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**EDUCATION\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

2007 Fordham University New York, NY

**Masters in Social Work (MSW)**

1998 Brooklyn College Brooklyn, NY

**Bachelor of Science (BS) Psychology**

**LICENSURE, CERTIFICATES AND TRAINING\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

* Licensed Master Social Work – 2011
* Parenting Journey Facilitator – 2011
* Opioid Addiction - 2020
* Managing Crisis Situations– 2020
* Child Trauma - 2019
* Working with LGBTQ Youth 2019
* Solution Based Casework Evidence Informed Model – 2018
* Use of Psychotropic Medications in Treating Children – 2018
* Therapeutic Crisis Intervention – 2018
* Adolescent Suicide: Prevention, Detection and Intervention – 2017
* Domestic Violence – 2017
* Child Abuse and Neglect – 2016
* Mental Health First Aid – 2016
* Motivational Interviewing – 2016
* Building Coaching Competency - 2016
* Trauma Systems Therapy Evidence Informed Model – 2015
* Breaking the Habit of Self-Harm: Evidence-Based Recovery for Children and Adolescents – 2015
* Ending Emotional Exploitation – 2014
* Restoring Life After Sexual Trauma - 2013
* Student Intern Field Instructor (SIFI) – Adelphi University 2013
* Posttraumatic Stress Disorder – 2009

**GRADUATE INTERNSHIP\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** 2005-2006 JHS 190 BEACON PROGRAM Forest Hills, NY

*Master of Social Work Student Intern*

Provided play therapy and developed clinical activities geared towards conflict

resolution and to address depression and anxiety symptoms in adolescents

**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT YORK COLLEGE, Department of

Social Work

2019-Present *Clinical Professor/Director of MSW Field Education*

Cultivate relationships with mental health and other social service agencies to

incorporate as field placement sites to host MSW interns; monitor and evaluate field placement sites to ensure that they meet required Educational Practice Accredited Standards (EPAS); function as faculty liaison between York College MSW Program and field education agencies; facilitate scholar interviews for placement; initiate and track pending affiliation agreements; periodically revise field instruction manual; coordinate assignments of field instructors and of faculty instructors to agencies; provide academic, career and personal counseling to social work scholars; teach social work courses

Courses Taught

SCWK 501 Social Welfare Policy, Advocacy and Services

SCWK 503 Social Work Practice (Individuals, Families and Groups)

SCWK 505 Human Behavior and Social Environment I

SCWK 519 Generalist Field Placement and Seminar II

*Project for Return and Opportunity in Veterans Education (PROVE)*

*Support Team Member*

Participate in quarterly meetings at Hunter Silberman School of Social Work to become familiarized with the student veteran population and learn about resources available to them in order to support their academic success; serve as field supervisor for student veteran PROVE intern pursuing social work degree; collaborate with York College PROVE supervisor on projects for interns

2015-2019 *Adjunct Lecturer*

Courses Taught

SCWK 410 Field Placement and Seminar I

SCWK 492 Field Placement and Seminar II

SCWK 101 Introduction to Social Work

**Service – Department**

* Member, MSW Academic Review Committee
* Clinical Field Placement Supervisor for Social Work Interns: Fall 2019- 4 interns- conducted weekly supervision, reviewed and provided feedback on process recordings, completed field evaluations, developed alternative internship assignments as needed; collaborated with task supervisor
* Attended 2019 ASWB conference in preparation for Benchmark II phase of accreditation for MSW program

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

* National Association of Social Workers
* North American Network of Field Educators/Directors

**PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

2016-2019 FORESTDALE, INC.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Forest Hills, NY

*Administrative Supervisor of Social Work*

Manage four supervisors who are each responsible for a team of four case

planners, collaborate with upper management to review and/or revise agency

policies, train staff on policy and procedures, interview prospective

employees, assess supervisors’ leadership and management skills and provide

written evaluations to HR Department, provide direct supervision of MSW

intern, coordinate and supervise undergraduate intern program

2015-2016 *Trauma Systems Therapy (TST) Clinical Supervisor*

Managed a unit of four caseplanners, participated in weekly multidisciplinary clinical team meetings, provided clinical support in helping case planners with

the development of treatment plans for each youth, provided clinical group and individual supervision, reviewed and approved all clinical documentation, conferred with TST consultant to ensure model fidelity with clinical cases

2012-2015 *Administrative Supervisor of Social Work*

Manage four supervisors who are each responsible for a team of four case

planners, collaborate with upper management to review and/or revise agency

policies, train staff on policy and procedures, interview prospective

employees, assess supervisors’ leadership and management skills and provide

written evaluations to HR Department, provide direct supervision of MSW

intern, coordinate and supervise undergraduate intern program

2008-2012 *Foster Care Supervisor*

Supervised a team of six caseplanners with a caseload of ten to fifteen

families, educated and trained case planners on new policies and procedures

within foster care system, developed case planners to make comprehensive

assessments of clients in order to provide services tailored to their needs,

monitored all casework activities

2007-2008 *Preventive Services Case Planner*

Provided counseling to families in crisis, conducted visits to the home twice a

month to assist with fostering positive communication among family

members and to address family concerns, maintained case records and

documented all case activity, advocated for the educational needs of children

2006-2007 *Adolescent Case Planner*

Met with adolescent and foster families in foster home/community, attended

court hearings relating to placement of children, contacted and visited

schools and other community service programs, provided crisis intervention

as needed, maintained case records and documented all case activity

1999-2006 *Social Work Expediter*

Coordinated and maintained all case record material as they relate to specific

children and families within an assigned team, completed all appropriate

reports, documented all activities related to planning and service provision

for children and families

1998-1999 *Field Worker*

Interviewed children and foster families in foster home/community

attended court hearings relating to the placement of children

contacted and visited schools and other community service programs

1997-1998 SUNRISE PSYCHIATRIC CLINIC\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Deer Park, NY

*Recreational Therapist Community-Based Setting*

Organized and conducted social and recreational activities

provided individualized skill assessments and instructed and supervised

developed relaxation workshop to help center clients and reduce stress,

assisted co-workers with managing residents when not conducting recreation

sessions