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EDUCATION

University of South Florida, Tampa, FL

PhD, School of Aging Studies

University of Missouri, Columbia, MO

MS, Journalism

University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS

BS, Journalism

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Visiting faculty, University of South Florida, School of Aging Studies, Tampa, FL, responsibilities include teaching, conducting research, and directing long-term care internship program, 2016-present

Graduate research assistant, Center on Hospice, Palliative, and End-of-Life Care Studies at USF, responsibilities included conducting dissertation research on end-of-life care communication and performing center needs assessment, 2015-16

Graduate teaching assistant, University of South Florida, School of Aging Studies, responsibilities included teaching and assisting faculty in research, 2012-2015

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor, University of South Florida, School of Aging Studies

The Life Cycle, Summer 2014, 2015, & 2016

Sociological Aspects of Aging, Fall 2016

Instructor, University of Tampa, Department of Communication

Media Writing, Fall 2009

Writing for Multimedia, Spring 2010

Instructor, University of South Florida Learning in Retirement Institute

Writing Your Life Story, 2000-2003

OTHER ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Co-coordinator, Florida Policy Exchange Center on Aging at USF, responsibilities included writing, editing policy briefs, 2014-16.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Consultant/subcontractor, Florida Medical Quality Assurance, Inc. (FMQAI), 2013-14

- Worked with faculty on contract to help design and assess a computer-based program (PEAK) to encourage older adults to monitor their heart health

Reporter /editor, The Tampa Tribune, 1986-2012

- Reported on multiple topics, including education, health, and aging
- Reported, wrote, recorded packages for Tribune partner, WFLA-TV; used social media to support print and video reporting
- Edited weekly "Prime Time" page

Reporter, Daytona (FL) News Journal, 1985-86

Reporter/copy editor, Pensacola (FL) News-Journal, 1984-85

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

Peterson, L., Meng, H., Dobbs, D., & Hyer, K. (2016) Gender differences in mobility device use among U.S. older adults. *The Journals of Gerontology, Series B: Psychological Sciences and Social Sciences*. doi:10.1093/geronb/gbw081

Peterson, L.J. & Hyer, K. (2015) Shifting to Medicaid managed long-term care: Are vulnerable Florida beneficiaries properly informed? *Journal of Applied Gerontology*. doi:10.1177/0733464815570668

Brewster, G., Peterson, L., Roker, R., Ellis, M. (2016) Depressive symptoms, cognition, and everyday function among community-residing older adults. *Journal of Aging and Health*. doi: 10.1177/0898264316635587

Ellis, M, L., Edwards, J.D., Peterson, L., Roker, R., & Athilingam, P. (2014). Effects of cognitive speed of processing training among older adults with heart failure. *Journal of Aging and Health*. doi:10.1177/0898264314525666

Brown, L. M., Haun, J. N., & Peterson, L. (2014). A proposed disaster literacy model. *Disaster Medicine and Public Health Preparedness*, 8(03), 267-275.

Peterson, L., & Hyer, K. (2015). Medicaid Managed Long Term Care. *Encyclopedia of Adulthood and Aging*. doi: 10.1002/9781118521373.wbeaa113

Peterson, L. & Brown, L.M. (2014) Disaster planning for community-dwelling older adults: Strengths, weaknesses, and interventions. In C.A. Cefalu (Ed.) *Disaster Preparedness for Seniors* (pp. 21-30). Springer: New York.

Peterson, L., Hyer, K., & Brown, L.M. (2014) Building resilience in nursing homes in disasters. In C.A. Cefalu (Ed.) *Disaster Preparedness for Seniors* (pp. 103-117). Springer: New York.

CONFERENCES

Peterson, L., Meng, H., Dobbs, D., Hyer, K. (2016, November). *Gender differences in mobility device use among older adults*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America meeting, New Orleans, La.

Dobbs, D., Peterson, L., Hyer, K., Meng, H. (2015, November). *Advance Care Planning: How attitudes and behaviors are associated with hospice utilization*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America Meeting, Orlando, FL.

Peterson, L., Meng, H., Dobbs, D., Hyer, K. (2015, June). *Gender differences in mobility device use among older adults*. Poster presented at Academy Health conference, Minneapolis, Minn.

Brown, L.M., Haun, J.M., Peterson, L. (2014, November) *Developing a disaster literacy model based on health literacy concepts*. Poster presented at the Health Literacy Research Conference, Bethesda, Md.

Hyer, K., Peterson, L. (2014, July) *Shifting to Medicaid-Managed Long-Term Care: Are vulnerable Florida beneficiaries properly informed?* Paper presented at the 28th International Congress of Applied Psychology Scientific Meeting, Paris, France.

Peterson, L., Meng, H., Hyer, K. (2014, November). *Hospitalization and functional decline among older adults in the community*. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America meeting, Washington, D.C.

Peterson, L., Hyer, K. (2014, November). *Informing Medicaid beneficiaries choosing managed care*. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America meeting, Washington, D.C.

AD HOC REVIEWER

Journals of Gerontology, Series B: Social Sciences
Journal of Applied Gerontology
Home Health Care Services Quarterly

HONORS AND AWARDS

Accepted to and awarded travel scholarship for ComSciCon, graduate student workshop in science communication, Cambridge, MA, June 18-21, 2015

Graduate Research Assistantship Grant, Center for Hospice, Palliative Care, and End-of-Life Studies at the University of South Florida, 2015-16

USF Graduate School Scholarship, 2012-13

Journalism awards

Florida Society of Newspaper Editors, explanatory writing, 2011
American Association of Sunday and Feature Editors, Excellence in Narrative Writing, 2009
Florida Press Club, government news, public service, 2008
Florida Press Club, general news, 2007
Sunshine State, Society of Professional Journalists, investigative reporting, 2007
Mid-Florida Society of Professional Journalists, feature writing, 2004
Florida Silver-Haired Legislature Silver Angel Award, 2003
Sunshine State, Society of Professional Journalists, feature writing, 2002
American Society on Aging Media Award, 2002

SERVICE

Meals on Wheels of Tampa, volunteer
Escuelas Hermanas, Guatemala-Florida sister schools project, secretary-treasurer
Doorways, Sarasota, Fla., memoir writing association, board member

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Gerontological Society of America; ESPO Newsletter Task Force, 2016; Humanities &
Arts committee member, 2013-15
American Public Health Association
Academy Health
Florida Council on Aging
USF Student Association in Aging Studies, secretary, 2013