# CURRICULUM VITAE BIBHUTI KUMAR SAR

### **EDUCATION**

1994 Ph.D., Social Work and Social Policy, Virginia Commonwealth University,

Richmond, Virginia

Dissertation:

2012-2015

2012-2016

Sar, B.K. (1994). The Relationship Between Task Performance and Perceived Quality of Life of Families with Adopted Special-Needs Children. Unpublished Doctoral Dissertation. Virginia Commonwealth University.

1984 M.S.W, Social Work, August 1984, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, North Carolina

1982 B.A., Psychology, August 1982, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, North Carolina

### **EMPLOYMENT**

2011-present	Director, Doctoral Program
2010-2011	Co-Director, Doctoral Program
	Professor, Kent School of Social Work, University of Louisville
2000- 2010	Associate Professor, Kent School of Social Work, University of Louisville

### **GRANTS & CONTRACTS**

2012-2014	Sar, B.K., Sterrett, E., Collins-Camargo, C., & Antle, B. Pathway for Academic Stability
	and Success (PASS). The overall purpose of Pathway for Academic Stability and
	Success (PASS) demonstration project is to promote academic stability and
	success of foster youth in 6th thru 8th grade at risk for dropping out of school.
	Funded by Administration for Children & Families, Department of Health &
	Human Services (DHHS) for \$500,000 for two years.

Sar, B.K., Archuleta, A., Lawson, T., & Yankeelov, P. The Survivors of Torture Recovery Center (STRC). The project will concentrate on: 1) strengthening local infrastructure and services for torture survivors, 2) educating individuals within the refugee and non- refugee community (potential referral sources) in order to identify and increase the pool of torture survivors who could benefit from services offered through the proposed services, 3) conducting training and education of professionals- health, mental health, social services, and legal-- to increase their knowledge and expertise, 4) providing comprehensive torture survivor centered services and determining their benefits through process and outcome evaluation, and disseminating lessons learned from the project to the wider service and research community. Funded by Office of Refugee Resettlement, Department of Health & Human Services (DHHS) for \$975,000 for three years.

Sar, B.K., Sterrett, E., Archuleta, A., Barbee, A., Van Zyl, M., & Antle, B. The Center for Promoting Recovery and Resilience of Traumatized Children and Youth. The Center for Promotion of Recovery and Resilience (CPRR) of Traumatized Children and Youth will will 1) increase knowledge and skills of personnel who make referrals and provide services to children regarding trauma and related services, 2) provide trauma focused intervention services to military children, refugee children, and children victimized by abuse, neglect and exposed to family violence, and 3) evaluate the impact of the project on consumers of this proposed project. By the completion of the project, 80 providers will have increased their knowledge about trauma focused services, 375 children and their families will have been provided trauma treatment and

education, and 40 community agencies serving children and youth will have become trauma informed.

2011-2013

Sar, B.K. (2011). Investigation of the effectiveness of a developmental mentoring model as an intervention/prevention strategy for juveniles of varying levels of risk among middle school youth in Metro Louisville. Funded for \$500,000 by the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, U.S. Department of Justice Barbee, Anita P. (Principal Investigator), Antle, Becky L. (Co-Prinicipal Investigator), Karam, Eli (Co-Prinicipal Investigator), Christensen, Dana N. (Co-Prinicipal Investigator), Sar, Bibhuti K. (Co-Prinicipal Investigator), Archuleta, Adrian J (Other), van Zyl, Michiel A. (Evaluator), Cunningham, Michael R (Evaluator), Grant, Research, "Preventing Teen Pregnancy", Sponsored by DHHS, Office of Adolescent Health, Federal, \$4,816,654. (September 1, 2010 - August 30, 2015).

This 5-year grant will test the effectiveness of two teen pregnancy prevention curriculums through a randomized control trial.

#### PEER REVIEWED ARTICLES

- Antle, B.F., Karam, E., Christensen, D.N., Barbee, A.P., & Sar, B.K. (2011). An Evaluation of Healthy Relationship Education to Reduce Intimate Partner Violence. Journal of Family Social Work, 14, 1-21.
- Bledsoe, L.K. & Sar, B.K. (2011) Intimate Partner Violence Control Scale: Development and Initial Testing. Journal of Family Violence, Volume 26, Issue 3 Page 171-184.
- Sar, B.K., Antle, B.F., Bledsoe, L.K., Barbee, A.P., & Van Zyl, M.A. (2010). The importance of expanding home visitation services to strengthen family relationships to benefit children. Children & Youth Services Review, vol. 32, (2), 198-205.
- Antle, B.F., Frey, S. E., Sar, B. K., Barbee, A. P., & van Zyl, M. A., (2010), Training the child welfare workforce in healthy couple relationships: An examination of attitudes and outcomes, Children and Youth Services Review, 32, issue 2, p. 223-230.
- Barney, R. J., Buckingham, S. L., Friedrich, J. M., Johnson, L. M., Robinson, M. A., & Sar, B. K. (2010). The President's Emergency Plan for Aids Relief (PEPFAR): A social work ethical analysis and recommendations. Journal of Sociology & Social Welfare, 37(1), 9-22.
- Yankeelov, P., Sar, B.K. & Antle, B.F. (2010). From "Producing" to "Consuming" Research: Incorporating Evidence-Based Practice into Advanced Research Courses in a Master of Social Work Program. Journal of Teaching in Social Work, 30:4, 367-384.

## **MEMBERSHIPS AND AFFILIATIONS**

2010-present	Group for Advancement of Doctoral Education
2010-present	Member, Council on Social Work Education
2005- present	Graduate Faculty, University of Kentucky
1997- present	Member, Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)