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Education

Bachelor of Science, Psychology, Texas A&M University, 1990.

Master of Arts, Marriage and Family Counseling, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, 1993.
Included practicum treating adult victims of child sexual abuse

Professional Licensure

Licensed by the Texas State Board of Examiners of Professional Counselors, #13451.

Licensed by the Texas State Board of Examiners of Professional Counselors as an Approved Supervisor.

Professional Experience

2011 – <i>present</i>	<i>Clinical Director</i> , Garth House Mickey Mehaffy Children's Advocacy Program, Inc.
2008 – <i>present</i>	<i>Forensic Interviewer</i> , Garth House Mickey Mehaffy Children's Advocacy Program, Inc. (conducting <i>Forensic Interviews on an as-needed basis</i>)
2003 – 2011	<i>Lead Counselor</i> , Garth House Mickey Mehaffy Children's Advocacy Program, Inc.
1997 – 2003	<i>Counselor</i> , Garth House Mickey Mehaffy Children's Advocacy Program, Inc.
1993 – 1996	<i>Counselor Intern</i> , Christian Counseling Associates in Euless, Texas

Professional Certifications

Certified by University of California-Davis for completing all training competencies in
Parent-Child Interaction Therapy (PCIT)

Certified by West Penn Allegheny Health System/CARES Institute as a
Trauma-focused Cognitive Behavioral (TF-CBT) Therapist

Certified by KPICD Texas Christian University as a Trust-Based Relational Intervention (TBRI) Practitioner

Professional Affiliations

Member of the Texas Counseling Association

Member of the American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children

Member of the Professional Society of Forensic Interviewers -CACTX, Inc. (2010 – 2018)

Professional Service

Member of the Children's Advocacy Centers of Texas (CACTX) Statewide Multidisciplinary Team (*currently*)

Member of the Texas Children's Justice Act Task Force (2012 – 2018)

Member of the National Children's Alliance Mental Health Task Force (2013)

Continuing Education regarding Counseling/Counseling Supervision/Trauma Treatment

March 27-28, 2019	Trust-Based Relational Intervention (TBRI)- Child Sex Trafficking Initiative	David Cross, PhD
February 7-8, 2019	Conceptualization & Treatment of Children with Problematic Sexual Behavior	Brian Allen, PsyD
January 21-22, 2019	Advanced Topics in TF-CBT	Kelly Wilson, LCSW
October 5, 2018	Commercial Sexual Exploitation-Identification Tool Training Developed by West Coast Children's Clinic	Nina Mason, LCSW
July 13 – 14, 2018	NCA Post-Conference: CAC/MDT Response to Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children	
July 11 – 13, 2018	National Children's Alliance 2018 Leadership Conference Guiding Your CAC Toward Becoming Vicarious Trauma-Informed	Janet Fine, MS
	We Have Child Trafficking Data! What Does It Tell Us?	Karen Hangartner, LMSW
	Assessing Youth with Problematic Sexual Behaviors in a CAC Setting	Amy Farrell / Beth Bouchard
	Addressing the Impact of Parental Post-Traumatic Stress Symptoms on Children	Julia Grimm, LMSW
	Enhancing the Role of Mental Health in the MDT Response	Carrie Epstein, LCSW
	Expanding the Trauma-Focused MDT Response to Improve Outcomes For Children and Families	Jane Meyer, MA, LPC
May 7-9, 2018	CACTX Leadership Conference	Libby Ralston, Ph.D.
	Entrepreneurial Leadership Panel	Joy Rauls/ Catherine Bass
	Leadership Rooted in Effective & Engaging Communication	Andrew Barlow
	Gaining the Generational Advantage	John Daly, PhD
March 29, 2018	Spotlight on Exploitation	Karen McCullough
March 27 – 29, 2018	National Center for Missing & Exploited Children: Technology-related Crimes Against Children Conference	Sponsored by National Center for Missing & Exploited Children
August 7-10, 2017	29 th Annual Crimes Against Children Conference, Dallas, Texas	
	Through the Eyes of a Sex Offender	Joe Sullivan
	Domestic Minor Sex Trafficking Victims	Andrea Spark/Toni McKinley, LPC
	How To Not Help the Defense Attorney in Child Abuse Cases	Larry Braunstein, JD
	Jean Marston: Female Incest Offender	Corine Moulton/Nancy Oglesby
	Creative Approaches to Trauma Narrative	Kathy Dumond, LPC-S
	Jacob Wetterling: Quarter Century Search for Jacob, Justice and Answers	
July 20-21, 2017	Courtroom Psychology: How to Be a Good Witness	Larry Braunstein, JD
	Supervision Refresher	Kate Walker, Ph.D.
	Organizing Supervision Experience (incl. 2 hrs TX LPC Ethics)	
	Conceptualizing Supervision	
	Ethical & Legal Issues: Authorized Methods and Practice (incl. 3 hrs TX LPC Ethics)	
	Ethical & Legal Issues: Standards of Practice, Ethical Decision Making (incl. 3 hrs TX LPC Ethics)	
	Multicultural Competencies & Ethics, Evaluation in Supervision	
June 26 – 27, 2017	Court Prep & Testimony for Mental Health Clinicians	Andrew Agatston, JD
June 15, 2017	Suicide: What Therapists Need to Know	American Psychological Assoc. CE
May 11-12, 2017	Advanced PCIT	Deanna Boys, MA
August 9 -10, 2016	Applying TFCBT with Commercially Sexually Exploited Youth	Kelly Wilson, LCSW
July 20, 2016	Autism Speaks: Core Characteristics of Autism	Mike Nixon, Beaumont PD
April 7, 2016	Clinical Supervision: Proven Tools & Techniques	Bob Taibbi, LCSW
January 21-22, 2016	Integrative Play Therapy for Trauma Treatment	Sueann Kenney-Noziska, LISW, RPT-S
October 14, 2015	Ethical Principles in Practice of TX Mental Health Professionals	Allan Tepper, JD, PsyD
July 14, 2015	Beyond Tuskegee: Considerations with the African-American Client	Tiffany Andry, MD
April 13-14, 2015	Advanced TF-CBT Training Assessment, Treatment Planning & Case Conceptualization	Kelly Wilson, LCSW
January 26, 2015	TF-CBT for Child Traumatic Grief (at Partners in Courage Conference)	Roy Van Tassell, MS, LPC
November 10-11, 2014	TF-CBT Learning Collaborative (through CACTX, Inc.)	Kelly Wilson, LCSW
October 13, 2014	Culturally-Modified TF-CBT with Hispanic Families	Susana Rivera, PhD
August 11 – 14, 2014	26 th Annual Crimes Against Children Conference, Dallas, Texas	
	Trauma Treatment using Integrative Play Therapy	Sueann Kenney-Noziska, LISW, RPT-S
July 24, 2014	CACTX Mental Health Forum- Expert Court Testimony	Lawrence Thompson, PhD
July 14, 2014	Darkness to Light "Stewards of Children" Facilitator Training	
March 4, 2014	Clinical Supervision: Legal, Ethical, Risk Management Issues	William Cook, PhD

February 6-7, 2014	Advanced TF-CBT Complex Trauma Childhood Traumatic Grief	Roy Van Tassell, MS, LPC
October 28-30, 2013	CACTX "Partners in Courage" Annual Conference Treatment Challenges Utilizing TF-CBT Incorporating Play into the TF-CBT Model	Esther Deblinger, PhD Esther Deblinger, PhD.
September 23-24, 2013	13 th Annual Conference for PCIT for Traumatized Children	UC-Davis/Anthony Urquiza, Ph.D.
November 29, 2012	TF-CBT Train the Supervisor Cohort III	T. Mannarino, Ph.D. & Judith Cohen, M.D.
October 22-24, 2012	PCIT for Traumatized Children (completed 10 hr. web-based course)	UC-Davis/Anthony Urquiza, Ph.D.
September 27- 28, 2012	CAC, TX "Partners in Courage" Annual Conference	Kelly Wilson, LCSW
September 5-6, 2012	Garth House TF-CBT Fall Conference	Kelly Wilson, LCSW
April 25, 2012	Parent-Child Interaction Therapy Advanced Skills (10 hrs.)	UC-Davis/Anthony Urquiza, Ph.D.
March 21, 2012	Helping Others Help Children: Clinical Supervision of Child Psychotherapy	William Cook, PhD
January 2012- Dec.2012	Ethics: Crisis Management	Richard Nongard, LMFT
September 29-30, 2011	PCIT for Traumatized Children (year-long tele-medicine training)	UC-Davis/Lareina Ho, PhD.
August 4, 2011	Garth House TF-CBT Fall Conference	Brian Allen, Psy.D.
January 19-20, 2011	Cutting	Pedre Ane, LPC
October 26-27, 2010	Trauma-Focused CBT Learning Collaborative (Session III)	Kimberly Campbell, MSW
	CAC, TX Annual Conference	
	Secondary Trauma & the MDT	Denise Bennett, LCSW
October 21-22,2010	TF-CBT: Avoiding Pitfalls & Maximizing Effectiveness	Brian Allen, Psy.D.
August 10-11, 2010	Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy	Kelly Wilson, LCSW
May 4-5, 2010	Trauma-Focused CBT Learning Collaborative (Session II)	Kimberly Campbell, MSW
March 26, 2010	Trauma-Focused CBT Learning Collaborative (Session I)	Kimberly Campbell, MSW
July 6 - 8, 2009	Neurobiology of Trauma (TX APT Conference)	Daniel Sweeney, Ph.D.
	Center for Play Therapy (UNT)- Summer Institute	
	Therapist-Child Dance: Facilitating the Child's Journey Toward Healing	Linda Homeyer, Ph.D.
	Maximizing Play Therapy Outcomes with an Integrated Systemic Approach	Rise VanFleet, Ph.D.
February 19, 2009	Ethics: A Musical Comedy in Two Acts	Timothy Anderson, MS, LPC
September 5, 2008	Children and the Effects of Trauma	Bruce Perry, M.D., Ph.D
April 11-13, 2008	Texas Assoc for Play Therapy-15 th Annual Conference	
	Experiential Family Therapy	
	Healing Families Through Play	
	Self-Directed Healing of Young Traumatized Children	
	Sandtray Processing: Facilitating the Moment	
February 29, 2008	Play Therapy—Working Within the Metaphor	Pam Schubert, LPC-S, RPT-S
July 9-10, 2007	Magical Moments in Play Therapy: What Facilitates Change?	Lenore Terr, M.D.
March 23, 2007	Ethical Decisions	Emily Laubach, Ph.D.
March 1, 2007	Texas Association Against Sexual Assault	
October 27, 2006	Creative Arts in Play Therapy	Linda Chapman, MA, ATR-BC
August 23, 2006	Hidden Faces of Overwhelming Life Experiences: Traumatic Experiences	R.W. Hyde, LCSW,LMFT
June 16, 2006	Legal Issues in Behavioral Health in Texas	Pamela Beach, BSN, RN, JD
January 19, 2006	TAASA Sexual Assault Training: Drug Facilitated Sexual Assault Female Perpetrators	
October 21, 2005	Play Therapy with Sexually Abused Children	Linda Homeyer, Ph.D.
September 9, 2005	Battling Compassion Fatigue	Dell deBerardinis, MA, LPC
July 13, 2005	Legal/Ethical Issues in Play Therapy	Daniel Sweeney, Ph.D.
July 13, 2005	Neurobiology of Play & Play Therapy	Daniel Sweeney, Ph.D.
July 12, 2005	Play Therapy for Traumatic and Distressing Events	Rise VanFleet, Ph.D.
April 22, 2005	Emergency Mental Health: Assessment and Treatment	
March 18, 2005	Disruptive Behavior Disorders in Children and Adolescents	
October 22, 2004	Developmentally Sensitive Play Therapy with Young Survivors of Trauma	Janine Shelby, Ph.D.
February 16, 2004	18 th Annual Conference on the Prevention of Child Abuse by National Association of Social Workers, Texas Chapter	
January 27, 2004	Sexual Assault Training by Texas Association Against Sexual Assault	
October 10-11, 2003	20 th Annual Association for Play Therapy International Conference	
March 7-9, 2003	Starbright Training Institute Three-Day Intensive: Play Therapy with Abused and Traumatized Children	Eliana Gil, Ph.D.

July 8-9, 2002	University of North Texas: Play Therapy Summer Institute Workshops The Healing Power of the Play Therapy Relationship Play Therapy with Abused Children	Eliana Gil, Ph.D. Eliana Gil, Ph.D. Tana Slay, Ph.D.
May 9, 2002	Post Traumatic Stress Disorder: Effective Diagnostic & Treatment Options	
April 5, 2002	CCI Supervision Institute: Multicultural Issues in Supervision	
March 22, 2002	CCI Supervision Institute: Legal and Ethical Issues	
March 8, 2002	CCI Supervision Institute: Clinical Issues in Supervision	
March 1-2, 2002	CCI Supervision Institute: Supervisory Models & Methods	
February 8, 2002	CCI Supervision Institute: Moving through the Supervisory Process	
January 25, 2002	CCI Supervision Institute: Essential Elements of Supervision	
August 20-23, 2001	13 th Crimes Against Children Conference Are We Raising a Generation of Sexual Thieves? Preventing Our Children from Becoming Abusers	Jan Hindman, M.Ed. Jan Hindman, M.Ed. Lu Vorhies, MA, LPC
July 27, 2001	Ethics	
January 22-26, 2001	15 th Annual San Diego Conference on Responding to Child Maltreatment Trauma Treatment Using Play Therapy: Basic Techniques Trauma Treatment Using Play Therapy: Advanced Techniques Treating Trauma with Kids Who Can't Talk or Play Countertransference and Vicarious Trauma	Geraldine Crisci, MSW Geraldine Crisci, MSW Sandra Hewitt, Ph.D. Jon Conte, Ph.D.
January 22, 2001	APSAC Advanced Training Institute: Treatment of Traumatized Children	T. Mannarino & Judith Cohen
August 21-24, 2000	2000 Crimes Against Children Conference Non-offending Parents: The Mental Health Perspective Children Who Molest Other Children Children With Sexual Behavior Problems	Toni Cavanagh Johnson, Ph.D. Toni Cavanagh Johnson, Ph.D. Louise Guernsey, Ph.D.
November 5, 1999	Advanced Play Therapy: Child-centered Play Therapy	
June 2-5, 1999	American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children Colloquium Treating Traumatized Children Children's Attributions and Perceptions as Mediators of Effects Treating Abused Children and their Families: Ethical and Legal Issues	Judith Cohen, M.D. & Esther Deblinger, Ph.D.
February 25, 1999	Professional Ethics	Richard Nongard, LMFT
October 3, 1998	The Healing Path	Dan Allender, Ph. D.
July 10-11, 1998	Play Therapy	Garry Landreth, Ph.D.
April 18, 1998	Texas Association for Play Therapy Conference	
March 10, 1998	Child Sexual Abuse	Adena Bank Lees, CISW
March 5-7, 1998	Child-centered Play Therapy	Emily Oe, Ph.D.
October 24, 1997	Play Therapy with Traumatized Children	Lenore Terr, M.D.

Continuing Education regarding Forensic Interviewing

February 15, 2018	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Conroe)	
December 5, 2018	Improving Question Frameworks in Child Interviews (from NCJTC Webinar)	Scott Snider, LCSW
November 2, 2018	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Bryan)	
August 24, 2018	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Houston)	
March 29, 2018	Spotlight on Exploitation Intro to Child Sex Trafficking Texas DFPS Child Sex Trafficking Team Trauma-Informed Care: a Victim's Perspective	<i>Sponsored by National Center for Missing & Exploited Children</i>
March 27 – 29, 2018	National Center for Missing & Exploited Children: Technology-related Crimes Against Children Conference Frontline Interdiction for the Protection of Children Child Sex Trafficking Investigations & Prosecution	Trooper III David Stambaugh, TDPS Marisa Miller, Asst US Attorney, Eastern District of Texas Sgt. Gary Marquis, Office of the Attorney General TX Governor's Sex Trafficking Team
January 26, 2018	Child Exploitation Investigations Governor Abbot's Response to Child Sex Trafficking	
August 7-11, 2017	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Angleton) 29 th Annual Crimes Against Children Conference, Dallas, Texas Interviewing Children Who Love Their Offender Geronimo Aguilar: Grooming of a Congregation	Kim Skidmore/ Bernadette Yupit-Martinez J. Eric Nickols/Kerri O'Brien/Michael Weber

	Facilitating Experiential Trauma Information	Russell Strand
March 31, 2017	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Conroe)	
January 20, 2017	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Rosenberg)	
March 7-9, 2016	Semi-Structured Narrative Process: Practical Applications for Forensic Interviewing	Cyndi Cantu/CACTX
January 29, 2016	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Conroe)	
November 6, 2015	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Bryan)	
August 28, 2015	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Galveston)	
June 12, 2015	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Crockett)	
May 5, 2015	Advanced Forensic Interviewing Skills: Utilizing Evidence Effectively in Cases Involving Internet Crimes Against Children & Commercially Sexually Exploited Juveniles	Karen Blackwell, LCSW/FBI & Rachel Happel, LPC/FBI
February 6, 2015	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Conroe)	
January 26-28, 2015	CACTX "Partners in Courage" Annual Conference	
	How Childhood Mental Health Disorders Impact Investigations	Lauren Gaspar, LCSW
	CACs & DFPS Statewide Intake: Partnership and Pilot Case Study: Family Secrets	Smith County MDT Center for Child Protection MDT
August 29, 2014	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Beaumont)	
August 11 – 14, 2014	26 th Annual Crimes Against Children Conference, Dallas, Texas	
	Dynamics of Victimization in Child Sexual Abuse Cases	Roger Caneff, JD
	Recent Research regarding Child Abuse Investigations	Chris Newlin
February 28, 2014	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Dayton)	
October 28-30, 2013	CACTX "Partners in Courage" Annual Conference	
	Multi-Session Forensic Interview Overview	
	Working with Children with Disabilities (Parts 1 & 2)	Scott Modell, PhD
	Domestic Minor Sex Trafficking: Victim & Offender Dynamics	Sharon Cooper, MD, FAAP
August 2, 2013	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Bay City)	
July 25, 2013	Child Interviewing Updates (MRCAC)	Thomas Lyon, PhD, JD
June 13, 2013	Most Common Mistakes Made in Forensic Interviews & How to Fix Them	Linda Cordisco Steele
May 20, 2013	Interview Instructions (MRCAC webcourse)	Thomas Lyon, PhD, JD
May 16, 2013	Overview of the Ten-Step Interview (MRCAC webcourse)	Thomas Lyon, PhD, JD
April 17, 2013	Investigation of Sudden Unexplained Infant Death	John W. Ralston, MD
January 18, 2013	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Galveston)	
August 3, 2012	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Houston)	
February 24, 2012	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Beaumont)	
November 4, 2011	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Conroe)	
October 17, 2011	Narrative Interviewing	Thomas Lyon, PhD, JD
February 18, 2011	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Galveston)	
November 12, 2010	CACTX Region 5 Forensic Interview Peer Review (Lufkin)	
October 26-27, 2010	CACTX Annual Conference	
	Evidentiary Issues in Child Sexual Abuse Cases	Denise Oncken & Eric Devlin
	Proving the Unbelievable	Amy Rhoades & April Leming
	Case Study: The American Dream- at the Cost of Innocence	
October 25, 2010	Investigating Online Child Exploitation (Block IV)	Martha Finnegan & Rex Miller
March 8-9, 2010	Beyond Sexual Abuse Interview/ Defending Interview in Court (Block III)	April Leming & Andra Chamberlin
April 6-7, 2009	The Forensic Interview Process Enhanced (Block II)	April Leming & Irish Burch
January 19, 2006	TAASA Sexual Assault Training: Interviewing Skills for Sexual Assault Victims Interviewing Adolescents	
April 7-9, 2003	National Children's Advocacy Center: Forensic Evaluation Training	
August 20-23, 2001	13 th Crimes Against Children Conference	
	Strategies for Interviewing Reluctant and Avoidant Children	Daniel Jarboe, MA, LPC
January 22-26, 2001	15 th Annual San Diego Conference on Responding to Child Maltreatment	
	Patterns of Disclosure in Sexual Abuse Victims	Kathleen Coulborn Faller, Ph.D.
	Update on Assessing Allegations of Sexual Abuse in Preschool Children	Sandra Hewitt, Ph.D.
October 25-26, 2000	Forensic Interviewing of Children	April Leming
August 17-20, 1998	1998 Crimes Against Children Conference	
	Forensic Evaluation When Sexual Abuse Suspected	Charles Wilson, MSSW
	Guidelines for Forensic Interviews	Austin/ Smith

Training/ Supervision Conducted

July 25, 2018	Trauma-Informed Workplace Training for Garth House Staff & Volunteers
January 25, 2018	Multidisciplinary Team Training for Newton County SO, Newton PD and CPS
December 7, 2017	Multidisciplinary Team Training for Hardin County SO and CPS
August 23, 2017	Training for BISD Police Department
2015-2016	Training PCIT at Garth House under Supervision from UC-Davis PCIT Training Center via telemedicine with PCIT TOT Trainers, Lourdes Torres and Dr. Tylene Barry
April 25, 2015	Southeast Texas Counseling Association workshops: "Child Sexual Abuse"
February 12, 2014	"What Every Counselor Needs to Know About Children's Advocacy Centers"
September 24, 2014	"Trauma & Treatment of Child Victims" – presentation for Child Abuse Core Course for LIT Regional Police Academy/ Beaumont Police Department
July 2014 – <i>Present</i>	"Trauma & Treatment of Child Victims" – presentation for Child Abuse Core Course for LIT Regional Police Academy/Beaumont Police Department
April 29, 2014	Conduct Darkness to Light "Stewards of Children" Child Sexual Abuse Prevention Training for various organizations, agencies and school districts in southeast Texas
April 7, 2014	"Empirically-Supported Treatment for Traumatized Children" presented at the CASA of Deep East Texas Spring 2014 Volunteer Appreciation Conference
March 20, 2014	Family Violence class – Lamar University
2013/ 2014	"Trauma & Treatment of Child Victims" – presentation for Child Abuse Core Course for LIT Regional Police Academy/Beaumont Police Department
July 24, 2013	Practicum/Clinical Training Supervisor for BH Carrol Theological Institute
July 12, 2013	"Parent Child Interaction Therapy" – presented to CPS Investigative Units in Orange County
October 4, 2012	"Empirically-Supported Treatments for Traumatized Children" presented to the Texas Children's Justice Act Task Force in Austin, Texas
2011	"Ethics for the MDT" presented at Harold's House-East Texas Alliance for Children in Lufkin, Texas
2007 – <i>Present</i>	Conduct Orange County CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocate) volunteer training
2006- <i>Present</i>	Provide clinical training and supervision for LPC Interns at Garth House
2006/2007	Practicum Supervisor for Lamar University Community Counseling Program & Psychology Department
1998 – 2012	Field Instructor for Lamar University Social Work Program
	Conduct Jefferson County CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocate) volunteer training regarding the dynamics, effects and treatment of sexual abuse