

J. Maria Bermúdez

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Human Development; Marriage and Family Therapy Program
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (Virginia Tech) - 2002
Blacksburg, Virginia

Master of Science in Child and Family Development; Marriage and Family Therapy Program
Purdue University- 1997
Hammond, Indiana

Bachelor of Arts in Psychology, Minor in Spanish
The University of Houston- Central Campus - 1991
Houston, Texas

ACADEMIC HISTORY

The University of Georgia; Athens, Georgia (Tenured, Fall 2013)

- Associate Professor of Human Development and Family Science and Marriage and Family Therapy
- Core Faculty of the Institute for Latin American and Caribbean Studies (LACSI)
- Affiliate Faculty of the Institute for Women's Studies
- Faculty member for the Interdisciplinary Qualitative Studies Certificate Program
- Affiliate Faculty and Research Fellow of the Center for Latino Achievement and Success in Education (CLASE)
- Online Learning Fellow – UGA 2018

University of Georgia Human Development and Family Science/ MFT Ph.D program
Assistant Professor, tenure track 2006-2013

Texas Tech University Human Development and Family Studies/MFT M.S. and Ph.D. Programs
Assistant Professor, tenure track 2002-2006
Visiting Professor 2001-2002

LICENSES

2009-Present Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist in Georgia (license no. MFT001113)
2002-2008 Licensed as a Marriage and Family Therapist in Texas (license no. 200731)

PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIALS

Research Scientist Member of the National Hispanic Science Network (2014 - present)
Clinical Fellow of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (2002 - present)
Clinical Fellow of the Georgia Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (2007 - present)
Approved Supervisor for the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (2002 - present)
Member of the National Center for Faculty Development & Diversity (2016 - present)
Student Member of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (1995 - 2002)
Board Member of ALCES- Athens Latino Center for Education and Services (2016 - 2018)

EDITORIAL BOARDS

Journal of Marital and Family Therapy	2002 - present
Journal of Feminist Family Therapy	2002 - present
Journal of Couple and Relationship Therapy	2006 - present
Journal of Contemporary Family Therapy	2013 - present
Journal of Divorce and Remarriage	2016 - present
la Revista Mexicana de Investigación en Psicología	2020 - present
International Journal of Systemic Therapy	2021 - present
Journal of Family Issues (ad hoc reviewer)	2005 - present
Sex Roles (ad hoc reviewer)	2014 - present
Journal of Family Psychotherapy (ad hoc reviewer)	2016 - present

BOOKS

McDowell, T., Knudson-Martin, C., **Bermudez, J. M.** (2018). *Socioculturally Attuned Family Therapy: Guidelines for Equitable Theory and Practice*. New York: Routledge/Taylor & Francis.

Bermudez, J. M. (preliminary edition, 2020). *Intersectionality and Context across the Lifespan: Readings for human development*. San Diego: Cognella Publishing.

Gómez-Lamont, M. F. & **Bermudez, J. M.** (under contract; 2020). *La Terapia Familiar Sistémica y el Pensamiento de Tercer Orden: Teoría crítica con perspectivas de género, multiculturalidad e interseccionalidad (Systemic family therapy and third order thinking: Critical theory using gender, multicultural and intersectional perspectives)*. Mexico City: Autonomous University of Mexico Press.

MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW

Muruthi, B. A., Shivers, C. M., **Bermudez J. M.**, Cronic J. M., & Taiwo, A. Cultural adherence and risk communication among Afro-Caribbean mothers and daughters in the US: Mediation analyses.

Bower, K., **Bermudez, J. M.**, & McGeorge, C. “It doesn’t say except, it just says love each other:” Mapping spiritual fulfillment among LGBTQ older adults.

*Alvarez-Hernandez, L. R., **Bermudez, J. M.** Matthew, R., Orpinas, P., Calva, A., & Darbisi, C. (in press, 2020). “No queremos quedar mal”: Boundary setting training with Latina community health workers. *Journal of Latinx Psychology (revise and resubmit)*.

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS (* indicates co-authored with current student)

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<https://doi.org/10.1080/00918369.2019.1648082>

- Jordan, L. S., Seponski, D. M., Hall, J. N., & **Bermudez, J. M.** (in press, 2020). “Hopefully you’ve landed the Waka on the shore”: Negotiated spaces in Aotearoa/New Zealand’s bicultural mental health system. *Transcultural Psychiatry*. Impact Factor- 1.93
- *Curtis, M. G., Oshri, A., Bryant, C. M., **Bermudez, J. M.**, & Kogan, S. M. (online, in press) Contextual adversity and rural Black men’s masculinity ideology during emerging adulthood. *Psychology of Men and Masculinities*. Impact Factor- 1.94 <https://doi.org/10.1037/men0000319>
- *Curtis, M. G., Ellis, E., Ann, S., Dai, Y., & **Bermudez, J. M.** (online, Dec. 2020). A Decade in Review: Intersectionality within family studies and family therapy journals from 2010-2020. *Journal of Family Theory & Review* Impact Factor- 2.32 <https://doi.org/10.1111/jftr.12399>
- Seponski, D. M., Lewis, D., **Bermudez, J. M.**, & Sotelo, J. M. (May 2020, online). Cambodian therapists’ perspectives of Western-based psychotherapy models: Addressing the challenges for service providers. *Journal of Family Psychotherapy*. Impact Factor- unsure <https://doi.org/10.1080/08975353.2020.1759018>
- *Orpinas, P. Matthew, R. A., Alvarez-Hernandez, L. R., Calva, A., & **Bermudez, J. M.** (May 2020, online) *Promotoras* voice their challenges in fulfilling their role as community health workers. *Health Promotion Practice*. Impact Factor- 1.8 <https://doi.org/10.1177/1524839920921189>
45. *Ellis, E. & **Bermudez, J. M.** (February, 2020, published online,). Funhouse mirror reflections: Resisting internalized sexism in family therapy and building a women-affirming practice. *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy*. Impact Factor- 1.0 <https://doi.org/10.1080/08952833.2020.1717903>
- Terrazas, J., Muruthi, B.A., Thompson Cañas, R.E, Jackson, J.B. & **Bermudez, J. M.** (2020). Liminal legality among mixed-status Latinx families: Considerations for critically engaged clinical practice. *Contemporary Family Therapy*, 42, 360-368. Impact Factor- .96 <https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s10591-020-09545-7>
- Matthew, R., Orpinas, P., Calva, A., **Bermudez, J.M.**, Darbisi, C. (2020). *Lazos Hispanos*: Promising strategies and lessons learned in the development of a multisystem, community-based *promotoras* program. *Journal of Primary Prevention*, 41(3), 229-243. Impact Factor- 1.72 <https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s10935-020-00587-z>
- Muruthi, B.A., **Bermudez, J. M**, Chou J. Shivers, C., Gale, J., Lewis, D. (2020). Mother-adult daughter questionnaire: Psychometric evaluation across first and second-generation Black immigrant women. *The Family Journal*. 28(2), 168-175. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1066480720906123>
- *Orpinas, P., Matthew, R. A., **Bermúdez, J. M.**, Alvarez-Hernandez, L. R., & Calva, A. (2020). A multistakeholder evaluation of Lazos Hispanos: An application of a community-based participatory research conceptual model. *Journal of Community Psychology*, 48(2), 464-481. <https://doi.org/10.1002/jcop.22274> Impact Factor- 2.32
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- Bower, K. L., Lewis, D., **Bermudez, J. M.**, & Singh, A. A. (2019). Adding grey to the rainbow: A narrative analysis of generational identity through stories and counter-stories of older gay men. *Aging & Society*, 1-23. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1017/S0144686X19001429>
- *Boe, J. L., **Bermudez, J. M.**, Baldwin, D. R., & Sharstrom, K. A. (2019). Easing the transition: A critical narrative therapy approach to working with couples navigating gender transition. *Journal of Systemic Therapies*, 38(1), 1-16. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1521/jsyt.2019.38.1.1>
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35. Knudson-Martin, C., McDowell, T., & **Bermudez, J. M.** (2019). From knowing to doing: Guidelines for socioculturally attuned family therapy. *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy*, 45(1), 47- 60. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jmft.12299>
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- ***Bermudez, J. M.**, Muruthi, B., Zak-Hunter, L., Stinson, M. A., Seponski, D., Taniguchi, N., & Boe, J. (2019). “Thank you for including us!”- Introducing a community-based collaborative approach to translating clinic materials. *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy*, 45(2), 309-322. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jmft.12317>
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30. *Carlson, M., Oed, M., & **Bermudez, J. M.** (2017). Satir’s communication stances and pursue–withdraw cycles: An enhanced emotionally focused therapy framework of couple interaction. *Journal of Couple and Relationship Therapy*, 16(3), 253-270. <https://doi:10.1080/15332691.2016.1253517>
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- ***Bermudez, J. M.**, Muruthi, B., & Jordan, L. (equal authorship) (2016). Decolonizing Research Methods for Family Science: Creating space at the center. *Journal of Family Theory & Review*, 8, 192–206. <http://doi:10.1111/jftr.12139>
- *Abrams, B. A., **Bermúdez, J. M.**, Bush, K., McCoy, M., & Stinson, M. A. (2016). Afro-Caribbean mothers in the US: An exploratory study from a transnational feminist perspective. *Women & Therapy*, 39(3-4), 413-431. <http://doi:10.1080/02703149.2016.1116872>

- *Willis, A. B., Haslam, D. R., & **Bermudez, J. M.** (2016). Harnessing the power of play in emotionally focused family therapy with preschool children. *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy*, 42(4), 673-687. <http://doi:10.1111/jmft12160>
- ***Bermúdez, J. M.**, Sharp, E. A., & Taniguchi, N. (2015). Tapping into the complexity: Ambivalent sexism, dating, and familial beliefs among Hispanic young adults. *Journal of Family Issues*, 36(10), 1274-129. <http://doi:10.1177/0192513X13506706>
- *Bitar, G. W., Kimball, T., **Bermúdez, J. M.**, & Drew, C. (2014). Therapist self-disclosure and culturally competent care with Mexican-American court mandated clients: A phenomenological study. *Contemporary Family Therapy*, 36, 417-425. <http://doi:10.1007/s10591-014-9308-4>
- *Stinson, M. A., George, D. V., Hjelmstad, L. R., McCoy, M. A., Mennenga, K. D., & **Bermudez, J. M.** (2014). Finding Your Cadence: Introducing the Dynamic Developmental Framework of Supervision. *Journal of Systemic Therapies*, 32(4), 19-32. <http://doi:10.1521/jsyt.2013.32.4.19>
- ***Bermúdez, J.M.**, Zak-Hunter, L., Stinson, M. A., & Abrams, B. A. (2014). "I am not losing my kids to the streets": Meanings and experiences of motherhood among Mexican origin women. *Journal of Family Issues*, 35, 3-27. <http://doi:10.1177/0192513X12462680>
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20. *Seponski, D. M., **Bermudez, J. M.**, & Lewis, D. C. (2013). Creating culturally responsive family therapy models and research: Introducing the use of responsive evaluation as a method. *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy*, 39(1), 28-42. <http://doi:10.1111/j.1752-0606.2011.00282.x>
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- ***Bermúdez, J.M.**, Zak-Hunter, L., Silva, L. (2011). Experiences of parenting classes for Mexican American mothers parenting alone: Offering culturally responsive approaches. *American Journal of Family Therapy*, 39, 360-374. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01926187.2010.539477>
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- *Bitar, G. W., Kimball, T.G., Gee, R., & **Bermúdez, J. M.** (2008). Overcoming "man pride:" Redefining masculinity with Mexican American men on federal probation. Special Issue for the *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy*, 20(1), 21-45. <https://doi.org/10.1080/0895280801907093>
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10. *Parker, M. L., **Bermúdez, J. M.**, & Neustifter, R. (2007). Kite in Flight: Identity and empowerment of adolescent girls in dating relationships. *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy*, 19 (4), 1-20. https://doi.org/10.1300/J086v19n04_01
- *Sharp, E. A., **Bermúdez, J. M.**, & Watson, W., & Fitzpatrick, J. (2007). Reflections from the trenches: Our development as feminist teachers. *Journal of Family Issues*, 28, 529-548. <https://doi.org/10.1177%2F0192513X06297473>
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BOOK CHAPTERS

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10. McDowell, T. Knudson-Martin, C., & **Bermudez, J. M.** (in press). Socioculturally Attuned Family Therapy. In J. L. Lebow, A. L. Chambers, and D. C. Breunlin (Eds.) *Encyclopedia of Couple and Family Therapy*. New York: Springer.
https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-49425-8_1093

Knudson-Martin, C., McDowell, T. & **Bermudez, J. M.** (in press). Sociocultural Attunement in Systemic Family Therapy. In K. Wampler (Ed.) *The Handbook of Systemic Family Therapy*.

Bermudez, J. M., & Mancini, J. (2013). ‘Familias fuertes’: Resilience among Latino families. In D. Becvar (Ed.). *Handbook of Family Resilience* (pp. 215-227). New York: Springer.
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Bermúdez, J. M. (1998). Changing hats during therapeutic impasses. In T. S. Nelson & T. S. Trepper (Eds.), *101 More interventions in family therapy* (pp. 194-197). New York: The Haworth Press.

OTHER PROFESSIONAL PUBLICATIONS

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Bermúdez, J. M. (Nov./Dec., 2011). Supervising multi-lingual/multi-cultural therapists in training: What do we need to know? *Family Therapy Magazine* (pp44-45).

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MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

1. Detentions and Deportations in Georgia: Implications for Latina Immigrant Women and their Families and Communities. Yolanda Machado Escudero, June Gary Hopps, J. Maria Bermudez, Rebecca Mathew
2. Equitable Practice is Good Practice: Navigating Tensions in Socioculturally Attuned Family Therapy- Bermudez, McDowell, and Knudson-Martin
3. Meanings of Mexican-American manhood: Implications for family therapy. Curiel, Y., Bermudez, J. M., & Hardy, K.
4. “My father was the first man I ever loved”: A queer Chicano’s experience of manhood. Curiel, Y., Bermudez, J. M., & Hardy, K.
5. Re-authoring Masculinity with Male Survivors of Childhood Sexual Abuse: A Narrative Approach for Couple Therapy- Maxey, McCoy, Walsdorf, and Bermudez
6. The Role of Peacebuilding in Intimate Partner Relationships Stinson, M. A. & Bermudez, J. M.
7. The politics of therapy: A data driven evaluation on the impact of clients. Seponski, D. M., Jordan, L., & Bermudez, J. M.
8. A Narrative Therapy Approach to Crisis Intervention. Bermudez, J. M., Stinson, M., and Muruthi, B.
9. Mother-adult daughter questionnaire: Measurement invariance across first and second generation black immigrant women. Muruthi, B.A., Bermudez, J. M., Chou J., Gale, J., Lewis, D. (revise and resubmit)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Funded Research Experience

Rebecca Matthew, Pamela Orpinas, Maria Bermúdez and Carolina Darbisi (2020)
Lazos Hispanos: Community Health Worker Program in Georgia
 Georgia Health Foundation
 Amount Requested: \$20,000 (Pending).

Rebecca Matthew; Pamela Orpinas; Maria Bermúdez; & Carolina Darbisi (2020)
Lazos Hispanos: Community-Based Participatory Research and Outreach
 Mary Allen Lindsey Branan Foundation.
 Amount Requested: \$20,000 (Pending).

PI: Pamela Orpinas; Co-PIs: Rebecca Matthew, Maria Bermúdez, & Carolina Darbisi (2020).
Lazos Hispanos: The Development of a Standardized Core Training Manual for Community Health Workers in Georgia.
 Georgia Department of Public Health
 Amount requested: \$90,000 (Pending).

PI: Pamela Orpinas; Co-PIs: Rebecca Matthew, Maria Bermúdez, & Carolina Darbisi (2020).
“Lazos Hispanos: The Development of a Standardized Core Training Manual for Community Health Workers in Georgia”
 Georgia Department of Public Health
 Amount requested: \$47,531 (Funded)

Matthew, Rebecca., Orpinas, Pamela., Bermúdez, J. Maria., & Darbisi, Carolina (2018)
“Lazos Hispanos: Fostering bridges toward healthy families”
 Georgia Health Foundation
 Amount requested: \$20,000 (Funded).

Rebecca Matthew (Social Work); Pamela Orpinas; Maria Bermúdez; Carolina Darbisi (2018)
“Lazos Hispanos: Promotoras fostering bridges toward prosperous and healthy communities”
 Local Faith Based Organization (Athens, GA).
 Amount requested: \$10,000 (Funded: \$5,000).

Matthew, R., Orpinas, P., Bermúdez, J. M., & Darbisi, C. (2018)
Increasing Access to Healthcare: Community Health Workers & Lazos Hispanos.
 Local Healthcare Organization, Community Benefit Grants.
 Amount requested: \$25,000 (Funded: \$10,000).

Matthew, Rebecca (Social Work), Bermudez, J. Maria (Human Development and Family Science), Darbesi, Carolina (J. W. Fanning Institute for Leadership Development), & Orpinas, Pamela (Public Health). (Co-PIs) (2017).
“Promotores” as Cultural Brokers: Fostering Bridges toward Prosperous and Healthy Latino Communities. President Jere Morehead’s Interdisciplinary Seed Grant Program, The University of Georgia; Funded \$97,547.00

Bermudez, J. M. (2014). *Resilience and Vulnerability: Exploring the Effects of Parental Deportation and/or Police Detention on Latino Children and Families in Georgia.*
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Gale, J., Bermudez, J. M., Goetz, J., & Burwell, S. (2006). *Creating a Conjoint Financial Counseling and Couple Counseling Treatment model for Couples on the Threshold of Poverty*. The University of Georgia, Office of the Vice President for Public Service and Outreach, Poverty and the Economy Faculty Research Grants Program, \$23,050.00

Bermudez, J. M., & Burwell, S. (2006). *Terapia Familiar en Español: Extending Clinical Service and Research for Monolingual Latinos*. The University of Georgia Research Foundation, Inc., \$5,400.00

Bermudez, J. M. (2006). *Developing Culturally Responsive Psychoeducational Support Groups for Latino Parents*. College of Family and Consumer Sciences, The University of Georgia, Faculty Development Research Grant, \$1,730.00

Bermúdez, J. M. (2003). *Implementing Parenting through Change with Latina Mothers Parenting Alone: Follow-up Interviews*. College of Human Science, Texas Tech University, New Faculty Research Seed Grant, \$4,500.00

Wampler, R., & Bermudez, J. M. (2003). *Implementing Parenting through Change with Latina Single Mothers*, Texas Tech University, Interdisciplinary Research Seed Grant, \$11,852.00

Wampler, R., Munsch, J., & Bermudez, J.M. (2002). *Parent Empowerment Project*. Grant Community Youth Development, Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services (Lubbock, MHMR), \$140,331.00

Wampler, R., & Bermudez, J. M. (2002): *Implementing Parenting through Change with Latina Single Mothers*. Grant Funded by Texas Family Trust Fund- TX Attorney General, \$125,642.00

Letters of Intent and Proposals Submitted (not funded)

Proposal for Piedmont Community Benefits Grant

Submitted September, 2018

Co-PIs- Rebecca Matthew, Pamela Orpinas, J. Maria Bermudez, and Carolina Darbisi

Lazos Hispanos: Working with Promotoras to Increase Access to Mental Health Resources in Northeast Georgia - requested \$25,000.00.

Proposal for the Turner Family Foundation

Submitted September, 2018

PI- Bermudez, J.M.; Co-PIs- Rebecca Matthews, Pamela Orpinas, and Carolina Darbisi

Lazos Hispanos: Working with Promotoras to Increase Access to Mental Health Resources in Northeast Georgia - requested \$15,000.00.

Letter of Intent Kaiser Permanente Foundation

Submitted March 2, 2018

PI- Bermudez, J.M.; Co-PIs- Rebecca Matthews, Pamela Orpinas, and Carolina Darbisi

Lazos Hispanos: Working with Promotoras to Increase Access to Mental Health Resources in Northeast Georgia - requested \$75,000.00.

Proposal Sent to Mary Allen Lindsey Branan Foundation Application

Submitted: February 28, 2018 by Meghan Hauser

PI- Bermudez, J.M.; Co-PIs- Rebecca Matthew, Pamela Orpinas, and Carolina Darbisi
 Focus: general operational support (no new promotoras, but more participants)
 Requested: \$15,000

Letter of Intent W.K. Kellogg Foundation Community Engagement Scholarship Award

Submitted February 9, 2018

Lazos Hispanos: Fostering Bridges Toward Prosperous and Healthy Communities

Co-PIs- Rebecca Matthew, Pamela Orpinas, J. Maria Bermudez, and Carolina Darbisi-
 Requested \$100,000.00

PI- Bermudez, J.M.; Co-PIs- Desiree Seponski, Jennifer Elkins, and Rebecca Matthew
 Letter of Intent, Russell Sage Foundation; Call for research on Race, Ethnicity, and Immigration (2016)
*Risk and Resilience among Latino Families Coping with the Effects of Detention, Deportation, and
 Family Disruption-* Requested \$150,000.00.

PI- Bermudez, J.M.; Co-PIs- Jennifer Elkins and Rebecca Matthews
 Letter of Intent, Russell Sage Foundation; Call for research on Race, Ethnicity, and Immigration (2015)
 Collaborators at UGA: Edward A. Delgado-Romero; Pedro R Portes, Larry G Nackerud, Steven R
 Holloway, Pamela Orpinas, Richard Gordon, Alex W Scherr, Maritza Soto Keen.
*Assessing the Extent of Disruption and Traumatic Response of Individuals, Families, and Communities
 Following an 'ICE Raid'* - Requested \$150,000.00.

Bermudez, J. M. (2013). *Bridging Technology with Interactive Student Processes: Innovative
 Approaches to Teaching Human Development*. The University of Georgia, Office of the Vice President
 for Instruction. 2013 Innovative Instruction Faculty Grant, \$5,000.00.

Bermudez, J. M. (2012). *Resilience and Vulnerability: Exploring the Effects of Parental Deportation
 and/or Police Detention on Latino Immigrant Children*. Young Scholars Program Research Fellowship -
 Foundation for Child Development; \$149,921.00.

Goetz, J. W., Gale, J., & Bermudez, J. M. (2008). *An Interdisciplinary Model for Financial and Couples
 Counseling*. The National Endowment for Financial Education (NEFE), \$351,637.00

Baynes, K., Bermudez, J. M., & Scherr, A (2007) *The Supreme Court of Georgia Equal Justice
 Commission Committee on Civil Justice to conduct a comprehensive and collaborative Georgia Legal
 Needs Survey*. The Supreme Court of Georgia Equal Justice Commission Committee on Civil Justice,
 \$231,869.00

Baynes, K., Bermudez, J. M., Scherr, A., & Gibson, S. (2007). *A Comprehensive and Collaborative
 Legal Needs Assessment for Northeast Georgia*. The University of Georgia, Office of the Vice President
 for Public Service and Outreach, Poverty and the Economy Faculty Research Grants Program;
 \$30,479.00

Active Research Projects and Collaborative Teams (Not Funded)

*Latino Family Resilience among Mixed-Status Families: Parents Perspectives on their Children's
 Resilience in the Face of Adversity* (qualitative study- Heuristic Inquiry)

Primary Investigator- J. Maria Bermudez (2016-present time)

Co-PI and Collaborator- Dr. Jennifer Elkins, Associate Professor of Social Work, UGA

Latinx Resilience among Emerging Adults of Under-documented Families

online qualitative study using Heuristic Inquiry

Primary Investigator – J. Maria Bermudez (2017-present time)

Controversial and Challenging Content in a Gender Roles Course: Understanding Students' Experiences (qualitative study). (2005-2006)

Co-Investigators: Elizabeth Sharp, Maria Bermudez, Maria Walker, Danielle SoRelle-Miner.

Perspectives of Spirituality in Marriage and Family Therapy

PI: Marianne McInnes Miller, Ph.D., Texas Tech University; Co-Investigator : Maria Bermudez

Conflict Resolution Styles among Latino Couples

Doctoral Dissertation; Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

Major Professor: Dr. Howard O. Protinsky

Quantitative study of 191 Latino couples residing in Houston and Dallas, TX to examine factors affecting conflict resolution styles and to assess if styles reflect the descriptions found in MFT literature.

Interviewing a Therapist in the Presence of a Couple: A Qualitative Inquiry of the Therapeutic Process

Co-PIs: Scott Edwards, Maria Bermudez, Donna Canady, Howard Protinsky (1998): Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University. Research team investigated the process and outcome of having an interviewing therapist ask questions to a therapist in the presence of a couple.

Research Assistant (1998): Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

Research assistant for Dr. Jay Mancini and Dr. Lydia Marek. Primary responsibilities were to do literature reviews and edit manuscripts in preparation for publication. Manuscripts were related to program evaluation, resiliency with youth at risk and their families, depression among caregivers, and parent-child relationships.

Hispanic Families and the Marriage and Family Therapy Literature Describing Them

Master's Thesis (1997): Purdue University Calumet (Northwest)

Developed the research instrument in Spanish and English. Research area involves surveying a random national sample of 700 Hispanics (N=94) in the United States to test which of their views of themselves reflect the descriptions of Hispanic families in the Marriage and Family Therapy literature.

Research Assistant (Sept. 1994 - Dec. 1996) Purdue University Calumet

Assisted Dr. Lorna Hecker. Primary area of research involved creating the Marriage and Family Therapy Client and Clinic Data Base for research and statistical purposes.

Research Assistant (1990 -1991) The University of Houston

Assisted Dr. Richard Evans' longitudinal study of the effects of smokeless tobacco on adolescent boys. Main responsibilities were to administer and code assessment protocols.

Other Research Activities

Research Consultant and Collaborator: *A Recipe for Educational Inequality? Disordered Eating and Romance Among Black, Hispanic, and White College Women.* Grant awarded to Dr. Elizabeth Sharp, Texas Tech University, Department of Human Development and Family Science (Spring, 2015)

Research Consultant: *The equal opportunity therapy project II: Serving the Latino community*

Grant awarded to Dr. Tom Stone Carlson, North Dakota State University, Couple and Family Therapy program, Department of Child Development and Family Science (Spring, 2006)

Occupational Asthmagens in Cleaners: A Focus Group Study

Focus Group Moderator: (2005) Lubbock and Houston, Texas (12 groups, in Spanish and English)

Principal Investigator, Dr. Ahmed A. Arif, Assistant Professor & Director of Health Services Research Program in the Department of Family and Community Medicine, TTU Health Sciences Center

PRESENTATIONS

Webinar

Bermudez, J. M. (December 4, 2020). *Socioculturally Attuned Family Therapy: Guidelines for Third Order Thinking and Praxis*. 3 hour webinar/clinical training; Presented for **Children's Services Council for Palm Beach County** in Florida.

International Conferences

Gomez-Lamont, F., Bermudez, J. M., & Silva-Arragon, A. (May, 2020). Invited virtual presentation titled, *La Interseccionalidad en el campo de la terapia familiar sistémica*. En el Encuentro Universitario, 2020 del SUAyED de la **Universidad Autónoma de México** (UNAM) FES, Iztacala.

Gonyea, J., & Bermudez, J. M. (2020, March 12-14). *Sociocultural and Ethical Considerations for Interdisciplinary Supervision in a Holistic Clinic*. [conference session]. 2020 World Family Therapy Congress, **Basel, Switzerland** www.ifta-congress.org (**Conference canceled**).

20. Lamont, F., & Bermudez, J. M. (Nov. 16, 2019). Invited presentation titled, *La Terapia Familiar Sistémica y la Comunidad LGBT+ (Systemic Family Therapy and the LGBT+ Community)*; Universidad de Tlaxcala, **Tlaxcala, Mexico**.

Bermudez, J. M. (Nov. 16, 2019). Invited 3 hour workshop titled, *Co-creando narrativas preferidas con el uso del arte y las expresiones creativas (Co-creating preferred narratives with the use of art and creative expression)*. Centro de Terapia Familiar y de Pareja (Center for Family and Couple Therapy) CEFAP- 9º Congreso Internacional en Terapia Breve y Familiar: Continuación y Transición de lo sistémico, **Puebla, México**.

Bermudez, J. M. (Nov. 15, 2019). Invited 3 hour workshop titled, *Explorando la Familia Interna: Una Interacción Creativa y Narrativa para la Terapia Familiar (The Internal Family: A Creative, and Narrative Integration for Family Therapy)*. Centro de Terapia Familiar y de Pareja (Center for Family and Couple Therapy) CEFAP- 9º Congreso Internacional en Terapia Breve y Familiar: Continuación y Transición de lo sistémico, **Puebla, México**.

Darbisi, C., Matthew, R., Calva, A., Orpinas, P., Bermudez, J. M. (2018, August). *Lazos Hispanos: Promotoras as leaders and advocates for community well-being*. Oral presentation at the 2018 Bi-Annual Conference of the International Leadership Association; **Lima, Peru**.

*Bermudez, J. M., Walsdorf, A., & Boe, J. (Nov. 11, 2016) – Invited to conduct an 8 hour clinical training, 1-3 part series titled “*Entranamiento en Psicoterapia Familiar Feminista- Fundaciones Principales del Feminismo: Teorías, Historias, y Conciencia*” (Training in Feminist Family Psychotherapy- Foundational Principals of Feminism: Theories, Histories, and Consciousness). Instituto de Estudios de La Familia y La Comunidad (INFAC A. C.). **Oaxaca, Mexico**.

- *Bermudez, J. M., Walsdorf, A., & Boe, J. (Nov. 12, 2016) – Invited to conduct an 8 hour clinical training, 2-3 part series titled “*Entranamiento en Psicoterapia Familiar Feminista- Los Temas fundamentales de la Terapia Familiar Feminista*” (Training in Feminist Family Psychotherapy- Foundations of Feminist Family Therapy). Instituto de Estudios de La Familia y La Comunidad (INFAC A. C.). **Oaxaca, Mexico.**
- *Bermudez, J. M., Walsdorf, A., & Boe, J. (Nov. 13, 2016) – Invited to conduct a 6 hour clinical training, 3-3 part series titled “*Entranamiento en Psicoterapia Familiar Feminista- La Práctica de la Psicoterapia Familiar Feminista* (Training in Feminist Family Psychotherapy: The Practice of Feminist Family Therapy). Instituto de Estudios de La Familia y La Comunidad (INFAC A. C.) **Oaxaca, Mexico.**
- Bermudez, J. M. (Oct. 30, 2016). Invited keynote plenary titled, “*Terapia Familiar Feminista: Enfrentando valores problemáticos basados en sistemas patriarcales*” (Feminist Family Therapy: Challenging problematic values based in patriarchal systems). Centro de Terapia Familiar y de Pareja (Center for Family and Couple Therapy) CEFAP- 5º Congreso Internacional en Terapia Breve y Familiar: Continuación y transición de lo sistémico, **Puebla, México.**
- Bermudez, J. M. (Oct. 29, 2016). Invited 2 hour workshop titled, *Manejando Crisis con Fortaleza: Intervención en Crisis Basada en Terapia Narrativa (Managing Crisis with Resiliency: Crisis Interventions based in Narrative Therapy*. Centro de Terapia Familiar y de Pareja (Center for Family and Couple Therapy) CEFAP- 5º Congreso Internacional en Terapia Breve y Familiar: Continuación y Transición de lo sistémico, **Puebla, México.**
- *Bermudez, J. M., Walsdorf, A., Boe, J. (Oct. 28, 2016). Invited 3 hour workshop titled, *Terapia Familiar Feminista: Cuestiones de Género, Poder y Mucho Mas (Feminist Family Therapy: Gender, Power, and Much More)*. Centro de Terapia Familiar y de Pareja (Center for Family and Couple Therapy) CEFAP- 5º Congreso Internacional en Terapia Breve y Familiar: Continuación y transición de lo sistémico, **Puebla, México.**
10. *Bermudez, J. M. & Jordan, L. (Oct., 2014). Invited Presentations titled, *Empezando un Camino Nuevo: Co-Creando Narrativas Preferidas con el uso del Arte y las Expresiones Creativas*. 3º Congreso Internacional Juconi, **Puebla, Mexico.**
- *Bermudez, J. M. & Jordan, L. (Nov., 2013). Invited two hour workshop titled, *Co-creando narrativas preferidas con el uso del arte y las expresiones creativas*. 3º Congreso Internacional en Terapia Breve y Familiar: Continuación y transición de lo sistémico, **Puebla, Mexico.**
- Bermudez, J. M. (Nov., 2013). Invited Presentation titled, *Explorando su sistema familiar interno: Usando una integración creativa y narrativa para la terapia familiar*. 3º Congreso Internacional en Terapia Breve y Familiar: Continuación y transición de lo sistémico, **Puebla, Mexico.**
- *Bermúdez, J. M., & Stinson, M. A. (May 25 and 26, 2012). Invited Two-Day/10 hour Presentation and Clinical Training titled , *Explorando la Familia Interna: Una Integración Sistémica, Creativa, y Narrativa para la Terapia Familiar (The Internal Family: A Systemic, Creative, and Narrative Integration for Family Therapy)*. Centro de Familias y de Parejas; **Guadalajara, Mexico.**
- *Bermúdez, J. M. , & Stinson, M. A. (April 21 and 22, 2012) Invited Two-Day/10 hour Presentation and Clinical Training titled , *Explorando la Familia Interna: Una Integración Creativa, y*

Narrativa para la Terapia Familiar (The Internal Family: A Creative, and Narrative Integration for Family Therapy). Centro de Familias y de Parejas, **Puebla, Mexico**.

- *McCoy, M., Stinson, M., and Bermúdez, M. (March 21, 2012). *Love and sexual intimacy after prostate cancer*. Poster Presentation at the International Family Therapy Association, **Vancouver, Canada**.
- *Bermúdez, J. M., & Stinson, M. A. (November, 2011, invited lecture). Fortaleciendo comunicación entre las familias y parejas atravesando por una crisis (*Strengthening family and couple communication during times of crisis*). Invited lecture/workshop at the 7th Annual International Conference on Brief Therapy: Psychotherapy, Trauma, and Crisis Intervention; **Oaxaca, Mexico**.
- *Seponski, D. M., Bermudez, J. M., & Lewis, D. C. (2010, October). *Utilizing responsive evaluation to examine the adaptation of therapy models: A case illustration*. Paper session presented at the ASEAN Regional Union of Psychological Societies 3rd Congress, **Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia**.
- Seponski, D. M., Lewis, D. C., & Bermudez, J. M. (2010, July). *Utilizing responsive evaluation to explore EMDR as a culturally responsive model of therapy across Asia*. Poster session presented at the 1st EMDR Asian Conference, **Bali, Indonesia**.
- Carlson, T. S., Erickson, M. J., McGeorge, C. R., & Bermúdez, J. M. (2004, July). *Just Therapy with Latino Families in the Midwestern United States*. Poster session presented at the Narrative Therapy & Community Work Conference, **Oaxaca, Mexico**.

National Presentations

- Bermúdez, J. M., McDowell, T., & Knudson-Martin, C. (May 14, 2020). *Socioculturally Attuned Family Therapy: Guidelines for Third Order Thinking and Praxis*. Invited 3 hour Virtual Workshop presented for the AAMFT Doctoral Minority Fellowship Training Institute; sponsored by AAMFT and SAMHSA.
- Wills, M. (Moderator), Bermudez, J. M., Laird, H. & Nealy, E. (May 16, 2020). *The Intentional Practitioner*. Invited 2 hour Virtual Panel Discussion conducted for the AAMFT Doctoral Minority Fellowship Training Institute; sponsored by AAMFT/SAMHSA.
- Matthew, R., Calva, A., Alvarez-Hernandez, L., Orpinas, P., Bermudez, J. M. Darbisi, C., (January 15-19, 2020). *Promoting Health and Social Equity Among Latinxs: Outcomes and Lessons Learned from a Community-Based, Multi-Stakeholder Promotoras Program in the Southeast U.S.* 24th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR); Washington, DC.
- Calva, A., Darbisi, C., Matthew, R., Orpinas, P., Bermudez, J. M., Alvarez-Hernandez, L., (Nov. 5, 2019). *Fostering sustainable community change: Supporting leadership development among CHWs/promotoras*. Round table presentation at the Annual Conference of the American Public Health Association; Philadelphia, PA.
- Matthew, R., Calva, A., Alvarez-Hernandez, L., Orpinas, P., Bermudez, J. M. Darbisi, C., (Nov. 2-6,

- 2019). *Evaluation of a Nascent CHW/promotoras program in the Southeast: Lazos Hispanos*. American Public Health Association's 2019 Annual Meeting & Expo. Roundtable: "Supporting Diverse & International Communities"; Philadelphia, PA.
- *Maxi, V., & Bermudez, J. M. (September, 2019). *Relational Construction of Masculinity among Male Childhood Sexual Abuse Survivors*. Research presentation presented at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy; Austin, Texas.
- McDowell, T., Knudson-Martin, C., & Bermudez, J. M. (November, 2018). *Back to the Future: From Bateson to Third-Order Change*. Workshop presented at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Louisville, Kentucky.
- *Walsdorf, A., Bermudez, J. M., & Machado, Y. (November, 2018). *Continuing the Conversation: Immigration Status Implications for Family Therapy*. Workshop presented at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Louisville, Kentucky.
- *Boe, J., Bermudez, J. M., & Maxey, V. (November, 2018). *Decolonizing the Coming Out Process for LGBT people*. Research presentation presented at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Louisville, Kentucky.
- *Walsdorf, A., Anderson, L., Somo, C., Seponski, D. M., & Bermúdez, M. (November, 2017) *Culturally Responsive MFT through Cultural Brokering*. Presentation at the National Annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Orlando, FL.
40. , T., Knudson-Martin, C., & Bermudez, J. M. (October, 2017). *Socioculturally Attuned Therapy and Ethics: Beyond Diplomacy*. 3 hour Seminar presented at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Atlanta, GA.
- *Walsdorf, A., Bermudez, J. M., & Machado, Y. (October, 2017). *Considerations for Working with Latino families in MFT*. Workshop presented at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Atlanta, GA.
- *Carlson, M. W., Oed, M. W., Bermudez, J. M. (October, 2017). *Satir's Communication Stances and EFT's Pursue-Withdraw Cycles*. Workshop presented at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Atlanta, GA.
- *McCoy, M. Muruthi, B., Farnham, A., & Bermudez, J. M. (October, 2017) *Deconstructing Older Adults Sexual Scripts*. Workshop presented at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Atlanta, GA.
- *Smith, E., Farnham, A., Witherspoon, D., Bhargava, S., & Bermudez, J. M. (April, 2017). *The Role of Individualistic and Collectivistic Cultural Values and Relationships to Risky and Prosocial Behaviors among Diverse Children*. Presented to the Biennial Meeting of the Society for Reserch in Child Development, Austin, Texas.
- *Abrams-Muruthi, B., Farnham, A., Chou, J., & Bermudez, J. M. (September, 2015). *Neither Here Nor There: Working with Transnational Immigrant Families in Marriage and Family Therapy*. Workshop at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Austin, TX

- *Bermudez, J. M., Abrams-Muruthi, B., Jordan, L., & Stinson, M. A. (September, 2015). *Heading for a Crisis? Narrative Therapy as an Intervention*. Workshop at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Austin, TX
- *Lewis, D. C., Bermudez, J. M., & Seponski, D. M. (November, 2013). *Culturally Relevant Methods and Culturally Sensitive theory: Meeting challenges of Research in a Global Perspective*. Symposium at the National Annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, San Antonio, TX.
- Lucero-Liu, A., & Bermudez, J. M. (November, 2013). *Chicana Feminism: Implications for Family Studies Research, Teaching, and Praxis*. Feminist Theory and Praxis Roundtable at the National Annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, San Antonio, TX.
- Prouty, A., Ko, M-J, Bermúdez, J. M., Helmeke, K., Ko, M.J. (September, 2012). *Intersections of Human Diversity within MFT Training and Supervision*. Workshop at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Charlotte, NC.
30. *Bertranna, A., Bermudez, M., Stinson, M., Megan, M. (September, 2012). *Afro-Caribbean Single Women Parenting in the U.S*. Poster presented at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Charlotte, NC.
- *Stinson, M., Bermudez, M. Abrams, B., (September, 2012). *Peace building among Latino Couples in Therapy*. Poster presented at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Charlotte, NC.
- *McCoy, M., Abrams, B., Ford, M, Bermudez, M. (September, 2012). *Co-Constructing Preferred Money Scripts through a Contextual Lens*. Financial Therapy Association Conference; Columbia, Missouri.
- Prouty, A., Ko, M-J, Bermúdez, J. M., Helmeke, K., Ko, M.J. (October, 2011). *Intersections of Human Diversity within MFT Supervision*. Workshop at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Fort Worth, TX.
- *Bermudez, J. M., Stinson, M. A., Abrams, A. B., Zak-Hunter, L. M. (2011). *Love and Resiliency among Single Mexican Mothers*. Poster presented at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Fort Worth, TX.
- Bermúdez, J. M. (February 3, 2011). Invited lecture- *Intersectionality and the Social Construction of Knowledge, Power, and Praxis: Implications for MFTs*. Workshop conducted for the Winter Think Tank for the AAMFT Minority Fellowship Program: Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration sponsored by SAMHSA; Arlington, VA.
- Goetz, J., Gale, J., Bermudez, J. M., Palmer, L., & Johnson.L. (2010). *Relational Financial Therapy: An Interdisciplinary Approach*. In Proceedings of the Association of Financial Counseling and Planning Education, Denver, CO: Association of Financial Counseling and Planning Education.
- Johnson, L., Gale, J., & Bermudez, J. M. (2010). Invited Presentation: *Frameworks for Effective Supervision*. Pre-conference Institute for the AAMFT Supervision Track- American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- Bermúdez, J. M., & Zak-Hunter, L. (2010). *Meanings and Experiences of Motherhood for Mexican American Women Parenting Alone*. Poster presented at the American Association for

Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Atlanta, GA.

- Goetz, J., Gale, J., Johnson, L., & Bermudez, M. (2010). Forum Session for first annual Financial Therapy Association (FTA) Conference, Manhattan, Kansas.
20. *Bermúdez, J. M., Zak-Hunter, L., Silva, L., Branchetti, K., & Dunn, C. (2009). *Culturally Responsive Parenting Classes*. Poster presented at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Sacramento, CA
- *Camp, L., Bermúdez, J. M., Hjelmstad, L. R. (2009). *Reflections on Sibling Relationships as a Clinical Resource*. Workshop presented at the National Meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Sacramento, CA
- Bermudez, J. M. (February 6, 2009). Invited lecture; *Intersectionality (race, class, gender and sexuality) and the Social Construction of Knowledge, Power, and Praxis*. Workshop conducted for the AAMFT Minority Fellowship Program: Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration sponsored by SAMHSA; Alexandria, VA.
- *Green Pimentel, L., Goetz, J. Gale, J., & Bermúdez, M. (2008, November). *Providing Collaborative Financial and Couples Counseling: Experiences of the Financial Counselors and Couples Therapists*. The Association for Financial Counseling and Planning Education (AFCPE), Garden Grove, CA.
- *Kim, J-H., Pimentel, L., Gale, J., Goetz, J., Bermúdez, J. M., Neustifter, R. (2008). *Double Trouble: A Model for Relational & Financial Distress*. Presentation at the meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Memphis, TN
- *Taniguchi, N., Busby, D., & Bermúdez, J. M. (2007). *Developing a Scientifically Based Japanese Translated Version of the Relationship Evaluation Questionnaire (RELATE)*. Presentation at the meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Long Beach, CA
- *Brewer, A., Kim, J.H., & Bermúdez, J. M. (2007). *Integration of play therapy with Structural and Emotionally-Focused Family Therapy*. Workshop presented at the meeting of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Long Beach, CA
- Gale, J., Johnson, L., Burwell, S., & Bermudez, M. (2006, October). *Attending to the moment-to-moment clinical process in supervision*. Workshop at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Austin, TX.
- *Brimhall, A., Bean, R., Bermúdez, (2006, October). *Therapy with Latinos: A Culturally Competent Q-sort*. Poster presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Austin, TX
- *Sharp, E.A., Walker, M.B., Sorelle-Miner, D., & Bermúdez, M. (2006, November). *The Glass Ceiling is a Bummer”: Women’s Reflections on a Gender Course*. Paper submitted to National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference. Minneapolis, MN
10. *Bean, R., Bermúdez, J.M, Drew, F., and Parra R. C. (2004, September). *Increasing Your Cultural Excellence: Use of the Self of the Therapist*. Workshop conducted at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Atlanta, GA.

- *Christiansen, F., Wampler, R., and Bermúdez, J. M. (2004, September). *Divorce Women of Faith*. Workshop conducted at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- *Aguirre, C., Bermúdez, J. M., and Ro, H.S.(2003, October). *Narrative Therapy with Girls in the Criminal Justice System*. Workshop conducted at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Long Beach, CA.
- Bermúdez, J. M. (2003, October). *Conflict Resolution Styles among Latino Couples*. Poster session presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Long Beach, CA.
- Bermúdez, J. M. and Bermúdez, S. (2003, August). *Altar-making in Therapy: Re-membering, Re-narrating, and Re-claiming your artistic self*. Workshop conducted at the Narrative Therapy & Community Work Conference, Evanston, IL, Northwestern University.
- Bermúdez, J. M. (2003, July). *Conflict Resolution among Latino Couples*. Poster session presentation at the Fifth Annual Summer Institute, Family Research Consortium III, Santa Ana, New Mexico.
- *Wampler, R.S., Bermúdez, J.M., & Aguirre, C. (2002, October). *A parenting intervention for single Latina mothers*. Poster presented at the meetings of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Cincinnati, OH.
- Walsh, S., Viers-Yahn, D., Bermúdez, J. M., & Prouty, A. M. (2000, November). *It takes two to pioneer: A wives' qualitative study of husbands' marital perceptions*. Poster presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Denver, CO.
- Prouty, A. M., & Bermúdez, J. M. (1999, October). *We can renarrate who we are*. Workshop conducted at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Chicago, IL.
- Bermudez, J.M., Edwards, S., & Canady, D. (1999, October). *Externalizing Clinical Narratives: A Qualitative Study*. Poster session presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Chicago, IL.

Local, State, or Regional Conferences/Meetings

- Bermudez, J. M. (January 14, 2021). *Socioculturally Attuned and Responsive Outreach with Latinx Families in Georgia*. Presentation for UGA Extension FACS Virtual Program Conference College of Family and Consumer Sciences.
- Bermudez, J. M. (November 11, 2020). *Narrative Therapy: Sociocultural and Creative Applications*. University of Oregon, Couple and Family Therapy Master's Program; 3 hour virtual presentation.
- Bermudez, J. M. (October 9, 2020). A Feminist and Decolonizing Approach to Community-Based Participatory Research, Outreach, and Activism in Athens, GA. Woman Studies Friday Speaker Series, University of Georgia (virtual).
- Bermudez, J. M., Shewell, A., & Mayo, C. (April 2, 2020). *“Leading with Care:” A Discussion of Self-Care and Leading Your Community During the Covid-19 Pandemic*. Invited Panel Discussion from The Fanning Institute of Leadership and Development. Moderated by Dr. Matt Bishop.

- Bermudez, J. M., Alvarez, R., Matthew, R., Orpinas, P., Darbisi, C., Calva, A., & Alvarez, L. (Oct. 26, 2019). *Lazos Hispanos: Promotoras as Agents of Change in Athens, Georgia* (October 26, 2019). Oral presentation at the 8th Women and Girls in Georgia Conference; Session on Gender, Justice, Immigration, and Activism.
30. Bermudez, J. M. (April, 2019). *Working with Immigrant and Mixed-Status Families in the US: Exploring ways to be Socioculturally Attuned, Informed, and Responsive in Challenging Contexts*. Invited 6 hour Training/Workshop conducted for the Center for Community Engagement, Lewis & Clark University, Graduate School of Education and Counseling, Portland, OR.
- Matthew, R., Bermudez, M A., Darbisi, C., Orpinas, P., Calva, A., & Promotoras. (January 26, 2019). *Fostering Sustainable Community Change: Supporting Leadership Development and Increasing Resource Awareness within the Athens' Latinx Community*. Workshop selected for the 3rd Annual Social Justice Symposium, Athens, GA.
- Matthew, R., Calva, A., Pinto, C., Orpinas, P., Bermudez, M & Darbisi, C. (January 20, 2018). *Lazos Hispanos: Fostering Bridges Toward Prosperous and Healthy Communities*. Workshop selected for the 2nd Annual Social Justice Symposium, Athens, GA.
- Matthew, R., Calva, A., Darbisi, C., Orpinas, P., & Bermudez, J. M. (December 7, 2017). *Lazos Hispanos: Informational Session and Team Building with Promotoras and UGA and Community-Based Collaborators*. J. W. Fanning Institute for Leadership Development.
- Bermudez, J. M., Boe, J., Maxey, V., & Walsdorf, A. (March 4, 2017). *Feminist Informed Narrative and Internal Family Systems Therapy in Action*. Invited 6 hour Workshop conducted for the Center for Community Engagement, Lewis & Clark College, Portland, OR.
- Farnham, A. & Bermudez, J. M. (April 28th- May 1, 2016). *Paradox of Erotic Intelligence: Increasing the Familiar and the Mysterious in Couple's Sexual Intimacy*. Poster presentation held at The 37th Annual Conference for the Georgia Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Jekyll Island, GA.
- Abrams-Muruthi, B., Farnham, A., & Bermudez, J. M. (March 26, 2016). *Neither Here Nor There: Working with Transnational immigrant families in Marriage and Family Therapy*. Workshop presented for the Northeast Chapter of the Georgia Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Athens, GA
- Bermudez, J. M., Jordan, L., Muruthi, B. A. (2015, June). *From Immobility to Flexibility, Strength, and Stability: Creative Applications of Narrative Therapy to Crisis Intervention*. Invited 5 hour Workshop conducted for the Center for Community Engagement, Lewis & Clark University, Graduate School of Education and Counseling, Portland, OR.
- Bermudez, J. M. (2015, April). *Chicana Feminism and Latino/a Critical Race Theory: Implications for Research, Teaching, and Praxis*. Presentation conducted at the 31st Annual Women's Studies Conference, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX.
- Camp, T., & Bermudez, J. M. (2014, March). *Sexual Ethics in Psychotherapy*. All-day workshop provided by the Samaritan Center for Counseling and Wellness for continuing education units for therapists in Athens, GA,

20. Bermudez, J. M. & Camp, T. (2013, March). *From Sexualized Behavior to Spiritual Based Moral Development: Sexual Ethics for Clergy*. Workshop conducted for the Methodist Clergy of the Northwest Conference. Atlanta, GA.
- Gale, J., Goetz, J., Kim, J.H, & Bermúdez, J. M. (2009, March). *Relational Financial Therapy: A model for collaboration for family therapists and financial planners*. Workshop conducted for the North East Georgia Chapter of the Georgia Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Athens, GA.
- Parker, M. L. & Bermudez, J. M. (2008, February). *Identity and Empowerment in Adolescent Dating*. 15th Annual Institute for Women's Studies Student Research Symposium. The University of Georgia, Athens, GA.
- Parker, M., Campbell, K., and & Bermúdez, M. (2007). *Empowerment of Adolescent Girls in Dating Relationships*. Women and Girls in Georgia Conference, presented by The Institute for Women's Studies at UGA, Athens, GA
- Bermúdez, J. M., & Delgado-Romero, E. (February, 2007). *Family Therapy with Latino Students*. Workshop presented at the Conference for School Counselors as Advocates for Latino/a Students. Hosted by UGA Center for Latino Achievement and Success in Education, UGA Department of Counseling and Human Development Services and UGA College of Education Dean's Council on Diversity Athens, GA
- Sharp, E.A., SoRelle-Miner, D., Bermudez, M., & Watson, W. (2007). *Teaching Undergraduate Women about Gender Inequity throughout the Lifespan: Lessons from the Trenches*. Paper session presented to the annual meeting of the Southwestern Women's and Gender Studies Association, Albuquerque, NM.
- Bermudez, J. M. (April 18 and 19, 2006). *Experiences of Latinas in the United States*. Invited Lecture at The Unity Conference, Minnesota State University- Moorhead
- Bean, R., Bermúdez, J.M, Drew, F., and Reyes, N. A. (2005, January). *Increasing Your Cultural Excellence: Use of the Self of the Therapist*. Workshop conducted at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Plano, TX.
- Aguirre, C., Bermúdez, J. M., and Ro, H.S.(2004, January). *Narrative Therapy with Girls in the Criminal Justice System*. Workshop conducted at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Houston, TX.
- Keeling, M. and Bermúdez, J. M. (2004, January). *Externalizing Problems through Sculpture and Writing*. Workshop conducted at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Houston, TX.
10. Bermúdez, J. M (April 2002) *The Clash between Traditional Latino Gender Roles and Contemporary Demands*. Invited lecture for the Hispanic Association of Women- 2002 Women's Conference, Lubbock, TX

- Bermúdez, J. M., Edwards, S., and Canady, D. (1999, April). *Interviewing a Therapist in the Presence of a Couple: A qualitative inquiry of the Therapeutic Process*. Workshop conducted at the Southeastern Symposium on Child and Family Development, Auburn University, Auburn, AL.
- Bermúdez, J. M. (1999, April). *Conflict Resolution among Latino Couples*. Round table discussion conducted at the Southeastern Symposium on Child and Family Development, Auburn University, Auburn, AL.
- Prouty, A. M., & Bermúdez, J. M. (1999, January). *Re-narrating identities: Integrating Feminist Multiconsciousness, internal family systems and narrative theory*. Workshop conducted at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, San Antonio, TX.
- Bermúdez, J. M. (1999, January). *Hispanic Families and The Marriage and Family Therapy Literature Describing Them*. Poster presented at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, San Antonio, TX.
- Bermúdez, J. M. (1998, October). *Hispanic Families and the Marriage and Family Therapy Literature Describing Them*. Poster session presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Conference, Dallas, TX.
- Hecker, L., Bermúdez, J. M., Deacon, S., & Payer R. (August, 1995) *Crisis Intervention in Marriage and Family Therapy*; Professional all-day workshop provided for community mental health practitioners, Hammond, IN.
- Hecker, L., Bermúdez, J.M., Deacon, S., and Payer, R. (1996, April). *Crisis Intervention Skills Training*. Workshop conducted at the Indiana Association for Marriage and Family Therapy State Conference, Indianapolis, IN.
- Penn, C., Hernandez, S. and Bermudez, J. M. (1996, April). *Infidelity, Culture, and Couple's Therapy*. Workshop conducted at the Indiana Association for Marriage and Family Therapy State Conference, Indianapolis, IN.
- Bermúdez, J.M. (1995, March). *Secrets as Ethical Dilemmas in Family*. Poster session presented at the Indiana Association for Marriage and Family Therapy State Conference, Indianapolis, IN.

Invited Guest Lecture for the University Community

35. Bermudez, J. M. (October 9, 2017). *Afro-Latinidad*. Panel discussion for the Multiracial Student Organization; The Intersection at the University of Georgia.
- Bermudez, J. M. (September 29, 2017). *Promotoras en Acción- Manejando Situaciones de Crisis Con Fortaleza-* Training presented for the promotoras de salud of Lazos Hispanos at ALCES.
- Bermudez, J. M., Driggers, C., Lockwood, B., Brown, J., Owens, T. E., & Twitty, B. (September, 21, 2017). *Tacking Student Mental Health: Equipping Parents to Help their Children Navigate Stressful Life Events*. Panel Discussion at Lumpkin County High School.

- Bermudez, J. M., (March 21, 2017). *Latino Family Resilience in an Era of Uncertainty*. For the students of Dr. Sergio Quesada, The Latin American and Caribbean Studies, Professional Seminar, University of Georgia.
- Bermudez, J. M. (November, 2016). Guest Speaker for the 16th Annual Future Scholars Visitation Program; University of Georgia Graduate School Outreach & Diversity Office.
30. Bermudez, J. M., Walsdorf, A., and Machado-Escudero, Y. (October 20, 2016). Presentation for the Latin American and Caribbean Studies Immigration Forum- University of Georgia; *The Effect of Deportation and Detention on Children and Families*.
- Bermudez, J. M. (April 29, 2016). Invited Guest Speaker for the UGA Office of Institutional Diversity, Dialogues in Diversity Lunchtime Series; *Family Ties: Understanding Latino/a Family Dynamics*.
- Bermudez, J. M. (February 27, 2016). Round table discussion for Latino parents and potential students attending the “College Experience Day- ¡Si Se Puede!” at the University of Georgia.
- Bermudez, J. M., (February 16, 2016). *Being Culturally Responsive: Parenting Classes for Mexican American Mothers Parenting Alone*. The Latin American and Caribbean Studies (LACSI), Professional Seminar for Dr. Sergio Sequeda, University of Georgia.
- Bermudez, J. M. (December 4, 2015). “First Look at UGA”, Invited speaker for the academic panel. The University Chapel.
- Bermudez, J. M. (June 26, 2015). “First Look at UGA”, Invited speaker for the academic panel. The University Chapel.
- Bermudez, J. M., (March 25, 2015). *Family Resilience among Immigrant Latinos*, Round Table Discussion for the Department of Human Development and Family Science, UGA.
- Bermudez, J. M., (March 4, 2014). *Familias Fuertes: Family Resilience among Latinos*, For the students of Dr. Sergio Quesada, The Latin American and Caribbean Studies, Professional Seminar, University of Georgia.
- Bermudez, J. M. (November, 2014). Guest Speaker for the 14th annual Future Scholars Visitation Program; University of Georgia Graduate School Outreach & Diversity Office.
- Bermudez, J. M. (November, 12, 2013). Guest Speaker for the 13th annual Future Scholars Visitation Program; University of Georgia Graduate School Outreach & Diversity Office.
20. Bermudez, J. M., (March 5, 2013). *Familias Fuertes: Family Resilience among Latinos*, For the students of Dr. Sergio Quesada, The Latin American and Caribbean Studies, Professional Seminar, University of Georgia.
- Bermudez, J. M., (March 8, 2012). *Being Culturally Responsive: Parenting Classes for Mexican American Mothers Parenting Alone*. For the students of Dr. Sergio Quesada, The Latin American and Caribbean Studies, Professional Seminar, University of Georgia.
- Bermudez, J. M., (March 8, 2011). *Being Culturally Responsive: Parenting Classes for Mexican American Mothers Parenting Alone*. For the students of Dr. Sergio Quesada, The Latin American and Caribbean Studies, Professional Seminar, University of Georgia.

- Bermudez, J. M., (March 8, 2010). *Being Culturally Responsive: Parenting Classes for Mexican American Mothers Parenting Alone*. For the students of Dr. Sergio Quesada, The Latin American and Caribbean Studies, Professional Seminar, University of Georgia.
- Bermudez, J. M., (April 7, 2009). *Being Culturally Responsive: Parenting Classes for Mexican American Mothers Parenting Alone*. For the students of Dr. Sergio Quesada, The Latin American and Caribbean Studies, University of Georgia.
- Bermudez, J. M. (October 23, 2009). *Lessons Learned from Mexican American Mothers Parenting Alone*. Woman Studies Friday Speaker Series, University of Georgia
- Bermudez, J. M., (April 7, 2009). *Being Culturally Responsive: Parenting Classes for Mexican American Mothers Parenting Alone*. For the students of Dr. Sergio Quesada, The Latin American and Caribbean Studies, University of Georgia.
- Bermúdez, J. M., Zak-Hunter, Silva, L., & Branchetti, K. (November 11, 2008). *Culturally Responsive Parenting Classes for Mexican American Mothers Parenting Alone*. College of Education, Centennial Diversity Seminar Series; University of Georgia.
- Bermudez, J. M. (March 23, 2007). *Latinas in the United States: Identity and context*. Invited Speaker for the Woman Studies Friday Speaker Series, University of Georgia.
- Bermúdez, J. M. (October, 2005). *Embracing Diversity*. Guest Lecturer for the Third Annual Ramadan Fast-a-thon Fundraiser for Hurricane Katrina victims. Sponsored by the Muslim Student Association and TTU.
10. Quilliam, K. Bermúdez, J. M., & Hein, S. (October, 2005). *Classroom Management: Creating a Conflict-Free Classroom*. Panel Discussion for the Teaching, Learning and Technology Center at Texas Tech University.
- Bermúdez, J.M., Sharp, E. and Thacker, B.A. (February 10, 2005) *Why Choose to Teach Differently? The Benefits of a Dynamic Classroom and Suggestions for Creating One*. Round Table Discussion for The Learning and Teaching Center at Texas Tech University
- Bermúdez, J.M. and Owens, B. (December 8th, 2004) *The Root of Discrimination is Fear: What Recruiters Need to Know*. Cultural Awareness and Sensitivity Training for the Admissions Office at TTU
- Bermúdez, J. M. (October 18th and 19th, 2004) *Appreciating our Differences: Diversity Training for First Year Students*: For Erlene McNeil, M.S., HUSC 1100.Texas Tech University
- Bermúdez, J. M., & Parra, J.R. (October, 2003). *Working with Hispanics in Therapy: Shifting your Cultural Paradigm*; Cultural Awareness Training for the Employment Assistant Program at TTU
- Bermúdez, J. M. (July, 2003). *Professionalism in the Workplace*, Lecture provided for students in the Department of Nutrition, Hospitality and Retailing at TTU.

Bermúdez, J. M. (1997, 1998, and 1999). *What is Professionalism?* Guest lectures for the Professional Seminar Series of the Family and Child Development Department, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

Bermúdez, J. M. (April, 1998). *Dating in the 90's*; Guest speaker for women living on campus dorm, Usher Hall (04-98) Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

Bermúdez, J. M. (September 28, 1996) *Self-Awareness and Ethnic and Cultural Bias: Experiential Learning for the Marriage and Family Therapist*; Workshop provided for Master of Science Students in the MFT Program; Purdue University Calumet

Bermúdez, J. M. (April, 1996) *Current Social Issues within the Hispanic Community*; Panel Member for Open Forum at Purdue University Calumet

TEACHING

Graduate Courses (8)

Ecological Perspectives on Individual and Family Diversity, UGA

Couple and Sex Therapy, UGA

Practicum in Marriage and Family Therapy, UGA and TTU

Supervision in Marriage and Family Therapy, UGA

Introduction to Relational Therapies/MFT, UGA and TTU

Contemporary Theories in Marriage and Family Therapy: TTU

Qualitative Research Methods in Family Therapy: TTU

Family Systems Theories: TTU

Undergraduate Courses (12)

Women, Families, and Society (split level- undergrad and graduate) - UGA

Human Development across the Lifespan - UGA

Human Development across the Lifespan- Developed Online course- UGA

Child Development- Online course - UGA

Diversity in Human Development and Family Systems - UGA and TTU

Race, Class, Gender, and Sexuality, WMST 3110 - UGA

Feminism is For Everybody- First Year Odyssey- UGA

Family Intervention - UGA

Professional Issues and Community Services - UGA

Gender Roles from a Developmental Perspective - TTU

Marriage and Family Dynamics - Virginia Tech

Introduction to Higher Education - Purdue Calumet

ADVISEES

Ph.D. Major Professor

Valerie Maxey Systemic Treatment of Male Sexual Abuse Survivors in progress

Dr. Bertranna Muruthi Afro-Caribbean Mother-Daughter Communication May 2016
 Recipient of Robert C. Anderson Memorial Award UGA, 2018

Dr. Morgan Stinson	Peace in Intimate Partner Relationships	Dec. 2014
Dr. Narumi Taniguchi	Japanese Translation of the RELATE Measure Texas Tech University	May 2006
Dr. Dakesa Schooler	African American Religious Couples Texas Tech University	May 2006
Dr. Margaret Keeling	Narrative Therapy Research Texas Tech University	May 2005

Ph.D. Dissertation Committees at UGA

MFT/HDFS

Meredith Farnsworth	In Progress
Emilie Ellis	In Progress
Sorita Ann	In Progress
Sophal Mak	In Progress
Monysakada Phal (HDFS)	In Progress
Avery Campbell	In Progress
Zach Bailey	In Progress
Dr. Ashley Walsdorf	Dec. 2019
Dr. Lorien Jordan	May 2018
Dr. Kyle Bower	May 2018
Dr. Megan McCoy	May 2016
Dr. Carla Smith Nancoo	May 2014
Dr. Deepu George	Dec. 2014
Dr. Hao-Min Chen	May 2013
Dr. Pei Fen Li	Dec. 2013
Dr. Lisa Zak-Hunter	Dec. 2012
Dr. Amber Brewer	Dec. 2012
Dr. Desiree Seponski	May 2011
Dr. Michele Parker	Dec. 2009
Dr. Luciana Silva	Aug. 2009
Dr. Katherine Clock-Powel	Aug. 2008
Dr. Ruth Neustifter	Dec. 2008

Other Departments and Universities- Ph.D. Dissertation Committee Member

Luis Alvarez-Hernandez	UGA	School of Social Work	in progress (methodologist)
Fausto Gomez-Lamont	U. Iberamericana	Doctorado de Investigación Psicológica	(methodologist)
Dr. Yolanda Machado	UGA	School of Social Work	Dec. 2019 (methodologist)
Dr. Faria Kamal	U. of Toronto	Education	Dec. 2017
Dr. Yajaira Curiel	Drexel University	Couple and Family Therapy	May 2016 (methodologist)
Dr. Lourdes Martinez	UGA	School of Public Health	May 2014
Dr. Carolina Darbisi	UGA	Dept. of Adult Education	Dec. 2012

Master of Science Major Professor

Amber Sale	UGA	Disparities and Maternal Health	May 2020
Twila Woolsey, MS	Texas Tech	Couple Therapy	May 2006
Dr. Nenetzin Reyes	Texas Tech	Immigrant Latino Families in Therapy	May 2004

Master of Science Student Committees**UGA**

Kristen “Ashley” Johnson (Child life)	May 2019
Savannah Spivey (HDFS)	Dec. 2014
Christina Lewis (HDFS)	May 2010
Lisa Zak-Hunter (HDFS/MFT)	Dec. 2008
Desiree Seponski (HDFS/MFT)	Dec. 2007

Other Departments/Universities

Mateo Nino	Purdue University Northwest; Couple and Family Therapy	in progress
Erica Garcia	Purdue University Northwest; Couple and Family Therapy	August 2019
Gisela Leija	Purdue University Northwest; Couple and Family Therapy	May 2016
Loren Macias	UGA Dept. of Adult Education; Adult Education	December 2015
Anna Auman	UGA Dept. of Textiles, Merchandising and Interiors	December 2013

Undergraduate Honors Thesis Advisees, CURO Scholars, and Research Assistants at UGA

Madison Phillips	Spring, 2021	CURO Research Assistant- Cancel Culture Project
Yesica Turcios-Galvez	Fall, 2020	CURO Research Assistant- “Lazos Hispanos”
Mary Lopez	Fall, 2020 Spring, 2021	Volunteer Research Assistant “Lazos Hispanos” CURO Research Assistant- “Lazos Hispanos”
Jocelyn Ordaz	Fall, 2020	CURO research assistant- Promotoras Project “Lazos Hispanos”
Alexandra Sausa	2019-2020	Research Assistant (fall 2019, 2020; Spring/Summer/Fall 2020) “Intersectionality and Context across the Lifespan”
Cassidy Long	Spring, 2019	Research Assistant “Resilience among Latinx Emerging Adults”
Lila Mitchell	Spring, 2019	CURO Research Assistant “Resilience among Latinx Emerging Adults”
Jessica Rosales	Fall, 2018 Spring, 2019	Research Assistant “Latino Family Resilience among Mix-Documented Families”
Brenda Gavidia	Fall, 2018 Spring, 2019	CURO Research Assistant Promotoras Project “Lazos Hispanos”

Spring/Fall, 2020

Chelsea Thao-Mi Ho	Fall, 2018 Spring, 2019	CURO Research Assistant Promotoras Project “Lazos Hispanos”
Lauren Schermerhorn	Fall, 2018 Spring, 2019 Fall, 2019 Spring, 2020	CURO Research Assistant “Resilience among Latinx Emerging Adults”
Alma Lepiz	Fall, 2018 Spring, 2019 Spring, 2020	CURO Research Assistant, “Lazos Hispanos”
Ashton Burton	Fall, 2018	CURO Research Assistant “Intersectionality and Human Development”
Catherine Evans	Fall, 2018	Research Assistant- “Intersectionality and Human Development”
Isabel Carvallo	Spring, 2018	CURO Research Assistant Promotoras Project “Lazos Hispanos”
Luis Mata	Fall, 2017 Spring, 2018	CURO Research Assistant Honors Thesis advisor, graduated May 2019 Promotoras Project “Lazos Hispanos”
Genesis Castro	Spring, 2017	CURO Research Assistant “Latino Family Resilience among Mix-Documented Families”
Lauren Lauterbach	Spring, 2017 Spring, 2018	CURO Research Assistant “Intersectionality and Human Development”
Seyi Amosu	Spring, 2015	Honors Thesis Advisee “ASPIRE Clinic Data Analysis”

Additional Teaching Experience

Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

Graduate Teaching Assistant- Instructor of Record

Marriage and Family Relationships; FCD 3324; 5 sections; (Fall 1997 - Summer 1999)

Teaching Supervisor: Katherine Allen, Ph.D.

Purdue University – Calumet (Northwest)

Graduate Teaching Assistant- Instructor of Record

Introduction to Higher Education: 2 Sections; (Fall semester 1996 and Spring, 1997)

Marriage and Family Therapy, (Spring semester, 1996): Teaching Assistant for Dr. Lorna Hecker

Aldine Independent School District (Sept. 1992 - May 1993)

Substitute Teacher for Junior High and High Schools, All classes, including students in “English as a Second Language Program”; 14910 Aldine Westfield, Houston, Texas, 77039, (713) 985-6314.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Supervisor for the Promotoras/Community Health Workers for Lazos Hispanos

2018-present

University of Georgia

Research consultant and clinical supervisor for the Lazos Hispanos promotora's work in the community

Marriage and Family Therapist/Supervisor

2014-present

Aspire Clinic at University of Georgia

Pro-bono work on an as-needed basis for Latinos and high crisis cases

Clinical Supervisor

Fall 2017- Present

Lazos Hispanos- Supervising Promotoras as Community Health Workers in Athens, GA

Sexual Health Consultant

Fall 2015

University of Georgia Catholic Center

Marriage and Family Therapist

2007- 2015

Samaritan Counseling Center; 455 N. Lumpkin St., Athens, GA 30602

Director, Lacy Camp, M.S., LMFT, (706) 369-7911

Private Practice in Marriage and Family Therapy

2004-2006

8008 Slide Rd., Benchmark Suites #17, Lubbock, TX, 79424, 806-794-1336

Advanced Resident in Marriage and Family Therapy

Jan. 1997- July 1997

Samaritan Counseling Center, Clearlake and Houston, TX

Supervisor: Gerald DeSobe, Ph.D. (281) 480-4641

Marriage and Family Therapist Intern

May 1999 – July 2000

New River Valley Community Services, Blacksburg, VA, Child and Family Unit.

Unit Director Rosemary Sullivan and Clinical Supervisor, Dr. T. J. Stone

- CO-facilitator of STAR (Substance Abuse Treatment for Adolescents in Recovery)

Intensive Outpatient Group Therapy for Individual and Family Groups

Marriage and Family Therapist (doctoral practicum)

Jan. 1998 - May 1999

The Family Therapy Center of Virginia Tech

Clinic Director: Scott Johnson, Ph.D. (540) 231-3311

Clinic Assistant (Sept.1994 - Dec. 1996)

Purdue University Calumet Marriage and Family Therapy Center

Director: Lorna L. Hecker, Ph.D. (219) 989-2938

- Co-created clinic forms and translated them into Spanish

- Conducted public relations campaigns to get the community and other mental health professionals acquainted with the newly founded Marriage and Family Therapy Center
- Helped design the clinic data base to be used for clinical and research purposes

Staff Therapist (Jan. 1997- July 1997)

Marriage and Family Therapy Intern (Jan. 1996- Dec. 1996)

Samaritan Counseling Center, Munster, IN;

Supervisor: Mark Kilmer, Ph.D., M. Div. (219) 923-8110

Child Care Counselor

May 1996 - Aug. 1996

Tri-City Comprehensive Community Mental Health Center, Inc. Phoenix House
East Chicago, IN

Supervisor: Jerry Anderson, M. S. (219) 392-6984

Marriage and Family Therapy Intern (Jan.-Dec. 1995)

Thorton Township Youth Committee, South Holland, IL.

Director: Susan Fulton, M.A. (708) 596-6046

Individual Program Coordinator/ Case Worker (March - Aug. 1994)

The Mental Health and Mental Retardation Authority of Houston and Harris County.

Supervisor: Ken Collins, Ph.D.

- Coordinated clinical and community services for mentally retarded adults and their families
- Worked with a multi-disciplinary team to assess the client's needs and to formulate a treatment plan-
Managed an ongoing case load of 70 individuals

Psychology Intern (April - Aug. 1993)

The Neuro Psychiatric Hospital Dr. Mario Mendoza, Tegucigalpa, Honduras.

Director and Supervisor: Americo Reyes, M.D.

- Project Coordinator and Founder of Honduras' first 24 hour suicide hot line named "La Linea de La Vida" (Life Line)
- Main responsibilities in hospital were to assess and triage suicidal patients
- Developed and implemented a 4 week Crisis Intervention Seminar in Spanish for the hospital staff and mental health professionals

Information and Referral Specialist Volunteer (1991 - 1993)

Mental Health Association for Houston and Harris County

Rape Crisis Volunteer

1991 – 1992- Houston Area Women's Center- Rape Crisis Unit

1010 Waugh Dr., Houston, TX 77019

Volunteer

1990 - 1991

Good Neighbor Health Care Center

190 Heights Blvd, Houston, TX 77007

- Assisted nutritionist improving diabetes and prenatal care classes for Hispanics
- Translated brochures and other materials into Spanish

SERVICE

Discipline

- External Reviewer for the SACS Academic Program Review for Nova Southeastern University's M.S. Program in Family Therapy (Spring, 2021)
- Reviewer for Promotion and Tenure for Associate Faculty Member in the Department of Family Science in College of Public Health at The University of Maryland (Fall 2018)
- Reviewer for Promotion and Tenure for Associate Faculty Member at Mercer University (Fall, 2017)
- Reviewer for Promotion and Tenure for Associate Professor, Fall 2017, Texas Tech University (Fall, 2017)
- External Reviewer for the Program and Alignment Review for Department of Couple and Family Therapy, College of Nursing and Health Professions, Drexel University (Spring, 2017)
- External Reviewer for the Academic Program Review for Texas Woman's University, Ph.D. Program in Family Therapy (Spring, 2017)
- Reviewer for Promotion and Tenure for Associate Faculty Member at Nova Southeastern University (Spring, 2016)
- External Reviewer for the SACS Academic Program Review for Nova Southeastern University's Ph.D. Program in Family Therapy (Fall, 2015)
- Member of the Search Committee for the new Editor for *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy*-*Dr. Fred Piercy was selected* (2010-2011)
- Member of the Search Committee for the new Editor for *Journal of Feminist Family Therapy*-*Dr. Joyce Baptist was selected* (2011-2012)
- Founding Member of the Advisory Committee for the AAMFT Minority Fellowship Program, sponsored by Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) (2008-2011)
- Recognized as a Founding Member of the Texas Tech University, Latino/Hispanic Faculty and Staff Association at the 1st Annual LHFSA Awards Ceremony (2007)
- Vice President of the Texas Association for MFT, Lubbock Chapter (2003-2006)
- Former Editor of *Caring for the Commonwealth*; the newsletter for the Virginia Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (1998-1999)

University

- *Movimiento Latino* Planning Committee- Office of Institutional Diversity at the UGA- (2018, 2019, 2020)

- Institute for Women Studies at UGA- Affiliate Faculty Representative on Steering Committee (elected) (2007-2009, 2012-2015, and 2018 - present)
- Faculty Grievance Committee at UGA, (2017-2020)
- Faculty Campus Climate Working Group- Office of Faculty Affairs and the Office of Institutional Diversity at UGA (Spring 2017)
- Member of the Faculty Search Committee for the Department of Sociology and The Institute for Latin American and Caribbean Studies (LACSI) at UGA (Fall 2015)
- Member of the Five Year Strategic Planning Committee for Multi-Cultural Services and Programs (MSP), Division of Student Affairs at UGA (Spring 2015)
- Member of the Latino Advisory Board at UGA: Initiative directed by Dr. Art Dunning, VP for Public Service and Outreach at UGA (2006-2010)
- UGA Women Studies Conference; Chaired session entitled “Be Present.” (2008)
- College representative for the University Libraries Committee, UGA (2007 – 2011)
- Women’s Studies Council at Texas Tech University (2001-2006)
- Selected as Graduate Student Representative for Department Head Search Committee at Virginia Tech for the Department of Human Development (1999)

College/Department

- Graduate Coordinating Committee (2020)
- Chair of the Search Committee for HDFS for 2 Administrative Associate positions (Fall, 2019)
- Faculty Advisor for the HDFS Graduate Student Organization (2008-2011 and 2015- present)
- Graduate Program and Curriculum Committee Member (2015-present)
- Graduate Admissions Committee (2015- present)
- Awards Committee Member (September 2017- present)
- Graduate Faculty (Fall 2006-present)
- Member of the Faculty Search Committee for the Department of Financial Planning, Housing, and Consumer Economics (2017-2018)
- Aspire Clinic Advisory Board Member (2013-2018)
- Member of Faculty Search Committee for HDFS Department Head position (2013 – 2014)
- Member of Search Committee for HDFS/MFT Faculty position (2013 – 2014)
- College of Family and Consumer Sciences Facilities and Space Planning Committee (2012)

- Elected member of College and Family and Consumer Sciences Dean's Faculty Advisory Committee (2008-2010)
- Member of Graduate Policies and Procedures Committee (2007 – 2008)
- Member of Faculty Search Committee for CFD Department Head position (2008 – 2009)

Community

- Athens Latino Center for Education and Success (ALCES) Board Member, 2016- 2018
- Crisis intervention, in-home family therapy, and community engagement for Latino families in crisis due to family disruption related to deportation issues
- Practicing Marriage and Family Therapist since 1994
- Serve as a liaison for mental health services for Latinos in Athens, Georgia
- Provide clinical supervision for Spanish speaking doctoral students working with Latino clients at the Aspire Clinic at the University of Georgia
- The Hispanic Association of Women - Lubbock, Texas (2003-2006)

RECOGNITIONS/HONORS

- *Chris Todd Outstanding Outreach Award*, College of Family and Consumer Sciences 2020
- Closing Speech for ALAS, UGA's Latinx Commencement Ceremony, Tate Grand Hall; 2019
- Closing Speech for students and parents attending *Movimiento Latino* at the UGA; Tate Grand Hall; April 5, 2019 and March 17, 2017
- Welcome Speech for students and parents attending *Movimiento Latino* at the UGA; Tate Grand Hall; March 15, 2018
- Recognized by the *University of Georgia Career Center* for "greatly contributing to the career development of UGA students" (April 2014; Dec. 2015; April 2016, Dec. 2016)
- Recognized as a UGA Dawg Camp Namesake (1 of 3 faculty/ staff per year), "*Camp Bermudez*" for Incoming UGA students for Discovery Weekend; July 2015
- Keynote Speaker for *Movimiento Latino* at the UGA; Tate Grand Hall; April 20, 2015
- "UGA Family Symposium Academic Life Panel" - Continuously invited by the Office of Admissions as a faculty panel member to help in recruiting students (2014, 2015)
- Outstanding Faculty Member in the Marriage and Family Therapy Doctoral Program; Texas Tech University (2006)

- Awarded Professor of the Year, by the Order of Omega National Greek Honor Society, Texas Tech University (2005)
- Nominated Mentor of the Year, with *Mentor Tech* at Texas Tech University (2005)
- Recipient of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy *Minority Fellowship Award* (1997)
- Inducted into Psi Chi, The National Honor Society for Psychology 1989