they lived happily ever after: An intimate closeness of Systems and Adlerian Theories in the case of a transgender couple. *The Journal of Individual Psychology*, 76(1), 128-140. <https://doi.org/10.1353/jip.2020.0023>
- Brown, K.S.** (2019). #metoo: Sexual harassment within Psychology, Social Work, and Marriage/Couple and Family Therapy training programs. *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy*, 31(4), 195-210. <https://doi.org/10.1080/08952833.2019.1676958>

Torres Bernal, A., Le, K., West, A. M., & **Brown, K.S.** (2017). An examination of rates, rank, advancement, and salary of women faculty in COAMFTE-accredited training programs. *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy, 29*(1-2), 88-101. <https://doi.org/10.1080/08952833.2016.1268449>

Harvey, R., **Brown, K.S.**, Miller, B., Williams-Read, J., Tyndall, L. & Murphy, M. (2016) Theory into research practice: Reflections and recommendations on collaborative feminist research. *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy, 28*(4), 136-158. <https://doi.org/10.1080/08952833.2016.1235410>

**Brown, K.S.** (2016). An ode to my uterus. *Families, Systems, & Health, 34*(2), 176. <https://doi.org/10.1037/fsh0000205>

^Upton, M., ^Carwile, T., & **Brown, K.S.** (2016). In their own words: A qualitative exploration of last statements of capital punishment inmates in the state of Missouri, 1995 – 2011. *Omega: Journal of Death and Dying, 0*(0), 1-19. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0030222816652972>

^Stermensky, G., & **Brown, K.S.** (2014). The perfect marriage: Solution focused therapy and motivational interviewing in medical family therapy. *Journal of Family Medicine and Primary Care, 3* (4), 383-387. <https://doi.org/10.4103/2249-4863.148117>

### Editor Introductions

**Brown, K.S.** (2021). A note from the new Editor-in-Chief. *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy, 33*(2), 1-2. <https://doi.org/10.1080/08952833.2021.1913906>

**Brown, K.S.** (2021). Introduction to special issue on women's health: Women and cancer. *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy, 33*(1), 1-2. <https://doi.org/10.1080/08952833.2020.1870200>

**Brown, K.S.** (2020). Introduction to special issue on women's health: Gender and pain. *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy, 32*(3-4), 153-154. <https://doi.org/10.1080/08952833.2020.1854528>

**Brown, K.S.** (2020). Introduction to special issue on women's health: Reproductive health and sexual health. *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy, 32*(1-2), 1-4. <https://doi.org/10.1080/08952833.2020.1763074>

### Book Chapters

Bender, S., **Brown, K.S.**, ^Kasitz, D.L.H., & ^Vega, O. (2023). Kids at the door: An autoethnography of our shared research identity as academic mothers in virtual collaboration. In S. Trocchio, L. Hanasono, J. J. Borchert, R. Dwyer, & J. Harvie (Eds.), *Academic mothers building online communities: It takes a village* (pp. 319-342). Palgrave Macmillan. [https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-26665-2\\_20](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-26665-2_20)

**Brown, K.S.**, ^Iverson, L., & "Cari." (2021). Using BDSM (bondage/discipline, dominance/submission, sadism/masochism) to manage endometriosis pain: A case report. In J. Merrick & M. Morad (Eds.), *Pain management: Some recent international research* (pp. XX-XX). Nova Science. (reprint of article published in the *Journal of Pain Management*)

## Manuscripts in Submission

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## Manuscripts in Preparation

**Brown, K.S.\*** & Killian, K.\* (2023). *Super Grief and Loss: The Presence (and Absence) of Therapy in the Marvel Cinematic Universe*. [Manuscript in preparation].

**Brown, K.S.\***, ^Chapman, M.\*, ^Patel, J., & LaBrot, B. “Mind over matter:” *Assessing mental health in indigenous Ngäbe communities in Bocas del Toro, Panama*. [Manuscript in preparation]. Adler University and Floating Doctors. \*Co-first authors

**Brown, K.S.**, ^Thomas, P., ^Chapman, M., ^Franco, A., ^Jones, T., ^Moretti, B., ^Ramirez, M., ^Schumacher, C., ^Salas, C., & ^Moretti, B. *Reflections on instructor and student experiences of a Couple and Family Therapy study abroad course: Working with Floating Doctors in Bocas del Toro, Panama*. [Manuscript in preparation]. Couple and Family Therapy Department, Adler University.

**Brown, K.S.**, ^Tudor, B., & Krautkramer, R., & ^Jaber, R. *Impact of a special elective course on attitudes towards suicide in couple and family therapy students*. [Manuscript in preparation]. Couple and Family Therapy Department, Adler University.

**Brown, K.S.**, Bender, S., ^Kasitz, D.L.H., & ^Martinez-Suarez, A. *Why academic women stay?: A thematic analysis of mentorship experiences in higher education via the job embeddedness theory*. [Manuscript in preparation].

Mitchell, E.A., **Brown, K.S.**, ^Spencer, J., & ^Harris, K. *Staying together after infidelity: A phenomenological exploration of common factors of resilience from the perspective of the injured partner*. [Manuscript in preparation]. Couple and Family Therapy Department, Adler University.

**Brown, K.S.**, & ^Brown, T.W. *Tattoos in academia: Prevalence and prejudice in higher education across the United States*. [Manuscript in preparation]. Couple and Family Therapy Department, Adler University.

**Brown, K.S.** #metoophd: *Institutional response to the reporting of sexual harassment and consequences to the perpetrator*. [Manuscript in preparation]. Couple and Family Therapy Department, Adler University.

**Brown, K.S.** #metoophd: *Gender and status of respondent, survivor and the harasser*. [Manuscript in preparation]. Couple and Family Therapy Department, Adler University.

**Brown, K.S.** & Brown, R. T. *Working with families with children with special needs*. [Manuscript in preparation].

## Book Chapters in Preparation

**Brown, K.S.** (2023). Shifting ethics across the career arc. In **K.S. Brown** (Ed.) *American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Systemic Ethics Textbook* (pp. xxx-xxx) [Chapter in preparation]. AAMFT.

## Encyclopedia Entries

- ^Roach, K. & **Brown, K.S.** (in press). American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy. In Hartenstein, J.L. (Ed.), *Marriage and Divorce in America: Issues, Trends, and Controversies*. Santa Barbara, California: ABC-CLIO, Inc.
- ^Chapman, M. & **Brown, K.S.** (2018). Research in relational science. In J. Lebow, A. Chambers., & D. Breunlin (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Couple and Family Therapy*. New York: Springer.  
[https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-15877-8\\_138-1](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-15877-8_138-1)
- ^Miller, R. & **Brown, K.S.** (2018). Post-divorce families in couple and family therapy. In J. Lebow, A. Chambers., & D. Breunlin (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Couple and Family Therapy*. New York: Springer.  
[https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-15877-8\\_494-1](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-15877-8_494-1)
- ^Ashley, J. & **Brown, K.S.** (2016). Abortion, US attitudes to. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc.  
<https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs179>
- ^Malousek, J., ^Colburn-Malousek, L. & **Brown, K.S.** (2016). Child abuse in the United States. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc.  
<https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs244>
- ^Olmer, R. & **Brown, K.S.** (2016). Childlessness, Involuntary. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc.  
<https://doi.org/10.100/9781119085621.wbefs131>
- ^Rougeaux-Burnes, G., Spray, B. & **Brown, K.S.** (2016). Co-habitation, nonmarital. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc.  
<https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs152>
- ^Faller, A. & **Brown, K.S.** (2016). Collateral family. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc.  
<https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs372>
- ^Oakes, K. & **Brown, K.S.** (2016). Commuter marriages. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc.  
<https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs036>
- Brown, K.S.** (2016). Coupledness. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. <https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs364>

- ^Jeffries, C., ^Poppy, A., ^Halpin, J., & **Brown, K.S.** (2016). Couples' counseling. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. <https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs383>
- ^Olmer, R. & **Brown, K.S.** (2016). Divorce mediation in the United States. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. <https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs033>
- ^Porta, N. & **Brown, K.S.** (2016). Family cohesion. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. <https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs034>
- Brown, K.S.**, ^Janousek, T., & ^Ashley, J. (2016). Family counseling. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. <https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs408>
- Brown, K.S.** & ^Rubens, M. (2016). Family lineage. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. <https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs373>
- Brown, K.S.** (2016). Germany, Families in. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. <https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs169>
- ^Faller, A. & **Brown, K.S.** (2016). Joint family structure. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. <https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs371>
- ^Oakes, K. & **Brown, K.S.** (2016). Long-distance relationships. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. <https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs037>
- ^Porta, N. & **Brown, K.S.** (2016). Marital success. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. <https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs035>
- Brown, K.S.** (2016). Marriage counseling in the United States. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. <https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs265>
- Brown, K.S.** (2016). Menopause. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. <https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs064>
- ^Olmer, S. & **Brown, K.S.** (2016). Native American families. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. <https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs264>
- Brown, K.S.** & ^Halpin, J. (2016). Separation, Marital. In C. L. Shehan (Ed.), *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. <https://doi.org/10.1002/9781119085621.wbefs278>

## Book Reviews

**Brown, K.S.** (2012). Book review: They can't find anything wrong! 7 keys to understanding, treating, and healing stress illness. *Families, Systems, & Health*, 30 (2), 187-188.  
<https://doi.org/10.1037/a0028137>

## Other Publications

**Brown, K.S.** (2023, March). *Moving in with your partner? Talking about these 3 things first can smooth the way, according to a couples therapist.* The Conversation.  
<https://theconversation.com/moving-in-with-your-partner-talking-about-these-3-things-first-can-smooth-the-way-according-to-a-couples-therapist-194226>

**Brown, K.S.** (2014, February). Your relationship to-do list: Tips to keep your love alive. *Missouri Autism Report*. Philadelphia, PA: Jessica Kingsley Publishers.

**Brown, K.S.** (2011-2014). *What's on your nightstand?* Column in the bi-monthly newsletter for the Ozark Chapter of the Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapists.

- March 2014 – *Age of Miracles* by Karen Thompson Walker
- November 2013 – Authors Stephen White, Jennifer Weiner, Barbara Delinsky, Torey Hayden, Cecilia Ahern, and Lucky by Alice Sebold
- September 2013 – *Asked MFTs Across the United States*
- May 2012 – *Fifty Shades of ... Bossypants*
- March 2012 – *A Man and His Mother: An Adopted Son's Search* by Tim Green and *Already Home: A Novel* by Susan Mallery
- January 2012 – *Room: A Novel* by Emily Donoghue, *How to Bake a Perfect Life* by Barbara O'Neal, *Privileged Information* by Stephen White, and *Kill Me* by Stephen White
- November 2011 – *A Secret Between Us* by Barbara Delinsky

**Brown, K.S.** (2011, August). *Helping Couples with Medically Fragile Children: Tips for MRE Practitioners.* Tip Sheet for the National Healthy Marriage Resource Center  
<http://www.healthymarriageinfo.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/12/MedicallyFragileChildren.pdf>.

**Brown, K.S.** (2011, February). *Mental Health and Marriage Relationship Education: What's the Connection?* Tip Sheet for the National Healthy Marriage Resource Center  
<https://www.healthymarriageinfo.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/12/MentalHealthMRE.pdf>.

**Brown, K.S.** (2010, November). *In Sickness and in Health: Couples Fighting Cancer Together.* Tip Sheet for the National Healthy Marriage Resource Center  
<http://www.healthymarriageinfo.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/12/InSicknessandHealth.pdf>.

**Brown, K.S.** (2010, November). *Helping Couples Cope with Cancer: Tips for an MRE Practitioner.* Tip Sheet for the National Healthy Marriage Resource Center  
<https://www.healthymarriageinfo.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/12/HelpingCouplesCope1.pdf>.



**Brown, K.S.** (2003, May/June). Ten Things I Learned About Applying for my Doctorate. In **K.S. Brown & L. Nieto** (Eds.), *San Diego Therapist: San Diego Chapter of California Association of Marriage and Family Therapists*. (pp. 12-13). San Diego, CA: CAMFT-San Diego.

**Brown, K.S.** (2003, February). Intern Outlook: The Balancing Act. In **K.S. Brown & L. Nieto** (Eds.), *San Diego Therapist: San Diego Chapter of California Association of Marriage and Family Therapists*. (p. 7). San Diego, CA: CAMFT-San Diego.

**Brown, K.S.** (2003, January). Intern Outlook: Balancing Work and Family. In **K.S. Brown & L. Nieto** (Eds.), *San Diego Therapist: San Diego Chapter of California Association of Marriage and Family Therapists*. (p. 6). San Diego, CA: CAMFT-San Diego.

### HONORS & AWARDS

<i>Family Relations</i> Top Cited Article published in an issue between January 1, 2021 to December 15, 2022. <i>Academic Women and Their Children: Parenting During Covid-19 and the Impact on Engagement in Scholarship</i> . By S. Bender, K.S. Brown, ^D. Kasitz, & ^O. Vega	2023
SSTAR's Best Conceptual Poster Award for <i>Chasing the Two-Headed Dragon: Using BDSM to Manage Endometriosis Pain</i> . By K.S. Brown, L. Iverson, & "Cari"	2021
2020 Excellence in Teaching Award, Adler University	2020
Greene County Teen Court – Honoree for Family Communication Workshop Greene County Courts, Springfield, MO	2015
Recipient of the 2014 Distinguished Service Award for Education from the Missouri Association for Marriage & Family Therapy (MOAMFT)	2014
Recipient of the President's Award from The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute	2014
<i>Springfield Business Journal's</i> Class of 2013, 40 Under 40	2013
Honored as Faculty Toast of Forest, Summer 2009	2009
Nominated as Supervisor of the Year, 2008-2009	2009

### GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

<b>The Walter J. and Edith E. Best Foundation Grant</b> Received \$5000 in funding Internal Instructional Internship for PhD in CFT Program	2018
<b>Adler University 2016 SEED Grant Program</b> Received \$1100 in funding Three Research Assistants for project, <i>Exploring the Utility of the Consensus Rorschach</i>	2016

- Family Process New Writer's Fellowship** 2014  
San Francisco, California
- Family Communication Workshop Services, Robert J. Murney Clinic** 2011-2015  
Up to \$4500 in funding per year  
Greene County Teen Court (also listed under service to the community)
- Department of Marriage and Family Therapy**  
**The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO**  
Project Manager, Child Welfare Training Grant 2007 – 2008  
Principal Investigator – Jennifer L. Baker, PsyD, LMFT
- Project manager of a five-year \$1.2 million U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Administration for Children and Families to develop and deliver a curriculum to train child welfare professionals, Head Start Family Advocates, and marriage and family therapy and social work students about the benefits of healthy marriage and family formation to child well-being
  - Coordinate all aspects of implementing a curriculum consisting of eleven modules; *Healthy Marriage and Your Community, Marriage and Family Concerns for Immigrants, Fragile Families and Environmental Issues, Promoting Father Involvement, Grandparents Raising Grandchildren, Stepfamily Dynamics and Supporting Programs, Relationship Education for Singles, Handling the Challenge of Infidelity, Substance Abuse and Intimate Relationships, Domestic Violence and Intimate Relationships, Pre-Marital/Marital Education and Mentoring*
  - Coordinate all aspects of the 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Building the Foundation for Healthy Marriage and Family Formation Annual Fall Conferences in September 2007 and 2008
  - Manage a staff of five including three graduate assistants
  - Train Forest MFT Students, Missouri State Social Work students, Child Welfare Professionals, and Head Start workers, and community members in the Child Welfare Curriculum across thirteen counties in Southwest Missouri
  - Authored semi-annual and final grant reports in Oct 2007, March 2008, Oct 2008, & Dec 2008

#### REFEREED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- ^Lange, R., & **Brown, K.S.** (2023, May). *Let's Talk About Size Diversity within Intimate Relationships*. Presentation at Adler's 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Multifaceted Themes of Diversity Conference, Virtual.
- Brown, K.S.** (2023, March). *Using Music in Therapy with Relationships, Families, and Individuals*. Presentation at the International Family Therapy Association 2023 Conference in Malaga, Spain.
- Brown, K.S.**, ^Morrow, C., & ^Schmidt, B. (2022, November). *Pre-cohabitation Conversations for Relationships*. Presentation at Illinois Affiliation of Marriage and Family Therapists 2022 Annual Conference in Naperville, IL. (1.25 hours)
- Brown, K.S.** (2022, October). *The Essentials of Dyadic Interviewing in Qualitative Research*. Presentation at AAMFT Intervention Research in Systemic Family Therapy Annual Conference in East Lansing, Michigan. (1.25 hours)

- Harris, S., McWey, L., & **Brown, K.S.** (2022, October). *Publishing Your Research*. Invited Panelist at AAMFT Intervention Research in Systemic Family Therapy Annual Conference in East Lansing, Michigan. (1.25 hours)
- Brown, K.S.** (2022, April). *Pre-cohabitation Conversations for Relationships*. Presentation at the International Family Therapy Association 2022 Conference in San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- Diamond, R., & **Brown, K.S.** (2021, November). *Mental Health Impacts of COVID-19 on the Perinatal Period*. Presentation at the Illinois Affiliation of Marriage and Family Therapists 2021 Annual Conference, Virtual. (1.25 hours)
- Brown, K.S.** (2021, November). *U.S. and International Perspectives of Ways Families Have Been Affected by and Adjusted to the Covid-19 Pandemic*. Invited Discussant by the Family and Health and Family Therapy Sections, National Council of Family Relations 2021 Annual Conference, Virtual. (1.5 hours)
- Brown, K.S.** (2020, November). *MFT in the Age of COVID: Research on the Effects of the Pandemic on Families*. Invited Panel Presentation Participant at the Illinois Affiliation of Marriage and Family Therapists 2020 Annual Conference, Virtual.
- Brown, K.S.**, & LaBrot, B. (2020, October). *Bringing Mental Health to the Ngäbe in Bocas del Toro, Panama through Floating Doctors*. Podcast Presentation at Collaborative Family Healthcare Association Annual Conference, Virtual.
- Brown, K.S.**, & ^Iverson, L. (2020, April). *Using BDSM for Pain Management of a Pain Disorder: A Clinical Case Report of Endometriosis*. Virtual presentation at the Society for Sex Therapy and Research 2020 Annual Meeting in Chicago, IL. (Conference cancelled due to coronavirus; declined alternative virtual conference)
- ^Londergan, K., Bluvshstein, M., & **Brown, K.S.** (2020, April). *Transgender Families: Incorporating the Adlerian Family Constellation into the Genogram*. Presentation at the Illinois Affiliation of Marriage and Family Therapists 2020 Annual Conference in Naperville, IL. (Conference cancelled due to coronavirus.)
- Brown, K.S.** (2020, March). *Providing Mental Health Consultations as a Volunteer with Floating Doctors in Panama*. Presentation at the International Family Therapy Association 2020 Conference in Basel, Switzerland. (Conference cancelled by Swiss government due to coronavirus)
- Brown, K.S.** (2020, March). *Using BDSM for Pain Management of a Pain Disorder: A Clinical Case Report of Endometriosis*. Presentation at the International Family Therapy Association 2020 Conference in Basel, Switzerland. (Conference cancelled by Swiss government due to coronavirus)
- Brown, K.S.** (2019, April). *Creativity with Couples and Families: Using Music in Therapy*. Presentation at the Illinois Affiliation of Marriage and Family Therapists 2019 Annual Conference, Naperville, IL.

- Brown, K.S.** (2018, November) *#metoophd: Too Close for Comfort* as part of the symposium presentation, *The #Metoo Movement: Implications for Prevention and Treatment of Sexual Abuse and Harassment*, with Baptist, J., Hust, S., Murphy, M., & Rodgers, K. at National Council for Family Relations, San Diego, CA.
- Brown, K.S.** (2018, September). *Dyspareunia Due to Endometriosis: A Qualitative Study of its Effect on the Couple Relationship*. Presentation at Qualitative Research in Mental Health Conference, Berlin, Germany.
- Brown, K.S.**, Harvey, R., Miller, B., & Williams-Read, J. (2018, September). *Reflections and Recommendations on Collaborative Feminist Qualitative Research*. Presentation at Qualitative Research in Mental Health Conference, Berlin, Germany.
- Brown, K.S.**, ^Makunzva, E., ^Parker, M., & ^Salas, C. (2018). *Impact of Working with Divorce on Therapists: A Panel Discussion Focusing on Self-of-the-Therapist and Self-Care*. Presentation at the Illinois Affiliation of Marriage and Family Therapists 2018 Annual Conference, Naperville, IL.
- Jimenez, M., Chow, T., & **Brown, K.S.** (2017, October). *Cross-Departmental Collaboration Among Chairs: Interprofessionalism in the Curriculum*. Presentation at the Leadership in Higher Education Conference, Baltimore, MD.
- Brown, K.S.** (2017, July). *The Utilization of the Consensus Rorschach with Couples*. Oral communication at the Congress of the International Society of Rorschach and Projective Methods, Paris, France.
- Miller, B., **Brown, K.S.**, Harvey, R., Williams-Read, J. & Murphy, M. (2017, June). *Creating a Feminist Research Team via Distance*. Presentation at American Family Therapy Association's 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting & Conference, Philadelphia, PA.
- Brown, K.S.** (2017, April). *Why Facebook is Bad and Sexting is Good for Couples*. Presentation at the Illinois Association of Marriage and Family Therapy 2017 Annual Conference, Naperville, IL.
- Brown, K.S.** (2016, March). *Technology and Love: Why Facebook is Bad and Sexting is Good*. Presentation at the Illinois Association of Marriage and Family Therapy 2016 Annual Conference. (Accepted, but unable to present due to presenter emergency.)
- Brown, K.S.**, & ^Janousek, T. (2015, September). *The Utilization of the Consensus Rorschach with Couples*. American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy 2015 Annual Conference, Austin, TX.
- ^Janousek, T., & **Brown, K.S.** (2015, April). *The Utilization of the Consensus Rorschach with Couples*. Presentation at the Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapy 2015 Annual Conference, Warrensburg, MO.
- Petinelli, D., & **Brown, K.S.** (2015, April). *Understanding Self of the Therapist as the Cornerstone of the Therapeutic Process*. Presentation at the Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapy 2015 Annual Conference, Warrensburg, MO.

- Brown, K.S.,** ^Upton, M., & ^Carwile, T. (2015, April). *Grief and Guilt in Families of Capital Punishment Inmates*. Presentation at the Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapy 2015 Annual Conference, Warrensburg, MO. (Accepted, but unable to present due to emergencies for second and third presenters.)
- ^Carwile, T., ^Upton, M., & **Brown, K.S.** (2015, April). *Death and Dying: Where Missouri Inmates Stand at Execution*. Mental Health in Corrections Conference: Leadership Solutions in a Time of Change, Springfield, MO.
- ^Upton, M., ^Carwile, T., & **Brown, K.S.** (2015, March). *In their own words: A qualitative exploration of Missouri's capital punishment inmate's feelings on life, death, and execution*. 2015 American Psychology -Law Society (Division 41 of the American Psychology Association) Conference, San Diego, CA. (Only lead author attends)
- Brown, K.S.,** & Brown, R. T. (2014, October). *Working with Families with Children with Special Needs*. Missouri School Counselors Association Annual Conference, Osage Beach, MO.
- ^Patterson, A., & **Brown, K.S.** (2012, April). *Working with Individuals with a Disability and their Caregivers*. Presentation at the Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapy 2012 Annual Conference, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2011, April). *Technology and Love: Why Facebook is Bad and Sexting is Good*. Presentation at Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapy 2011 Annual Conference, St. Louis, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2010, October). *How Having a Chronic Illness Made Me a Better Medical Consumer*. Presentation at the Collaborative Family Healthcare Association 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Louisville, KY.
- Brown, K.S.,** & Downie, T. (2010, September). *Sexting: Sex & Texting in 2010*. Presentation at the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Building the Foundation for Healthy Marriage and Family Formation Fall Conference Relationship Education in Rural Communities, Springfield, MO.
- ^Krueger, K.S., & **Brown, K.S.** (2010, April). *Assessing Couple Intimacy Using the Consensus Rorschach and Intimacy Status Interview*. Presentation at the Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapy 2010 Annual Conference, Kansas City, MO.
- Brown, K.S.,** & ^Noirfalise, B. (2009, September). *"When I Think About Leaving": The Effects of Divorce on Families in Rural Communities*. Presentation at the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Building the Foundation for Healthy Marriage and Family Formation Fall Conference Relationship Education in Rural Communities, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.,** & ^Ray, A. (2009, March). *Marriage & Family Therapists Providing Home-based Family Therapy: A Perfect Fit*. Presentation at the Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapy 2009 Annual Conference, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.,** & Kessler, L. (2009, March). *Licensure and Ethics Seminar for MO Marriage & Family Therapists*. Presentation at the Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapy 2009 Annual Conference, Springfield, MO.

**Brown, K.S.** (2008, November). *Chronic Illness and the Couple's Intimate Relationship*. Presentation at 2008 Annual American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Memphis, TN.

**Brown, K.S.,** Calhoun, D., ^Anderson, D. & ^Larson, A. (2008, September). *Child Welfare Facilitator Training*. Presentation at the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Building the Foundation for Healthy Marriage and Family Formation Fall Conference, Springfield, MO.

Baker, J. & **Brown, K.S.** (2008, September). *Taking it to the Streets: Implementing a Grant Curriculum*. Presentation at the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Building the Foundation for Healthy Marriage and Family Formation Fall Conference, Springfield, MO.

Baker, J., **Brown, K.S.** & Fallone, M. (2008, September). *About the Child Welfare Training Grant at Forest Institute*. Presentation at the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Building the Foundation for Healthy Marriage and Family Formation Fall Conference, Springfield, MO.

**Brown, K.S.** (2008, March). *Chronic Illness and the Effect on a Couple's Intimate Relationship*. Presentation at the Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapy Annual 2008 Spring Conference, St. Louis, MO.

**Brown, K.S.,** ^Finch, K.S., ^Poe, D., ^Krueger, K.S., & ^Ray, A. (2008, March). *The Use of Creative Application in Teaching Ethics to Marriage and Family Therapists*. Presentation at the Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapy 2008 Annual Spring Conference, St. Louis, MO.

Baker, J. & **Brown, K.S.** (2008, March). *Taking it to the Streets: Implementing a Grant Curriculum*. Presentation at the Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapy 2008 Annual Spring Conference, St. Louis, MO.

#### REFEREED CONFERENCE POSTER PRESENTATIONS

**Brown, K.S.** (2021, June). *Using BDSM to Manage Endometriosis Pain: A Clinical Case Study*. Poster Presentation at the American Association of Sexuality Educators, Counselors, and Therapists 53<sup>rd</sup> Annual Conference, Virtual. (Second presenter did not present but contributed to poster.)

**Brown, K.S.,** & ^Iverson, L. (2021, April). *Chasing the Two-Headed Dragon: Using BDSM to Manage Endometriosis Pain*. Poster Presentation at the Society for Sex Therapy and Research, Virtual. (Second presenter did not present but contributed to poster.)  
\* Received "SSTAR's Best Conceptual Poster Award" (also listed under Honors & Awards)

**Brown, K.S.,** & ^Iverson, L. (2021, March). *Chasing the Two-Headed Dragon: Using BDSM to Manage Endometriosis Pain*. Poster Presentation at the International Society for the Study of Women's Sexual Health, Virtual. (Second presenter did not present but contributed to poster.)

**Brown, K.S.** (2021, March). *EndoCouples: Working with Couples Struggling with Painful Sex Due to Endometriosis*. Poster Presentation at the International Society for the Study of Women's Sexual Health, Virtual.

- ^Chapman, M. & **Brown, K.S.** (2020, October). *Assessing the Mental Health Needs in Indigenous Ngäbe Communities in Bocas Del Toro, Panama*. Poster Presentation at the Collaborative Family Healthcare Association Annual Conference, Virtual.
- Brown, K.S.**, & ^Iverson, L. (2020, October). *Using BDSM to Manage Endometriosis Pain: A Clinical Case Report*. Poster Presentation at the Collaborative Family Healthcare Association Annual Conference, Virtual.
- Brown, K.S.** (2020, October). *Studying Abroad with Couple and Family Therapy Students as a Medical Family Therapy Learning Experience: Floating Doctor in Bocas del Toro, Panama*. Poster Presentation at the Collaborative Family Healthcare Association Annual Conference, Virtual.
- ^Chapman, M. & **Brown, K.S.** (2020, June). *Academia Abroad: Highlighting Dynamics of Mental Health and Research in Panama*. Poster Presentation at the American Family Therapy Academic Annual Meeting and Open Conference in Alexandria, VA. (Conference cancelled by AFTA due to coronavirus)
- Brown, K.S.** (2020, June). *Using BDSM to Manage Endometriosis Pain: A Clinical Case Study*. Poster Presentation at the American Association of Sexuality Educators, Counselors, and Therapists 52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference in Palm Springs, CA. (Conference cancelled due to coronavirus)
- ^Chapman, M. & **Brown, K.S.** (2020, April). *Assessing the Mental Health Needs in Indigenous Ngäbe Communities in Bocas Del Toro, Panama*. Poster Presentation at the Illinois Affiliation for Marriage and Family Therapy in Naperville, IL. (Conference cancelled due to coronavirus)
- ^O'Leary, T. & **Brown, K.S.** (2020, April). *Family Transition: Becoming a Two-Home Family*. Poster Presentation at the Illinois Affiliation for Marriage and Family Therapy in Naperville, IL. (Conference cancelled due to coronavirus)
- Brown, K.S.** & ^Washington, K., ^Wyatt, H., ^Roach, K., ^Filmer, M., & ^Penrod, J. (2020, April). *Sex Therapy and Couple and Family Therapy: More Than a One-Night Stand*. Poster Presentation at the Society for Sex Therapy and Research 2020 Annual Meeting in Chicago, IL. (Conference cancelled due to coronavirus; declined alternative virtual conference)
- Brown, K.S.** (2020, March). *#metoomft: Why Are We Not Talking About Sexual Harassment in Family Therapy Training*. Poster Presentation at the International Family Therapy Association 2020 Conference in Basel, Switzerland. (Conference cancelled by Swiss government due to coronavirus)
- ^O'Leary, T. & **Brown, K.S.** (2020, March). *Family Transition: Becoming a Two-Home Family*. Poster Presentation at the International Family Therapy Association 2020 Conference in Basel, Switzerland. (Conference cancelled by Swiss government due to coronavirus)
- ^Chapman, M. & **Brown, K.S.** (2020, March). *Assessing the Mental Health Needs in Indigenous Ngäbe Communities in Bocas Del Toro, Panama*. Poster Presentation at the International Family Therapy Association 2020 Conference in Basel, Switzerland. (Conference cancelled by Swiss government due to coronavirus)

- Brown, K.S.** (2017, June). *Exploring the Utilization of the Consensus Rorschach with Couples*. Poster Presentation at American Family Therapy Association Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA.
- Brown, K.S.** (2017, March). *Exploring the Utilization of the Consensus Rorschach with Couples*. Poster presented at the 2017 Society for Personality Assessment Annual Convention, San Francisco, CA.
- ^Wigginton, K.S. & **Brown, K.S.** (2011, October). *Exposure: A Qualitative Study of an Online Diversity Forum*. Poster session presented at the 11th Annual Diversity Challenge: Intersections of Race or Ethnic Culture with Gender or Sexual Orientation, Boston, Massachusetts.
- Brown, K.S.** (2009, October). *Chronic Illness and the Couple Relationship*. Poster session presented at the Collaborative Family Healthcare Association 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, San Diego, CA.
- ^Courtney, R. & **Brown, K.S.** (2009, March). *The Resilience of a Family System Following a Tragedy: How One Family Survived*. Poster session presented at the Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapy 2009 Annual Conference, Springfield, MO.
- ^Townsend, H. & **Brown, K.S.** (2009, March). *Marriage and Family Therapy and Complementary and Alternative Medicine: A New Direction in Integrative Healthcare*. Poster session presented at the Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapy 2009 Annual Conference, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2008, November). *Chronic Illness and the Couple's Intimate Relationship*. Poster session presented at Collaborative Family Healthcare Association 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Denver, CO.
- ^Townsend, H. & **Brown, K.S.** (2008, November). *Marriage and Family Therapy and Complementary and Alternative Medicine: A New Direction in Integrative Healthcare*. Poster session presented at the Collaborative Family Healthcare Association 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Denver, CO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2008, March). *Dyspareunia Due to Endometriosis: A Qualitative Study of Its Impact on the Couple Relationship*. Poster session presented at the 10<sup>th</sup> World Congress on Endometriosis, Melbourne, Australia.

#### PROVISION OF CONTINUING EDUCATION UNITS

- Brown, K.S.** (2015, June). *Creative Therapy Interventions for Clients with Developmental Disabilities* (7 CE) through the Benchmarks at Burrell, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** & Brown, R.T. (2015, May). *Working with Families with a Child with Special Needs* (3 CE) through the Benchmarks at Burrell, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.**, & ^Ashley, J. (2014, May). *Strategic Family Therapy* (3 CE) through Benchmarks at Burrell and Fridays at Forest: Professional Training Workshops at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.**, & ^Binder, L. (2014, March). *Enhanced Family Therapy: Video and Music* (3 CE) through Benchmarks at Burrell and Fridays at Forest: Professional Training Workshops at Burrell Behavioral Health, Springfield, MO.



- Brown, K.S.** (2014, February). *Working with Resistance in Therapy with Couples and Families* (3 CE) through Benchmarks at Burrell and Fridays at Forest: Professional Training Workshops at Burrell Behavioral Health, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2014, January). *Creativity in Family Therapy* (7 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2013, October). *Infidelity* (3 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The Robert J. Murney Clinic at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2013, August). *Creativity in Family Therapy* (7 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The Robert J. Murney Clinic at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S. & Whitaker, B.** (2013, June). *The Basics of John Gottman* (3 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The Robert J. Murney Clinic at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2013, March). *The Wonder of "I wonder . . .": Couples Therapy with One Person in the Room* (2 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The Robert J. Murney Clinic at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2013, March). *More Play in Family Therapy: Family Sculpt, Build-a-House, & Video Play Therapy* (3 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The Robert J. Murney Clinic at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2013, March). *Technology in Couple Relationships: Why Facebook is Bad and Sexting is Good* (2 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2013, February). *The Basics of Home-Based Therapy* (2 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2012, June). *Creativity in Family Therapy: Art, Music and Play* (6 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2012, February). *Music in Family Therapy* (2 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2012, February). *Art in Family Therapy* (2 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- <sup>^</sup>Ward, C., <sup>^</sup>Ruffin, T. & **Brown, K.S.** (2011, December). *Mindfulness in Therapy* (2 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2011, December). *Play in Family Therapy* (2 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.

- Brown, K.S. & Brown, R.T.** (2011, July). *Working with Families with a Child with Special Needs* (2 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S. & Ward, C.** (2010, December). *Video Play Therapy*. Continuing Education provided (1 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2010, November). *Sexting & Teenagers*. Continuing Education provided (1 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2010, October). *Getting Unstuck in Therapy*. Continuing Education provided (1 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2010, August). *Therapeutic Strategies for Working with Teenagers*. Continuing Education provided (2 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, St. Louis, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2010, July). *Sexting: Sex & Texting in 2010*. Continuing Education provided (3 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2010, July). *The Impact of Facebook on Relationships*. Continuing Education provided (1 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2010, June). *Couples Therapy with Only One Person in the Room*. Continuing Education provided (1 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2010, May). *Therapeutic Strategies for Working with Teenagers*. Continuing Education provided (1 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at College Skyline Center, LLC, Joplin, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2010, March). *Therapeutic Strategies for Working with Teenagers*. Continuing Education provided (1 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S. & Noirfalise, B.** (2010, February). *"When I Think About Leaving": The Effects of Divorce on Families*. Continuing Education provided (1 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2009, July). *Anticipatory Fear in a Couple's Sexual Relationship*. Continuing Education provided (1 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.

**Brown, K.S.** (2009, July). *An Overview of Home-Based Therapy*. Continuing Education provided (1 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.

**Brown, K.S.** (2009, June). *Endometriosis: Working with Women and Couples*. Continuing Education provided (3 CEs) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.

**Brown, K.S.** (2008, December). *Chronic Illness and the Couple's Intimate Relationship*. Continuing Education provided (1 CE) through the Center for Professional Solutions at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.

#### **OTHER ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE**

##### **Capella University, School of Counseling and Human Services**

Adjunct Instructor (Courses are listed under Teaching Experience)	2015-2018
Break Supervision Coverage, Fall 2016, Fall 2017	
Comp Exam Reader, Fall 2015	

##### **Fielding Graduate University**

Consultant, Subject Matter Expert	2017
Developed an online Master of Arts in Marriage and Family Therapy meeting the Professional Marriage and Family Therapy Principles for accreditation by the COAMFTE including the AAMFT Core Competencies©; AMFTRB Examination Domains, Task Statements, and Knowledge Statements; AAMFT Code of Ethics; and licensure standards for California, Texas, and the District of Columbia	

##### **Wright Institute**

Adjunct Faculty, Dissertation Chair	2015-2018
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##### **William James College**

Adjunct Faculty, Dissertation Committee Member	2015-2016
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##### **Drury University, College of Continuing Professional Studies**

Adjunct Instructor (Courses are listed under Teaching Experience)	2015
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##### **Missouri State University, Department of Social Work**

Guest Instructor	2008
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##### **Syracuse University, Department of Marriage and Family Therapy**

Co-Instructor, Marriage & Family Therapy Theory Techniques, Linda Stone Fish, PhD	2006
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##### **Syracuse University, Department of Child and Family Studies**

Teaching Assistant, Human Sexuality, Joseph P. Fanelli, PhD, LMFT	2004-2005
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## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**Adler University, Chicago, IL**

2015-present

**Couple and Family Therapy Department, Core Faculty**

Recipient of Excellence in Teaching Award, 2020 (also listed under Honors and Awards)

MCFT-505	Professional Development, Issues, and Ethics	FA15-FA21
MCFT-510	Professional Development Seminar	FA17-FA23
MCFT-512	CFT Professional Identity Seminar II	SU17-SU23
MCFT-513	Professional Development Seminar III	SU17
MCFT-515	Practicum Continuation	FA16
MCFT-600	CFT Professional Identity and Practicum Seminar	SU18, SU19
MCFT-601	CFT Practicum and Practicum Seminar A	SU20, SU21, SU23
MCFT-603	CFT Practicum and Practicum Seminar I	FA18
MCFT-604	CFT Practicum and Practicum Seminar II	SP19
MCFT-606	CFT Practicum and Practicum Seminar Continuation	SU23
MCFT-655	Couples Therapy: Theories and Techniques	SP19, SP20, SP21
MCFT-789	Creative Interventions in Family Therapy	SU16, SU17
CFTD-681	Feminist Family Therapy	FA21
CFTD-701	Couple and Family Therapy Ethics	FA17-FA21
CFTD-703	CFT Practicum – Clinical Practicum and Seminar I	SP16
CFTD-704	CFT Practicum – Clinical Practicum and Seminar II	SU17
CFTD-705	CFT Practicum – Clinical Practicum and Seminar III	SU21
CFTD-722	Advanced Couples Therapy	SP16
CFTD-724	Advanced Family Therapy with Children and Adolescents	SP16, FA17
CFTD-750	Professional Development Seminar I	FA16-FA23
CFTD-789	Creative Interventions in Family Therapy	SU16, SU17, SU23
CFTD-790	Professional Development Seminar II	SU18-SU23
CFTD-805	Divorce	SP18, SP21, FA22
CFTD-807	Infidelity	SU18, FA19, SU21 (2 sections)
CFTD-863	Clinical Risk Management: Suicide in Couples and Families	SU19
CFTD-870	International Immersion and Cross-Cultural Studies	SU19 – Panama
CFTD-875	Dissertation Prep Seminar	SU17, SP18, FA18, SU20-SU23

**The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO**

2007-2015

**Marriage and Family Therapy Programs, Core Faculty**

MFT-533	Family Intervention	WI08, FA10
MFT-5341	Research Seminar in MFT	SU07, FA09, FA10, FA11, FA12
MFT-609	Ethics, Legal, & Professional Issues in MFT	FA07, FA08, FA09, FA13, FA14
MFT-610	Specific Interventions in Couple Therapy	FA08, FA09, FA10, FA11, FA12, FA13, FA14, FA15
MFT-628	Adult Development	SP09, SP11, SU12, SU13, SU15
MFT-862	Specific Interventions in Family Therapy	SP08, SP09, SP10, SP11, SP12, SP13, SP14
MACL-504	Relationship & Interview	SP15
MACL-525	Human Diversity	FA14
MACP-507	Human Diversity	SP15
PSY-525	Human Diversity	FA10, FA11
PSY-9061	Qualitative Research	SU11
PSY-5251	DIPI Seminar: Women's Issues	SP12, SU12
PSY-5251	DIPI Seminar: Families & Divorce	SU12

<b>Capella University, School of Counseling and Human Services,</b>	Adjunct Instructor	2015-2018
COUN-5220	Introduction to Marriage and Family Therapy	FA15,
COUN-5222	Professional Ethics in MFT/Counseling	SU15, FA15, WI16, FA16, SP17, WI18
COUN-5273	Couple and Marital Therapy	SP19
COUN-5876	Methods of Family Research	SU17
COUN-5604	Family Law and Ethics	SP17

<b>Drury University, College of Continuing Professional Studies,</b>	Adjunct Instructor	2015
PSYC-199	Marriage and the Family	SP15
PSYC-367	Family Therapy	SU15

#### ACADEMIC ASSISTANTSHIPS

##### **Department of Marriage and Family Therapy, Syracuse University, NY**

Research Assistant, Professor Mona Mittal, PhD 2003-2004

- \$5000 research grant on Training Experiences of International Doctoral Students in MFT

##### **Department of Marriage and Family Therapy, University of San Diego, CA**

Graduate Assistant, Professor JoEllen Patterson, PhD 1998

- Library research, editing, and computer transcription for *Essential Skills in Family Therapy: From the First Interview to Termination* by Drs. JoEllen Patterson, Lee Williams, Claudia Grauf-Grounds, and Larry Chamow.

#### SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

##### **American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy**

- AAMFT Elections Council, 2018-2021
- Host, Doctoral Educators' Summit at the 2018 AAMFT Annual Conference
- 2008, 2010, 2012 Annual Conference Abstract Reviewer

##### **Commission on Accreditation of Marriage and Family Therapy Education (COAMFTE) Site Visitor**

- Member of COAMFTE Accreditation Training Task Force
- Site Visit Chair: Fall 2017, Fall 2018, Spring 2022
- Site Visit Chair-in-Training: Spring 2016
- Site Visit Team Member: Spring 2014, Fall 2014, Spring 2015, Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Fall 2017

##### **British Columbia's Degree Quality Assessment Board (DQAB) Secretariat, Expert Reviewer**

- Expert Review Panel: Summer 2023
- Chair, Expert Review Panel: Fall 2019

**Illinois Affiliation of Marriage and Family Therapists** 2018-

**Illinois Association of Marriage and Family Therapists** 2015-2018

- Director, Board Member, 2016-2018
- Host, IAMFT Futures Conference at Adler University, 2016 & 2018

**Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapists** 2007-2015  
 - Annual Conference Chair, 2009 & 2012  
 - Education Committee, 2008-2012 (Committee Chair in 2008-2009)

**Marriage and Family Therapy Missouri Educator's Roundtable** 2014  
 - Representative, Jefferson City, MO – April 11, 2014

**Ozark Chapter of the Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapists** 2007-2015  
 - President-Elect, 2014-2015  
 - Secretary, 2013-2014  
 - Secretary/Treasurer, 2010-2013  
 - Newsletter Editor, 2011-2015 (also listed in scholarly service to the profession)

**San Diego Chapter of the California Association of Marriage and Family Therapists** 1997-2003  
 - Newsletter Editor, 2002-2003 (also listed in scholarly service to the profession)

**Brown, K.S., & Martinez, E.** (2023, May). *Moving Passion to Publication*. Invited speaker at the 2023 AASECT Annual Conference Spirit Week, Virtual.

Matowe, D., **Brown, K.S.**, Osbourne-Williams, R.C., Rolovic, S., & Francis, S. (2021, February). *Understanding the Social Determinants of Health and Covid19 Response for Family Systems moderated by Dr. Gameela Samarisinghe and Dr. Laurie L Charlés*. Invited Guest Panelist on Panel XIII of the Citizen Diplomacy Action Fund Global Family Systems & Psychosocial Resilience Grant Project, Virtual.

**Brown, K.S.** (2019, November). *Advancing your degree: Research and doctoral pursuits*. Roundtable leader at Illinois Affiliation of Marriage and Family Therapists 2019 Futures Conference, Evanston, IL.

**Brown, K.S.** (2018, November). *Entering Academia*. Guest speaker and Host of the Illinois Affiliation of Marriage and Family Therapists 2018 Futures Conference at Adler University, Chicago, IL.

**Brown, K.S.** (2016, November). *Post-Master's Decisions: Job versus PhD*. Guest speaker and Host of the Illinois Affiliation of Marriage and Family Therapists 2018 Futures Conference at Adler University, Chicago, IL.

#### SCHOLARLY SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

**Editor-in-Chief** 2021-present  
*Journal of Feminist Family Therapy* (Taylor & Francis)

**Editor** 2019-present  
*AAMFT Systemic Ethics Textbook* (Alexandria, Virginia: AAMFT)

**Guest Editor** 2019-2020  
*Journal of Feminist Family Therapy*  
 Special Volume (five issues): Women's Health  
 2000, Issue I & II, Reproductive Health and Sexual Health

2000, Issue III & IV, Gender and Health  
2021, Issue I, Women and Cancer

#### **Associate Editor**

2018

*Encyclopedia of Couple and Family Therapy* (New York: Springer)

#### **Newsletter Editor**

*Ozark Chapter of Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapists Newsletter* 2011-2015

*San Diego Chapter of CA Association of Marriage and Family Therapists Newsletter* 2002-2003

#### **Member of Editorial Board**

- *Contemporary Family Therapy*, 2019-
- *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy*, 2018-2020

#### **Reviewer**

- *Clinical Medical Journal*
- *Contemporary Family Therapy*
- *Frontiers in Psychology*, section Health Psychology
- *International Journal of Qualitative Methods*
- *Journal of Family Issues*
- *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy*
- *Journal of Rural Mental Health*
- *OMEGA - Journal of Death and Dying*
- *Qualitative Health Research*
- Springer Publishing Company (textbook proposal review)
- Routledge (Taylor & Francis Group)

**Brown, K.S.** (2023, April). *Publishing in Peer-Reviewed Journals: Tips from an Editor-in-Chief*. Workshop for the Postdoctoral Fellowship Program at The Center for Applied Psychological and Family Studies at Northwestern University, Chicago, IL.

Boutelier, S., **Brown, K.S.**, Guta, H.A., ^Lambrechts, A.A., Leonoqicz-Bukala, I., ^Martinez-Suarez, A., & Prashad, S., (2021, February). *Gendered Academic Productivity During COVID-19: A Multicultural, Multilingual, Multidisciplinary Conversation*. Virtual panel presentation as part of the Chelsey Lecture Series at Aquinas College.

**Brown, K.S.** (2020, May). *#metoomft: Exploration of Experiences of Sexual Harassment in COAMFTE-accredited Family Therapy Training Programs*. MFT Doctoral Research Rounds, Virtual Presentation.

**Brown, K.S.** (2020, May). *Using BDSM for Pain Management of a Pain Disorder: A Clinical Case Report of Endometriosis*. Guest presentation in HPC 6710: Human Sexuality, Marriage and Family Therapy Program, Appalachian State University.

American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy. (2018). *Competencies for family therapists working in healthcare settings*. Retrieved from [www.aamft.org/healthcare](http://www.aamft.org/healthcare). Contributing member of the team of family therapists developing competencies for the emerging field of Medical Family Therapy.

**National Council on Family Relations 2018 Annual Conference**

Poster Judge

**Delta Kappa International Marriage and Family Therapy Honor Society**

(also listed in Service to the University)

2012-present

Charter Member and Faculty Advisor for the Alpha Beta Chapter, Adler University, 2017-

Charter Member and Faculty Advisor for the Eta Chapter, Forest Institute, 2012-2015

**Brown, K.S.** (2010, October). *Chronic Illness and the Couple's Intimate Relationship*. Discussion Group Leader at the Collaborative Family Healthcare Association 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Louisville, KY.

**SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY****Adler University, Chicago, IL**

2015-present

Search Committee, Executive Dean of the Chicago Campus (2023)

Chair, Faculty Welfare Committee (2022-present)

Faculty Welfare Committee (2021-2022)

Research Task Force (2016-present)

Chair, CFT Admissions Committee (2015-present)

Association of CFT Student Group, Faculty Sponsor (2018-2019, 2021-2022)

Adler Society of Sexology Student Group, Faculty Sponsor (2019-present)

Chicago COVID Response Task Force (2022)

Chicago (COVID) Reopening Task Force (2021)

Rank, Promotion, and Sabbatical Committee (2020-2021)

Medical Family Therapy Student Group, Faculty Sponsor (2019-2020)

Seed Grant Committee Reviewer (2019-2020)

Writing Retreat (Hosted; July 2019)

Endometriosis Awareness Month (March 2019)

Chair, Certificate in Sex Therapy Certificate Manager Search Committee (2021-present)

Chair, CFT Core Faculty Search Committee (2022)

Chair, CFT Core Faculty Search Committee (2019)

Chair, CFT Clinical Training Director Search Committee (2018-2019)

Assessment (SLOAP) Faculty Committee (2018-2019)

Common Book Committee (2018 – 2020)

Supervision and Management Excellence (2017-2020)

Couple &amp; Family Therapy Showcase (Hosted; October 14, 2017)

#StayAtHomeonSeptember26 #BlackLivesMatter (September 26, 2016)

Delta Kappa, International MFT Honor Society, Charter Member &amp; Chapter Advisor (2017-2019)

New Academic Program Development Committee (2015-2018)

**Social Justice Practicum Supervisor***Journal of Feminist Family Therapy* (1 student, 2020-21; 2 students, 2021-2022)

Floating Doctors (2 students, 2019-2020; 1 student, 2020-21; 1 student, 2021-2022)

Infidelity in Black and African American Communities (1 student, 2021-2022)

#metoophd: Sexual Harassment in Academia (1 student, 2018-19; 2 students, 2019-2020; 1 student 2021-2022)

COVID Gendered Academic Productivity (2 students, 2020-21)



Infidelity (1 student; 2019-2020)

Women Faculty in COAMFTE-Accredited Programs (2 students, 2017-18; 1 student, 2018-19)

**Brown, K.S., & Manis, A.** (2022, June). *Publishing in Peer-Reviewed Journals: Tips from Two Editors-in-Chief*. Workshop for the Center for Learning and Teaching, Adler University, Chicago, IL.

**Brown, K.S.,** ^Swallow, C., Cabrera, M., ^Thomison, S., Beckenbach, J., & ^Barrington, M. (2022, February). *Ph.D. Program Highlights: Chicago and Online Campuses*. Presentation to the Academic Affairs Committee of the Adler University Board of Trustees, Chicago, IL.

**Brown, K.S.,** ^Pechous, E., Cabrera, M., ^Thomison, S., Beckenbach, J., & ^Barrington, M. (2022, February). *Ph.D. Program Highlights: Chicago and Online Campuses*. Presentation to the Adler University Board of Trustees, Chicago, IL.

**Brown, K.S.,** Boutelier, S., Guta, H.A., Lambrechts, A.A., Leonoqicz-Bukala, I., ^Martinez-Suarez, A., & Prashad, S. (2021, May). *Gendered Academic Productivity for Faculty and Graduate Student Scholars during the Pandemic*. Virtual Common Hour, Adler University, Chicago, IL.

**Brown, K.S.,** ^Caddell, H., ^Harris, K., & ^Pechous, E. (2021, April). *Nurturing Our Relational Mental Health in 2021*. Virtual Admissions Webinar, Adler University, Chicago, IL.

**Brown, K.S.** (2020, November). *Publishing in Peer-Reviewed Journals: Tips from an Editor*. Workshop for the Center for Learning and Teaching, Adler University, Chicago, IL.

**Brown, K.S.** (2020, April). *Trapped at Home with Your Kids? Dynamics of Parenting in a COVID-19 World*. Virtual Admissions Webinar, Adler University, Chicago, IL.

**Brown, K.S.** (2020, April). *Trapped at Home with Your Partner? How to Strengthen Relationships During Isolation*. Virtual Admissions Webinar, Adler University, Chicago, IL.

^Moore, H. & **Brown, K.S.** (2020, April). *#metoo: Using Art with Clients and for Therapist Self-Care*. Virtual Common Hour, Adler University, Chicago, IL.

Diamond, R., **Brown, K.S.,** Fisher, L., ^Salas, C., & ^Zaikova, A. (2020, February). *Medical Family Therapy Panel Discussion and Q&A*. Adler University, Chicago, IL.

**Brown, K.S.** (2020, February). *Couple and Family Therapy Study Abroad Course: Providing Mental Health Consultations with Floating Doctors in Bocas del Toro, Panama*. Poster Presentation for Adler University Impact Showcase, Chicago, IL.

**Brown, K.S.** (2020, February). *More Than a One-Night Stand: Launching a Certificate in Sex Therapy in the Couple and Family Therapy Department*. Poster Presentation for Adler University Impact Showcase, Chicago, IL.

- ^Nieves, N. & **Brown, K.S.** (2018, May). *Bringing Delta Kappa, the International Marriage and Family Therapy Honor Society, to Adler University*. Adler University Board of Trustees Poster Fair, Chicago, IL.
- Brown, K.S.** & ^Ramirez, M. (2019, September). *Sharing Our Experiences in Panama: Couple and Family Therapy Students Volunteer with Floating Doctors*. Common Hour, Adler University, Chicago, IL.
- Bluvshstein, M., **Brown, K.S.**, Fletcher, T., Hall, C., Hanna, F., & Henning, J. (2019, June). *Research and Publishing Roundtable*. Invited panel presentation at the 2019 Annual Adler Research and Scholarship Symposium, Chicago, IL.
- Dr. Brown's** Endometriosis Research Team. (2019, March). *Screening of Endo What?* Adler University, Chicago, IL.
- Brown, K.S.**, ^Iverson, L. & ^Bisserar, T. (2019, March). *Endometriosis*. Common Hour, Adler University, Chicago, IL.
- Brown, K.S.** & Brown, R. T. (2019, February). *Working with Families with Children with Special Needs*. Seventh Annual Adler Abilities Symposium, Adler University, Chicago, IL.
- ^Nieves, N. & **Brown, K.S.** (2018, May). *Bringing Delta Kappa, the International Marriage and Family Therapy Honor Society, to Adler University*. Adler University Board of Trustees Poster Fair, Chicago, IL.
- ^Miller, R. & **Brown, K.S.** (2017, November). *PhD in Couple and Family Therapy: From an MCFT Alumni Perspective*. Webinar presentation for Adler University, Chicago, IL.
- Brown, K.S.** (2017, April). *Exploring the Utilization of the Consensus Rorschach with Couples*. Poster presented at the 2018 Annual Adler University Research Symposium, Chicago, IL (invited presentation but did not attend due to illness).
- Brown, K.S.** (2016, November). *Relationships 101: Couples Therapy and Social Media*. Webinar presentation for Adler University, Chicago, IL.
- ^Martinez Aguilar, N., ^Mercado Sanchez, N., ^Zaikova, A., ^Kearns, K., & **Brown, K.S.** & Ramirez, M. (2016, March). *Couples Therapy Issues: Divorce, Bereavement, Technology, & Love*. Common Hour, Adler University, Chicago, IL.
- Brown, K.S.** (2016, January). *Relationships and Technology: From Facebook to Sexting*. Webinar presentation for Adler University, Chicago, IL.

**The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO**

2007-2015

- Research Faculty Task Force (2014)
- Faculty Council, Secretary (2013-2014)
- Curriculum Committee, Chair (2013-2014)
- Continuing Education Advisory Committee (2012-2015)
- Doctoral Project Defense Task Force, Chair (2011)

Delta Kappa, International MFT Honor Society, Charter Member & Chapter Advisor (2011-2015)  
 Student Retention Task Force (2010)  
 Doctoral Project Task Force (2010)  
 Faculty Development Committee, Secretary (2009-2010)  
 Clinical Training Committee (2009-2015)  
 Social Committee, Chair (2008-2013)  
 Sex Therapy Student Group, Faculty Sponsor (2008-2013)  
 Coordinator of Diversity in Practicum and Internship Training (2008-2011)  
 Medical Family Therapy Student Group (CFH), Faculty Sponsor (2008-2015)  
 Diversity Committee (2007-2012)

**Brown, K.S.** (2013, October). *The Role of Social Media in Your Relationship: Why Facebook is Bad for Your Relationship and Sexting is Good*. Webinar presentation for The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.

**Brown, K.S.** & Downie, T. (2011, February). *Sexting: Sex & Texting in 2011*. Presentation to the Child and Adolescent Psychology Student Group (CAPS) Lunch and Learn, Springfield, MO.

**Brown, K.S.** (2008, August). *A Step-by-Step Approach to Qualitative Research*. Presentation as part of Forest Institute Research Education Seminars (F.I.R.E.S) series at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.

**Brown, K.S.** (2007, May). *The Role of Pain in Couples with Dyspareunia due to Endometriosis*. Presentation at The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.

**Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY**, Doctoral Student

2003-2007

**Child Weight Management Program, Syracuse University & State University of New York, NY**

Marriage and Family Therapist, Behavior Specialist

2004

Provided psychoeducation and behavior modification strategies based on the Committed-to-Kids and Mindful Eating programs to overweight children and their parents as part of a joint grant in the College of Human Services and Health Professions of Syracuse University (also listed under clinical experience)

**Brown, K.S.** (2004, October). *Friendships: Implications for Personal Decision-Making and Coping with Sexual Violence*. Invited presenter and group discussion leader for members of the Syracuse University Panhellenic Council and Greek Community, Syracuse, NY.

**Brown, K.S.** (2006, October). *If It Walks Like a Duck: Mandated Reporting*. Invited guest speaker for MFT 681: Ethical, Professional, and Legal Issues in Marriage and Family Therapy. Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY.

**Brown, K.S.** (2006, May). *Assessments Used in the Better Beginnings Program*. Invited guest speaker in MFT 683: Assessment in MFT. Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY.

**Brown, K.S.** (2003, November). *Professional Issues*. Invited guest panelist for MFT 681: MFT Ethical, Professional and Legal Issues, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY.

**University of San Diego, San Diego, California, Master's Student** 1996-1999

**Brown, K.S.** (2002, October). *Why Marriage and Family Therapy?* Invited guest panelist for MFT-100: Intro to Marriage and Family Therapy, University of San Diego, San Diego, CA.

### SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

**Floating Doctors** (floatingdoctors.com) 2018 – present  
Board Member, Director of Mental Health, 2020 –  
Volunteer Mental Health Consultant on site (July 28, 2019 – August 9, 2019)

**Sidewalk Talks** (Chicago) 2017 - present  
Hosted Event at Navy Pier, June 2018

**Project Linus Charities** 1999 – present  
Co-ordinate events to create blankets for donation, 2009 – present  
Personal donations – San Diego, CA; Syracuse, NY; Springfield, MO; Chicago, IL

**Ronald McDonald House Charities** 2011 – 2015  
Developed mental health support to residents through practicum experiences and supervision. Springfield, MO, 2011-2015

**Springfield, Missouri Pridefest** 2014  
Hosted Booth at Annual Pridefest

**Ozarks Marriage Matters, Missouri** 2008-2010  
Board Member

**Red Wagon Kids, Springfield, Missouri** 2008  
Board Member, Health Committee

**Robert J. Murney Clinic at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO** 2008-2015

- Created curriculum and served as supervisor of *Family Communication Workshop* for Greene County Teen Court, Robert J. Murney Clinic
- Supervising External Practicum Placement, Ronald McDonald House Charities (Cox and Mercy locations) of Springfield, MO
- Endometriosis & You: A Therapeutic Support Group for Women
- Supervising Provision of Psychoeducation Presentations to students in Family and Consumer Science Classes in the Springfield School District (also listed under supervision experience)
- Supervised *Parenting and Autism Workshop* presented by Kailey Patton and Ryan Duckworth (March 23, 2013)

**Child Welfare Training Grant** 2007-2008  
Board Member, Project Manager

**Syracuse University RAPE Center, Syracuse, NY** 2004-2005  
Rape Advocate, On-Call

- Provided twenty-four-hour phone support to the hotline

- Accompanied victims as they went to the emergency room after a sexual assault

### Community Presentations

- Brown, K.S.,** Brown, R.T., Brown, T.W., & Brown, K.L. (2021, February). *Wholehearted Family: Cultivating Healthy Family and Sibling Relationships that Prosper in the Future*. Invited presentation with South Loop Moms "Monday Night (Virtual) Moms" Series, Chicago, IL.
- Brown, K.S.** (2019, December). *Sharing Our Experiences in Panama: Volunteering with Floating Doctors*. Michigan Avenue Lofts Speaker Series, Chicago, IL.
- Brown, K.S.** (2018, November). *Entering Academia as Supervisor? Adjunct Faculty? Getting a PhD?: Shape the Learning and Training of Future LMFTs*. Presentation at the Illinois Affiliation of Marriage and Family Therapists 2018 Futures Conference, Chicago, IL.
- Brown, K.S.** (2017, November). *How to Choose a Gift for a Loved One*. Michigan Avenue Lofts Speaker Series, Chicago, IL.
- Brown, K.S.** & Brown, R. T. (2016, May). *Working with Families with Children with Special Needs*. Presentation to Heart of America Psychology Training Consortium, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2015, June). *Women's Issues in Mental Health*. Presentation to Heart of America Psychology Training Consortium, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** & Brown, R. T. (2015, April). *Working with Families with Children with Special Needs*. Presentation to Heart of America Psychology Training Consortium, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2014, September). *What You Need to Know about Couple and Family Therapists*. Invited presentation to first year medical students, Joplin, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** & Cerio, E. (2014, June). *Creativity in Therapy: Using the Family Floor Plan and Family Sculpt*. Invited Presentation at The Hidden Impact Conference: Impact of Addiction on the Family System, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** & Brown, R. T. (2014, August). *Working with Families with Children with Special Needs*. Presentation to Heart of America Psychology Training Consortium, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** & Brown, R. T. (2013, May). *Working with Families with Children with Special Needs*. Presentation to Heart of America Psychology Training Consortium, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2013, April). *The Basics of Home-Based Therapy*. Presentation to Heart of America Psychology Training Consortium, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2012, October). *Women's Issues in Mental Health*. Presentation to Heart of America Psychology Training Consortium, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.,** (2011, September). *Couples and Endometriosis*. Workshop through The Women's Center at Cox Health, Springfield, MO.

- Brown, K.S.**, (2011, July). *Endometriosis and You*. Workshop through The Women's Center at Cox Health, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.**, (2011, May). *Endometriosis and You*. Workshop through The Women's Center at Cox Health, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.**, (2011, May). *Endometriosis and You*. Workshop through The Robert J. Murney Clinic, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.**, (2010, March). *Endometriosis Lunch & Learn*. Panel Presentation through The Women's Center at Cox Health, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.**, (2010, April). *Women's Midlife: It's Not a Crisis*. Panel Presentation through The Women's Center at Cox Health, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.**, (2010, March). *Endometriosis Lunch & Learn*. Panel Presentation through The Women's Center at Cox Health, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.**, (2009). *Communication*. Invited presentation as part of the Safety and Health Achievement Recognition Program (SHARP) of Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA), Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2009, July). *July Date Night: Keeping Your Relationship Fit*. Presentation through Ozarks Marriage Matters, Springfield, MO.
- Antle, B., Sar, B., Christensen, D., Alford, K.S., Lawrence, C., Baker, J., Metsger, L. & **Brown, K.S.** (2008, August). *National Child Welfare Resource Center for Organizational Improvement (NRCOI) Teleconference Program: Building Healthy Relationships for Child Protection*.
- Building Healthy Relationships for Child Protection*. (August 28, 2008). National Child Welfare Resource Center for Organizational Improvement (NRCOI) Teleconference Program with Alford, K., Antle, B., Baker, J., **Brown, K.S.**, Christensen, D., Lawrence, C., Metsger, L. and Sar, B.
- Brown, K.S.** (2008, April). *Internet Safety*. Invited guest panelist for Internet Safety Night with Ron Carrier, Chief Counsel, Southwest Regional Office, Missouri Attorney General's Office, Curt Gaddis, Group Security Specialist specializing in identity theft protection, Pre-Paid Legal Services, and Corporal John Henderson, Computer Forensic Examiner, Springfield Police Department, and Glenna Weis, PhD, Robert J. Murney Clinic, Forest Institute, with Featured Speaker, James E. Finch, Assistant Director, FBI, Cyber Division, Springfield, MO.
- Brown, K.S.** (2007, April). *What Does Mental Illness Look Like?* Training for Parent Aide Program of Catholic Charities, Syracuse, NY.
- Weldum, J. & **Brown, K.S.** (2007, March). *Treating Postpartum Depression*. Presentation to the Central NY Chapter of AAMFT Member Luncheon, Syracuse, NY.

**Brown, K.S.** (2006, June – 2007, June). *Doing Therapy with Children and Adolescents, Ages 0 – 18*. Series of presentations to the Intern Program of the Family Division of Catholic Charities of Onondaga County, Syracuse, NY.

**Brown, K.S.** (2006, October). *Cinematherapy: The Use of Movies in Therapy*. Presentation to the Family Division of Catholic Charities of Onondaga County, Syracuse, NY.

**Brown, K.S.** (1998-1999). *Marriage with Children; Breastfeeding; Parenting*. Invited presentations & discussion leader for Parent Ed Program at Mary Birch Hospital for Women, San Diego, CA.

### **Speaking Engagements**

*Careers in Marriage and Family Therapy*, December 2, 2014  
Missouri State University, *Families in Later Life*, Springfield, MO.

*Career Paths in Mental and Behavioral Healthcare*, November 11, 2014  
The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.

*Career Paths in Mental and Behavioral Healthcare*, October 1, 2013  
The School of Professional Psychology at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO.

*Careers in Mental Health*, September 30, 2013  
Glendale High School, *Advanced Placement Psychology*, Springfield, MO.

*Sexting: The Good, The Bad, and The Ugly*, June 13, 2013  
Southeast Rotary Board Meeting, Springfield, MO.

### **CLINICAL EXPERIENCE**

#### **Private Practice, Midwest Assessment (MAPS), Springfield, MO**

Marriage and Family Therapist 2012-2016

- Couple, Family, and Individual Therapy specializing in Medical Family Therapy
- Supervision of Marital and Family Therapists (S-MFTs and PLMFTs)

#### **Private Practice, Robert J. Murney Clinic at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO**

Marriage and Family Therapist 2008-2012

- Individual, Couple, and Family Therapy specializing Medical Family Therapy
- *Family Communication Workshop*, Greene County Teen Court, 2011-2012
- *Endometriosis & You*, The Women's Center at Cox Health, May & July 2009

#### **Private Practice, Liverpool, NY**

Marriage and Family Therapist 2006-2007

- Individual, Couple, and Family Therapy

#### **Catholic Charities of Onondaga County, Family Division, Syracuse, NY**

Marriage and Family Therapist, Better Beginnings Program 2005-2007

- Provided in-home therapy for parents with a mental health diagnosis and their children under 5
- Co-led a support group for pregnant women with a mental health diagnosis

**Catholic Charities of Onondaga County, Family Division, Syracuse, NY**

Marriage and Family Therapist, Counseling Program 2005-2006

- Provided individual, couple, and family therapy to a diverse population of clients in a community mental health and social service agency
- Annulment counseling to premarital couples in the Catholic Diocese

**Child Weight Management Program, Syracuse University & State University of New York, NY**

Marriage and Family Therapist, Behavior Specialist 2004

- Provided psychoeducation and behavior modification strategies based on the Committed-to-Kids and Mindful Eating programs to overweight children and their parents as part of a joint grant in the College of Human Services and Health Professions of Syracuse University

**Goldberg Couple and Family Therapy Center, Syracuse University, NY**

Marriage and Family Therapist 2003-2005

- Provided individual, couple, and family therapy to a diverse population of clients with a variety of presenting problems

**Health Services at Mesa Community College, San Diego, CA**

Marriage and Family Therapy Intern (CA MFT Intern #41800) 2002-2003

- Provided individual and couples therapy to students and employees

**Sharp Vista Pacifica Chemical Dependency Hospital, San Diego, CA**

Marriage and Family Therapy Trainee 1998-1999

- Provided individual, couple, and family therapy
- Facilitated therapy and psycho-education groups for the patients and their families
- Worked collaboratively with a psychiatrist and the nursing staff

**SUPERVISION EXPERIENCE****Adler University, Couple and Family Therapy Department, Chicago, IL**

2016-present

AAMFT Approved Supervisor

- Supervising masters and doctoral level students in Couple and Family Therapy in both weekly group and individual supervision

**Missouri Approved Marital and Family Therapy Supervisor**

2011-2015

AAMFT Approved Supervisor and MO Approved Supervisor

- Supervising Supervised-Marital and Family Therapists (S-MFT) and Provisionally Licensed Marital and Family Therapists (PLMFT) towards licensure in the state of MO
- Past supervisees include (alphabetically) Leslie Binder, LMFT (2014-2015), Andi Kyle (2014), Brandi Noirfalise, PsyD (2012), Ruth Olmer, PsyD, LMFT (2012-2014), Kailey Patton, LMFT (2013), Jeremiah Penrod, S-MFT (2013-2014), Amanda Riggins, LMFT (2013-2014), Sara Ruth, LMFT (2013-2015), and Brittany Whitaker, PMFT (2012-2014)

**Robert J. Murney Clinic at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO**

2008-2015

AAMFT Approved Supervisor

- Supervising Masters and Post Graduate Certificate students in Marriage and Family Therapy students and Clinical Psychology students in both weekly group and individual supervision



- Created curriculum and served as supervisor of *Family Communication Workshop* for Greene County Teen Court, Robert J. Murney Clinic
- Supervising *Chronic Illness in Families Group*, Robert J. Murney Clinic
- Supervising External Placement, Ronald McDonald House Charities (Cox & Mercy)
- Supervising Provision of Psychoeducation Presentations to students in Family and Consumer Science Classes in the Springfield School District
- Nominated for Supervisor of the Year 2008-2009

**Catholic Charities, Syracuse, NY**

2005-2007

AAMFT Supervisor Candidate

- Supervising Masters-level Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy, and Counseling students from Syracuse University including reflecting teams

**Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY**

2004-2005

AAMFT Supervisor Candidate

- Supervising Masters-level Marriage and Family Therapy students
- Co-facilitated and mentored master's level Marriage and Family Therapists implementing a Couple's Enrichment Program

**IN THE MEDIA**

How Endometriosis Affects Your Sex Life in Vitals by Daye by Izzie Price. (March 15, 2023)

Contributing expert. (<https://yourdaye.com/vitals/womens-health/endometriosis-sex-life-womenshealth-pain/>)

Guest on *Beyond the Professoriate* (August 2020)

<https://beyondprof.com/>

Guest on *Revise & Resubmit Podcast* (August 2020) with Dr. Cameron Brown, Texas Tech

[https://www.listennotes.com/podcasts/revise-and-resubmit/eighth-submission-with-dr-4LMtKhCN5\\_W/](https://www.listennotes.com/podcasts/revise-and-resubmit/eighth-submission-with-dr-4LMtKhCN5_W/)

*What to do if your sister-in-law is complaining about her husband – your brother*, Christen A. Johnson, February 22, 2019, Chicago Tribune, Chicago, IL ([https://www.chicagotribune.com/lifestyles/sc-fam-social-graces-sister-in-law-venting-about-brother-0226-story.html?int=lat\\_digitaladshouse\\_bx-modal\\_acquisition-subscriber\\_ngux\\_display-ad-interstitial\\_bx-bonus-story](https://www.chicagotribune.com/lifestyles/sc-fam-social-graces-sister-in-law-venting-about-brother-0226-story.html?int=lat_digitaladshouse_bx-modal_acquisition-subscriber_ngux_display-ad-interstitial_bx-bonus-story))

*Family Dynamics During the Holidays*, The 21<sup>st</sup>, Host Niala Boodhoo, November 20, 2108, IL Public Media, Chicago, IL

*Myths and Misconceptions on Domestic Violence*, Guest of Kevin & Liz, September 30, 2014, Clear Channel Radio, Springfield, MO

*Public Affairs Interview with Kevin & Liz*, April 20, 2014, Clear Channel Radio, Springfield, MO (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dzUZhspVg6o>)

*Technology and Dating*, February 14, 2014, KOLR10, Springfield, MO

*Relationship Tips*, February 12, 2014, KOLR10 News This Morning, Springfield, MO

*Therapist Explains Facebooks' Influence on Relationships*, May 23, 2013, KOLR10, Springfield, MO

*Top 5 Issues Couples Face*, February 13, 2013, KOLR10 News This Morning, Springfield, MO

*Business on the Spot Interview with Mark Hill*, August 29, 2012, KICK1340am, Springfield, MO

*Marriage and Family Therapy Program Welcomes New Director*, Fall 2010, Forest Institute Alumni News

*Addiction to Smartphones*, October 11, 2011, KOLR10, Springfield, MO

### **SPECIAL TRAININGS ATTENDED**

*Social Justice Pedagogy* presented by Cheryl R. Richardson, PhD. Adler University, Chicago, IL, October 12, 2022 (Part 1; 1.5 hours), January (Part 2; 1.5 hours), and March (Part 3, 1.5 hours).

*COAMFTE Accreditation Workshop – Implementing Innovation with Standards Version 12.5*. Presented by COAMFTE. Virtual, September 16, 2022 (4.25 hours).

*Implementation Science for Systemic Family Therapists*. Presented by Alicia Bunger, PhD. AAMFT Online Continuing Education (2 CEs)

*Increasing Rigor in Qualitative Research in Systemic Family Therapy*. Presented by Jason Whiting. AAMFT TIN, Intervention Research in Systemic Family Therapy. Virtual, September 17, 2021 (2 CEs).

*Survive the Peer Review – How to Identify and Correct Common Pitfalls in Your Manuscript Before Submission*. Presented by He Xio, Wendy Middlemiss, and Joseph G. Grzywacz. National Council on Family Relations (NCFR). Virtual, June 30, 2021 (3 CEs).

*At Home with Maurizio Andolfi*. American Association for Marriage and Family Therapists (AAMFT). At Home Series, May 7, 2021 (1 CE).

*The Essentials of Playing for Keeps: Compassionate Love Practice* presented by Dr. Josiane Bonté Apollon, PhD, LMHC, American Association for Marriage and Family Therapists (AAMFT) Black History Month Series, The Black Family: Representation, Identity and Diversity. Virtual, February 19, 2021 (1 CE).

*Parenting in the Digital Age with Alyson Schafer*. Center for Adlerian Practice and Scholarship. Virtual, December 4, 2020 (1 hour).

*Anti-Blackness* presented by David Shih, PhD. Adler University, Chicago, IL. November 10, 2020 (2 CEs).

*Knowing Your Own Value in the Academy: Self-Advocacy, Time Management and Saying No* presented by Karen Kelsky, PhD. The Professor is In. Virtual Webinar, October 2, 2020 (2 hours).

*Diversity Workshop* presented by Dr. Cadmona Hall, LMFT. Illinois Affiliation of Marriage and Family Therapists & Marriage and Family Counseling Service of Rock Island, IL, July 22, 2020 (1.5 CEs).

*The Persistence of Implicit Bias and the Role of Campus Environment* presented by David Shih, PhD. Adler University, Chicago, IL, June 23, 2020 (1.5 hours).

*Managing Difficult Conversations* presented by Cheryl R. Richardson, PhD. Adler University, Chicago, IL, June 2, 2020 (2 hours).

*Love, Loss, & Resilience in the Time of Corona* presented by Dr. Froma Walsh, MSW. American Association for Marriage and Family Therapists (AAMFT), At Home Series, May 22, 2020 (1 CE).

*Workflows for Behavioral Health in Primary Care- Adjusting Care Delivery During the COVID-19 Pandemic* presented by Julie Oyemaja, PsyD, Patti Robinson, PhD, Neftali Serrano, PsyD, Bridget Beachy, PsyD, David Bauman, PsyD, Elizabeth Zeidler Schreiter, PsyD, Kristin Garcia, PsyD, and Laura Fisk, PsyD. Collaborative Family Healthcare Association (CFHA), May 13, 2020 (1 hour).

*Taking Care of Your Most Important Relationships – Challenges and Opportunities in the Time of Corona* presented by Dr. Sue Johnson. American Association for Marriage and Family Therapists (AAMFT), At Home Series, May 8, 2020 (1 CE).

*Sex Therapy Online: Clinical Tips from a Teletherapy Expert* presented by Natasha Helfer-Parker, LMFT, CST-S. The Buehler Institute, May 2, 2020 (1 hour).

*Person of the Therapist Model (POTT), Mastering the Use of Self* presented by Dr. Harry Aponte, MSW, LCSW, LMFT. American Association for Marriage and Family Therapists (AAMFT), At Home Series, April 17, 2020 (1 CE).

*Allyship in the Face of Hate: Responding to Anti-Semitism as a Campus Community* presented by Dr. Lara Trubowitz and Jonathan Mintzer, Esq. of the Anti-Defamation League (ADL). Adler University, Chicago, IL, October 29, 2019 (3 hours).

*Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI), Research Ethics and Compliance Training (Social and Behavioral Research)*. Adler University, Chicago, IL, Renewed 2019-2021.

*Come and Play: Introduction to Adlerian Play Therapy* presented by Terry Ann Kottman, PhD, LMHC, NCC, Adler University, Chicago, IL, May 4, 2018 (3 CEs).

*Leadership Academy for Department Chairs* presented by American Council on Education (ACE) Leadership in San Diego, CA, January 17-18, 2018.

*The Role of Family Therapist in the Treatment of Intimate Partner Violence* presented by Ninfa M Aguilar, LMFT as part of the CFT Showcase at Adler University, Chicago, IL, October 14, 2017 (1 CE).

*#BlackGirlMagic: Addressing the Mental Health Needs of Black Women* presented by Dr. Cadmona Hall as part of the CFT Showcase at Adler University, Chicago, IL, October 14, 2017 (1 CE).

*Facilitating “Difficult Dialogues” about Diversity and Equity in the Classroom* presented by Dr. Diane Goodman, Adler University, Chicago, IL, March 1, 2017 (3 CEs).

*YWCA Crisis Intervention Training*. Adler University, Chicago, IL, March 1, 2017.

*COAMFTE Accreditation Workshop* at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference. Presented by James Harper, Dan Lord, and Tanya Tamarkin in Indianapolis, IN, September 15, 2016.

*Creating Equitable and Inclusive Classrooms* presented by Dr. Diane Goodman, Adler University, Chicago, IL, June 14, 2016 (6 CEs).

*Discernment Counseling for Couples Considering Divorce*, AAMFT Conference Institute, Milwaukee, WI, October 15, 2014. (5 CEs)

*AAMFT Approved Supervisor Designation Refresher Course* at the Missouri Association for Marriage and Family Therapy – 2014 Annual Conference. Presented by Dr. Mary Pat Henehan, D. Min & Kimberly Haverly, LMPFT, LPC, RPT, CRAADC in St. Louis, MO, April 26, 2014.

*Trauma Informed Care: Working Together to Heal* by Dr. John Rolland at the Missouri Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference, Springfield, MO, April 25, 2014 (CEUs listed under Professional Conferences).

*Motivational Interviewing: Applying Skills to Everyday Practice* presented by Jennifer Bartlett, MA, LPC, NCC, at the Mental Health in Corrections Conference, Springfield, MO, April 11, 2014 (6 CEs).

*Developing a Model for Excellence in Diversity Management: A Diversity Dialogue* presented by Dr. Ken D. Coopwood, Vice President for Diversity and Multiculturalism at Missouri State University. Forest Institute, Springfield, MO, February 28, 2014 (1 hour).

*Darkness to Light: End Child Sex Abuse* presented by Junior League of Springfield, Ozarks Regional YMCA, Ozarks Health Advocacy Foundation and The Victim Center. Forest Institute, Springfield, MO, February 21, 2014 (2 hours).

*Clinical Supervision: Skills to Enhance Competencies* presented by Carol Falender, PhD at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO, October 11, 2013 (5 CEs).

*Evidence-Based Practice: Current Status and Applications in Psychological Treatment* presented by Thomas R. Kratochwill, PhD at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO, September 6, 2013 (5 hours).

*DSM-V: Changes and Implications for Clinical Practice* presented by Dr. Adam Andreassen at Heart of America Psychology Training Consortium, Springfield, MO, June 6, 2013 (3 CEs).

*Understanding the “I” in Therapist* presented by Dr. Harry Aponte at the Missouri Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference, Springfield, MO, April 26, 2013 (CEUs listed under Professional Conferences).

*Family Transformations* presented by Dr. Monica McGoldrick at the Missouri Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference, Springfield, MO, April 27, 2012 (CEUs listed under Professional Conferences).

*Working with Students Working with Latino/Latina Clients* presented by Miguel Gallardo, PhD at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO, September 29, 2011 (2 CEs).

*Engaging Adult Learners* presented by Pam Hankins at Forest, Springfield, MO, August 12, 2011 (3 CEs).

*18th Annual Medical Family Therapy Intensive* - Co-Directed by Susan H. McDaniel, PhD, & Pieter le Roux, D. Litt. et Phil., University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry, Strong Memorial Hospital, Department of Psychiatry - Family Therapy Training Program, Rochester, NY, June 13-17, 2011.

*Working with LGBT Clients* presented by Roger Worthington, PhD at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO, April 29, 2011 (3 CEs).

*Supervision with Students Working with LGBT Clients* presented by Roger Worthington, PhD at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO, April 28, 2011 (3 CEs).

*Working with Older Adults* presented by Bradley Fisher, PhD at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO, October 29, 2010 (4 CEs).

*Grant Writing Class* hosted by Grant Writing USA, Hosted by the Springfield Police Department in Springfield, MO, July 26-27, 2010 (16 hours).

*Unmasking Weight Bias and Thin Privilege and Developing Strategies for Responsible Embodiment* presented by Linda Bacon, PhD at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO, July 9, 2010 (3 CEs).

*Everyday Democracy: Facing Racism in a Diverse Nation - Study Circles Against Racism (SCAR) Facilitator Training* facilitated by Renae Courtney, MA at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO, April–May 2010.

*New Perspectives on Desire* presented by Dr. David Schnarch at the Missouri Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference, Springfield, MO, April 16, 2010 (CEUs listed under Professional Conferences).

*Difficult Dialogues: Promoting Pluralism and Academic Freedom on Campus* presented by Roger Worthington, PhD at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO, April 9, 2010 (6 CEs).

*The Browning of America: Implications for Counseling, Psychotherapy, and Psychological Training* presented by Joseph White, PhD at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO, January 29, 2010 (4 CEs).

*How Can I Forgive You?* presented by Janis Abrams-Spring at the Missouri Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference, Springfield, MO, April 27, 2009 (CEUs listed under Professional Conferences).

*Diversity Challenges: Knowledge, Understanding, Acceptance & Behavior* presented by Theresa Kearns-Cooper, Psy.D. at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO, January 24, 2009 (7 CEs).

*Transitioning from Intuitive Psychotherapy and Evidence-Based Practice to Practice Based Evidences & What is Meant by Empirically Supported Treatment and How We Can Be More Responsible Psychotherapists* presented by Michael J. Lambert, PhD at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO, December 5, 2008 (6 CEs).

*Primary Care Behavioral Health Certificate Program* presented by Alexander Blount, EdD, Department of

Family Medicine and Community Health, University of Massachusetts Medical School, Springfield, MO via videoconference, January 2008 – June 2008 (36 CEUs; also listed in certificates).

*Healthy Marriage and Family Formation Training* presented by Jennifer Baker, PsyD, LMFT, Springfield, MO, September 12, October 10, November 4, 2007 & January 9, & February 6, 2008 (18 CEs).

*APA Style and Format of Thesis, Clinical Dissertation, and Writing Assignments* presented by Beverly J. Spray, PhD, & Peter Jaberg, PhD at Forest Institute, Springfield, MO, February 8, 2008 (2 CEs).

*Ethics in Clinical Practice* presented by Stephen H. Behnke, JC, PhD, Director, Office of Ethics, American Psychological Association, Springfield, MO, September 7, 2007 (6 CEs).

*Within Our Reach by PREP® Facilitator Training* presented by Lief Noll, PhD & Lawrence Ramos, Springfield, MO, August 2007 (24 hours).

*PREP® (The Prevention and Relationship Enhancement Program) Instructor Training* presented by Jennifer Baker, PsyD, LMFT, Springfield, MO, July 2007 (18 hours).

*Child Welfare Training Grant Facilitator Training* presented by Jennifer Baker, PsyD, LMFT, Springfield, MO, July 2007.

*Healthy Marriages for Low-Income Families* presented by Francine Adler-Bader, Syracuse, NY, June 2007.

*Benefits and Employment in the Year 2006: Social Security, Supplemental Security Income, Medicare, and Medicaid* presented by Michael Walling, Syracuse, NY, November 2006.

*Filial Therapy: Strengthening Parent-Child Relationships Through Play* presented by Risë VanFleet, PhD, RPT-S, Syracuse, NY, June 2006.

*Parent Empowerment: Counseling Parents in Positive Child-Rearing Practices* presented by Douglas H. Ruben, PhD, Syracuse, NY, April 2005.

*11<sup>th</sup> Annual Case Management Networking Day: "Wellness Through Work"* presented by Maryan Pigya-Toms, Syracuse, NY, September 14, 2005 (7.5 CEs).

*The Drug Exposed Child: The Impact on Building Health Relationships* presented by Jude Swift & Diane Lowery, Hosted by The Children & Youth Committee of the Syracuse Area Domestic Violence Coalition, Syracuse, NY, March 2005.

*Divorce Mediation Training* presented by Roger Reid, MBA, MA, (Approved by the Association for Conflict Resolution), Syracuse University, NY, June 2004.

*Volunteer Advocate Training* - Rape Crisis Center of Syracuse, Syracuse University, NY, January 2004.

*Childcare Worker Training* – New Alternatives, San Diego, CA, January 31, 2000.

## PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES ATTENDED

### **American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy (AAMFT) Annual Conference**

Virtual, October 25-27, 2023  
 Virtual, November 9-11, 2022  
 Virtual, November 10-12, 2021  
 Virtual, November 12-13, 2020 (8 CEs)  
 Austin, Texas, August 29 – September 1, 2019 (10.5 CEs)  
     Doctoral Educators Summit (5 hours)  
 Louisville, Kentucky, November 14 - 18, 2018  
     Doctoral Educators Summit (5 hours)  
 Atlanta, Georgia, October 5-8, 2017 (3 CEs)  
     Doctoral Educators Summit (5 hours)  
 Indianapolis, Indiana, September 15-18, 2016 (13 CEs)  
     Conference Institutes – *Version 12 Accreditation Training* (5 hours)  
 Milwaukee, Wisconsin, October 15 – October 19, 2014 (23 CEUs including Conference Institute)  
 Portland, Oregon, October 16 – October 20, 2013 (11.5 CEs)  
 Memphis, Tennessee, October 30 – November 2, 2008 (12 CEs)  
 Long Beach, CA, October 11-14, 2007 (12.5 CEs)

### **International Family Therapy Association Annual Conference**

Malaga, Spain, March 30-April 1, 2023  
 San Juan, Puerto Rico, April 5-7, 2022  
 Virtual, March 26-27, 2021  
 Basel, Switzerland, March 10-12, 2020 (cancelled due to coronavirus)

### **Illinois Affiliation for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference** *(formerly Illinois Association for Marriage and Family Therapists)*

Sex in the Windy City, Chicago, IL, September 29-30, 2023  
 Naperville, IL, November 3-5, 2022 (12 CEs)  
 Virtual, November 13, 2021  
 Virtual, November 7, 2020  
 Naperville, IL, April 5-6, 2019 (13 CEs)  
 Naperville, IL, April 5-7, 2018 (12.75 CEs)  
 Naperville, IL, April 7-8, 2017 (5.25 CEs)

### **Intervention Research in Systemic Family Therapy Annual Conference**

East Lansing, Michigan, October 5-7, 2022 (13.5 CEs)

### **International Society for the Study of Women's Sexual Health Conference**

Virtual, March 5-7, 2021

### **American Association of Sexuality Educators, Counselors and Therapists (AASECT) Annual Conference**

San Francisco, California, June 7-11, 2023  
 Virtual, June 10-12, 2021  
 Palm Springs, California, June 4-7, 2020 (cancelled due to coronavirus)

**Society for Sex Therapy & Research (SSTAR) Annual Meetings**

Virtual, April 29 – May 2, 2021  
 Chicago, Illinois, April 23 – 26, 2020 (cancelled due to coronavirus)

**Collaborative Family Healthcare Association Annual Conference**

Virtual, October 7-10, 2020  
 Louisville, Kentucky, October 21-23, 2010  
 San Diego, CA, October 22-24, 2009  
 Denver, CO, November 6-8, 2008 (14.75 CEs)

**National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference**

San Diego, CA, November 7 -10, 2018

**7<sup>th</sup> Qualitative Research in Mental Health Conference**

Berlin, Germany, September 20-22, 2018

**Congress of the International Society of Rorschach and Projective Methods**

Paris, France, July 17-21, 2017

**American Family Therapy Association's 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting & Conference**

Philadelphia, PA, May 31 – June 17, 2017 (1.5 CEs)

**Missouri Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference**

Warrensburg, MO, April 25, 2015 (6 CEs)  
 St. Louis, MO, April 25-26, 2014 (12 CEs)  
 Columbia, MO, April 26-27, 2013 (11 CEs)  
 Springfield, MO, April 27-28, 2012 (11 CEs)  
 St. Louis, MO, April 9, 2011 (11 CEs)  
 Kansas City, MO, April 16-17, 2010 (11 CEs)  
 Springfield, MO, April 17-18, 2009 (11 CEs)  
 St. Louis, MO, March 29, 2008 (11 CEs)

**Building the Foundation for Healthy Marriage and Family Formation Fall Conference, Relationship Education in Rural Communities**

Springfield, MO, September 12, 2010  
 Springfield, MO, September 18, 2009  
 Springfield, MO, September 11-12, 2008 (9.5 CEs)  
 Ozark, MO, September 28, 2007 (4.35 CEs)

**2008 Children's Bureau Combined Discretionary Grantees Meeting**

Washington, DC, August 3-6, 2008

**10<sup>th</sup> World Congress on Endometriosis**

Melbourne, Australia, March 11-14, 2008

**Smart Marriages Annual Conference**

San Francisco, CA, July 2-5, 2008 (9.75 CEs)  
 Denver, CO, June 28 – July 2, 2007 (18.25 CEs)



### PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS & AFFILIATIONS

American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy (AAMFT) Clinical Member & AAMFT Approved Supervisor Intervention Research in Systemic Family Therapy, 2021-present Couples and Intimate Relationships, 2020-present Family Therapists in Healthcare, 2019-present Margins to Center: Cultural Connections among C/MFTs, 2020-present Queer and Trans Advocacy Network, 2019-present Telehealth and Technology, 2020-present Family Therapists in Schools, 2022-present	1996-present
American Association of Sexuality Educators, Counselors and Therapists (AASECT)	2020-present
Society for Sex Therapy & Research (SSTAR)	2020-present
International Society for the Study of Women's Sexual Health	2020-present
International Family Therapy Association (IFTA)	2019-present
Illinois Affiliation of Marriage and Family Therapy (IAMFT)	2018-present
National Council on Family Relations (NCFR)	2018-present
Delta Kappa International Marriage and Family Therapy Honor Society	2012-present
Illinois Association of Marriage and Family Therapy (IAMFT)	2015-2018
Society of Marriage and Family Therapy Graduate Students, Mu Phi Tau	2009
Missouri Association of Marriage and Family Therapy (MOAMFT)	2007-2015
Ozark Chapter of Marriage and Family Therapists (OCMFT)	2007-2015
Association for Psychological Services (APS)	2007-2015
Collaborative Family Healthcare Association (CFHA)	2007-2010
Endometriosis Association (EA)	2001-2010
World Endometriosis Society (WES)	2007-2010
NY Association of Marriage and Family Therapy (NYAMFT)	2003-2007
California Association of Marriage and Family Therapy (CAMFT)	1996-2003