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College of Behavioral and Community Sciences
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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA
Ph.D. in Behavioral Sciences. 2017-2020
Concentration: Child and Family Services
Dissertation Topic: Post-Secondary Education for Youth
Exiting Foster Care

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA
M.Ed. Educational Leadership 2009-2011
Concentration: Administration and Supervision

HIGH POINT UNIVERSITY
B.A. Education 2002-2004
Areas of Concentration: Elementary and Special Education
Minor: Philosophy
Thesis Topic: Standardized Testing in Elementary Grade

ADDITIONAL STUDIES

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA 2021
Graduate Certificate in Diversity, Equity & Inclusion in the Workplace
Muma College of Business

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA 2019
Graduate Certificate in Program Evaluation and Assessment
College of Education: Assessment and Evaluation

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA 2011
Graduate Studies
Conflict Resolution Collaborative: Family Mediation

OXFORD UNIVERSITY 2001-2002
Worcester College, Oxford, England
Area of Concentration: Philosophy

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Community Based Participatory Engagement,

AWARDS AND HONOR

College of Behavioral and Community Sciences: Dissertation Fellowship Award 2020
 Guardian ad Litem of Florida: Outstanding Service Award 2019
 Council for Exceptional Children: Special Educator of the Year 2015
 Graduated with honors: University of South Florida 2011 magna cum laude
 Sarasota County Schools Teacher of the Year: Ashton Elementary 2008
 Sarasota County Schools Teacher of the Year: Bay Haven Elementary 2014 nominee
 Graduated with honors: High Point University 2004 magna laude
 Academic Endowment Scholarship High Point University 2002-2004-recipient

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Manatee County Substance Abuse Coalition 2020-Present
 Lead Behavioral Epidemiologist
 Responsible for the creation of behavioral health outcomes
 in youth in Manatee County, Florida. Monitor/analyze quantitative data
 to support federal substance prevention initiatives.

Florida Mental Health Institute 2019-Present
 Senior Research Associate
 Conducted qualitative research, support grant funded directives, coordinate data
 data collection, project management

University of South Florida
 Supervisor of Clinical Education 2011-2015 Do8sop 2013.4 (v)46.5 ()

Sarasota County Schools
Administration

2010-2011

Behavioral and curriculum support for 10th and 11th grades
Development of motivational courses for lower performing students, implementation of professional development and supervision and evaluation of student performance.

PRESENTATIONS AND TRNGS

Brown, B., Thompson, L. (July 2021). Community Drug Coalition of America (CADC) Annual MidYear Training Institute Conference Not In Our Schools! Transforming a Vaping Crisis through Sector Collaboration, held virtually.

Brown, B. (June 2021). State Epidemiological Outcomes Working Group (SEOW) Overview of Drug Endangered Network Data for 2019-2020, in Manatee County Florida. Training held virtually.

Brown, B. Sherver, T. (July 2020). Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management International Conference: Understanding the Effects of Parental Incarceration on Youth and Youth Recidivism Toronto, Canada.

Brown, B. (December 2019). Community Based Participatory Research: Understanding How Universities Are Supporting Students from Foster Care. The College of Community and Behavioral Sciences: The Department of Mental Health Law and Policy. The University of South Florida, Tampa, Florida.

Veguilla, M., Shackle, E., Chappell, J., Brown, B. (November 2019). 33rd Annual American Evaluation Conference (AEA) Program Evaluation and Assessment: The Effectiveness of Project Leo and GPS Tracking Devices for Individuals with ASD. Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Brown, B. (June 2019). 26th Annual National Adoption Conference: Post-Secondary Access to Education for Youth in Foster Care. National Council for Adoption: Atlanta, Georgia.

Brown, B., Veguilla, M., Shackle, E., Chappell, J. (April 2019). Program Evaluation and Assessment: The Effectiveness of Project Leo and GPS Tracking Devices for Individuals with ASD. The Center for Autism and Related Disabilities: The University of South Florida, Tampa, Florida.

Sharp, A., Brown, B., Shreve, T. (September 2018). Qualitative Assessment of a Multidisciplinary Approach to Patient Centered Care in an Acute Detox Facility. Agency for Community Treatment Services (ACTS). Tampa, Florida.

Brown, B., Tillman, R., & Erickson, C. (2015, October). Positive Behavior Support: The Use of Restorative Circles for Improving Social Justice Within Classrooms. Pupil Support Services: Sarasota County School District, District Professional Development, Sarasota, Florida.

Brown, B., Hanel, H., Kishner, J. (2013, October). Multi-Tiered System of Support/ Review and Intervention Practices. In-service training offered to instructional staff on identification and documentation of support interventions for struggling learners: Pupil Support Services: Sarasota County Schools, Bay Haven Elementary, Sarasota, Florida.

Brown, B., Erickson, C., Cheeseman, S., (2015 August). Accountable Talk for Educators: Professional Development for Increasing Reading and Writing Skills in Elementary Grades Using Increased Oral Language Skills.

Advisory Member/Data Analysis and Proposal Development 2018-Present

Center for Autism and Related Disorders (CARD)
Project Leo/ Safety Initiative
Project Evaluator: 2018-2019

Guardian Ad Litem
12th Judicial Circuit Sarasota
Volunteer: 2016-Present

School Board Member
Cardinal Mooney Catholic High School
Board Chair: 2012-2015
Committee Member: 2012-Present

Alumni Association
Cardinal Mooney Catholic High School
Board Chair: 2012-2015
Committee Member: 2012-2015

Student Advisory Council
Sarasota County Schools
Committee Chair: 2012-2016
Bay Haven Elementary

Literacy Council
Sarasota County Schools
Committee Chair: 2012-2016
Committee Member 2012-2016

Technology Steering Committee
Sarasota County Schools
Committee Member 2012-2013

REFERENCES

Available upon request