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Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill School of Social Work
MSW, May 2001
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
B.A. Psychology, with Distinction, May 1997

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Policy Analysis & Program Evaluation

Research Instructor, School of Social Work, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Chapel Hill, NC, Jan. 2006 – present

- ◆ Analyze outcomes data related to child welfare and other social services programs.
- ◆ Provide policy analysis, reports and recommendations to the North Carolina Division of Social Services.
- ◆ Provide technical support to the state division and county agencies in the analysis of client outcomes data for program evaluation.
- ◆ Mentor graduate students interested in social policy and program analysis.

Data Manager, Guilford County Department of Social Services,
Greensboro, NC, Sept. 2005 – Jan. 2006

- ◆ Supervised Data Management & Analysis Team.
- ◆ Directed evaluation of agency programs.
- ◆ Analyzed trends in agency outcomes data and made policy recommendations to program managers and directors.

Evaluation Coordinator, Guilford County Department of Social Services,
Greensboro, NC, June 2003 – Aug. 2005

- ◆ Implemented and coordinated the process of self-evaluation in measuring outcomes for children and families.
- ◆ Provided data analysis and technical assistance in the development and implementation of agency reform initiatives including Family to Family, Multiple Response System, IV-E Waiver and the Disproportionality Breakthrough Series (Casey Family Programs).
- ◆ Analyzed longitudinal placement data sets for child welfare trends and outcomes.

Social Research Associate I, Guilford County Department of Social Services,
Greensboro, NC, Oct. 2001 – May 2003

- ◆ Analyzed longitudinal placement data sets for child welfare trends and outcomes.
- ◆ Monitored agency's compliance with fiscal regulations, including determination of children's foster care eligibility type.
- ◆ Responded to internal and external (public) data requests.

Research Assistant, Prof. Richard Barth, School of Social Work, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill,
Chapel Hill, NC, June 2001 – Sept. 2001

- ◆ Researched and analyzed issues relevant to child welfare, juvenile offenders and substance abuse.
- ◆ Analyzed data from a study on sexual abuse treatment with incarcerated juvenile offenders.

Research Assistant, Prof. Richard Barth, School of Social Work, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC, May 2000 – Aug. 2000

- ◆ Researched and analyzed issues relevant to child welfare.
- ◆ Assisted in publication of journal articles and production of professional presentations.

Social Research

Social Research Assistant, Healthy Steps Discipline Study, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC, Oct. 1998 – July 1999

- ◆ Recruited parents of children in pediatric clinic to participate.
- ◆ Conducted parental disciplinary style interview.
- ◆ Updated and maintained study database.

Study Coordinator, Stress and Depression Study, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC, Jan. 1998 – July 1999

- ◆ Recruited patients with major depression to participate.
- ◆ Organized and ran study procedures.
- ◆ Administered stress test and obtained physiological measures.

Social Research Assistant, Postpartum Health Study, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC, May 1997 – Jan. 1999

- ◆ Recruited participants and administered questionnaires.
- ◆ Interviewed participants about sexual and physical abuse history.
- ◆ Organized and entered participant data and obtained follow-up information.

Study Coordinator, Experimental Psychiatric Drug Study, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC, June 1997 – May 1998

- ◆ Organized patients' testing and monitored patients' progress.
- ◆ Updated and maintained study data and correspondence.
- ◆ Assured adherence to study protocol and regulations.

Direct Services

MSW Intern, Foster Care, Chatham County Department of Social Services
Pittsboro, NC, Aug. 2000 – May 2001

- ◆ Provided case management services to caseload of 2 – 3 client families.
- ◆ Maintained casework documentation.
- ◆ Analyzed organizational culture of the agency and helped facilitate intra-agency collaboration project.

MSW Intern, Foster Care, Durham County Department of Social Services
Durham, NC, Sept. 1999 – May 2000

- ◆ Interviewed families and children and conducted evaluations of the home environment.
- ◆ Assisted individuals in obtaining resources, such as daycare and financial services.
- ◆ Helped plan and implement a community project sponsored by the agency.
- ◆ Maintained casework documentation.

ADVANCED STATISTICAL AND RESEARCH METHODS TRAINING

Applied Regression Analysis and Generalized Linear Models, Dr. Shenyang Guo, School of Social Work, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Spring Semester 2008

Research Methods in Social Intervention, Dr. Lynn Usher, School of Social Work, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Fall Semester 2007

PUBLICATIONS AND REPORTS

- Duncan, D. F., Kum, H., Weigensberg, E. C., Flair, K., & Stewart, C. J. (2008, Forthcoming). Informing child welfare policy and practice: Using knowledge discovery and data mining technology via a dynamic web site. *Child Maltreatment*.
- Kum, H., Duncan, D., & Stewart, C. J. (2008, Forthcoming). Supporting self-evaluation in local government via KDD. *Proceedings of the 9th Annual International Digital Government Research Conference (dg.o 2008)*.
- Macomber, J., Cuccaro-Alamin, S., Duncan, D., Kuehn, D., Needell, B., Kum, H., et al. (2008). *Coming of age: Employment outcomes for youth who age out of foster care through their middle twenties*. Retrieved April 14, 2008, from U. S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation Web site: <http://aspe.hhs.gov/hsp/08/fosteremp/index.html>.
- Leserman, J., Stewart, J., & Dell, D. L. (1999). Abstracts of papers for the 1999 annual meeting of the American Psychosomatic Society: Sexual and physical abuse predict poor health in pregnancy and postpartum [Abstract]. *Psychosomatic Medicine*, 61(1), 92.

PRESENTATIONS

- Stewart, C. J., Duncan, D. F., & Li, J. (2007, November). *Projecting staffing needs for program evaluation and budget planning in public social services*. Paper presented at the annual conference of the American Evaluation Association, Baltimore, MD.
- Johnson, K., Duncan, D., & Stewart, C. J. (2007, February). *Using outcomes data to improve child welfare practice*. Symposium conducted at the 2007 Fiscal, Personnel, & Technology Conference, Greensboro, NC.
- Duncan, D., Kum, H., Stewart, C. J., & Caplick, E. (2006, July). *Effectively sharing information with 100 counties across North Carolina*. Symposium conducted at the 9th National Child Welfare Data and Technology Conference, Washington, DC.
- Wickliffe, M., Harper, C. J., & Stewart, C. J. (2006, January). *Data: A tool to uncover racial disparities in child welfare*. (Plenary). Symposium conducted at the California Family to Family Statewide Convening, Long Beach, CA.
- Stewart, C. J. (2004, June). *Race and the path through the child welfare system*. Symposium conducted at the Annie E. Casey Foundation Annual Family to Family Conference, New Orleans, LA.

HONORS

- ◆ Phi Beta Kappa
- ◆ Psi Chi Honor Society
- ◆ North Carolina Child Welfare Education Collaborative 1999-2001
- ◆ James M. Johnston Scholar 1995-97
- ◆ Golden Key Honor Society

SERVICE

Data Sharing Council of Action for Children North Carolina, Jordan Institute for Families (UNC-CH), Center for Children and Families (Duke)
Co-chair, Feb. 2008 – present.

North Carolina Collaborative on Youth in Transition
Participant, Feb. 2008 – present.

AFFILIATIONS

American Evaluation Association, July 2007 – present.
National Association of Social Workers, September 1999 – present.