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## **Education**

2020-Present University of Hong Kong

Ph.D. in Swallowing Disorders (Full-time)

2013-2017 University of the Philippines Manila

B.S. Speech Pathology

Awards:

o Cum Laude

Best Research Presentation

Rotated as an intern in the following clinical rotation sites:

Noordhoff Craniofacial Foundation Philippines

o Philippine General Hospital – Department of Rehabilitation Medicine

o Philippine General Hospital – Ear Unit

o Clinic for Therapy Services – Pediatric Section

o Clinic for Therapy Services – Adult and Adolescent Section

Community-based Rehabilitation

# **Professional Experience**

03/2020-Present	University of Hong Kong Research Assistant (Part-time) Swallowing Research Laboratory, Faculty of Education (PI: Dr. Karen Chan)
08/2017-10/2021	Private Practice Home-based Clinician / Telepractice
02/2020-09/2020	Philippine General Hospital Speech Therapist II (Full-time) Speech and Language Section, Department of Rehabilitation Medicine
09/2019-01/2020	Philippine General Hospital Staff Trainee / Volunteer Speech and Language Section, Department of Rehabilitation Medicine
08/2018-07/2019	University of the Philippines Manila Instructor III (Part-time) Department of Speech Pathology, College of Allied Medical Professions
08/2017-07/2018	University of the Philippines Manila Instructor III (Full-time) Department of Speech Pathology, College of Allied Medical Professions
09/2017-02/2018	Basic Steps Center for Early Intervention and Rehabilitation Speech Therapist (Part-time)

#### Research

Conference papers

03/2022 Effects of Oropharyngeal Exercises on the Swallowing Function of

Older Adults: A Systematic Review Chua, DMN., Chan, KMK., Choi, YY.

Poster presentation

Dysphagia Research Society 30th Virtual Annual Meeting, 2022

06/2018 Normative Cross-sectional Studies on Voice: A Systematic Review

Bayona, HHG., Chua, DMN., Posadas, JHC., Austria, BAD., Dano-og,

MCL., Lazaro, CCA., Lopez, AL., Millo, JAG.

Poster presentation

Philippine Association of Speech Pathologists Convention, 2018

Unpublished work

06/2019 Awareness, Knowledge, and Perceptions of Health Professionals Toward

**Speech-Language Pathology: An Integrative Review** Principal investigator; Undergraduate thesis adviser

06/2017 Syntactic Development of Non-verbal Predicate Structures in Filipino

Pre-school Children: A Longitudinal Multiple Case Study

Undergraduate thesis

## **Memberships / Certifications**

02/2022-02/2023 Certified Regular Member (CSP-PASP)

<u>Link</u> Philippine Association of Speech Pathologists

05/2022 Certificate in Teaching and Learning in Higher Education

Centre for the Enhancement of Teaching and Learning (CETL)

The University of Hong Kong

## **Teaching**

**Undergraduate Teaching** 

A.Y. 2020-21 Guest lecturer

University of the Philippines Manila

OPST 199.1 Methods of Research for OT, PT and SP

SP 158 Introduction to Clinical Training

A.Y. 2017-19 Instructor

University of the Philippines Manila

SP 102 Anatomy and Physiology of the Speech and Hearing Mechanism

SP 114 Neuroanatomy for Speech Pathology Students

SP 131 Anatomy, Neuroanatomy, and Physiology for Speech Pathology SP 116 Communication Disorders Related to Cleft Lip and Palate and Other

Craniofacial Anomalies

SP 128 Medical Rehabilitation Lectures in Speech Pathology

OPST 195 Foundations of Research Literacy

OPST 199.1 Methods of Research for OT, PT and SP

OPST 199.2 Research Proposal Writing SP 200 Undergraduate Thesis

Invited Lectures

04/19/2022 The Aging Swallow

Postgraduate Dysphagia Certificate Program 2022

College of Allied Medical Professions University of the Philippines Manila

# **Public Engagements**

09/20/2020 Practical Tips and Strategies for Improving Speech and Language at

Home

Resource Speaker

Autism Family Support Group; Online Webinar