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**ABBREVIATED CURRICULUM VITA**

**EDUCATION**

**University of Alabama**: **Ph.D.,** Counselor Education and Supervision (Higher Education Administration; Student Personnel/Affairs; and Human Resource Management), 1993

**University of Alabama – Birmingham: M.A. Ed.,** Elementary Education, 1990

**University of Alabama: M.A.,** Rehabilitation Counseling, 1982

**University of Alabama: B.S.** Psychology/History, 1981

**Professional Education/Training:**

Harvard Seminar for New Presidents – Harvard University Graduate School of Education, 2019

Executive Leadership Academy, UC Berkeley – Goldman School of Public Policy & Center for Studies in Higher Education, 2018

Executive Leadership Academy, Council of Independent Colleges, 2016-2017

Advancing to the Presidency, American Council on Education, 2016

SACSCOC, Site Team Member, 2015

Institute for New Chief Academic Officers, American Council on Education, 2014-2015

Institute for Administrators in Catholic Higher Education, 2014

Provost Fellow, University of Texas System, 2000-2001

**SUMMARY OF ACADEMIC ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS:**

President, St. Catherine University, July 2024-present

Chancellor, Bloomfield College of Montclair State University, July 2023-June 2024

President, Bloomfield College, June 2019-2023

Provost & Vice-President for Academic Affairs, Our Lady of the Lake University, June 2016-2019

Vice-President for Academic Affairs, Our Lady of the Lake University, 2013-2016

Dean, School of Professional Studies and Worden School of Social Service, OLLU, 2013-2016

Associate Dean, College of Education and Human Development, University of Texas at San Antonio (UTSA), 2009-2013

Department Chair, Counselor Education & Supervision, UTSA, 2004-2009

Program Coordinator & Graduate Advisor of Record, UTSA, 2001-2004

Founding Director, Women’s Resource Center, UTSA, 2002-2004

**SUMMARY OF ACADEMIC POSITIONS**

Professor, College of Professional Studies, OLLU, 2014

Associate Professor (tenured), UTSA, 2003-2013

Assistant Professor, UTSA, 1998-2003

Associate Professor (tenured), Auburn University – Montgomery (AUM), 1998

Assistant Professor, AUM, 1993-1998

**PROFESSIONAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE:**

**SAINT CATHERINE UNIVERSITY**

**President**

* Oversight of $87 million annual operating budget & $189 million endowment
* 3500 undergraduate and graduate students
* 770+ employees, including staff, faculty (full-time and adjunct)
* Direct Reports:
	+ Senior Vice Presidents ():
	+ President’s Office Administrative Staff
* St. Catherine University is a Minority Serving Institution (MSI). Thirty-eight percent of the students are BIPOC with 78% first-year retention rate and 64% six-year graduation rate.
* Athletics: Member of the Minnesota Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (MIAC). St. Kate’s is a NCAA Division III institution with 13 sports teams.
* Responsible for guiding the university’s future while building on its traditions and strengths.
* Defining and articulating with university’s mission, vision and strategic priorities in collaboration with the Board of Trustees and other key stakeholders.
* Develop and execute long-term strategic plans that align with the university’s mission and respond to changes in higher education, societal needs and industry trends.
* Lead efforts to secure financial resources through fundraising, grants and partnerships to support the university’s initiatives and growth.
* Oversee the development and enhancement of academic programs and curriculum to ensure they meet academic standards, industry demands, and student needs.
* Provide leadership and support for faculty and staff recruitment, development and retention to foster a productive and inclusive academic environment
* Prioritize student success, well-being, and engagement through student support services, co-curricular activities, and initiatives that promote diversity, equity, and inclusion.
* Manage the university’s budget effectively, ensuring financial sustainability and responsible stewardship of resources.
* Ensure the efficient operation of the university’s administrative and operational functions, including facilities management, technology infrastructure, and compliance with regulatory requirements.
* Serve as the public face of the university representing it values and initiatives to external stakeholders, including alumni, donors, government officials, and the broader community.
* Cultivate partnerships with local, national, and global entities to enhance educational opportunities, research collaborations, and community engagement initiatives.
* Collaborate effectively with the Board of Trustees, providing regular updates on university operations, financial health, strategic initiatives, and other pertinent matters.
* Work with the Board and senior leadership to establish and implement policies that govern the university’s operations, ensuring compliance with legal and regulatory requirements.
* Advocate for higher education issues at local, state, and national levels, promoting policies that support the university’s mission and values.
* Identify potential risks and challenges facing the university and develop strategies to mitigate them, ensuring the continuity of operations and safeguarding the university community.

**BLOOMFIELD COLLEGE OF MONTCLAIR STATE UNIVERSITY 2023-2024**

**Chancellor**

* Articulated a strategic vision and long-term goals for the BCMSU campus.
* Fostered student success through increased enrollment and graduation rates.
* Provided direction and incentives for research, creative achievement, service and outreach.
* Fostered interdisciplinary approaches to undergraduate and graduate education and research.
* Nurtured relationships with other colleges and MSU programs, and other universities/colleges, agencies, organizations and private enterprises.
* Maintained a cooperative and mutually beneficial relationship with the MSU system.
* Interacted with the Advisory Board for the campus with respect to areas within the Advisory Board’s prescribed role and responsibilities.
* Recruited, developed and retained excellent and diverse faculty, administrators, students and staff.
* Supported the campus’s development and alumni activities.
* Promote excellence and innovation in all mission areas.
* Developed partnerships and collaborative relations with internal and external enterprises.
* Emphasized globalization and sustainability.
* Improved campus infrastructure.
* Strengthened the national reputation of the University.
* Secured resources to meet and enhance campus objectives.
* Developed strong relationships with elected and governmental officials.

**BLOOMFIELD COLLEGE 2019-2023**

**President**

* Oversight of $45 million annual operating budget; $16 million cash reserve; & $18 million endowment
* 1500 undergraduate and graduate students
* 400+ employees, including faculty (full-time and adjunct)
* Direct Reports:
	+ Vice Presidents/Directors (8): Finance and Administration, Academic Affairs, Athletics, Student Affairs & Community Relations, Institutional Advancement, Facilities, Information Technology and Enrollment Management
	+ President’s Office Administrative Staff
* Bloomfield College is a Predominately Black Institution (PBI) as well as a Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI). It is the 14th most diverse liberal arts college in the nation according to U.S. News & World Report in 2017.
* Bloomfield College [was ranked highest](https://bloomfield.edu/about-us/news/bloomfield-college-ranked-among-top-nationally-and-highest-state-new-jersey-social) in New Jersey in social mobility in the U.S. News & World Report 2021
* Athletics: Central Atlantic Collegiate Conference (CACC). NCAA D2 Conference. 14 men and women sports including E-sports.

**MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

***Creating a Visionary and Strategic Community of Success and Strengthen Core Values***

* Conducted data gathering listening tours with key constituents and collaboratively established key metrics based on peer and aspirational institutional data focused on recruitment, retention, graduation, fiscal health, and more. This data was used for the institution to focus on as the new strategic plan was being developed: ***Taking the First Step: A Blueprint for Our Future.***
* Completion of the ***Vision 2026: Moving Forward*** five-year strategic plan with the following institutional thematic priorities: create a community committed to enhancing student success and enrich, enhance, and strengthen community core values; grow and diversify revenue streams to the institution; improve student satisfaction, success and retention; establish strategic partnerships to grow student enrollment; and investment in academic innovation and inclusive excellence.
* Contracted with an external consultant to provide development opportunities for the Board of Trustees. We focused on processes, policies, and modification of the college’s bylaws.
* Published many op-ed pieces related to [Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion](https://www.northjersey.com/story/opinion/2021/06/09/black-nj-college-president-lets-help-corporate-america-diversify/7609001002/) in corporate America, being a [PBI](https://www.nj.com/opinion/2021/03/pbis-are-where-people-go-when-they-dream-of-something-better-they-need-greater-support-opinion.html), the importance of [vaccinations](https://www.nj.com/opinion/2021/02/university-and-college-presidents-of-color-say-trust-the-science-take-the-covid-shot-opinion.html), and other social issues in numerous media outlets locally, regionally and national.
* Established a formal staff council to provide input and feedback.
* Established a monthly newsletter and report to the Bloomfield College community highlighting student, faculty, and staff success and institutional updates.
* Established a Presidential Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) Task Force to determine our institutional cultural identity and how we can use our identity to be a leader for the college community, the state of New Jersey and beyond.

***Grow and Diversify Revenue Streams***

* Strengthened the financial stability of the institution by:
	+ Secured $12.5 million from the State of New Jersey to ensure a smooth transition with Montclair State University. Funds are to be used for operational expenses and staff benefits.
	+ Working with higher education financial consultants to develop budget mitigation plans and explore strategic partnerships due to a twelve-year decline in enrollment which was exacerbated by the COVID-19 pandemic.
	+ Developed a budget mitigation program to offer voluntary separation opportunities (VSO) for faculty and staff that had served Bloomfield College for over 15 years. Sixteen staff and eleven faculty availed themselves of this opportunity and saved the college $1.8 million in operational expenses.
	+ Secured $13 million in CARES, HERRF, OSHE, state of New Jersey, ARP funds, grants and other support to address the impact of COVID-19 on our campus community.
	+ Negotiated a multi-year contract with our on-campus dining provider with an immediate revenue of $250,000.
	+ Developed an all-inclusive “Campus Master Plan” (Academic Programs Plan, Enrollment Plan, Technology Plan, Human Resource Plan, and Facilities Plan), a plan that reflects a ten (10) year horizon.
	+ Worked with the Vice President of Finance Affairs (VPFA) on the banking RFPs to secure funding and the restructuring of our debt.
	+ Completed the restructuring of our international programming in the midst of COVID-19.
	+ Worked with the Athletic Director, VP of Student Affairs (VPSA), and VPFA to strengthen recruiting processes based on funding models and financial support for athletes.
	+ Established two (2) new guided pathways with our neighboring community colleges, including 3+2 programs with Passaic & Essex community colleges.
	+ Employed the services of a strategic enrollment consultant to develop analytics on our recruitment processes to increase our yield of new students.
	+ Continue to work with the VP’s of Enrollment Management, Student Affairs, and Financial Affairs to leverage student housing to improve housing occupancy and net revenue.
	+ Strengthened the exposure of the college by “telling our story” with key media outlets such as Politico, NJ News, NJ.com and other radio, social media, print and television outlets.

***Improve Student Satisfaction, Success and Retention***

* Developed multiple strategies with each VP to determine how their unit will impact recruitment and retention initiatives.
* Worked with the college’s retention taskforce to create new strategies to engage and retain students during COVID-19 pandemic.
* Improved overall student satisfaction, assessment of the student experience including academic, cultural, wellness/nutrition, social, and recreational by actively engaging in a myriad of activities.
* Worked with the VPSA in assuring the safety and well-being of our students related to the pandemic and general college experience. There was an emphasis on the mental health of our students measured via student mental health assessment surveys and through our JED Campus partnership.
* During the height of the pandemic, I completed weekly *vlogs* to stay in touch with the community to provide hope and connection.

***Investment in Academic Innovation***

* Developed the institution’s first fully online degree program, established an Urban Education Certificate program, and worked collaboratively with other President’s in establishing 3+2 or 3+1 programs in STEM areas.
* Ascertained the impact of COVID-19 on future academic and service delivery options moving forward by conducting a survey of student and faculty satisfaction and a comparison of grades in respective courses from previous sections.
* Developed a plan and timeline for establishing new undergraduate programs, graduate programs & certifications based on market analysis including online and hybrid formats.
* Worked with the VPAA regarding the viability and strategic direction for the academic areas to ensure we are optimizing our resources and exploring new program offerings by reviewing market analysis and enrollment trends for respective majors.
* Assessed the current state of technology at BC and developed a detailed plan to (1) establish a proactive IT culture, (2) improve the delivery of mission critical infrastructure, and (3) streamline IT support.

**OUR LADY OF THE LAKE UNIVERSITY 2013-2019**

**Provost & Vice President for Academic Affairs 2016-2019**

* The position of VPAA was expanded to include the Provost role with the inclusion of student life/affairs and athletics (11 NAIA sports).
* Managed an annual operating budget of over $30 million and 300+ full and part-time faculty and 150+ staff. The total enrollment at OLLU was approximately 3400 students.
* **Vice President for Academic Affairs & Dean, School of Professional Studies and Worden School of Social Service** **2013-2016**
	+ Held the VPAA and Dean’s positions concurrently

Responsible for strategic planning and executive leadership for the following units:

* College of Arts and Sciences, College of Professional Studies, and School of Business and Leadership
* Library, Online Education, and Registrar’s Office
* Office of Student Success, Advising & Retention, Academic Center for Excellence, Math Center, & Student Disability Services
* Center for Mexican American Studies and Research, Center for Teaching and Learning, Center for Service Learning and Volunteerism, International Folklife Culture Center, and the Center for Science and Education
* Student Life including Student Health and Counseling Services, Residence Life, Student Leadership/Development, Dining Services, and Campus Recreation
* Athletics (NAIA Conference, 11 Sports)
* Two satellite academic campuses in Houston, TX and La Feria, TX
* Office of Global and Strategic Initiatives

**Major Accomplishments:**

***Academic and Strategic Initiatives***

* Led planning for budget and strategic initiatives for all units reporting to the Provost’s Office. Identified ways to optimize class sizes, scheduling of classes and instructional costs which resulted in over $300 thousand in revenue and cost saving strategies.
* Developed and initiated the Center for Teaching and Learning, Academic Center for Excellence and the Math Center to enhance student retention and success. Freshman retention rates rose from 56.2% to 68.2% from 2015-18.
* Developed the 2018 “Wings Up” Summer Tuition Grant as a retention & graduation initiative for juniors and seniors who completed 30 hours during the regular academic year. They would then qualify for 6-8 summer course hours for free. The first summer (2018) of the grant, our summer enrollment headcount increased by 108.8% with a student credit hour increase of 134% when compared to Summer 2017.
* Modified the advising model through collaborative advising, cohort scheduling, student success initiatives, and strengths-based peer mentor/teaching that resulted in a 23% increase in first year students who earned a 3.0 GPA or higher. These efforts also resulted in a 21% decrease in students who earned a GPA below 2.0. Additionally, switched the first-year students to 12 credit hours to 15 to aid in retention and improvement in the four-year graduation rate.
* Initiated the complete revision of our general education core curriculum which resulted in a reduction of hours from 52 to 37/8 hours to allow our students to double major/minor and be more transfer friendly with public and private universities.
* Partnered with a Bexar countywide initiative to work with area community colleges and universities to establish a seamless pathway for transfer students.
* Established the first Memorandum of Agreement in the State of Texas, between the Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine (LECOM) and Our Lady of The Lake University (OLLU).  These diversity-driven “4+3” initiatives provided preferential status to matriculating OLLU students to increase the number of students of color selected for early acceptance into LECOM’s professional schools (School of Dentistry; School of Pharmacy, and School of Osteopathic Medicine), at their campuses in Pennsylvania and Florida.

***Athletic Program Governance***

* Supervised the Athletic Director for OLLU and the university resides in the NAIA Conference with participation in 11 men and women sports.
* Ensured compliance of academics and finances were adhered to as required by the NAIA conference and OLLU’s university policies.
* Won 8 conference titles in 2017 and went to respective national championships.
* Initiated the integration of athletics with the academic mission through joint meetings with coaches and faculty to improve relationships among the group.
* Explored the pros and cons of remaining in the NAIA or possible transfer to the NCAA D2 or D3.

***Campus Facilities Planning***

* Co-led the relocation efforts of the Houston campus to a new 20,000 square foot facility to house 250 students. This is a $4 million dollar project including an $800,000 investment for infrastructure on OLLU’s part.
* Worked as a member of the planning team for a new $15 million residential building on campus to house an additional 232 students this included from financing, concept design, colors, furniture, masonry to completion of building with inspection approved by the City of San Antonio.
* Assisted in the development of a new $ 2 million-dollar academic building for the La Feria, TX campus in the Rio Grande Valley.
* Co-led the development of a master plan for the campus to address academic, student and athletic service’s needs.

***Development including fundraising & grants***

* Collaborated with the President and VP of Marketing and Communications to secure more than $5 million in gifts and scholarships from alumni, donors and friends of the university and secured a $1.1 million gift for capital/equipment improvements and permanent endowment to create the *Veronica Salazar Escobedo Media Center* serving students in the Mass Communications department. Additionally, the Escobebo’s committed over $2 million to establish a School of Communications in their honor.
* Collaborated with program director in Psychology department and Institutional Advancement to secure annual private foundation support for graduate students to provide clinical mental healthcare services to homeless families for $50,000 per year. (2013-2016)
* Coordinated with the dean, faculty in Biology and Chemistry departments, and Sponsored Programs Office to successfully execute $2.3 million Title V grant funding for complete renovation of science laboratories.
* Provided oversight for a federal Title V grant ($1,841,645), two SAMSHA ($1,844,991)grants and funding for the continuation of our federal TRIO ($888,232) programs.
* Through a collaborative partnership with University of Texas Health Science Center and the academic community in San Antonio, OLLU is a part of a $3,500,000 Department of Education grant to develop the San Antonio Biomedical Education and Research (SABER) training program. *SABER* is a four-year program that combines mentored training in state-of-the-art research with innovative pedagogic teaching methods and guided teaching experiences to increase the number of Hispanics in the fields of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM).

***Diversity/Service***

* Developed the Global and Strategic Initiatives Office to facilitate global learning for our students, faculty, and staff. This included professional development and workshops as well as study abroad and immersion opportunities.
* Established the Diversity and Inclusion Council which included faculty and staff to assess and provide professional development opportunities on issues of diversity. I led a monthly book club. For the year 2018-19, the books are Born a Crime by Trevor Noah and the Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks by Rebecca Skloot.
* Worked with the Student Success Dean to infuse a global/international and research component in the Applications of Learning seminar for all freshmen. This included supporting the establishment of a Research Day for students to present on a global concern and the leadership role they can have on issues of social justice in this present time.
* Assisted in the development of a reenactment of the “Freedom Rides” where students travel across the south on a bus to various cities to discuss issues of civil rights, social justice and how they can still be a leader for those not as privileged as they may be as a student of OLLU. This was originally established during my tenure at UTSA.
* OLLU has a strong service-learning commitment. Service learning is integrated across the curriculum and OLLU is recognized annually on the President’s List for service.
* Inclusivity and diversity are primary goals of my administration. This was demonstrated by the representation of administrative leadership of direct reports: 54% female, 36% ethnically diverse, and 28% self-identified as a part of the LGBTQI community. Additionally, OLLU worked hard to ensure that our campus community as a whole was inclusive: Faculty: 64.5% female, 38% ethnically diverse; Staff: 72% ethnically diverse.

***Entrepreneurial Experience***

* Led the modification of our online education programs to a more profitable model and increased the percentage OLLU attains from our partner Wiley. Co-led the renegotiation of the contract to include additional academic programs offered online with an *a la carte* model to better serve the needs to the university. This contract was worth $16 million in revenue for the university.
* Attained national recognition of our Testing Service Center through certification to offer additional national examinations to generate auxiliary funding opportunities for the university.
* Incentivized continuing education opportunities for our faculty to provide services for our community through professional development and training opportunities offering continuing education units, badges, and certificates by offering funding for travel and other professional options.
* Developed a new academic program for returning adults to attain a bachelor’s degree in multidisciplinary studies and implemented a STEM undergraduate degree in biomathematics and pursued the development of a civil engineering program/degree through Title V and donors.

***Governmental Relations/Board Relations***

* Conducted written and oral reports to the governing board of OLLU’s Board of Trustees (BOT) on issues that fell under the supervision of the Provost/VPAA’s office and organized the agenda and meetings for the Academic Affairs subcommittee for the BOT.
* Led and served on various committees and development boards of the City of San Antonio focused on scholarships, academics, leadership, culture and the arts (e.g., Carver Development Board and the MLK Scholarship Committee Chair). Each generated and disbursed hundreds of thousands of dollars to support the city of San Antonio and Bexar County constituents.
* As a past president of the American Counseling Association, which has a membership of over 55,000 members, I participated in many advocacy meetings on legislation impacting the counseling profession in Washington, D.C., other states and internationally.
* Served as a representative of OLLU at the request of the President in meetings with local, state, and governmental agencies on academic concerns for minority serving universities/institutions.

***Public and media relations and risk/crises management***

* Trained by a national firm to work with media during a crisis as President of the American Counseling Association which has over 55,000 members on topics which impacted the counseling profession.
* Implemented a process on interaction with the media for faculty and staff which report to my units and beyond including interviews and correspondence. In addition, this included communication via social media such as Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, LinkedIn, Snapchat and others.
* Initiated a social and behavioral intervention team (SBIT) to work across units on campus for students who may be experiencing issues that would cause concern for their safety or others.
* Performed drills four times a year on potential issues including active shooter and environmental concerns with all units on campus.

**UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT SAN ANTONIO (UTSA) 1998-2013**

**Associate Dean 2009-2013**

* Coordinated the compliance of SACSCOC Assessment for College Of Education and Human Development.
* Represented College of Education and Human Development in all matters and manner at the downtown campus, providing service and liaison for continuity and consistency between UTSA three campus sites.
* Provided academic student support for approximately 1800 students enrolled at the downtown campus related to advising, registration, complaints, and judicial matters.
* Facilitated student recruitment and retention.
* Provided faculty support for the two departments and one academic program (Mexican American Studies) located at the downtown campus, Counseling and Educational Psychology (27 faculty), and over 70 COEHD faculty who teach classes at the downtown campus.
* Developed community relations with school districts and agencies for COEHD.
* Assisted with inter-college planning and decision making for the downtown campus.
* Facilitated schedule planning between departments and campuses for the downtown (DT) campus.
* Coordinated space allocation for COEHD and space utilization for the downtown campus.
* Assisted with faculty recruitment.
* Coordinated and facilitated the development of DT programs within and between colleges.
* Coordinated and communicated with Community College Partners.
* Supervised staff for COEHD Associate Dean’s DT office.

**Department Chair 2004-2009**

* Provided leadership for Counseling, Educational Psychology, and Adult and Higher Education Department’s 27 Tenured/Tenure Track faculty members, 24 non-tenure track faculty, three administrative staff, work-study students, and graduate assistants.
* Commended for hiring fifteen of current faculty with diverse backgrounds: 8 females and 7 males and fifty percent of hires were from ethnically and racially diverse backgrounds.
* Provided supervision and oversight of degree programs: M.A. in Counseling – 300 students; M.A. in Adult and Higher Education – 10 students (reduced from 150 due to degree moving to a new department); and, the Ph.D. in Counselor Education and Supervision – 25 students including responding to inquiries regarding each program unit.
* Fiscal responsibility for $2 million departmental budget regarding expenditures and creating/overseeing/proposing/supporting/analyzing budget.
* Evaluated full-time, part-time, and adjunct faculty, and administrative staff.
* Ensured creation and implementation of departmental, college, and university mission.
* Supported professional development for members of department in accordance with university’s guidelines with emphasis on teaching, research, and service.
* Ensured catalog and related publications contain accurate curriculum information.
* Developed recruitment plans for department taking into account diversity, curriculum needs, and missions of the department, college, and university.
* Ensured an effective advising process was in operation with faculty and department’s Student Development Specialist.
* Addressed student concerns, including grade grievances and curriculum issues.
* Promoted interdisciplinary programs, departments, and college collaborations.
* Oversight of the Sarabia Community Family Life Center, which provided opportunities for counseling students and various student groups on campus and with external agencies.
* Carried out duties in compliance with university policies and state and federal laws.

**Major Accomplishments**

***Academic and Strategic Initiatives***

* Led efforts in development of doctoral Ph.D. program in Counselor Education and Supervision, nationally recognized as one of the top counseling programs.
* Chaired initial CACREP national accreditation efforts of counseling program. Programs received an 8-year accreditation, which is rare for a first-time program. Program was one of few minority serving institutions having this designation.
* Developed the *Sarabia Counseling Center* to assist community in addressing mental health issues based on a sliding scale
* Founded and led *Women’s Resource Center* to address needs expressed by female and male students on women’s issues on campus and beyond
* Co-led development of annual leadership institute for up-and-coming leaders at UTSA. This is now an annual event.
* Co-led an annual trip with students to re-enact the *Freedom Rides* to focus on current social justice and civil right issues.
* Co-developed with several women colleagues in establishing women’s leadership program and retreat for faculty and staff in administrative positions. Served as a support system addressing issues focused on women in higher education.

**Program Coordinator & Graduate Advisor of Record, Counseling Program 2001-2004**

### Responsible for scheduling courses, and assigning faculty to counseling courses.

* Coordinated Counseling Program Development and the development of the Doctoral Program in Counselor Education and Supervision.
* Chaired Counseling program meetings.
* Assisted the Department Chair as assignedwith administrative tasks.
	+ - Responsible for processing approximately 250 applications for admission into the Master of Arts in Counseling and Master of Arts in Adult and Higher Education.
		- Mediated student issues related to program concerns in the department.
		- Prepared and updated as needed course degree plans.
		- Processed petitions for changes in course degree plans.
		- Arranged and administered comprehensive exams for the department.
		- Processed applications for graduation each semester.
		- Answered questions about programmatic concerns and inquiries on admission criteria.
		- Spokesperson for the AHE and COU graduate programs within the department.
		- Conducted orientation for new students each semester.
		- Recruited new students and other duties as assigned by department chair.

### Supervised the Graduate Assistants assigned to the department.

**Founding Director, Women’s Resource Center 2002-2004**

* Founded and led the Women's Resource Center at UTSA.
* Responsible for all administrative tasks involving the Women’s Resource Center.
* Coordinated the Center’s development regarding the acquisition of materials and resources related to gender-related issues.
* Supervised a Program Manager, two graduate assistants, and two work-study students assigned to the Center.
* Organized and conducted Advisory Meetings with University Student Affairs Program Staff and Community Advocates participating in the Center’s mission.
* Conducted groups related to women and gender-related issues at UTSA.
* Collaborated with various student organizations to offer workshops and programming to meet the mission of the organization (i.e., fraternities and sororities – relationship issues).

**SELECTED PUBLICATIONS**

**Research Themes: Diversity, Multiculturalism, and Leadership**

**Book:**

Englar-Carlson, M., **Evans, M. P.,** Duffey, T. (Eds.) (2014). A counselor’s guide to working with *men*. Alexandria, VA: American Counseling Association Press.

**Book Chapters:**

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102 presentations at international, national, regional & state levels

***Sister to Sister: A conversation with women presidents.*** Level Up Career Readiness Conference, Newark, NJ. March, 2022.

 ***Letting go and Letting God: The Future of Bloomfield College.*** Metropolitan Church, Newark, NJ. October, 2021.

***Reparations and Liberating the Soul of Society.*** Panelist, Newark, NJ, October, 2021. Zoom.

***Knowing the “Y”.*** YMCA’s Regional Emerging Multicultural Leadership Experience Conference, October, 2021.

***First 100 Days!*** Evans, M., Executive Leadership Academy, University of California, Berkeley. Virtual, August, 2021.

***Importance of Historically Black Colleges and Universities.*** Evans, M., Our Lady of the Lake Doctoral Social Work Program, July 2021, Virtual

***The Place Where Change Happens.*** Evans, M. University of Fort Lauderdale Commencement Speaker, May 2021, Virtual.

***Working as a Team: The Joint Role of Spouses in Crafting a Presidency.*** Evans, M. & Evans, E.. Executive Leadership Academy for the American Academic Leadership Institute, March 2021, Virtual.

***Women’s Equity in Higher Education: Issues and Actions.*** Evans, M., ACE-NJ Women’s Network Annual Conference, March 2021, Virtual.

***Responding to the New Abnormal: Overcoming the impact of COVID-19 on Black Families Keynote.*** Evans, M., New Jersey Black Issues Leadership Conference, October 2020, Virtual.

***I am Somebody!*** Evans, M., Bloomfield High School Graduation Ceremony, Bloomfield, NJ, June 2020.

***Know your Value!*** Evans, M., KIPP Commencement Speaker, Virtual Ceremony, June 2020.

***Building Pipelines from K-12 to College & Career.*** Evans, M., Pena, E., Hernandez, D., & Guzman-Oliver, A.. HACU 32nd Annual Conference, October 2018, Atlanta, GA.

***A conversation about mental illness and the impact on African Americans & the Church.*** Alberty, J., Petty, K., & Evans, M.. Pathways to Hope: Breaking the Stigma of Mental Illness, August, 2018, San Antonio, TX.

***Recruiting and Retaining Diverse Faculty and Staff.*** Chang, E., Evans, M., Hernandez, R., & Jones, D. Chief Academic Officers and Chief Student Affairs Institute 2017, CIC, November 2017, San Antonio, TX.

***Climbing the Leadership Ladder: A Candid Discussion.*** Benging, A., Dominque, H., Evans, M.,Firmin, L., & Kelley, M.. Black Women’s Leadership Alliance, June 2017, San Antonio, TX.

***Internationalizing the HSI campus: First steps for getting started.*** Peña, E., Evans, M., Williams, G., & Zepeda, C., HACU’s 30th Annual Conference, "30 Years of Championing Hispanic Higher Education Success,", October 2016, San Antonio, TX.

***Exemplary Practices When Working with Diverse Clients.*** ACA Asia Pacific International Conference, June, 2016, Singapore.

***Who Helps the Helper: Counselor Wellness.*** ACA Asia Pacific International Conference, June, 2016, Singapore.

***Pathways to academic success for Latino students: From community college to a 4-year Hispanic Serving Institution***. Peña, E., Zepeda, C., Williams, G., & Evans, M.. American Association of Hispanics in Higher Education National Conference, “Latino Attainment: Meeting America’s Equity & Talent Imperatives,”, February 2016, Costa Mesa, CA.

***The Flight of the Bumblebee: Education and Service…. The Keys to Success.*** Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc. Delta Rho Lambda Chapter 2016 Black and Gold Awards, May 2016, Live Oak, TX.

***Living Legends of ACA: Legacy and Life Perspectives.*** Carlson,Corey, Kottler, Joffe-Ellis, Kirschenbaum, Wubbolding and **Evans**. American Counseling Association (ACA) World Conference, March 2014, Honolulu, Hawaii.

***It takes a village.*** Convocation Keynote Address, OLLU’s Leadership Program, November, 2014, La Feria, TX.

***Core competencies in working with Men.* Evans**, Duffey, Haberstroh, Brooks, Butler, & Appiah-Boateng. American Counseling Association (ACA) World Conference, March 2014, Honolulu, Hawaii.

***On the road to Providence.*** 4Th Convocation for CDP Associates, March, 2014, OLLU Convent, San Antonio, TX.

***On the road to resilience.*** Florida Counseling Association Leadership Development Institute, Keynote Speaker, June, 2013, Tampa, FL.

***UJIMA: Black Student Graduation and Achievement Celebration: Why me Lawd?*** Keynote Speaker, April, 2013, UTSA, San Antonio, TX.

 ***If God is willing and da creek don’t rise: A promise. Past, present, future.*** Keynote for the University of Incarnate Word Black History month, UIW, February, 2013.

***What does it take to be academically successful?*** Student Forum, sponsored by Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., UTSA’s campus, November, 2012.

***UJIMA: Black Student Graduation and Achievement Celebration.*** Keynote Speaker, May, 2012, UTSA, San Antonio, TX.

***What Graduate Students and New Professionals Need to Know About Mindfulness.*** ACA 2012 Annual World Conference and Expo, March, 2012, San Francisco, CA.

***Perspectives on ACA’s Next 60 Years: A Past Presidents’ Forum.*** ACA 2012 Annual World Conference and Expo, March, 2012, San Francisco, CA.

***What Would You Do? Ethical Decision-Making in Counseling.*** Keynote, Delta State University, 31st F. E. Woodall Spring Conference for the Helping Professions, April 2012, Cleveland, MS.

***Making Hope Happen in a Wild and Crazy World.*** Keynote Address, Alabama Counseling Association 45th Annual Conference, November 2011, Birmingham, AL.

***Leadership Tips for Graduate Students.*** Panel member for ACES Graduate Student Luncheon. ACES 2011 Conference, Leading the Leaders, Helping the Helpers, Shaping the Future, October 2011, Nashville, TN.

***20/20: A Vision for the Future of Counseling: The New Consensus Definition of Counseling.* Evans** & Kaplan. ACES 2011 Conference, Leading the Leaders, Helping the Helpers, Shaping the Future, October 2011, Nashville, TN.

 ***What do you do when the Well runs dry? Lessons in Leadership.*** ACA Summer Leadership Institute, July 2011, Alexandria, Virginia.

***Celebrating the Past and Future of NCDA – The Society for Extraordinary Ladies and Gentlemen.*** National Career Development Association Global Conference, July 2011, San Antonio, Texas.

***Current Trends in Children’s Mental Health.*** Presentation for Children’s Mental Health Day, College of Public Policy sponsored event, May 2011, San Antonio, Texas.

***Multicultural Competencies in the Classroom.*** Presentation to UTSA Teacher Fellowship Program, April 2011, San Antonio, Texas.

***Empowering the Forgotten, Invisible, and Unheard?*** Keynote Address for the California Counseling Association Annual 2011 Conference, Carnival Cruise from Long Beach to Ensenada, Mexico, February, 2011.

***Welcome to the Future: Are you ready for change?*** Keynote Address for the South Carolina Counseling Association Annual 2011 Conference, Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, February, 2011.

***A Vision for the Future of Counseling.*** Keynote Address for the Tip of Texas and Rio Grande Valley Counseling Association Annual Conference, South Padre Island, Texas, January 2011.

***Charting a Revolutionary Course: Navigational Tools for Counselors.*** Keynote address for the Idaho Counseling Association 2011 Annual Conference, Pocatello, Idaho, January 2011.

***20/20: A Vision for the Future of Counseling: The New Consensus Definition.*** Gladding, S., Evans, M., &Kaplan, D.. Plenary Session. American Association of State Counseling Boards 24th Annual Conference, San Diego, California, January 2011.

**Awards and Honors (partial list)**

Suburban Essex Chamber of Commerce, **Excellence in Education Award**, March 2022.

National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), Oranges and Maplewood Branch, **President’s Award**, May, 2021.

NJ Legislative Black Caucus Foundation **Black Excellence Award**, February, 2020, Trenton, NJ.

Black Women’s Leadership **Appreciation & Recognition** Award, BWLA, San Antonio, TX March 2019.

**ACA Presidential Award**, American Counseling Association, Montreal, Canada, March 2016

**Outstanding Advisor**, UTSA Greek Life Award, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., March 2013

**UTSA President’s Distinguished Diversity Award**, Co-Leader for the Women’s Professional Advancement and Synergy Academy, April 2013

**Multicultural Leadership Award**, National Diversity Council, Dallas, TX, March 2013

**ACA Fellow**, American Counseling Association, Cincinnati, OH, March 2013

**UJIMA: Faculty/Staff Appreciation Award**, Office of Inclusion and Community Engagement and the Black Student Leadership Council, May 2012

**Outstanding Service Award**, American Rehabilitation Counseling Association, New Orleans, LA, March 2011

‘**Ohana Award** (Bringing Unity to the Family), Counselors for Social Justice, New Orleans, LA, March 2011

**Yellow Rose of Texas Lifetime Educator Award**, The Constance Allen Heritage Guild for Lifetime Learning & Texas Business Women’s Club of San Antonio, October, 2010

**Distinguished Service Award**, Texas Counseling Association, July 2010

**ADDITIONAL GRANTS AND FUNDRAISING**

State of New Jersey

Governor’s Office

Funding period: 2022-2023

**Amount: $12.5 million**

US Department of Education

Predominately Black Institution (PBI) Competitive Grant

Funding period: 2021-2026

**Amount: $3 million**

US Department of Education

Predominately Black Institution (PBI) Formula Grant

Funding period: 2021-2026

**Amount: $1.83 million**

US Department of Education

HEERF

Funding period: 2020-2022

**Amount: $13 million**

Office of the Secretary of Higher Education, New Jersey (OSHE)

Housing Grant

**Funding period:** 2021-2023

Amount: $984,000

Office of the Secretary of Higher Education, New Jersey (OSHE)

Fostering Student Success

**Funding period:** 2021-2022

Amount: $500,000

Agency: University of Texas – San Antonio

Title: Head Start-Higher Education Hispanic Partnership

Principal Evaluator: Marcheta Evans

Funding Period: September 2009-August 2010

**Amount: $3,000**

Agency: United States Agency for International Development

Title: Africa Educational Initiative’s Textbook and Learning Materials: “Malawi Reads”

Principal Investigator: Misty Sailors

Senior Health Consultants: Marcheta Evans and Tammy Wyatt

Funding Period: 2009-2012

**Amount: $13 million**

Agency: Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS)

Title: Texas Children Medication Algorithm Project – Patient, Family, and Provider Educational Program

Principal Investigators: Robert Gee

Co-Investigators: Marcheta Evans & Shane Haberstroh

Funding Period: September 1, 2007 – August 31, 2008

**Amount: $75,000**

Agency: University of Texas – San Antonio

Title: Head Start-Higher Education Hispanic Partnership

Principal Evaluators: Marcheta Evans & Albert Valadez

Funding Period: July 2005-September 2009

**Amount: $9,000**

**UNIVERSITY SERVICE (partial List last five years)**

**Our Lady of the Lake University**

Faculty Advisor, Order of Omega Honor Society (2015-present)

SACSCOC Liaison (2013-2014)

Chair, Search Committee, Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs (2014)

Judge, Speech Competition, HALO project (2014)

Member, President’s Council (2013-present)

Chair, Academic/Provost Council (2013-present)

Chair, To Graduate Strategic Initiative (2013-present)

Member, University Council (2013-present)

**University of Texas at San Antonio**

Member, Selection committee for the Black Student Leadership Award (2013)

Faculty Facilitator/Curriculum Developer, The Progression Civil Rights Trip (39 students traveled to New Orleans, Birmingham, Memphis) 2013

President, Black Faculty and Staff Association (BFSA) (2012-2013)

Member, University College Implementation Committee for the Graduation Rate Improvement Plan (GRIP), (2012-2013)

Faculty Advisor, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., (2012-2013)

Diverse Faculty Recruitment Committee (2012-2013)

Member, Service-Learning Advisory Committee (2012-2013)

Facilitator, The Movement Civil Rights Trip (40 undergraduate student leaders), (2011-2012)

Member, Black History Knowledge Bowl Committee, (2011-2013)

Member, Student Fee Committee (2011-2013)

Member, Women’s Professional Leadership & Synergy Academy (2011-2013)

Member, Diversity Award Development, and Selection Committee (2011-2013)

Director, Advanced Placement Summer Institute, Extended Education, 150 to 300 AP teacher participants, (2010-2012)

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE (partial list for past five years)**

Member, Nominations and Elections Committee, American Counseling Association, 2021-present

Member, Greenleaf Center for Servant Leadership, 2021-present

Member, Search Committee for CEO of EIIA, 2021-2022

Member, Educational and Institutional Insurance Administrators, Inc. (EIIA), 2019-present

Chief Academic Officer’s Taskforce, Council for Independent Colleges, CIC, 2015-2018

Program Planning Committee, Association for Chief Academic Officers/American Council on Education (2015-2016)

Group Process Observer, American Counseling Association (2015-2016)

Member, Publications Committee, American Counseling Association (2013-2014)

Chair, Publications Committee, American Counseling Association (2012-2013)

Co-editor of Special Issue on Men in Counseling, *Journal of Counseling and Development (2012-2013)*

Immediate Past-President, American Counseling Association (50,000+ membership) (2012-2013)

Member, CACREP/ACA Taskforce (2011-2012)

Chair, Nominations, and Elections Committee, American Counseling Association (2011-2012)

Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs (CACREP) Site Team Chair (2010-present)

President, American Counseling Association, International Counseling (2010-2011)

**PROFESSIONAL EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCES ABROAD**

Titles: Who Helps the Helper: Counselor Wellness & Exemplary Practices with working with Diverse Clients.

Agency: American Counseling Association and the Asia Pacific Counseling Association

Professional Purpose: To increase the awareness of counseling and professional development of counseling practitioners in Asia. June, 2016

Country: Singapore

Title: Incorporating the International Roundtable for the Advancement of Counselling.

Agency: International Association for Counselling

Professional Purpose: To develop more collaborative relationships with this organization and the American Counseling Association, June, 2011

Country: Montego Bay, Jamaica

Title: AMHCA Delegation to Study Cuba’s Mental Health Services in Community and Mental Health Settings

Agency: American Mental Health Counseling Association, Leader: Dr. Tom Ferro

Professional Purpose: To study mental health services in both community and institutional settings, May, 2011

Country: Havana, Cuba

Title: Africa Educational Initiative’s Textbook and Learning Materials: “Malawi Reads”

Agency: United States Agency for International Development (USAID). Principal Investigator: Misty Sailors

Senior Health Consultant: Marcheta Evans

Professional Purpose: Lived for a month in this country to learn more about the culture and to assist with training of its educators. July, 2010

Country: Blantyre & Lilongwe, Malawi