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BUSINESS ADDRESS

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EDUCATION

- 1998 Ph.D., Human Development and Family Studies
Department of Human and Community Development
University of Illinois, Urbana, IL
Dissertation: Father Involvement and Identity: A Theoretical Examination
- 1992 M.S., Family Sciences
Department of Family Sciences
Brigham Young University, Provo, UT
Thesis: Male Fear of Nurturant Touching: A Replication and Extension
- 1987 B.A., Family Living
Department of Family Sciences
Brigham Young University, Provo, UT
Cum Laude

CURRENT POSITION

- 8/04 - Present **Faculty member**, Department of Home and Family, Brigham Young University-Idaho, Rexburg, ID.
- Teach and advise undergraduate students, coordinate Child Development program.

PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT/EXPERIENCE

Teaching

- 8/98 - 8/04 **Assistant Professor**, Department of Human Development, Washington State University, Pullman, WA.
- Taught undergraduate and graduate courses; advised undergraduate and graduate students; conducted and published scholarly research; sat on various Departmental and College committees and participated in University wide 'Fostering Critical Thinking' initiative.
- 8/97 - 5/98 **Assistant Teacher**, Department of Human and Community Development, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL; University Child Development Lab.
- Assisted in preparing and presenting developmentally appropriate materials and activities to 20 three year old children enrolled in a half-day preschool program.
- 1/97 - 5/97 **Instructor**, Department of Human and Community Development, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL.
- Established curriculum for and taught HDFS 198 -a special topics course for first and second year undergraduates on fathering and father involvement.

- 1/95 - 5/95 **Instructor**, Department of Human and Community Development, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL.
- Established and taught HDFS 110- Introduction to Family Ecology.
- 8/94 - 12/94 **Teaching Assistant**, Department of Human and Community Development, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL.
- Under supervision of Professor, developed, presented, and evaluated writing assignments for HDFS 301- Issues in Development and Socialization, a writing intensive course which fills the University's Composition II writing requirement.
- 1/90 - 4/90 **Adjunct Faculty**, Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Utah Valley Community College, Orem, UT.
- Taught Social Science/Psychology 104 -Introduction to Human Growth and Behavior.
- 8/89 - 4/90 **Instructor**, Department of Family Sciences, Brigham Young University, Provo, UT.
- Established curriculum for and taught Family Science 303 -Parenting.

Advising/Related

- 8/96 - 5/97 **New Student Academic Advisor**, Department of Human and Community Development, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL.
- Provided assistance to about 50 first year undergraduates in scheduling classes, exploring career options, and accessing supportive services on campus. Participated in College sponsored orientation of new students and in recruitment of potential students to the program.
- 12/92 - 8/94 **Self Sufficiency Case Manager**, State of Utah, Department of Human Services, Kearns, UT.
- Assessed and advised 60 -80 low income single parent heads of household and incapacitated parents on an ongoing basis; helped individuals develop and implement effective training, educational and/or employment plans; interacted with representatives of various community agencies in support of each individual's plan; sat on committee to improve relations and coordinate delivery of services offered by two State agencies; sat on committee to evaluate existing service delivery approach and make recommendations for improvement.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- 4/06 – Present **Board Member**, Idaho Voices for Children
- 4/00 – 11/03 **Member**, Public Policy Committee, National Council on Family Relations
- 11/00 – 4/04 **Treasurer**, Northwest Council on Family Relations
- Lead co-editor**, Special Issue, Journal of Teaching in Marriage and Family: Teaching Family Poverty.

Reviewed manuscripts for Journal of Teaching in Marriage and Family, Journal of Marriage and Family, Family Relations, Journal of Family Issues, Fathering.