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Research Interests

- Interabled couples in relationship counseling
- Culturally and disability-responsive care for people with disabilities across the lifespan

Education

University of North Texas – Denton, Texas

August 2021

Doctor of Philosophy in Counselor Education and Supervision

Specialty Area: Couple and Family Counseling

Dissertation Title: Experiences of Emotionally Focused Therapists Serving Interabled Couples: An

Interpretative Phenomenological Analysis.

CACREP-accredited in Counselor Education and Supervision

University of North Texas – Denton, Texas

August 2015

Master of Science in Rehabilitation Counseling

CORE-accredited

University of Texas-Pan American – Edinburg, Texas

December 2012

Bachelor of Science in Rehabilitative Services

Concentration in Deafness

Credentials

Registered Play Therapist (RPT)

January 2023 – Present

Credentials awarded by the Association for Play Therapy

Registration number: T6019

Certified Child-Centered Play Therapist – Supervisor (CCPT-S)

May 2020 – Present

Credentials awarded by the Center for Play Therapy

Certificate number: A-966

Certified Child-Parent Relationship Therapist – Supervisor (CPRT-S)

May 2020 - Present

Credentials awarded by the Center for Play Therapy

Certificate number: A-965

Licensed Professional Counselor

July 2021 – Present

Credentials awarded by the Colorado Department of Regulatory Agencies

License number: 0017322 Expiration date: August 2027

National Certified Counselor (NCC)

July 2018 – Present

Credentials awarded by the National Board of Certified Counselors (NBCC)

ID Number: 1139386 Expiration date: July 2026

Licensed Professional Counselor-Supervisor (LPC-S)

March 2018 – Present

Credentials awarded by the Texas State Board of Professional Counselors

License number: 76245 Expiration date: April 2027

Certified Rehabilitation Counselor (CRC)

July 2025 – Present

Credentials awarded by the Commission on Rehabilitation Counselor Certification

CRCC Customer number: 175237

Expiration date: July 2030

Languages

English, Fluent Spanish, Fluent American Sign Language, Fluent

Professional Experience

University of Colorado Colorado Springs – Colorado Springs, Colorado

July 2025 – Present

Department of Counseling and Human Services

Associate Department Chair

- Manage CACREP accreditation reporting requirements for the department.
- Organize the course schedule for all programs (BA in Behavioral Health and Human Services, MA in Counseling and Human Services, WLDP Airforce Program, AMT program).
- Assist the department chair with tasks and responsibilities.

Deaf Overcoming Violence Through Empowerment (DOVE) – Colorado

February 2025 – Present

Interim-President

- Lead a board of directors towards strategic planning to support the organization's needs.
- Serve on a board voluntarily to maintain and advance service delivery for Deaf/Deaf Blind/Deaf Disabled/Hard-of-Hearing survivors of intimate partner violence.
- Support fundraising efforts for the organization by organizing and hosting annual events.

Deaf Overcoming Violence Through Empowerment (DOVE) – Colorado

March 2023 – February 2025

Vice-President

- Serve on a board voluntarily to maintain and advance service delivery for Deaf/Deaf Blind/Deaf Disabled/Hard-of-Hearing survivors of intimate partner violence.
- Support fundraising efforts for the organization by organizing and hosting annual events.

University of Colorado Colorado Springs – Colorado Springs, Colorado

August 2021 – Present

Department of Counseling and Human Services

Assistant Professor

- Teach a 2 x 3 course load within a 9-month academic year.
- Conduct qualitative research on disability-responsive practices in counseling across the lifespan and submit for grant opportunities for community improvement.
- Advise graduate students throughout their academic program.
- Serve on various committees at the department, college, and university level centered around disability work, student success, and faculty support.

University of Colorado Colorado Springs – Colorado Springs, Colorado

July 2020 – July 2021

Department of Counseling and Human Services

Instructor

- Taught 4 courses a semester across the curriculum in both BA program in human services and MA program in counseling.
- Advised undergraduate and graduate students throughout the semester.

• Worked collaboratively with program coordinators and other departments.

CCD Counseling, P.A. – Denton, Texas (In-person/Telehealth)

August 2016 – June 2020

Bilingual Therapist

- Provide counseling services to individuals, families, children, and couples in English, Spanish, and American Sign Language.
- Manage case file documentation, as well as any contact with the client or family.
- Provide holistic care by identifying additional resources to support clients based on individual needs.

Child and Family Resource Clinic – Denton, Texas

June 2018 – May 2020

Counselor

- Provide counseling services to individuals, children, and couples in English, Spanish, and American Sign Language. Provided group counseling to master's students.
- Develop treatment plans and summaries in a DAP note format and monitor client progress with the assistance of a supervisor and clinical staff.
- Maintain client contacts and assessments during the duration of treatment.

Counseling & Human Development Center – Denton, Texas

June 2017 – May 2018

Counselor

- Provided counseling services to individuals and couples in English, Spanish, and American Sign Language.
- Developed treatment plans and summaries in a DAP note format and monitored client progress with the assistance of a supervisor and clinical staff.
- Maintained client contacts and assessments such as Adult Self Report (ASR) during the duration of treatment.

Centre for Neuro Skills – Irving, Texas

July 2015 – June 2017

Counselor

- Met with patients with a primary disability of a brain injury (i.e., TBI & stroke) for individual counseling one or twice a week. Provided family and couples counseling services in English and Spanish. Group counseling was provided to patients twice a week related to adjustment, spirituality, vocational, and social skills.
- Provided an integrated care approach to serving each patient and family to reduce barriers and improve quality of life and completed worksite evaluations.
- Conducted assessments such as Beck Depression Inventory-II, Beck Anxiety Inventory, Trail Making, Taylor-Johnson Temperament Analysis, and Minnesota Multiphasic Personality Inventory 2.

Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services – Fort Worth, Texas

December 2013 – July 2015

Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor

- Caseload consisted of people with a primary disability of Deafness or Hearing Loss. Career counseling
 was utilized to match a consumer with an appropriate plan for employment and services that would
 ensure goal was achieved.
- Provided and partnered with community members to ensure consumer success with adaptable equipment, assistance with finances, housing, and employment.
- Conducted presentations at high schools and community events to provide information on the agency's services and the potential outcomes of consumers with disabilities.

Bilingual Advocate

- Provided assistance with survivors of domestic violence in applying for Protective Orders in English and in Spanish.
- Phone calls were made to community agencies to identify further needs that were outside of the scope of practice.

BCFS Health and Human Services – Irving, Texas

May 2013 – October 2013

National Case Manager

- Provided services to undocumented children and their families. Provided post-release services to the minor and the families once they were released from an immigration shelter.
- Created service plans based on individualized needs for education, legal, medical, and community services that served Spanish speaking individuals.

Scholarship

Refereed Publications (Published)

- Edwards, C., **Tapia, J. L., Jr.,** Allan, R., & Taylor, S. (2025). "It was a reminder of my own freedom." Reflections on the first LGBTQ+ centered Emotionally Focused Couple Therapy Externship. *Journal of Family Therapy*, 47(2). https://doi.org/10.1111/1467-6427.12494
- **Tapia, J. L., Jr.**, Schramm, M. N., & Reyes, A. G. (2025). The spectrum of love within an interabled relationship: An interpretative phenomenological analysis. *The Family Journal*, *33*(3). 1-11. https://doi.org/10.1177/10664807251321513
- Stutey, D. M., Rogalla, K., Jaime, M., Stark, C., Burr, B., Wehrman, J., Denzler, N., & **Tapia, J. L., Jr.** (2024). Youth experiences with a therapy dog: Insights from a therapeutic mentoring program. *Society and Animals*, (1-20). https://dx.doi.org/10.1163/15685306-BJA10218
- Stark, C., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.**, & Bunch, K. (2022). The trauma-informed ethical decision-making model: An integrative framework. *Journal of Trauma Studies in Education*, *I*(1), 108-125. https://dx.doi.org/10.32674/jis.v1i1.3678
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.**, Ray, D. C., Allan, R., & Reyes, A. G. (2022). Emotionally focused therapists' experiences serving interabled couples in couple therapy: An interpretive phenomenological analysis. *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy, 1-20.* https://dx.doi.org/10.1111/jmft.12594
- Agarwal, S., Rodríguez, M., **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2022). Meeting the needs of children through telemental health: Application for rural mental health using child-parent relationship therapy. *International Journal of Play Therapy*. http://dx.doi.org/10.1037/pla0000178
- Rodríguez, M., **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L., Jr.**, Ceballos, P., & Agarwal, S. (2021). Disability-responsive adaptations: Child-parent-relationship therapy for children with disabilities. *The Family Journal: Counseling and Therapy for Couples and Families*, 1-10. https://doi.org/10.1177/1066480721992504
- Schmit, M. K., Oller, M. L., **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.**, & Schmit, E. L. (2020) A holistic client functioning profile comparison of persons with serious mental illness. *Journal of Counseling and Development*, 20(1), 3-16. https://doi.org/10.1002/jcad.12295

Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr., & Ray, D. C. (2019). Culturally and linguistically responsive play therapy: Adapting child-centered play therapy for deaf children. *International Journal of Play Therapy, 28*(2), 79-87. https://doi.org/10.1037/pla0000091

Professional Publications (Published)

- Balva, D., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2020). Working with clients with disabilities: Implications for psychotherapists. *Psychotherapy Bulletin*. Retrieved from https://societyforpsychotherapy.org/working-with-clients-with-disabilities/?fbclid=IwAR0_uu_1wTvmXXRuy74avXa0pP9U6ozS1ZolGEkGXcdvnxMB4ABtugjYWaw
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.**, & Tapia-Fuselier, N. (2019). In the age of zero tolerance immigration policies: Family separation and its impact on attachment. *Texas Association Humanistic Education and Development (TAHEAD) Newsletter*. Retrieved from https://www.txca.org/images/Divisions/TAHEAD/TAHEADNewsletter 4 1 19.pdf

Textbook (Published)

Stark C., Tapia, J. L., Jr., Rogalla, K., & (2024). Trauma Informed Ethical Decision Making Model. Springer.

Book Chapter (Published)

- **Tapia**, J. L., Jr. (2025). *Interpretative Phenomenological Analysis*. In J. C. Báez (Ed.), *Issues of equity: Key concepts in qualitative research*. Routledge.
- Baylon, L., & **Tapia**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2024). Exploring the depths of BIPOC experiences: The repercussions of individual and collective Trauma. In Stone, J., Grant, R. J., & Mellenthin, C. (Eds.) Trauma impacts: The repercussions of individual and collective trauma. Wiley
- Schramm, M. N., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.**, (2024) *Impacts of Diversity in Suicide Assessment to Prevention for Children and Adolescents Section Hispanic/Latinx*. In L. W. Backer & M. R. Cross (Eds.), *Assessing and Treating Suicidal Thinking and Behaviors in Children and Adolescents: A Play Therapy Guide for Mental Health Professionals and Educators*. Routledge.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** & Schramm, M. N., (2024) *Lifespan Development*. In M. M. Gibbons & C. Barrio-Minton (Eds.), *Case studies in counselor education*. Cognella
- Stark, C. & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2022). *University-based Therapeutic Youth Mentorship Program Quantitative Digital Citizenship Study: Adapting to the Online Environment*. In SAGE Research Methods: Doing Research Online. https://doi.org/10.4135/9781529601398

Refereed Publications (In Press)

Agarwal, S., **Tapia, J. L., Jr.**, Ray, D. C., & Follari, L. Regulating through relationship: Linking social emotional wellness to child-teacher relationship. *International Journal of Play Therapy* (IRB 2023-017-OI; Quantitative Study).

Refereed Publications (Under Review)

Manuscripts (In Progress)

- **Tapia**, J. L., Jr., Agarwal, S., Ray, D. C., & Follari, L. Regulating through relationship: Linking social emotional wellness to child-teacher relationship (IRB 2023-017-OI; Qualitative Study)
- **Tapia**, **J. L.**, **Jr.**, & Rodríguez, M. Supporting hearing parents with deaf children in child-parent relationship therapy: A phenomenological case study. (IRB 20-410; Qualitative Study)

Grants

National

Tapia-Fuselier, **J. L.**, **Jr.**, Stark, C. (Not Awarded \$2,450). Promoting disability-responsive conceptualization of clients with disabilities: An interpretive phenomenological analysis of counselors-in-training. ACES Research Grant, 2021.

State

- **Tapia, J. L., Jr.** (Principal Investigator; 2025). Adapting Hold Me Tight: Enhancing Communication and Connection in Deaf and Hard of Hearing Relationships. Colorado Commission for the Deaf, Hard of Hearing, and DeafBlind. \$49,976.00 (UNDER REVIEW)
- Stark, C. & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L., Jr.**, (Principal Investigators). 7 year fiscal note, \$956,024. Proposed Bill HB22-1158 Establish Substance Use Counseling Center Colorado Springs NOT PASSED/FUNDED (2022).

Federal

- National Institute of Health, Ableism in Therapeutic Settings: Addressing Health Disparities in Mental Health Services for the Disability Community (2023). **Tapia, J. L., Jr. (Primary Investigator)**, Adamson, B., Stark, C., Hunter, T., & Allan, R. \$600,000.00 (NOT FUNDED)
- Special Education Research Grants Program, Institute of Education Sciences through the US Department of Education (2023). Follari, L., **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L., Jr. (co-investigator)**, Long, S. \$4,000,000.00 (NOT FUNDED)
- Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) Integrated Treatment Integrated Substance Use Disorder Training Program (ISTP) HRSA-23-090 (2023). Stark, C., Wehrman, J., Stutey, D., **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr**., Rogalla, K. (co-investigators). The Substance Use and Recovery Counseling Integrated Treatment Training (SURCITT) Program, \$2,529,946. (NOT FUNDED)

Foundation

Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr., & Adamson, B. (Submitted \$20,000) Navigating interabled romance: Implementation and feasibility evaluation of an adapted-hold me tight program (2023). American Psychological Foundation – Visionary Grant (NOT FUNDED)

- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.**, & Follari, L. (Submitted \$267,233; **Awarded \$100,000**). Regulating through relationship: Linking social emotional wellness to child-teacher relationship. Early Milestones Colorado, Community Innovation Resilience for Care and Learning Equity (CIRCLE) Grant program, 2022.
- Stark, C., **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.**, Stutey, D., Wehrman, J., Severn, K., Rogalla, K., & Cammell, M. The Counseling, Coaching, Consulting, and Relationship Enhancement (C3ARE) Center: Pioneering Equitable & Sustainable Access to Behavioral Health Services, \$453,477. Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Pioneering Ideas: Exploring the Future to Build a Culture of Health NOT FUNDED (2021, October).

Institution

- Adamson, B.C. (PI), Bauer, A., Britt, V., Haan, K., Kasa, C., Kirby, J., **Tapia, J.**, & Twete, J. (2024). Development and Implementation of Disability-Competency Training at Campus Recreation: Inclusive Community Exercise Training (ICET) @UCCS. University of Colorado President's Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Grant 2024. (**Awarded \$8,000**).
- **Tapia, J. L., Jr.** & Adamson, B. Ableism in Therapeutic Settings: Addressing Health Disparities in Mental Health Services for the Disability Community (2024). Committee on Research and Creative Works \$12, 982. (Awarded \$12,982)
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** Disability voices in individual, relationship, and family counseling qualitative impact study (2023). Faculty Revitalization Fellowship Program- NOT FUNDED.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (Awarded \$603). Teaching enhancement grant. Faculty Assembly Committee on Teaching, sponsored by Office of the Provost. University of Colorado Colorado Springs (2022).
- Stark, C., Stutey, D., Wehrman, J., **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** & Rogalla, K. (Principal Investigators). The Counseling and Relationship Enhancement (CARE) Center: Addressing the Opioid Epidemic through Multi-level Substance Use Prevention and Treatment. \$1,647,905 Proposal submitted to University of Colorado Colorado Springs (UCCS) Donors UNDER REVIEW (2022).
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (**Awarded \$500**). Supporting interabled romance in counseling. Faculty Minority Affairs Committee, 2022.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.**, & Adamson, B. (**Awarded \$500**). MOVE MS emotional wellness pilot group model. Faculty Assembly Women's Committee, 2022.
- Stark, C., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** Mental Health First Aid Toolkits for Counselors-in-Training in the COUN 5550 Crisis Counseling, Disaster, and Trauma Work Course, \$694.33. University of Colorado Colorado Springs Teaching Enhancement Grant NOT FUNDED (2021).

Fellowships, Awards, & Scholarships

Fellowships

NBCC Minority Fellowship Award for Doctoral Mental Health Counselors (Awarded \$20,000) 2019 – 2020

Awards

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ARCA Doctoral Student of The Year Award	April 2021
ACA Arthur A. Hitchcock Distinguished Professional Service Award	March 2021
ICP Outstanding Student Poster Presentation Award	December 2020
ACES Outstanding Graduate Student Leadership Award	October 2020
NBCC Minority Fellowship Award for Doctoral Mental Health Counselors	2019 - 2020
Outstanding Doctoral Student Award - Chi Sigma Iota: Rho Kappa Chapter	April 2018
Outstanding Service to Chapter Award - Chi Sigma Iota: Rho Kappa Chapter	April 2017

Scholarships

Dr. Diana C. Valdez Counseling Scholarship – College of Education	2018 - 2019
Michael and Ruthie Altekruse Scholarship – College of Education	2018 - 2019
TACES Scholarship (\$500) Awarded	2018 - 2019

Teaching Experience
University of Colorado Colorado Springs, Colorado Springs, Colorado Department of Counseling and Human Services

Instructor of Record

COUN 5130 Relationship and Family Counseling, Instructor	June 2025 – July 2025
COUN 5130 Relationship and Family Counseling, <i>Instructor</i>	June 2025 – July 2025
COUN 5100 Theories and Techniques of Group Counseling, Co-Instructor	January 2025 – May 2025
COUN 5720 Internship in Clinical Mental Health Counseling, <i>Instructor</i>	January 2025 – May 2025
COUN 3850 Therapeutic Play, Instructor	January 2025 – May 2025
COUN 5140 Child and Adolescent Counseling, <i>Instructor</i>	August 2024 – December 2024
COUN 5950 Roles and Functions of Clinical Mental Health, <i>Instructor</i>	August 2024 – December 2024
COUN 5720 Internship in Clinical Mental Health Counseling, <i>Instructor</i>	August 2024 – December 2024
COUN 5040 Human Growth and Development, <i>Instructor</i>	July 2024 – August 2024
COUN 5570 Play Therapy and Child Counseling, <i>Instructor</i>	June 2024 – July 2024
COUN 5100 Theories and Techniques of Group Counseling, Co-Instructor	January 2024 – May 2024
COUN 5120 Practicum in Professional Counseling, <i>Instructor</i>	January 2024 – May 2024
COUN 5720 Internship in Clinical Mental Health Counseling, <i>Instructor</i>	January 2024 – May 2024
COUN 5720 Internship in Clinical Mental Health Counseling, <i>Instructor</i>	August 2023 – December 2023
COUN 5950 Roles and Functions of Clinical Mental Health, <i>Instructor</i>	August 2023 – December 2023
COUN 5040 Human Growth and Development, Instructor	July 2023 – August 2023
COUN 5570 Play Therapy and Child Counseling, <i>Instructor</i>	June 2023 – July 2023
COUN 5720 Internship in Clinical Mental Health Counseling, <i>Instructor</i>	January 2023 – May 2023
COUN 5100 Theories and Techniques of Group Counseling, Co-Instructor	January 2023 – May 2023
COUN 5020 Laboratory in Individual Counseling, Co-Instructor	August 2022 – December 2022
COUN 5720 Internship in Clinical Mental Health Counseling, <i>Instructor</i>	August 2022 – December 2022
COUN 5040 Human Growth and Development, <i>Instructor</i>	July 2022 – August 2022
COUN 5130 Theories and Techniques of Marriage, Family Counseling, Instruct	or January 2022 – May 2022
COUN 5120 Practicum in Professional Counseling, Instructor	January 2022 – May 2022
COUN 5410 Measurement and Appraisal, Instructor	August 2021 – December 2021
COUN 5020 Laboratory in Individual Counseling, Co-Instructor	July 2021 – August 2021
COUN 5040 Human Growth and Development, <i>Instructor</i>	July 2021 – August 2021
COUN 5550 Crisis Counseling, Trauma, and Disaster Work, Instructor	June 2021 – July 2021
COUN 3000 Culturally Informed Treatment, Instructor	January 2021 – May 2021
COUN 5120 Practicum in Professional Counseling, Instructor	January 2021 – May 2021
	Updated April 26, 2025

COUN 4950 Practicum in Human Services, <i>Instructor</i>	January 2021 – May 2021
COUN 3110 Interviewing and Mediation, <i>Instructor</i>	January 2021 – May 2021
COUN 3500 Group Dynamics and Group Process, <i>Instructor</i>	January 2021 – May 2021
COUN 5410 Measurement and Appraisal, Instructor	August 2020 – December 2020
COUN 3110 Interviewing and Mediation, <i>Instructor</i>	August 2020 – December 2020
COUN 3500 Group Dynamics and Group Process, Instructor	August 2020 – December 2020
COUN 5020 Laboratory in Individual Counseling, Co-Instructor	July 2020 – August 2020
COUN 5040 Human Growth and Development, Instructor	July 2020 – August 2020

University of North Texas, Denton, Texas,

Department of Counseling and Higher Education; Department of Rehabilitation and Health Services

Instructor of Record

RHAB 5811 Practicum, <i>Instructor</i>	January 2022 – May 2022
RHAB 5812 Internship, Instructor	August 2021 – December 2021
COUN 3600 Therapeutic Play, Instructor	January 2020 – May 2020

Co-instructor

COUN 5590 Couple Counseling, <i>Co-instructor</i>	January 2020 – May 2020
COUN 5480 Diagnosis and Treatment Planning in Counseling, Co-instructor	August 2019 – December 2019
COUN 5610 Addiction Counseling, Co-instructor	June 2019 – August 2019

Teaching Assistant

COUN 5590 Couple Counseling, Teacher Assistant	January 2019 – May 2019
RHAB 5722 Advanced Counseling Techniques in Rehabilitation Counseling	June 2018 – August 2018
Teacher Assistant	
COUN 5610 Addiction Counseling, Teacher Assistant	June 2018 – August 2018
COUN 5680 Basic Counseling Skills, Teacher Assistant	January 2018 – May 2018
COUN 5710 Counseling Theories, Teacher Assistant	August 2017 – December 2017

Guest Speaker

COUN 6220 Counseling Principles and Process I, Guest Lecturer	November 2020
COUN 3600 Therapeutic Play, Guest Lecturer	April 2020
COUN 5480 Diagnosis and Treatment Planning in Counseling, Guest Lecturer	January 2020
COUN 3600 Therapeutic Play, Guest Lecturer	November 2019
RHAB 5700 Introduction to Rehabilitation Counseling, Guest Lecturer	October 2019
COUN 4620 Interpersonal Skills in Helping Relationships, Guest Lecturer	September 2019
COUN 5590 Couple Counseling, Guest Lecturer	March 2019
RHAB 5700 Introduction to Rehabilitation Counseling, Guest Lecturer	October 2018
COUN 5610 Addiction Counseling, Guest Lecturer	July 2018
COUN 5710 Counseling Theories, Guest Lecturer	November 2017
RHAB 5700 Introduction to Rehabilitation Counseling, Guest Lecturer	November 2017
RHAB 5734 Psychopathology in Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling, Guest Lecturer	November 2017
RHAB 5734 Psychopathology in Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling, Guest Lecturer	October 2017
RHAB 5740 Rehabilitation Assessment, Guest Lecturer	November 2016

Supervision Experience

Center for Cognitive Health, Colorado Springs, Colorado Supervisor

June 2022 – Present

- Supervising six licensed professional counselor-candidates through their clinical development and client care.
- Assess supervisees clinical skills through assessments, recorded sessions, and review of clinical documents.

University of Colorado Colorado Springs, Colorado Springs, Colorado Department Counseling and Human Services

University Supervision

COUN 5720 Internship in Clinical Mental Health Counseling, Supervisor	August 2024 – December 2024
COUN 5720 Internship in Clinical Mental Health Counseling, Supervisor	January 2024 – May 2024
COUN 5120 Practicum in Clinical Mental Health Counseling, Supervisor	January 2024 – May 2024
COUN 5720 Internship in Clinical Mental Health Counseling, Supervisor	August 2023 – December 2023
COUN 5720 Internship in Clinical Mental Health Counseling, Supervisor	January 2023 – May 2023
COUN 5720 Internship in Clinical Mental Health Counseling, Supervisor	August 2022 – December 2022
COUN 5020 Laboratory in Individual Counseling, Co-Supervisor	August 2022 – December 2022
COUN 3110 Interviewing and Mediation Skills, Supervisor	August 2020 – December 2020
COUN 3500 Group Dynamics and Group Process, Supervisor	August 2020 – December 2020

University of North Texas, Denton, Texas,

Department of Counseling and Higher Education; Department of Rehabilitation and Health Services

Supervision

COUN 5690 Practicum, Supervisor	August 2019 – December 2019
COUN 5721 Internship II, Supervisor	June 2019 – August 2019
COUN 5000 Filial/Family Therapy, Supervisor	February 2019 – May 2019
RHAB 5811 Practicum, Supervisor	January 2019 – May 2019
COUN 5690 Practicum, Supervisor	August 2018 – December 2018
RHAB 5811 Practicum, Supervisor	June 2018 – August 2018
RHAB 5722 Advanced Techniques in Rehabilitation Counseling, Supervisor	June 2018 – August 2018
COUN 5660 Advanced Counseling Skills, Supervisor	June 2018 – August 2018
COUN 5660 Advanced Counseling Skills, Supervisor	January 2018 – May 2018
COUN 5680 Basic Counseling Skills, Supervisor	January 2018 – May 2018

Presentations

Conference Presentations (International)

- Balva, D., **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.**, & Mandas, P. (2021, September). *Centering disability justice in supervisory practices: Exploring barriers to disability competencies in supervision*. Presented (online) at the International Council of Psychologists (ICP).
- Balva, D., **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.**, & Mandas, P. (2021, September). *Disability justice: Dismantling ableist practices in the field of psychology*. Presented (online) at the ICP.

Balva, D., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2020, December). *The response to COVID-19: The impact on disability communities across the world.* Presented (online) at the ICP.

Conference Presentations (National)

- **Tapia**, J. L., Jr. (2025, April). *The secure base: Exploring attachment in the supervisory relationship.* Presented at CSI Virtual One-Day Conference.
- Ausloos, C. D., **Tapia, J. L., Jr.**, & Spears, R. (2024, October). *Responding with cultural humility and advocacy for LGBTQ+ persons with disabilities*. Presented at SAIGE in Golden, CO.
- Agarwal, S., & **Tapia**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2024). A humanistic approach to addressing gatekeeping: Navigating accessibility and accommodations. Presented at AHC virtually.
- **Tapia**, J. L., Jr., Lollar, S., McKinney, R., Lamar, M., Christiansen, K., & Mpofu, N. (2023). *RMACES student lounge: Faculty positions in counselor education*. Presented at ACES in Denver, CO.
- **Tapia, J. L., Jr.**, Lollar, S., McKinney, R. (2023). *RMACES student lounge: Creating a strong CV*. Presented at ACES in Denver, CO.
- **Tapia, J. L., Jr.** & Schramm, M. N. (2023). *Ableism in counselor education and supervision: Addressing barriers and responsive practices.* Presented at ACES in Denver, CO.
- **Tapia**, J. L., Jr., Schramm, M. N., & Lollar, S. (2023). *Ableism in counseling practice: Disability-responsive practices for counselors and supervisors*. Presented at AHC in Aurora, CO.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** & Schramm, M. N., & Rodriguez-Delgado, M. (2023). *Ableism in therapy: Disability-responsive practices in relationship counseling.* Presented at ACA in Toronto, CA.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** & Schramm, M. N. (2023) *Ableism in therapy: A humanistic approach to addressing ableism in counseling practice.* Presented at ACA in Toronto, CA.
- Stark, C., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2022, February). *Ethically responsive treatment of gender-diverse clients with disabilities*. Presented (online) at Law and Ethics Counseling Conference.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.,** Sacco-Bene, C., & Balva, D. (2021, October). *The ableist mindset: Exploring barriers and best practices to integrating disability competencies into counselor education and supervision*. Presented at the Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (ACES), Atlanta, Georgia.
- Stutey, D., Cureton, J., Severn, K., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2021, October). Leveraging suicide protective factors in school settings: Implications for counselor educators and supervisors. Presented at the ACES, Atlanta, Georgia.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.**, Balva, D., & Sacco-Bene, C. (2021, March). *Creating space in the classroom: Exploring power, privilege, and inclusion of disability.* Presented (online) at American Counseling Association (ACA).

- Balva, D., **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.**, & Mandas, P. A. (2021, March). *Supervising counselors-in-training with disabilities: What our profession needs to know*. Sponsored by American Rehabilitation Counseling Association (ARCA) presented (online) at ACA.
- Stark, C., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2021, March). *Ethically responsive treatment of gender-diverse clients with disabilities*. Presented (online) at Law and Ethics in Counseling Conference.
- Robinson, K., Vaishnav, S., Backer, A., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L., Jr.** (2021, March). *Social justice, advocacy, and inclusion strategies for graduate students and new professional.* Presented (online) at ACA.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2020, July). *Enhancing relational bonds: Conducting group therapy with interabled couples.* Presented (online) at the National Council for Rehabilitation Education (NCRE).
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.**, Balva, D. (2020, July). Advancing as a student: Preparing for certification exam and conference preparation. Presented (online) at the NCRE.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.**, Robinson, H. (2019, October). *Can we work together? Navigating cross-theory supervision*. Presented at ACES, Seattle, Washington.
- Wehrman, J. D., Burgin, E., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2019, July). *Never shall I fail my comrades:*Addressing moral injury with military and first responder personnel. Presented at the Association for Spiritual, Ethical, and Religious Values in Counseling (ASERVIC), Colorado Springs, Colorado.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.**, Malacara, A. (2019, June). *Sex therapy with interabled couples: An intersectional approach*. Presented at the American Association Sexuality Educators, Counselors and Therapists (AASECT), Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- Waddington, A., Robino, A., **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.**, Vaishnav, S., & McKenna (2019, March). *Survival tips for graduate students and new professionals*. Presented at ACA, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Conference Presentations (Regional)

- Carnes-Holt, K., & **Tapia**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2024, September). *Expressive arts as a facilitative practice in clinical supervision*. Presented at Rocky Mountain Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (RMACES), Whitefish, Montana.
- **Tapia, J. L., Jr.** (2024, September). Ableism in therapeutic settings: Addressing health disparities in mental health services for the disability community. Presented at Rocky Mountain Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (RMACES), Whitefish, Montana.
- Schramm, M. N., & **Tapia**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2024, September). *Graduate Student Lounge Panel*. Presented at Presented at Rocky Mountain Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (RMACES), Whitefish, Montana.
- Notestine, L., **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** & Schramm, M. N. (2022, October). *Addressing violence in the room: Considerations for EFT with relationships experiencing IPV*. Presented at Rocky Mountain Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (RMACES), Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** & Schramm, M. N. (2022, October). *Ableism in counseling practice: Disability*responsive practices for counselors, counselor educators, and supervisors. Presented at Rocky Mountain Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (RMACES), Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.**, & Rodríguez, M. (2018, October). *Enhancing the diverse learner experience: Training in consejeria bilingüe*. Presented at Southern Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (SACES), Myrtle Beach, South Carolina.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.**, Butts, C. M. (2018, October). *First timer's session*. Presented at SACES, Myrtle Beach, South Carolina.

Conference Presentations (State)

- Cartwright, A., Ceballos, P., **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L., Jr.**, Carey, C., & Amundson, J. (2019, February). *Cultivating equity: Two grant projects for clinically underserved communities.* Presented at Texas Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (TACES), Dallas, Texas.
- Robinson, H., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2019, February). *Blurred lines: Addressing sticky situations in counselor education and supervision*. Presented at TACES, Dallas, Texas.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.**, & Rodríguez, M. (2018, March). *Implications for bilingual counselor training and supervision*. Presented at TACES, Austin, Texas.

Conference Presentations (Local)

- Agarwal, S., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2019, February). *Utilizing research to inform clinical practice: Tips and tricks to integrating research and advocating for clients*. Presented at CSI/UNT CSJ 2nd Annual Conference, Denton, Texas.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2018, February). *Progressing in multicultural and social justice counseling competencies: A discussion on ability status.* Presented at Chi Sigma Iota: Rho Kappa One-Day Conference at the University of North Texas, Denton, Texas.
- Reyes, A. G., Rodríguez, M., Allen, N., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2018, February). *Beyond the counseling room: Meeting the needs of undocumented Latinx clients*. Presented at Chi Sigma Iota: Rho Kappa One-Day Conference at the University of North Texas, Denton, Texas.

Invited Guest Speaking Presentations

- **Tapia, J. L., Jr.** (2025, March). *Addressing Ableism in Mental Health*. Presented virtually for the Niagara University Counseling Program Multicultural Course.
- **Tapia**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2025, January). *A Humanistic Approach to Addressing Ableism*. Presented to SAGE Publications, Ltd. https://sk.sagepub.com/video/skpromo/NRHIzB/a-humanistic-approach-to-addressing-ableism
- **Tapia**, J. L., Jr. (2024, October). Supporting Families with Deaf/Hard-of-Hearing Children in CPRT. Presented at the Center for Play Therapy Multicultural Series.

- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2023, March). *Disability-Responsive Practices for Serving Interabled Couples in Counseling*. Presented at Denver Family Institute MFT 623: Couples Studies III: Couples and Emotions.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2022, September). *Interpretative Phenomenological Analysis*. Presented at University of North Texas COUN 6120 Qualitative Methods.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2022, March). *Ethical and Clinical Considerations for Career Counseling in Schools and Community*. Presented at University of Texas at Tyler COUN 5335 Career Counseling & Assessment.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2022, March). *Working With Students With Disabilities and Mental Health Needs.*Presented at University of Texas at Tyler COUN 5344 Advanced Principles of School Counseling.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2022, February). Sex Therapy and Interabled Relationships: Consideration for Clinicians. Presented at Rollins College CPY 601 Human Sexuality: Therapy, Counseling Theory, and Techniques.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2021, November). *Emotionally Focused Therapists Experiences Serving Interabled Couples in Couple Therapy: An Interpretive Phenomenological Analysis.* Presented at Roosevelt University.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2021, February). *Implications for Interabled Couples in Counseling*. Presented at Denver Family Institute MFT 623: Couples Studies III: Couples and Emotions.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2021, February). *Implications for Interabled Couples in Counseling*. Presented at UC Denver Graduate School of Social Work SOWK 4505: Relationship Therapy.
- Bennett, C. M., **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.**, Petion, G., & Morton, F. (2020, November). *Professional Practice with Diverse Clients*. Presented at Wake Forest University CNS 335: Diversity in Helping Professions.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2020, November). *Disability and Ableism*. Presented at University of North Texas COUN 2620: Diversity and Cultural Awareness.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2020, November). *Family and Disability: Consideration for Clinicians*. Presented at Rollins College CPY 550 Dynamics of Marriage, Relationship, and Family Systems.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2020, September). *Disability and Gender Identity*. Presented at University of Georgia ECHD 4010: The Development and Experience of Gender Identity in the US.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2020, September). *Child Parent Relationship Therapy*. Presented at UCCS COUN 5570: Play Therapy and Child Counseling.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.,** & Montana, A. (2020, June). *The impact of COVID-19 on children with disabilities.*Presented at Denton County Friends of the Family (online)
- Ceballos, P. L., Rodríguez, M., **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.**, & Reyes, A. G. (2019, December) *Terapia de juego centrada en niños*. Presented at Departamento de Trabajo Social Inter Metro at San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Cartwright, A. D., Ceballos, P. L., Carey, C. D., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2019, January). *Creating and cultivating equity: Grant writing and medically underserved communities*. Presented for Association for Multicultural Counseling and Development.

Community Presentations/Trainings/Workshops

- **Tapia, J. L., Jr.** (2025, June). *CCPT 101*. Provided 12-hour training to students in the DCHS Master program in CMHC/SC.
- **Tapia**, J. L., Jr., & Carnes-Holt, K. (2025, May). *CCPT 101*. Provided 12-hour training in Lakewood, Colorado.
- Ausloos, C., **Tapia**, **J. L.**, **Jr.**, Gorritz, F. (2025, March). *Ethical Advocacy*. Provided 2-hour webinar for Upsilon Nu Mu Chapter from the University of New Mexico.
- **Tapia**, J. L., Jr. (2024, October). Supporting hearing parents of Deaf and HOH children in CPRT. Provided 3-hour training for the Center for Play Therapy.
- **Tapia, J. L., Jr.**, & Carnes-Holt, K. (2024, August). *CCPT 101*. Provided 12-hour training in Colorado Springs, Colorado.
- **Tapia**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2024, April). *Self as a therapeutic factor*. Keynote at the University of Montana Chi Sigma Iota Conference in Missoula, Montana.
- **Tapia**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2023, September). *Serving interabled relationships: Considerations for sex and relationship therapy.* 3-hour Workshop conducted for School of Sexual Health.
- **Tapia**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2023, May). *Disability-responsive practice in counseling*. Training conduced at Denver Family Institute, Denver, CO.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2023, April). *Self-of-the-therapist in counseling*. Keynote at the Colorado Counseling Association Student Conference in Lakewood, CO.
- Agarwal, S., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2023, January). *Child-Teacher Relationship Training*. Training conducted at CPCD HeadStart Program.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2022, November). *Disability-responsive practices for serving people across the lifespan*. Training facilitated by Center for Innovations and Resources, Inc. Paid Presentation.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2022, November). *Ableism in the space between: Disability-responsive practices for couple and relationship counseling.* Presented at City University of Seattle Counseling Program. Paid Presentation.
- Agarwal, S., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2022, September). *Child-Teacher Relationship Training*. Training conducted at CPCD HeadStart Program.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2022, April). *Cultivating Disability-Responsive Academic Spaces*. Presented at Roosevelt University College of Education. Paid Presentation.

- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2022, May). *Interabled relationships and sex therapy*. Presentation at the Emotionally Focused Therapy Colorado Springs Consultation Group virtually in Colorado Springs, Colorado.
- Chan, C. D., Cartwright, A. D., Ceballos, P. L., Carey, C. D., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2020, June). *Multicultural Training in Integrated Care and Behavioral Health*. Presented at ICBH Summer Training.
- Ceballos, P. L., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2019, June). *Immigration integration and translation services in mental health counseling*. Presented at ICBH Summer Integrated Care and Multicultural Training.
- **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.** (2017, November). *What's next? Professional development panel.* Panelist for Chi Sigma Iota: Rho Kappa at the University of North Texas, Denton, Texas.
- **Tapia, J. L., Jr.** (2017, March). *Coping skills after having a stroke*. Presentation at the Stroke Support Group at the University of North Texas, Denton, Texas.
- **Tapia**, J. L., Jr. (2016, June). *Navigating return to work opportunities and social security after stroke*. Presentation at Baylor Scott and White Medical Center, Irving, Texas.

Audio/Visual Products (Published)

- De Bruin, B., Evans, R., & **Tapia**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2025, June). Supporting people with disabilities starts with access. The Family Express. https://open.spotify.com/show/1lyQFS4cCkCjeSZ9WSTFoB
- Taqui, A. & **Tapia**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2025, February). *The power of embracing your full embodied self*. Deconstructing Therapy. https://open.spotify.com/episode/4xcSklvJMUUpTDHYyI3204?si=wsecTrOvQAi243HenJWtEA
- Baylon, L. & **Tapia**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2024, December). *Disability responsive practices*. A Hero's Welcome Podcast. https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/a-heros-welcome-podcast/id1728725348?i=1000679363444
- Litam, S. D., & **Tapia-Fuselier J. L., Jr.** (2021, December). *Counseling interabled relationships*. The Thoughtful Counselor Podcast. https://luminarypodcasts.com/listen/mike-shook/the-thoughtful-counselor/ep212-counseling-interabled-partners/2ee0d81c-e911-4597-ba33-1f56b5671ed6?country=US
- Ausloos, C., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2019, October). *Graduate student reception live!* ACES Podcast Channel. Podcast. https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/aces-podcast-channel/id1476322538?i=1000453296059
- Fairfax, J., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2019, October). *Interabled Relationships*. Marriaging: Communication, intimacy, authentic relationships. Podcast. https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/interabled-relationships-jose-luis-tapia-fuselier-jr/id1480583462?i=1000461099040&fbclid=IwAR2qcWms-2ZxgJY4uBsmMJ7ZAVu9fItLS51z2PbnqTdHHIcDrDDUdqGZ_SM
- Marder, S., Ausloos, C., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L., Jr.** (2019, October). *Finding your people*. Grad School Deconstructed. Podcast. https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/grad-school-deconstructed/id1448620629?i=1000452510601

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- Moali, N., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L., Jr.** (2019, October). *Sex and disability*. Sexology Podcast. Podcast. https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/sexology/id1193611459?i=1000454426253
- Jencius, M., **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L., Jr.**, & Bowser, T. (2019, August). *Graduate student activities on the road to ACES2019*. ACES Podcast Channel. Podcast. https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/aces002-graduate-student-activities-on-road-to-aces2019/id1476322538?i=1000450180325
- Ortiz, M., & **Tapia-Fuselier**, **J. L.**, **Jr.** (2019, March). *Pursuing a PhD and interabled couples*. Café with Monica. Podcast. https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/café-with-monica/id1459770612?i=1000440662995
- Ray, D., McClintock, D., **Tapia-Fuselier, J. L., Jr.**, & Robinson, H. (2019, February). *Tarzan*. Play in the Everyday. Podcast. https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/play-in-the-everyday/id1352020732?i=1000430740728

University of North Texas, Department of Rehabilitation and Health Services (2017). Retrieved from https://rhs.hps.unt.edu/rehabcounseling

Service and Leadership

International

Interpersona: An International Journal on Personal Relationships, Ad Hoc Reviewer
International Journal for Play Therapy, Board Reviewer
The Thoughtful Counselor Podcast, Host

April 2025
March 2019 – Present
November 2024 – Present

National

ACES Conference 2025, Track Lead-Leadership and Advocacy	March 2025
ACES Conference 2025, Reviewer	March 2025
Journal of LGBT Issues in Counseling, Invited Reviewer	November 2024
ACES Counseling Advisory Committee, Committee Member	July 2023 – Present
ACES Nominations and Elections Committees, Committee Member	July 2023 – July 2024
ACES Accessibility Committee, Committee Member	May 2023 – October 2023
ACA Conference 2024, Reviewer	August 2023
ACES Conference 2023, Reviewer	March 2023
Qualitative Health Research, Ad Hoc Reviewer	August 2022
ACA Conference 2023, Reviewer	June 2022
ACA Conference 2022, Reviewer	August 2021
ACES Graduate Student Representative, Committee Member	July 2020 – June 2021
ACES Bylaws and Resolutions Committee, Committee Member	July 2021 – June 2022
ACES Conference 2021, Reviewer	March 2021
Journal of Counseling and Development, Invited Reviewer	March 2021
Journal of Humanistic Counseling, Invited Reviewer	October 2020
ARCA, Student Committee Chair	July 2019 – June 2022
ACES, Graduate Student Representative – Past	June 2021 – July 2022
ACES, Graduate Student Representative	July 2020 – June 2021
ACES Graduate Student Committee, Chair	July 2020 – June 2021
ACES Finance and Budget Committee, Committee Member	June 2020 – June 2021
ACA Graduate Student Committee-Professional Development, Co-chair	January 2020 – July 2021
NCRE Spring Conference 2020, Reviewer	November 2019

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AASECT 2020 Conference, Reviewer	October 2019
NCRE, Scholarship Reviewer	September 2019
ACES, Search Committee Member	July 2019
ACES, Graduate Student Representative-Designee	June 2019 – July 2020
NCRE, Student Representative	April 2019 – April 2021
ACA 2019 Conference, Volunteer	March 2019
ACES 2019 Conference, Reviewer	February 2019
AASECT 2019 Conference, Reviewer	October 2018
ACA Graduate Student Committee, Committee Member	July 2018 – June 2021
ACES Research Grant Award Committee, Committee Member and Reviewer	July 2018 – October 2018
Evolution of Psychotherapy Conference, Volunteer	December 2017
Evolution of 1 Sychotherapy Conference, * outlineer	December 2017
Regional	
Rocky Mountain ACES (RMACES), Past-President	June 2023 – July 2024
SACES Awards Review Committee, Reviewer	August 2022
RMACES, President	June 2022 – July 2023
RMACES, Conference Coordinator Chair	March 2022 – October 2022
SACES Emerging Leader Program, Reviewer	May 2022
SACES Awards Review Committee, Reviewer	August 2021
RMACES, President-Elect	July 2021 – June 2022
SACES Awards Review Committee, Reviewer	August 2020
SACES Emerging Leader Program, Co-coordinator	May 2020 – June 2022
SACES 2020 Conference, Reviewer	February 2020
SACES Awards Review Committee, Reviewer	September 2019
SACES Graduate Student Committee, <i>Co-Chair</i>	July 2019 – June 2020
SACES, Graduate Student Representative	July 2018 – June 2019
SACES 2018 Conference, Volunteer	October 2018
SACES Awards Review Committee, Reviewer	September 2018
SACES Research and Practice Grants 2018-2019, Reviewer	August 2018
SACES 2018 Conference, Reviewer	February 2018
<u>State</u>	·
Deaf DOVE, Interim President	February 2025 – Present
Deaf DOVE, Vice President	March 2023 – February 2025
Colorado Center for EFT Core Skills, Clinical Volunteer	May – December 2022
Colorado Center for EFT Externship, Clinical Volunteer	February 2022
Colorado Center for EFT Externship, Clinical Volunteer	June 2021
TACES Mid-Winter 2019 Conference, Reviewer	January 2019

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Deaf DOVE, Vice President	March 2023 – February 2025
Colorado Center for EFT Core Skills, Clinical Volunteer	May – December 2022
Colorado Center for EFT Externship, Clinical Volunteer	February 2022
Colorado Center for EFT Externship, Clinical Volunteer	June 2021
TACES Mid-Winter 2019 Conference, Reviewer	January 2019
TAHEAD, Emerging Leader	July 2018 – June 2019
Texas Academy of Audiology Conference, Volunteer	March 2015
Texas Rehabilitation Association Network Conference, Volunteer	October 2014

University of Colorado Colorado Springs (UCCS)

DCHS Tenure Track Search Committee, Committee Member	October 2024 – April 2025
DCHS Tenure Track Search Committee, Chair	November 2023 – April 2024
DCHS Tenure Track Search Committee, Committee Member	October 2022 – January 2023
DCHS Tenure Track Search Committee, Committee Member	October 2021 – April 2022

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DCHS Curriculum Sequence Committee, Chair	August 2021 – November 2021
(Dis)Ability and Access Committee CU Level, Committee Member	June 2021 – August 2022
Chi Upsilon Sigma Iota Chapter, Faculty Advisor	June 2021 – May 2025
Faculty Assembly Committee on Disability, Committee Member	September 2020 – Present
College of Education Marketing Committee, Chair	August 2024 – May 2025
College of Education Curriculum Committee, Committee Member	August 2023 – August 2024
College of Education Innovations and Technology, Committee Member	September 2020 – August 2021

University of North Texas (UNT)

Rehabilitation and Health Services Department Career Panel, Organizer/Modera	ator September 2019
CSI: Rho Kappa Chapter Annual Conference, Conference Chair	August 2018 – February 2019
EFT Externship, Clinical Volunteer	October 2018
Center for Play Therapy Summer Institute, Volunteer	June 2018
UNT Counseling Program, Evaluator	January 2018
CSI: Rho Kappa Chapter One-Day 2018 Conference, Reviewer	December 2017
UNT Counseling Program, Evaluator	November 2017
CSI: Rho Kappa Chapter, Rehabilitation Representative	August 2017 – June 2019
Pathways for Allied Health Success, UNT, Mentor	January 2016 – August 2017

Specialized Training

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Psychosocial Oncology Knowledge and Skills Certificate – Virtual	September 2024
Center for Play Therapy Train the Trainers Program – Denton, Tx	June 2022
Child-Centered Play Therapy (CCPT) 101: Basics in CCPT – Virtual	April 2022
Emotionally Focused Individual Therapy (EFIT), Level 2 – Virtual	September 2021
EFT in a Time of Racial Reckoning – Virtual	April 2021
EFIT, Level 1 – Virtual	February 2021
EFIT Introduction – Southern Nevada EFT	May 2020
Telehealth for Mental Health Professionals – PESI, Inc.	April 2020
EFT, Working with High Conflict Couples – Houston, TX	November 2019
EFT, Core Skills 3 & 4 – New Orleans, LA	September 2019
Emotionally Focused Family Therapy – Portland, OR	September 2019
EFT, Core Skills 1 & 2 – New Orleans, LA	June 2019
Attachment Centered Play Therapy – Center for Play Therapy Institute, Denton, TX	June 2019
Sexual Attitude Reassessment (SAR) – AASECT, Philadelphia, PA	June 2019
SAR Fatness – AASECT, Philadelphia, PA	June 2019
Group Play Therapy Workshop – UNT, Denton, TX	October 2018
EFT, Externship – Austin, TX	June 2018

Professional Development

RMACES Conference	September 2024
ACES Conference	October 2023
AHC Conference	May 2023
ACA Conference	March 2023
RMACES Conference	October 2022
ACES Conference	October 2021
ACA Conference	April 2021
NCRE Conference	June 2020
ACES Conference	October 2019

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ASERVIC Conference	July 2019	
AASECT Conference	June 2019	
ACA Conference	April 2019	
TACES Conference	February 2019	
SACES Conference	October 2018	
American Counseling Association	April 2018	
TACES Conference	March 2018	
Evolution of Psychotherapy	December 2017	
National Association of Multicultural Rehabilitation Concerns	June 2017	
Behavior Tools Practitioner Course	March 2017	
Memory, Forgetfulness and the Brain	March 2017	
Code of Ethics: Exploring the 2017 Code	November 2016	
Multicultural Counseling Competency: Discrimination Related to Gender	October 2016	
U.S. Journal Training Counseling Skills Annual Conference	September 2016	
UT Southwestern Cardiovascular Symposium	February 2016	
Professional Assault Crisis Training	August 2015	
American Academy of Audiology Conference	February 2015	
Membership		
Association for Play Therapy – <i>Member</i>	February 2021	
Colorado Counseling Association – Member	February 2021	
Colorado Association for Play Therapy – <i>Member</i>	February 2021	
Rocky Mountain Association for Counselor Education and Supervision – Member	June 2020	
American Counseling Association – Member	June 2017	
Association for Counselor Education and Supervision – Member	November 2017	
American Rehabilitation Counseling Association – Member	June 2017	
Chi Sigma Iota International – Member	October 2017	
International Center for Excellence in Emotionally Focused Therapy – Member	August 2019	
Southern Association for Counselor Education and Supervision – Member	October 2017	