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EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy in Human Development and Family Studies, Expected 2022

University of Connecticut

Master's Degree in Human Development and Family Studies, Expected 2019

University of Connecticut

Bachelor of Science in Psychology, *summa cum laude*, 2016

University of Wisconsin-Green Bay

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Practicum, 2018-2019

Department of Human Development and Family Studies, University of Connecticut

- Research with Dr. Maria LaRusso
- Created a theory of change model
- Conceptualized outcomes of research
- Examined useful measures

Graduate Research Assistant, 2017-2019

Department of Human Development and Family Studies, University of Connecticut

- Assistant to Dr. Eva Lefkowitz
- Edited manuscripts
- Proofread posters
- Completed departmental tasks
- Maintained research webpage

Undergraduate Research Honors Thesis, 2016

Department of Psychology, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay

- Faculty advisor: Kate Burns
- Thesis title: "Information Sharing and Self-Esteem"
- Constructed a pilot study
- Developed all study materials
- Created survey measures
- Collected and analyzed data

Undergraduate Research Assistant, 2014-2015

Department of Psychology, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay

- Assistant to Dr. Kris Vespia
- Developed vignettes for survey material
- Researched previous studies on “Mental Health Literacy Programs”
- Analyzed career-readiness assignments for effectiveness
- Conducted a research project on eating disorder program sources

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Graduate Assistant, 2018-2019

- Center for Applied Research in Human Development
- Created the Annual Five Year Review of productivity in the center
- Assisted in the evaluation of a major after-school program for the state of Connecticut Department of Education
- Managed financial accounts
- Prepared and sent invoices for services

Graduate Assistant, 2017-2018

- Assistant to Dr. Beth Russell
- Developed an application for the Certificate of Family Life Education to be offered at graduate level
- Created an online course on Parent Education
- Produced online lecture videos

Conference Presentations

Lefkowitz, E. S., Wesche, R., Carvalheiro, D., Lawrence, S., & Wink, M. N. (2018, April). *Daily predictors of contraception and condom use*. To be presented at the Society for Research on Adolescents in Minneapolis, MN.

Wink, M. N. (2016, May). *Information Sharing and Self-Esteem*. Poster presented at the Midwest Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.

Wink, M. N., Hummelmeier, H. (2015, May). *Positive Body Image Program Analysis*. Poster presented at the Midwest Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.

Vespia, K., Hummelmeier, H., Wink, M. N., (2015, May). *Class and Career Development*. Poster presented at the Midwest Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant, 2016

Department of Psychology, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay

- Social Science Statistics

- Provided assistance on homework
- Developed study sessions
- Designed a teaching philosophy document

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant, 2015

Department of Psychology, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay

- Introduction to Psychology
- Created and presented a lecture
- Created quizzes and discussion questions
- Developed study session materials
- Assisted professor in grading

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Society for Research in Child Development, 2018

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

Summer Fellowship for Advanced Graduate Students, 2018