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I focus on qualitative that advances the voices of foster care experienced people as they emerge into adulthood. I use positive youth development and capital development theories to demonstrate how youth thrive despite unaddressed systemic issues that contribute to negative outcomes in adulthood. My goal is to improve practice and policy by identifying institutional-level barriers that inhibit healthy development for all youth.

Doctor of Philosophy in Social Work

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Interdisciplinary Specialization: Higher Education

Dissertation: *What will I be and how will I get there?: Examining the transitions to adulthood among care leavers*

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Member, LGBTQ Faculty Staff Association	2020	Present
Member, CSUEB Disability Justice Working Group	2020	Present
RCSA Support Grant Reviewer, Committee on Research		2022
<i>California State University East Bay, College of Letters, Arts, and Social Sciences</i>		
Member, Curriculum Committee		2022
Member, A2E2 Committee		2021
<i>California State University East Bay, Department of Social Work</i>		
Graduate Coordinator	2022	Present
Chair, Admissions Committee	2022	Present
Member, Assessment Committee	2022	Present
Member, CSUEB IV-E Community Advisory Board	2021	Present
Member, Student Performance Committee	2020	Present
<i>Prior Affiliated University Service</i>		
Delegate, Graduate Student Advisory Board, Associate	2017	2020
Content Developer, Department of Macro Practice, BU School of Social Work		2019
Curriculum & Program Analyst, Dean of Academic Affairs Office, BU School of Social Work		2018
Safe Zone Facilitator, Chief Diversity Office, University of Iowa	2013	2015
Community Liaison, Council on Disability Awareness, University of Iowa	2013	2014
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<i>Service to the Academy</i>		
Reviewer, Children and Youth Services Review	2021	Present
Reviewer, Translational Issues in Psychological Science	2021	Present
Reviewer, Journal of Behavioral Health Services and Research	2021	Present
Reviewer, Journal of Adolescent Research	2020	Present
Reviewer, Patient Centered Outcomes Research Initiative	2018	Present
<i>Service to the Profession</i>		
Learning Series Specialist, Congressional Coalition on Adoption Institute	2020	Present
Mentor/Advisory Board Member, Mentoring for Academic & Professional Success (MAPS)	2020	Present
Member, Foster Care Alumni of America	2007	Present
Court Appointed Special Advocate, CASA Alameda County	2020	2023
Member, Massachusetts Network of Foster Care Alumni	2016	2020
Technical Advisor, Rep. Andy Vargas, Massachusetts House of Representatives		2019
Founding Member, California Chapter, Foster Care Alumni of America	2007	2011
Kern County Chapter President, California Youth Connection	2005	2006
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<i>Community Involvement</i>		
Tenor 2	2021	2023
Player/Medic, Boston Ironsides RFC, International Gay Rugby Union	2018	2020

Emergency Medical Technician, NREMT, #E3494054	2019	Present
Emergency Medical Technician, State of California, #E163466	2021	2023
Basic Life Support, American Heart Association	2011	2023
Licensed Master Social Worker, State of Iowa, #008414	2014	2022

Council on Social Work Education	2019	Present
Society for Research in Child Development	2017	