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## **EDUCATION**

M.S.W., Florida International University, Miami, FL, 1993  
Concentration: Children and Families

B.S., Centre College, Danville, KY, 1988  
Major: Psychology

## **ACADEMIC/TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Instructor, Kent School of Social Work, University of Louisville

- Biology for Social Sciences, BSW Program, 2017 – present
- Introduction to Social Work, BSW Program, 2009 – 2010, 2017 - present
- Death and Dying, BSW Program, 2017
- Honors Seminar and Lab I and II BSW Program, 2011 - 2017
- Practicum Seminar and Lab I and II, BSW Program, 2008 – 2015
- Social Work Practicum I and II, BSW Program, 2008 – 2011, 2014 – 2015
- Honors Introduction to Social Work, BSW Program, 2010
- Practicum I and II, MSSW Program, 2005 – 2008

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Director of Field Education, Kent School of Social Work, 2016 to present  
BSW Director of Field Education, Kent School of Social Work/UofL, 2013 – 2016  
Director, Bonner Leaders of Louisville Program, Kent School of Social Work, 2012 - 2015  
Assistant Director of Field Education, Kent School of Social Work/UofL, 2007- 2013  
Medical Social Worker, Floyd Memorial Hospital and Health Services, 2001-2007  
Foster Care and Adoption Social Worker, The Villages of Indiana, Inc., 1999-2001  
Social Services Counselor, Broward General Medical Center, 1993 - 1998  
Social Services Counselor, Children's Diagnostic and Treatment Center, 1992 - 1993  
Case Management Supervisor, Archways Psychosocial Rehabilitation Center, 1990 - 1992  
Case Manager, Archways Psychosocial Rehabilitation Center, 1989 -1990  
Social Program Advisor, Archways Psychosocial Rehabilitation Center, 1989

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Moore, S., Golder, S., Sterrett, E., Faul, A, Yankeelov, P. **Mathis, L.** & Barbee, A. (2015).  
Social Work Online Education: A Model for Getting Started and Staying Connected. Journal of  
Social Work Education. Journal of Social Work Education, 51, 505-518.

Collins, W., Fuller, M. & **Mathis, L.** (2014). When University Faculty Must be Absent:  
Reflections of Personal Stress and Organizational Coping Strategies. The Journal of Continuing  
Social Work Education, 17(1), 15-27.

Rowan, N., **Mathis, L.**, Ellers, F. & Thompson, J. (2013). Creating Learning Opportunities for the Enhancement of Critical Thinking Skills in BSW Education. *Journal of Baccalaureate Social Work*, 13, 123-135.

**Mathis, L.** (2009). Reframing the Problems of the Noncompliant Patient in Lawson, T.R & Gergely, F. (Eds.), *Social Work in Health Care*. (162-171). Hungary: University of Debrecen Press.

## **PRESENTATIONS**

**Mathis, L.** (2016). "Developing Reflective Practice in Field Education". North American Association of Christians in Social Work Annual Convention and Conference. Cincinnati, OH. Refereed.

Yankeelov, P., Faul, A. & **Mathis, L.** (2016). Beyond Start-Up, Current Challenges and Solutions at the Kent School of Social Work. Second Annual Social Work Distance Education Conference. Indianapolis, IN. Refereed.

**Mathis, L.** (2016). Critical Thinking in Action: Strengthen Students' Critical Thinking Skills through Practicum Supervision. Ideas to Action (i2a) Institute, University of Louisville, Louisville, KY. Invited.

Collins, W & **Mathis, L.** (2016). Organizational Coping Strategies When Faculty Must Be Absent. Baccalaureate Program Directors Annual Conference, Dallas, TX. Refereed.

**Mathis, L.** (2015). It's Elemental: Strengthening Student Peer Review through the Elements of Thought. Ideas to Action (i2a) Institute: Putting Critical Thinking into Practice, University of Louisville, Louisville, KY. Invited.

Fuller, M. & **Mathis, L.** (2014). Critical Thinking in Action: Strengthen Students' Critical Thinking Skills through Practicum Supervision. Council on Social Work Education. Tampa, FL. Refereed.

Fuller, M., Enoch, C., Heitzman, J., **Mathis, L.**, Michalcyzyk, L. & Napier, A. (2013). Promoting Critical Thinking Skills in Students through Experiential Learning. Ideas to Action (i2a) Institute: Sharing the Impact of Critical Thinking, University of Louisville, Louisville, KY.

**Mathis, L.** & Morgan, G. (2013). Using Technology to Support Field Education. Baccalaureate Program Directors Annual Conference, Myrtle Beach, SC. Refereed.

Morgan, G. & **Mathis, L.** (2013). Synthesizing a Workplace Readiness Model with BSW Field Education Competencies, Baccalaureate Program Directors Annual Conference. Myrtle Beach, SC. Refereed.

Rowan, N. & **Mathis, L.** (2011). Critical Thinking Engagement: Experiential Learning with Authentic Social Work Practice. Baccalaureate Program Directors Annual Conference, Cincinnati, OH, Refereed.

Johnson, M. & **Mathis, L.** (2008) Talking with Students about Cultural Differences.” Kent School of Social Work Field Education Program Workshop, University of Louisville, Louisville, KY.

**Mathis, L.** (2007). “The Reframing of the Non-Compliant Patient. Joint Hungarian-American Healthcare Conference, Kent School of Social Work, University of Louisville, Louisville, KY. Invited.

**Mathis, L.** (2006). The Basics of Educational Supervision. Kent School of Social Work Field Education Program Workshop. University of Louisville, Louisville, KY. Invited.

## **SERVICE**

### **University**

- Member, I2A, Committee Kent School of Social Work, 2013 – 2017
- Member, MLK Scholarship Selection Committee, UofL Admissions, 2012 – 2015
- Member, Outcomes Committee, Kent School of Social Work, 2015 - Present
- Member, Curriculum Committee, Kent School of Social Work, 2012 – Present
- Member, Diversity Committee, Kent School of Social Work, 2008 - Present
- Member, BSW Admissions/Scholarship Committee, Kent School of Social Work, 2007 - Present
- Chair, Kent School Community Advisory Council, 2007 - Present
- Corresponding Secretary, Black Faculty and Staff Association, University of Louisville, 2008-2009
- Member, Strategic Planning Committee, Kent School of Social Work, 2008

### **Professional**

- Technology Chair, Field Education Consortium, 2017 - present
- Chair, Kentucky Field Education Consortium, 2016 - 2017
- President, Kentucky Association of Social Work Educators, 2016 - 2017
- Vice President, Kentucky Association of Social Work Educators, 2015 – 2016
- Abstract Reviewer, 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Conference Meeting, Association of Baccalaureate Program Directors, New Orleans, LA, 2016
- Abstract Reviewer, Annual Program Meeting, CSWE, Denver, CO, 2015
- Secretary, Kentucky Association of Social Work Educators, 2013 - 2014
- Local Conference Planning Committee, Baccalaureate Program Directors Annual Conference, Louisville, KY, 2013 - 2014
- Abstract Reviewer, Baccalaureate Program Directors Annual Conference, Louisville, KY, 2013
- Abstract Reviewer, Gulf-South Summit on Service-Learning and Civic Engagement through Higher Education Conference, Auburn, AL 2013
- Abstract Reviewer, Baccalaureate Program Directors Annual Conference, Cincinnati, OH 2011
- Conference Co-Chair, Annual Spring Conference, Kentucky Association of Social Work Educators, Louisville, KY. 2011.

- Member, Newsletter Committee, National Association of Social Work, KY Chapter, 2007- 2008

### **Community**

- Member, Pediatric Behavioral and Mental Health Alliance of Kentucky, Louisville, KY, 2016 – Present
- Member, HOPE Cancer Support Ministry, Green Castle Baptist Church, Louisville, KY, 2015-2016
- Member, Program and Facilities Committee, Louisville Central Community Center, Louisville, KY, 2013 - 2014
- Current Board President, Board of Directors, Our Place Substance Abuse and Alcohol Education Services, Inc., New Albany, IN 2010 – Present
- Workshop presentation. “Providing Christian Based Divorce Recovery Supportive Counseling.” Presented to Canaan Christian Counseling Ministry, 2008
- Christian Counseling Coordinator, Canaan Christian Counseling Ministry, 2008-2010
- Instructor, Quit Smart Smoking Classes conducted for local business and public at large sponsored by Floyd County Indiana Tobacco Prevention Coalition, 2006- 2007
- Member, Lifespan Community Advisory Council, 2005-2007
- Member, Floyd County Indiana Tobacco Prevention Coalition, 2003-2007
- Member, Floyd County Alcohol. Tobacco & Other Drug Abuse Prevention Task Force, 2004-2007
- Member, Kent School Community Advisory Council, 2003-2006
- Workshop Presentation, “Managing Anger.” Women’s Conference at Canaan Missionary Baptist Church, 2000
- Christian Counseling Advisor, Canaan Christian Counseling Ministry, Canaan Christian Church, 1999-2004

### **AWARDS AND HONORS**

Service Above Self Golf Leaf Volunteer Award, Rotary Club of Jeffersonville, IN 2016

Faculty Favorite Nominee. University of Louisville. 2008 and 2013

Outstanding Practicum Supervisor. Kent School of Social Work Field Education Award. 2007

### **PROFESSIONAL LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS**

LCSW, State of Indiana, 2002 - Present

LCSW, State of Florida, Inactive

### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

Association of Baccalaureate Program Directors, periodic

Council on Social Work Education, periodic

Kentucky Association of Social Work Educators

North America Association of Christians in Social Work, periodic

North American Network of Field Education Directors

Social Work Distance Field Education Consortium