CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

PhD Counselor Education and Counseling: Clinical Mental Health

Counseling

Idaho State University, May 2021

Dissertation (Defended, December 2020): Shaking Up The Room: Process of Professional Identity Development of Black Doctoral

Students in Counselor Education Advisor: Elizabeth Horn, PhD

MA Clinical Mental Health Counseling

The George Washington University, August 2016

Advisor: Kenneth Hergenrather, PhD

BS Biology: Chemistry (Minor)

Virginia Commonwealth University, December 2011

LICENSURE & CERTIFICATION

January 2024-Present Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC-2249)

Wyoming Mental Health Professions Licensing Board

July 2021-Present National Certified Counselor

National Board of Certified Counselors, Inc.

July 2019-Present Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC-7445)

Idaho Bureau of Occupational Licenses

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

August 2021-Present Assistant Professor of Counselor Education and Counseling

Psychology, Western Michigan University (WMU)

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

Publications **Book Chapters**

- 1. Adkison-Johnson, C., **Ngadjui, O.T.,** & Peterson, G. (2024). The therapeutic relationship. In S.K. Butler & A. Shillingford (Eds.), *Intersectional counseling skills: The journey to becoming a culturally inclusive counselor*. Cognella Press.
- 2. **Ngadjui, O.T.,** Chan, C.D., Scott, B. & Nelson, A. (2023). An education without domination: Subversive practices on social structures and humanizing practices for students of color. In T.M. Mealy & H. Bennett (Eds.)., *Equity in the classroom: Essays on curricular and pedagogical approaches to empowering all students*. McFarland.
- 3. **Ngadjui, O.T.,** Frank, C.D. & Chan, C.D. (2023). Utilizing sentipensante as pedagogical trauma informed practice for urban P-12 classrooms. In T.A. Flowers, (Ed.)., *Leadership and policy in urban education: Key issues*. Cambridge Scholars Publishing.
- 4. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (2022). Uprooting the prevalence of misogynoir in counselor education. In C. J. Porter & T. Sulé (Eds.)., *Applying Black feminist epistemology and praxis: Narratives in and through the academy* (pp. 65-70). Routledge.

Refereed Journal Articles

**=graduate student (doctoral level)

- Ngadjui, O.T., **Sanchez-Rodriguez, M., Chan, C.D., Reyna, M., & Steen, S. (2025). Magnifying Black/African American representation to expand cultural sensitivity in counselor educator preparation programs. *Journal of Multicultural Counseling and Development*. Retrieved from https://doi-org.libproxy.library.wmich.edu/10.1002/jmcd.12318
- 6. **Ngadjui, O.T.** & Horn, E. (2024). Professional identity development of Black doctoral students in counselor education: A reflexive model. *Teaching and Supervision in Counseling*, 6(1). Retrieved from https://trace.tennessee.edu/tsc/vol6/iss1/3/
- 7. Height, T., **Ngadjui, O. T.**, Hoover, F. A., & Dillon, J. A. (2022). The 2020 Social and Environmental Apocalypse: Reimagining Black America. *American Studies*, 60(3/4). Retrieved from https://journals.ku.edu/amsj/article/view/16385
- 8. **Ngadjui, O. T.** (2021). Integrating vicarious resilience into counselor education programs. *Journal of Counselor Preparation and Supervision*, 14(4), 23. Retrieved from https://digitalcommons.sacredheart.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1496&context=jcps

9. Chan, C. D., **Ngadjui, O. T.**, Jackson, T., & Steen, S. (2021). Unsettling complex inequities on school climate for males of color: School counseling applications from an intersectionality-based policy analysis. *Professional School Counseling*, 25(1/4). https://doi.org/10.1177/2156759X211040029

Other Publications

- 10. Rubel, D., Peters, H., Ngadjui, O.T., Bowser, T., Kozak, K., Lucas, L., Dobmeier, R., Browne-James, L., Munoz, M. & Torres-Rivera, E. (2023). Association for Counselor Education and Supervision's Diversity, Inclusion, Equity, Human Rights and Social Justice Statement [Statement of Values]. Association for Counselor Education and Supervision: Human Rights and Social Justice Standing Committee. Retrieved from https://acesonline.net/wp-content/uploads/2023/04/DEIJ_Statement_of_Values.docx
- 11. Murillo Pantoja, D. & **Ngadjui, O.T.** (2022). *Review of 37 Seconds [Motion Picture]*. The Counselors' Bookshelf: Movies and TV Shows. Lexington, NC: Chi Sigma Iota International.
- 12. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (2020). Review of Racial Healing Handbook: Practical Activities to Help Challenge Privilege, Confront Systemic Racism and Engage in Collective Healing (The Social Justice Handbook Series) by Drs. Anneliese A. Singh & Derald Wing Sue. The Counselors' Bookshelf: Books that Help Me Become a Better Counselor. Lexington, NC: Chi Sigma Iota International.

Refereed Presentations

*= graduate student (master's level)

International

- 1. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (March 2025). *Integrating vicarious resilience into counselor education*. Mediterranean Region Counseling Association Conference. Poznań, Poland.
- 2. **Ngadjui, O.T.** & Mitcham, M. (March 2025). *Ethical considerations in developing cultural competence: The reflective counselor.* Mediterranean Region Counseling Association Conference. Poznań, Poland.
- 3. *Jackson, C. N. & **Ngadjui, O.T.** (October 2024). *Experiences of self-advocacy and mindfulness practice of disabled/ability minoritized individuals in counselor education*. European Branch of the American Counseling Association Conference. Heidelberg, Germany.
- 4. **Ngadjui, O.T.**, Steen, S., **Palmer, K.A., **Nungester, A.G., Bethea, C., Li, Z., *Atkins, R.C., Mahmood, A., *Baeza, C.V., & Merrite, M. (October 2023). *Assimilation, acculturation or integration: Q-methodology study of racially minoritized faculty's professional identity development*. European Branch of the American Counseling Association Conference. Leiden, Netherlands.

^{**=}graduate student (doctoral level)

5. **Thomas, T.M. & **Ngadjui, O.T.** (October 2023). Survey of multicultural and leadership and advocacy coursework in counselor education. European Branch of the American Counseling Association Conference. Leiden, Netherlands.

National

- 6. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (April 2025). Forging onward: Sustaining social justice advocacy practice in counselor education & supervision. Counselors for Social Justice Conference, sponsored session on behalf of the Association for Counselor Education and Supervision. San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- 7. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (October 2024). *The process of professional identity development of Black doctoral students in counselor education: A reflexive model.* Black Doctoral Network National Conference. Los Angeles, CA.
- 8. **Ngadjui, O.T.**, Steen, S., **Palmer, K.A., **Nungester, A.G., Bethea, C., Li, Z., *Atkins, R.C., Mahmood, A., *Baeza, C.V., & Merrite, M. (October 2023). *Assimilation, acculturation or integration: Q-Methodology study of racially minoritized faculty understanding of professional identity development in counselor education.* Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Conference. Denver, CO.
- 9. **Ngadjui, O.T.,** Burks, A., Cureton, J., Gabriel, M., Taylor, D., Jenkins, K., & Pierce, K.L. (October 2023). *Sustainability and self-preservation: Strategies for maintaining diversity, inclusion, equity and justice in counselor education*. Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Conference. Denver, CO.
- 10. Ngadjui, O.T., Burks, A., Cureton, J., Taylor, D., Jenkins, K. Starkweather, H., Pierce, K.L., Decker, E., Brew, L., Haas, J., Bayne, H., Dockery, G., Madsen, L., & Hyun, J. (October 2023). Diversity, equity and inclusion? More strategies for taking intentional action for social change throughout our work in counselor education despite societal climate shifts. Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Preconference. Denver, CO.
- 11. Bowser, T. & **Ngadjui, O.T.** (March 2023). *Departmental interpersonal accountability and equity in counselor education programs*. American Counseling Association Conference. Toronto, CA.
- 12. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (October 2021). Shaking up the room: The process of professional identity development of Black doctoral students in counselor education. Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Conference. Atlanta, GA.
- 13. **Ngadjui, O.T.**, Avery, D., Burks, A., Cureton, J., Smith, S., Pierce, L., Bowser, T., Hunter, T. & Uwamahoro Williams, O. (October 2021). *Diversity and inclusion? Taking intentional action for social change throughout our work.* Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Preconference. Atlanta, GA.

- 14. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (July 2021). *Shaking up the room: The process of professional identity development of Black doctoral students in counselor education*. Association for Adult Development and Aging Virtual Conference.
- 15. **Ngadjui, O.T.** & Chan, C.D. (June 2021). *Microaffirmations vs. macroaffirmations: Moving beyond performative allyship for Black, Indigenous and People of Color (BIPOC) in counselor education*. Association for Multicultural Counseling and Development Virtual Conference.
- 16. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (April 2021). Shaking up the room: The process of professional identity development of Black doctoral students in counselor education. American Counseling Association Virtual Conference.
- 17. **Ngadjui, O.T.** & Frank, C. (June 2020). *Infusing sentipensante for mentoring, teaching and supervising collectivist students*. Association for Multicultural Counseling and Development Virtual Summit.
- 18. Astravomich, R., **Ngadjui, O.T.**, Amende, K., Graham, L. & Krzemieniecki, A. (October 2019). *Advocacy evaluation: A methodological framework for social justice & advocacy research in counseling*. Association for Counselor Education & Supervision Conference. Seattle, WA.
- 19. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (October 2019). *Making friends across cultures*. TEDxIdahoStateUniversity. Pocatello, ID.
- 20. **Ngadjui, O.T.** & Frank, C. (June 2019). *Collective considerations for clients, students and supervisees: How to infuse a systems approach to supervision in practice.*Association for Multicultural Counseling and Development Summit. Orlando FL.

Regional

- 21. **Ngadjui, O.T.**, Steen, S., **Palmer, K.A., **Nungester, A.G., Bethea, C., Li, Z., *Baeza, C.V., & Merritte, M. (October 2024). *Assimilation, acculturation or integration: Q-Methodology study of racially minoritized faculty understanding of professional identity development in counselor education.* North Central Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Conference. Rosemont, IL.
- 22. **Thomas, T.M. & **Ngadjui, O.T.** (October 2024). Survey of multicultural and leadership and advocacy coursework in counselor education. North Central Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Conference. Rosemont, IL.
- 23. **Ngadjui, O.T.,** & Bowser, T. (September 2022). *Departmental interpersonal accountability and equity in counselor education programs*. North Central Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Conference. Omaha, NE.
- 24. **Ngadjui, O.T.**, Andrade, E & Lopez, J. (November 2020). "Home isn't where we live, it's where we belong": Retaining students of color in counselor education. Western

- Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Conference. Tucson, AZ. Conference Canceled.
- 25. **Ngadjui, O.T.** & Horn, E. (October 2020). *Shaking up the room: The process of professional identity development of Black doctoral students in counselor education*. Rocky Mountain Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Virtual Conference.

State

- 26. Vanderwall, R., **Ngadjui, O.T.**, Lee, K., Rawls, G., Hegele, K., Hart-Young, A., & Brown, M. (May 2025). *PROJECT IMPACT: Mentoring & induction program for administrators, counselors, and teachers, & #TEACH*. Michigan Association of Colleges for Teacher Education (MACTE) Continuous Improvement Conference. Michigan State University, Lansing, MI.
- 27. Steen, S., **Ngadjui, O.T.**, **Palmer, K.A., **Nungester, A.G., Bethea, C., Li, Z., *Atkins, R.C., Mahmood, A., *Baeza, C.V., & Merrite, M. (March 2024). *Assimilation, acculturation or integration: Q-Methodology study of racially minoritized faculty understanding of professional identity development in counselor education. Access to Research and Inclusive Excellence Conference. George Mason University, Fairfax County, VA.*
- 28. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (November 2020). *Prioritizing cultural sensitivity in counseling supervision using the heuristic model of non-oppressive interpersonal development (HMNID*). Idaho Counseling Association Virtual Conference: Division Distinguished Presenter for the Idaho Association for Counselor Education & Supervision.
- 29. Chan, C.D., **Ngadjui, O.T.**, Frank, C. & Nelson, A. (November 2019). *Intersectionality and positive body image: A framework for strategies for counselors*. Idaho Counseling Association Conference. Boise, ID.
- 30. Stewart, L. & **Ngadjui, O.T.** (November 2019). *Helping the healers: Understanding, recognizing, and responding to vicarious trauma*. Idaho Counseling Association Pre-Conference. Boise, ID.

Invited Presentations

- *=graduate student (master's level)
- **=graduate student (doctoral level)

International

- 1. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (February 2022). *Black mental wellness chat*. BlackWomenPhDs Instagram Takeover for Black History Month.
- 2. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (February 2022). *Black doctoral journey chat*. BlackWomenPhDs Instagram Takeover for Black History Month.

National

- 3. Storlie, C., Stretch, L.S., Lomas, G. & **Ngadjui, O.T.** (February 2025). *Let's talk counselor education: Teaching committee.* Association for Counselor Education & Supervision Webinar Series.
- 4. **Ngadjui, O.T.,** Allen, K.N., Middleton, J., Brown, J.S., Bakers-Simmons, T., Kirchner, L.L., Daniel, D., & Coleman-Motley, A. (November 2023). *Navigating cross-cultural friendships*. The Female Quotient. Power of the Pack Webinar.
- 5. **Ngadjui, O.T.,** Burks, A., & Cureton, J. (October 2023). *Safety first, wellness when? Safety and wellness resistance space for diversity, equity, inclusion and justice individuals in counselor education*. Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Conference. Denver, CO.
- 6. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (October 2020). *A review of Robert's rules of order*. Association for Multicultural Counseling & Development (AMCD) Leadership Retreat.
- 7. **Ngadjui, O.T.**, Flores Locke, A., & Smith, S.D. (October 2020). *Maintaining our mental health & wellness amid COVID-19 and racial/class disparities*. Association for Counselor Education & Supervision (ACES) Diversity and Inclusion Interest Network Webinar.
- 8. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (June 2020). What about us? Perceptions of counseling students of color on representation of andragogy and curricula. Association for Multicultural Counseling and Development Virtual Mentee Research Symposium.

State

- 9. Steen, S., **Ngadjui, O.T.,** *Baeza, C.V., Bethea, C.A., *Atkins, R.C., Li, Z., Mahmood. A., Merritte, M., **Nungester, A. & **Palmer, K.A. (November 2024). *Exploring contemporary researchers' experiences: Cross university graduate student research team panel*. Diversity Research Action Consortium (Webinar), George Mason University.
- 10. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (November 2023). *Opening more doors: Strategies for submitting counseling conference proposals and preparing for conference presentations*. Diversity Research Action Consortium (Webinar), George Mason University.
- 11. **Ngadjui, O.T.**, Perryman Clark, S.M., Pozo, S., & Wallace, L.R. (September 2023). *Student success: Making the most out of your college experience*. 8th Annual Multicultural Meet and Greet Panel, Western Michigan University.
- 12. **Wright, R. & **Ngadjui, O.T.** (June 2023). *Professional identity development*. Counseling Field Practicum Experience, Western Michigan University.
- 13. **Ngadjui, O.T**. & Peterson, G. J. (April 2023). *Doctoral student success*. Counselor Education Spring Doctoral Retreat, (Faculty Discussion Panel), Western Michigan University.

- 14. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (February 2023). *Shaking up the room: The process of professional identity development of Black doctoral students in counselor education.* Department of Counseling and School Psychology and the Office of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion, Southern Connecticut University.
- 15. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (January 2023). *Integrating vicarious resilience into counselor education programs*. Ohio Association for Resiliency and Trauma Counseling Webinar, Ohio Counseling Association
- 16. **Ngadjui, O.T**. (October 2022). *Revisiting CACREP standards and careers in counselor education*. Counselor Education Fall Doctoral Retreat, Western Michigan University.
- 17. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (December 2021). *Taking a chance: Advocacy and leadership with Chi Sigma Iota (CSI) keynote address*. Gamma Mu Upsilon Induction and Informational Session, George Mason University.
- 18. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (November 2021). *Clinical considerations for working with children, teens and the in-betweens in group counseling*. Group Counseling (Master's Level), The University of North Carolina at Greensboro.
- 19. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (October 2021). Shaking up the room: The process of professional identity development of Black doctoral students in counselor education. Advanced Multicultural Counseling Course (Doctoral Level), Western Michigan University.
- 20. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (October 2021). Clinical considerations for working with children, teens and the in-betweens! Empower Idaho Online 2021 Northern Idaho Peer Support Connection Virtual Conference.
- 21. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (August 2021). *Understanding telehealth's strengths, risks & best practices*. Empower Idaho Online Webinar.
- 22. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (July 2021). *Taking it one step further: Culturally responsive strategies for Nyack public school educators (6-12).* Race Conscious Pedagogy Professional Development Workshop: Nyack Public School District.
- 23. **Ngadjui, O.T.**, & Horn, E. (May 2021). *Using disenfranchised grief as a lens to work with marginalized populations impacted by racial injustice*. Idaho State University Department of Counseling Professional Development Workshops. Webinar Canceled.
- 24. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (April 2021). *Student speaker commencement address*. Idaho State University.
- 25. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (February 2021). *Racial battle fatigue and the Black community: A critical analysis virtual panel.* University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh.

- 26. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (October 2020). *Crisis and trauma counseling (perspective from the field)* panel. Master's Level Crisis and Trauma Online Counseling Course: Saybrook University.
- 27. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (October 2020). *The importance of social location in counseling approaches.* Virtual Practicum Supervision: The George Washington University.
- 28. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (September 2020). *Cross cultural relatedness and anti-racism: Inspired by the* TEDx *making friends across cultures*. Master's Level Virtual Internship Supervision: The George Washington University.
- 29. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (August 2020). *Professional counseling identity & career development.* Master's Level Virtual Internship Supervision: The George Washington University.
- 30. Chan, C.D., **Ngadjui, O.T.** & Joshi, A. (March 2020). *Sizeism: A perspective on biases, career inequities and health disparities*. Positive Body Image Symposium: Idaho State University. Pocatello, ID.
- 31. Chan, C.D. & **Ngadjui, O.T.** (January 2020). Fostering a respectful classroom: Culturally responsive tools for curriculum and pedagogy. College of Technology (Faculty and Staff): Idaho State University. Pocatello, ID.
- 32. Chan, C.D. & **Ngadjui, O.T.** (January 2020). *Integrating Aspects of Culturally Responsive Teaching*. College of Technology (Faculty and Staff): Idaho State University. Pocatello, ID.
- 33. Chan, C.D. & **Ngadjui, O.T.** (December 2019). *Beauty, Bias, and Body Image: A Cultural Sensitivity Training for the College of Technology*. College of Technology (Cosmetology Program Students): Idaho State University. Pocatello, ID.
- 34. Kleist, D. & **Ngadjui, O.T.** (June 2019). Advanced Clinical Supervision for Counselors Facilitating Multiple Perspectives: Promoting Clinical Growth Through the Reflective Model of Triadic Supervision. Idaho State University. Pocatello, ID. Workshop Canceled.
- 35. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (April 2019). *Vicarious Trauma*. Counseling and Testing Services: Idaho State University. Pocatello, ID.
- 36. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (March 2019). *Path After Graduation (Panel)*. Master's Level Internship Supervision: The George Washington University. Washington, DC.
- 37. Chan, C.D., **Ngadjui, O.T.** & Frank, C. (March 2019). *Embodying Intersectional Approaches and Practices on Body Image*. Positive Body Image Symposium: Idaho State University. Pocatello, ID.
- 38. Scott, B., & **Ngadjui, O.T.** (February 2019). *Understanding Healthy Relationships*. Wellness Wednesdays: Idaho State University. Pocatello, ID.

- 39. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (January 2019). *Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Celebration Keynote Speech*. Idaho State University. Pocatello, ID.
- 40. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (June 2018). *Professional Counseling Identity & Career Development*. Master's Level Internship Supervision: The George Washington University. Washington, DC.

Grants

- 1. Ehrhardt, K.E., Hegele, K., Lee, K., **Ngadjui, O.T.**, VanDerwall, R., Rawls, G., Hart-Young, A., Metro-Roland, D., Stitt, W. (2024). *Project IMPACT: Induction and mentoring programs for administrators, counselors, and teachers*. Grant proposal submitted to the State of Michigan (\$481,877.00). Funded.
- 2. Nam, S., **Ngadjui, O.T.**, Jeong, J., Steen, S., & Um, B. (2023). Development and validation of multicultural and social justice-oriented learning environment scale (MSJLES). Grant proposal submitted to the Association for Research and Assessment in Counseling's (AARC) Sponsored Scholarship Program. (\$4000.00). Funded.
- 3. Nam, S. & **Ngadjui, O.T.** (2022). *Mental health-related academic programs' multicultural environment and its impact on students' professional identity development.* Grant proposal submitted to the Western Michigan University's University Assessment Steering Committee (UASC) 2022 Assessment Mini Grant. (\$1500.00). Not Funded.
- 4. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (2020). Shaking up the room: Process of professional identity development of Black doctoral students in counselor education. Grant proposal submitted to the Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Research Grant. (\$1385.00). Funded.
- 5. **Ngadjui, O.T.** (2020). Shaking up the room: Process of professional identity development of Black doctoral students in counselor education. Grant proposal submitted to the Association for Adult Development and Aging Research Grant. (\$500.00). Funded.
- 6. Sacco, K., Amende, K., **Ngadjui, O.T.** & Graham, L. (2019). Supervisees' experience of the use of music in supervision: An interpretative phenomenological approach. Grant proposal submitted to the Association for Creativity in Counseling Student Research Grant. (\$250.00). Funded.
- 7. **Ngadjui, O.T.**, & Chan, C.D. (2016). *Diversity and advocacy: Moving across systems to promote the counseling profession*. Grant proposal submitted to the Chi Sigma Iota Chapter Development Grant. (\$250.00). Funded.

Awards

Date Received Title & Description

Spring 2025 Western Michigan University's Office of Provost Inaugural

	Diversity Fellowship/Inclusive Research Workload (Course Release)
November 2024	Western Michigan University's College of Education and Human Development Faculty Travel Award (\$500.00)
November 2023	Western Michigan University's College of Education and Human Development Faculty Travel Award (\$500.00)
September 2022	Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (ACES) Diversity Region Conference Scholarship (\$600.00)
October 2021	Western Michigan University's College of Education and Human Development Faculty Travel Award (\$500.00)
June 2021	2021 Association for Multicultural Counseling and Development (AMCD) Kim Lee Hughes Womanista "Wings" Award
April 2021	American Counseling Association (ACA) Glen E. Hubele National Graduate Student Award
April 2021	The George Washington University's Graduate School of Education and Human Development (GSEHD) Dean's Outstanding Alumni Achievement Award
October 2020	Rocky Mountain Association for Counselor Education & Supervision (RMACES) Multiculturalism & Social Justice Advocacy Award
September 2020-May 2021	Associated Students of ISU Supreme Court Justice Scholarship (\$250.00)
June 2020	AMCD Mentee Scholarship (\$435.00)
June 2019	Conference Travel Scholarship (\$1000.00)
August 2018-May 2021	ISU Counseling Department Tuition Scholarship/Assistantship
May 2016	The Chi Sigma Iota Outstanding Master's Counseling Student Award
January 2016	The George Washington University's Counseling/Human Development (CHD) Tuition Award (\$4590.00)

PROFESSIONAL COMPETENCE

Teaching Experience

Western Michigan University

Semester	Course
Summer I 2025	CECP 6220: Psychoeducational Consultation
Spring 2025	CECP 7100: Independent Research (Master's Level)
Fall 2024	CECP 6020: Group Dynamics & Procedures
Fall 2024	CECP 6110: Theories of Counseling and Psychotherapy
Summer II 2024	CECP 6080: Counseling and Lifespan Development
Summer I 2024	CECP 6220: Psychoeducational Consultation
Spring 2024	CECP 6080: Counseling and Lifespan Development
Spring 2024	CECP 6110: Theories of Counseling and Psychotherapy
Fall 2023	CECP 6080: Counseling and Lifespan Development
Fall 2023	CECP 6020: Group Dynamics & Procedures
Summer II 2023	CECP 6080: Counseling and Lifespan Development
Summer I 2023	CECP 6130: Field Practicum (Counselor Education)
Spring 2023	CECP 6020: Group Dynamics & Procedures (Overload)
Spring 2023	CECP 6080: Counseling and Lifespan Development
Spring 2023	CECP 6020: Group Dynamics & Procedures
Fall 2022	CECP 6080: Counseling and Lifespan Development
Fall 2022	CECP 6020: Group Dynamics & Procedures
Summer II 2022	CECP 6080: Counseling and Lifespan Development
Summer I 2022	CECP 6130: Field Practicum (Counselor Education)
Spring 2022	CECP 6020: Group Dynamics & Procedures
Spring 2022	CECP 6080: Counseling and Lifespan Development
Fall 2021	CECP 6020: Group Dynamics & Procedures
Fall 2021	CECP 6080: Counseling and Lifespan Development

Co-Teaching Experience *Idaho State University*

Semester	Supervising Instructor	Course
Spring 2021	Dr. Leslie Stewart	Issues in Clinical Mental Health Counseling
Spring 2020	Dr. Christian Chan	Lifestyle and Career Development (Teaching Practicum)
Spring 2020	Dr. Christian Chan	Theories of Family and Couples Counseling
Fall 2019	Dr. Christian Chan	Cultural Counseling
Fall 2019	Dr. Logan Lamprecht	Psychodiagnosis & Psychotropic Drugs
Fall 2019	Dr. Leslie Stewart	Foundations of Clinical Mental Health Counseling
Fall 2019	Dr. Chad Yates	Prepracticum Counseling Techniques
Fall 2019	Dr. Christian Chan	Professional Ethics & Orientation
Fall 2019	Dr. David Kleist	Introduction to Counseling Services
Spring 2019	Dr. Leslie Stewart	Crisis & Trauma Interventions
Fall 2018	Dr. Chad Yates	Prepracticum Counseling Techniques
Fall 2018	Dr. Christian Chan	Marriage and Family Counseling Supervision

Supervision Experience Western Michigan University

Semester	Course/Area	Level/Structure
Summer I 2023	CECP 6130: Field Practicum (Counselor Education)	Master's/Group
Summer I 2022	CECP 6130: Field Practicum (Counselor Education)	Master's/Group

Idaho State University

Semester	Position	Supervising Instructor	Course/Area	Level/Structure
Spring 2021	Supervisor	Dr. Hailey Martinez	Practicum	Master's/Group
Fall 2020	Co-Supervisor	Dr. Randy Astramovich	Internship	Master's/Group
Spring 2020	Co-Supervisor	Dr. Randy Astramovich	Practicum	Master's/Group
Spring 2020	Supervisor	Dr. Shawn Parmanand	Pocatello Counseling Clinic	Master's/Individual
Fall 2019	Supervisor	Dr. Shawn Parmanand	Pocatello	Master's/Triadic

Counseling Clinic

Fall 2019	Supervisor	Dr. Randy Astramovich	Internship	Master's/Individual & Triadic
Summer 2019	Co-Supervisor	Dr. Leslie Stewart	Internship	Master's/Group
Spring 2019	Co-Supervisor	Dr. Christian Chan	Internship	Master's/Group
Fall 2018	Supervisor	Dr. Chad Yates	Prepracticum Counseling Skills	Master's/Individual
Fall 2018	Co-Supervisor	Dr. Christian Chan	Internship	Master's/Group
Fall 2018	Co-Supervisor	Dr. Christian Chan	Marriage Family Counseling	Master's/Group

Academic Advising

Doctoral Dissertation Committee Membership

2025	Kemmel Palmer Second Committee Member	Historically Minoritized Racial Groups at a Midwestern University: Behaviors, Attitudes, & Beliefs Toward Mental Health and Well-being
2024	Shirlee Buchanan Moore, Jr. Second Committee Member	Black Female College Student's Instagram Usage and Body Dissatisfaction

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Professional Affiliations

- American Counseling Association (ACA)
- Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (ACES)
- North Central Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (NCACES)
- Association for Multicultural Counseling and Development (AMCD)
- Chi Sigma Iota Counseling Academic and Professional Honor Society International (CSI)
- Association for Assessment and Research in Counseling (AARC)
- National Career Development Association (NCDA)
- Diversity & Research in Action Consortium (DRAC)

National & Regional

Current

July 2025-Present	ACES Governing Council Member-at-Large for Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Antiracism (Past)
July 2025-Present	ACES Supervision Committee Member

July 2025-Present	ACES Strategic Planning Committee Member
July 2025-Present	ACES State Branches Committee Member
July 2024-Present	AMCD Journal of Multicultural Counseling and Development Editorial Board Member
May 2024-Present	ACES Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Interest Network Advisory Council
March 2023-Present	Diversity & Research in Action Consortium at George Mason University <i>Fellow</i>
January 2023-Present	CSI Counselor's Bookshelf Section Editor (Movies & TV Shows)
Prior	
July 2024-June 2025	ACES Nominations and Elections Standing Committee <i>Member</i>
July 2024-June 2025	ACES Teaching Standing Committee Member
July 2024-June 2025	ACES Government Relations/Public Policy Special Committee <i>Member</i>
July 2024-June 2025	ACES Executive & Governing Council Member-at-Large for Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Antiracism
March 2025	ACES Conference 2025 Proposal Reviewer
March 2025	AARC Conference 2025 Proposal Reviewer
June 2023-June 2024	ACES Governing Council Member-at-Large for Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Antiracism (Elect)
October 2022-March 2023	Diversity & Research in Action Consortium at George Mason University <i>Scholar</i>
July 2022-June 2024	AMCD Executive Council Parliamentarian
June 2022-June 2025	ACES Human Rights and Social Justice Standing Committee <i>Member</i>

June 2022-June 2024	ACES Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Interest Network Interest Network Co-Chair
July 2023-August 2023	ACA Conference 2024 Proposal Reviewer
May 2023-June 2024	ACES Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Legislative Taskforce <i>Member</i>
February 2023-March 2023	ACES Conference 2023 Proposal Reviewer
December 2021-December 2022	Adultspan Journal Manuscript Reviewer
July 2021-June 2022	Association for Adult Development & Aging (AADA) Executive Council <i>Parliamentarian</i>
March 2021-April 2021	ACES Conference 2021 Proposal Reviewer
October 2020-April 2021	AMCD Day of Service Committee Member
October 2020-July 2021	AADA Newsletter Committee Member
October 2020-June 2021	Rocky Mountain Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (RMACES) Emerging Leaders Program Emerging Leader
July 2020-June 2021	AMCD Executive Council Parliamentarian
June 2020-January 2023	CSI Counselor's Bookshelf Editorial Reviewer
June 2020-June 2022	ACES Diversity & Inclusion Interest Network Member & Webinars/Guest Speakers Planning Subcommittee Co-Chair
January 2020-June 2020	AMCD Mentoring Program Mentee
October 2019-June 2020	AMCD State Division Formation Committee Graduate Student Liaison
December 2018-June 2019	AMCD Summit Program Subcommittee

Member & Proposal Reviewer

March 2015-July 2016 Chi Sigma Iota, Rho Theta Chapter (GWU)

President

University-Wide

Western Michigan University

July 2023-Present Black Professionals in S.T.E.A.M. (Student Organization)

Advisor

Idaho State University

September 2020-May 2021 Associated Students of ISU Supreme Court (ASISU)

Supreme Court Justice

January 2020-August 2020 ISU Strategic Planning Committee

Graduate Student Representative

September 2018-May 2020 ISU African Student Association

Member, Secretary & Graphic Designer

Departmental

Western Michigan University

October 2025-Present Department Curriculum Committee

Member

November 2022- May 2023 Faculty Search Committee (Department Chair)

Member

August 2022-December 2022 Doctoral Retreat/Orientation Committee

Member

May 2022-June 2022 Faculty Search Committee (Faculty Specialist)

Member

May 2022-June 2022 Faculty Search Committee (Assistant Professor)

Member

February 2022-Present Awards Committee

Member

January 2022-April 2022 CACREP Response Committee

Professional Counseling Identity Lead

Idaho State University

November 2018-May 2021 ISU Counseling Department Advocacy and Social Justice

Group

Founding Member & Pocatello Campus Lead

August 2018-May 2020 Pocatello Counseling Clinic

Documentation Manager, On-Site Supervisor & Clinical

Supervisor

The George Washington University

September 2020-December 2022 Counseling & Human Development Anti-Racism Groups

GWU Faculty Training and Development Alumna Member

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (COUNSELING)

February 2021-Present	Olivia T. Ngadjui, PhD, LPC, LLC, Owner & Counselor (Virtual), Idaho & Wyoming
May 2019-February 2021	Portneuf Valley Family Center, Doctoral Intern and Counselor, Pocatello ID
January 2019-August 2019	Counseling and Testing Services, Idaho State University, Doctoral Intern, Pocatello ID
August 2015-August 2016	MSA Child and Adolescent Center, Intensive Outreach Program (IOP), Counseling Intern, Columbia MD
August 2015-August 2016	Community Counseling Services Center, The George Washington University, Counseling Intern, Washington DC

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (EDUCATION)

November 2016- July 2018	Adventist Healthcare, Ridge School, Teacher, Rockville MD
June 2015-November 2016	Eagle Point Management, Hubbard Place Apartments, Lead Afterschool & Youth Development Specialist, Washington DC
August 2014- June 2015	Everybody Wins! DC, Readers are Leaders and StoryTime Programs, Program Coordinator, Washington DC
May 2013-July 2013	Envision EMI, Junior National Young Leaders Conference Alumni Boston, Program Coordinator of Education, Boston MA