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EDUCATION

Boston College, Lynch School of Education Master of Education, Curriculum and Instruction	Chestnut Hill, MA May 2017
University of Massachusetts Lowell, College of Health Sciences Bachelor of Science, Community Health and Sustainability	Lowell, MA May 2014

WORK EXPERIENCE

Assistant Director, Office of Intercultural Affairs August 2019 - Sept 2021
Stonehill College

Key Contributions: SafeZone Training, Student Programming

- Coordinate and evaluate 10-month multicultural programs around specific recognized holidays/months such as LGBTQ+ Heritage Month, Latinx Heritage Month, MLK Week, Black History Month, Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month, and more
- Develop and implement a pre-orientation program for incoming students
- Advise the Student Government Association Diversity Committee in planning and coordinating programming such as the DiverCity Festival and the Lead4Justice Conference
- Lead the Advocates for a Brighter Stonehill (ABS) Student Leadership Program with assistance from student coordinator(s)
- Oversee, facilitate, and evaluate all trainings including Lead with Courage, the SafeZone series and Let's Talk About Race
- Lead the Task Force on LGBTQ+ Climate, Programming & Education
- Collaborate with various groups and organizations in support of providing programming & support for students, faculty, and staff
- Oversee the Inclusive Excellent Grants program and work closely with grantees on the implementation of collaborative programs.
- Teach a section of the First Year Experience in the fall semester
- Supervise graduate interns and practicum students

Assistant Director, Alcohol and Drug Education, Office of Health Promotion
Boston College March 2018 – Aug 2019

Key Contributions: Alcohol Screening Events, MI Trainings, Manage LINKS

- Responsible for alcohol and drug education, prevention, and outreach for the Boston College community
- Develop, implement, and maintain student alcohol, drug, and health programming including Alcohol Screening Events, Motivational Interviewing, and other health campaigns hosted through the office
- Manage alcohol and drug data collection from Alcohol Edu and Core Survey
- Coordinate and facilitate BASICS, CHOICES, and Health Coaching interventions
- Co-oversee the iChoose specialty area for the Health Coach Institute
- Supervise and expand the LINKS without Drinks program for students who are

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considered non-drinkers

- Monitor and administer AlcoholEdu Program
- Serve as a referral source for student alcohol related issues
- Work closely with all areas of Student Affairs and other departments across campus to educate students proactively

Alcohol Screening and Prevention Program Manager

Boston College

Nov 2016 – Feb 2018

Key Contributions: Alcohol Awareness Week, SBIRT/MI Trainings, and Screening events

- Develop and implement a combination of interventions aimed at identifying and supporting students who meet criteria as moderate to high-risk drinkers at Boston College
- Oversee 24-hour alcohol information and support helpline with 6 helpline consultants
- Coordinate several recurring alcohol screening events on campus
- Educate students about the negative potential effects of their drinking habits and available resources at Boston College and beyond
- Train faculty and staff around the subject of substance dependence on college campuses and available interventions
- Oversee assessment for ASAP initiatives
- Creates detailed reports for overseeing committees, supervisors, and stakeholders in the interest of determining effectiveness and improving the resources offered to students

Drug Free Communities Project Coordinator

Wayside Youth and Family Services

Feb 2015 – Nov 2016

Key Contributions: Manage social media outlets and Creation of youth programs

- Funded under a Drug-Free Communities Grant provided by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA)
- Work with the Decisions at Every Turn coalition staff, volunteers, youth leaders and other community stakeholders to implement community wide, evidence-based strategies in order to reduce underage alcohol and drug use amongst youth in Ashland, MA
- Facilitate coalition meetings with 15 community stakeholders from faith-based organizations, local police and fire departments, schools, local businesses and other organizations in the community
- Plan and execute coalition events such as liquor license trainings, coalition retreats, youth events and community programming
- Provide community partners with resources to carry out prevention efforts in respective organizations
- Oversee five working group efforts
- Advise and manage Breaking the Barriers student club activities and events with 30 youth

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- Coordinate trips to conferences such as Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America
- Oversee coalition social media handles such as Facebook and Twitter
- Administrative support to Project Director
- Manage coalition yearly budget of \$250,000

Underage Drinking Prevention Coordinator

City of Medford

April 2014 - Feb 2015

Key Contributions: Host youth conference, Social Media, and Resource Guide Development

- Funded under an Underage Drinking Prevention Grant by the Bureau of Substance Abuse Services (BSAS) under the Massachusetts Department of Public Health
- Implementation of evidence based programs and strategies designed to reduce underage drinking in Medford
- Aide in coordination and promotion of youth activities with middle and high school students
- Share messages that promote healthy living via social media and print material
- Create resources that bring public awareness to underage drinking laws and regulations
- Organize and host youth leadership conferences that encourage youth empowerment within Medford public schools and the community
- Work as a part of a team to create a video highlighting the positive role modeling and resources in the community
- Work with a group of Medford faculty and youth to create a Social Norming Campaign
- Assist in the coordination of Compliance Checks with Medford Police Department and the Board of Health
- Create a comprehensive resource guide for families and community members who need assistance in the Mystic Valley region
- Facilitate Team Medford meetings
- Provide administrative support to Underage Drinking Prevention Supervisor

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Youth and Young Adult Pastor

Jubilee Christian Church

July 2018 - Current

Key Contributions: Pastoral Counseling and Support for youth and young adults

- Host a series of youth and young adult services and socials once a month focused on spiritual, emotional and mental health
- Supervise a team of 15-20 leaders who serve under the ministry for monthly programming
- Host yearly Code Blue Conference comprised of prayer, worship, and community service to local community
- Provide pastoral counseling to youth and young adult congregants, as needed, to

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- advance their spiritual, emotional, physical, social and mental health
- Support church-wide programs and events including Dash Conference, Atmosphere Conference, Convention, community-wide turkey giveaway, holiday brown bag making, and more

Staff Member

Operation Make A Difference

Jan 2013 - April 2015

Key Contributions: Programming support for conferences

- Work with the director and staff members to implement programming directed towards youth that promote healthy and positive youth development
- Assist in coordinating and planning conferences such as the Young Ladies Conference and Youth Congress

Youth Leader

Mount of Olives Evangelical Church

Aug 2007 - Aug 2014

Key Contributions: Advising of youth and Program planning of activities

- Work with a team of youth leaders to help educate youth group members on societal issues and pressures
- Mentor assigned mentees with areas of need including school, career, and family
- Develop programming that promotes peace, love, and joy in order to service the community at large
- Construct educational workshops for young women
- Plan professional and social events for youth to participate and fellowship
- Implement campaigns throughout the city that spread youth empowerment

Committee Involvement

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| - Black Faculty, Staff, Administrators Association | Fall 2016 -Spring 2019 |
| - Dash Conference Pastoral Care Committee | Sept 2017 - Present |
| - Women's Collaborative Group | Fall 2017 - Spring 2019 |
| - Eagle Path Committee | Fall 2018 - Spring 2019 |
| - The Body Project Training Certification | Fall 2018 |
| - Small Groups Committee | Jan 2019 - Present |