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SOCIAL WORKER ~ CLINICAL ASSISTANT PROFESSOR ~ RESEARCHER

Proven skills in community-based practice as a counsellor, group facilitator, mentor, manager, supervisor and consultant.

A “pracademic”, with experience in teaching direct social work practice.

Research interests relate to social work education, and the complexity of the helping process and the individual, relational and organizational factors that impact client satisfaction.

EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy Degree

Faculty of Social Work

Wilfrid Laurier University, 2010

Waterloo, Ontario, Canada

[WLU Faculty of Social Work](#)

Supervisor: Dr. Anne Westhues

Dissertation Title: *The dance in contexts:*

Exploring the complexity of the helping / healing process with a focus on client satisfaction.

Master of Social Work Degree

Wilfrid Laurier University, 1993

Waterloo, Ontario

Supervisor: Dr. JoAnne Zamparo

Social Administration Diploma

Wilfrid Laurier University, 1993

Waterloo, Ontario

Bachelor of Arts Degree

Queen's University, 1988

Kingston, Ontario

Double minor: English / Sociology

EMPLOYMENT HIGHLIGHTS

Academic Positions

CLINICAL ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

College of Social Work
University of South
Carolina
cosw.sc.edu
Columbia, SC
2014-present

COURSES TAUGHT

- SOWK718 System Analysis of Social Work Practice – the Capstone course
- SOWK722 Foundation Practice with Individuals, Families and Small Groups: *Lead Teacher*
- SOWK723 Advanced Social Work Practice with Individuals
- SOWK724 Advanced Social Work Practice with Groups
- SOWK 726 Social Work Supervision and Case Consultation
- SOWK777H/MH Advanced Theory for Social Work Practice: *Lead Teacher*
- SOWK779CYF Advanced Social Work Interventions with Children, Youth, and their Families: *Lead Teacher*
- SOWK779H/MH Advanced Social Work Interventions in the Health & Mental Health: *Lead Teacher*

SERVICE TO THE CoSW

- Faculty Advisor, Social Work Student Association (SWSA) (2016-present)
- Specialization Co-Chair: Health and Mental Health (2017-present)
- Instructional Design Coordinator and Incubator Advisor, Innovative Intervention Incubator (i3) www.i3sc.org (2016-present)
- Co-Facilitator, New Teaching Instructor Orientation (2015-present)
- Field Liaison (2014-present)
- Faculty Advisor (2014-present)
- Graduate Assistant Advisor (2014-present)
- Internal peer review for Patrice Penney for classroom teaching, UofSC (2017)
- Specialization Chair: Children, Youth, and their Families (2015-17)
- MSW Program Committee (2014-2017)
 - curriculum assessment workgroup
 - admissions workgroup
- Hamilton Building Committee Member (2015)

SERVICE TO UofSC

- Carolina Judicial Council

TEACHING INSTRUCTOR

College of Social Work
University of South Carolina
Columbia, SC
2014, 2013

COURSES TAUGHT

- SOWK726 Supervision and Case Consultation
- SOWK710 Social Work Practice in Groups
- SOWK722 Social Work Practice with Individuals and Families
- MSW students

Faculty of Social Work
Wilfrid Laurier University
Waterloo, Ontario
2006, 2005

- SK509 Social Work Practice with Groups
- MSW students

Faculty of Social Work
Carleton University
[Carleton U School of Social Work](#)
Ottawa, Ontario
2005

- SOWK4209 Social Work Practice with Groups
- BSW students

RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Faculty of Social Work
Community – University Research Alliance (CURA)
Wilfrid Laurier University
2003-2006

- *Partnerships for Children and Families Project: Workplace Study.* A study to explore experiences of workers in child welfare; in particular, to understand sources of job satisfaction and stress.
- Participated in interviewing, open coding and axial coding of twenty-five transcripts. Assisted in the writing of a literature review.

Social Work Practice Positions**CLINICAL MANAGER**

Community Counselling & Resource Centre
<http://www.ccrc-ptbo.com/>
Peterborough, Ontario
1999-2003

- Primary resource for the agency related to direct practice matters.
- Advised the Executive Director and the Board of Directors on issues, trends and strategic planning requirements.
- Responsible for program planning, development, evaluation, recruitment and accreditation.
- Identified needs, wrote requests for funding, service plans and grant applications.
- Wrote and secured a grant for a community coordinator to address service delivery to survivors of domestic violence (www.pdan.ca).
- Represented the agency at public forums and community networks, including chairing the Community Response to Domestic Violence committee.
- Provided direct practice to diverse individuals, couples, families and groups.
- Provided supervision and consultation to a team of counsellors and professional development opportunities to agency-wide staff.

- Reviewed staff performance.
- Authored articles for local print media, program reports, manuals, and strategic plans.
- Brought leadership to agency administration, including being Acting Executive Director as required.
- Participated in Board committees including the Communications and Fundraising committee and Property committee.
- Member of Ontario's Strategy for Alzheimer Disease and Related Dementias: Initiative # 9A Dementia Networks Advisory Committee.

CLINICAL CONSULTANT

Community Counselling &
Resource Centre
Peterborough, Ontario
1995-2000

http://www.skyworksfoundation.org/documentaries/commissions/until_someone_listens/index.html

- Consultant to a provincial government program aimed at compensating survivors of institutional abuse.
- Supervised the administration of the Grandview contract.
- Advised on direct practice issues.

CLINICAL COUNSELLOR

Community Counselling &
Resource Centre
Peterborough, Ontario
1995-1999

- Provided individual, couple and family counselling.
- Facilitated groups for couples, survivors of sexual abuse, and women surfacing from violence.
- Developed assessment, formulation and treatment skills.
- Collaborated with community partners and resources.
- Developed and delivered workshops on stress management, blended families, and working with challenging clients.

INTAKE WORKER

Community Counselling &
Resource Centre
Peterborough, Ontario
1993-1995

- Primary agency resource for screening, assessment, and crisis intervention.
- Provided individual, couple, family, and group counselling.
- Chair, Intake Worker's Forum for Children's Mental Health.

SHELTER WORKER

Muskoka Interval House
Bracebridge, Ontario
1989-1991

- Support, education and advocacy for women and children witnessing / experiencing violence in the home.

SUPPLY TEACHER

Muskoka District Board of
Education, Ontario
1988-1989

- Primary, middle and high school level classroom experience.
- Coach, volleyball teams.

Teaching Awards

Dean's Teaching Innovation Award (2017-2018) *The Case Study Project* with Penney, P. & DiNovo, R., College of Social Work, UofSC

Elected "Charleston Educator of the Year" by MSW students, May 2017

Selected to be a "Hooder" by MSW students at their hooding ceremony (University of South Carolina), May, 2015, 2016, 2017

ARTICLES AND PRESENTATIONS

Peer Reviewed Articles

de Zeeuw Wright, M. & Wolfer, T. (pending). *Jacked Up*. A decision case supported in part by the University of South Carolina, College of Social Work.

Mandell, D., Stalker, C.A., de Zeeuw Wright, M., Frensch, K., and Harvey, C.. (2013). Sinking, swimming and sailing: experiences of job satisfaction and emotional exhaustion in child welfare employees. *Child and Family Social Work*, 18, 383–393. doi: 10.1111/j.1365-2206.2012.00857.x

<http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/j.1365-2206.2012.00857.x/abstract>

de Zeeuw Wright, M. (2012). Client satisfaction and the helping / healing dance. *Qualitative Social Work*, 11(6), 644-660. doi: 10.1177/1473325011408998.

<http://intl-qsw.sagepub.com/content/11/6/644.abstract>

de Zeeuw Wright, M. (2011). The dance in contexts: Exploring the complexity of the helping / healing process with a focus on client satisfaction. (Doctoral Dissertation, Wilfrid Laurier University, 2010). *Dissertation Abstracts International*, A 71/08.

<http://scholars.wlu.ca/etd/1092/>

Stalker, C.A., Mandell, D., Frensch, K.M., Harvey, C., and Wright, M.. (2007). Child welfare workers who are exhausted yet satisfied with their jobs: How do they do it? *Child and Family Social Work*, 12(2), 182-191.

<http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/j.1365-2206.2006.00472.x/abstract>

Presentations

Hock, R., de Zeeuw Wright, M., & DeCelle, K. (2017). *Leading innovation in health lab: Galen health fellows' leadership opportunity*. Four-session lab Oct. 26- Nov. 30, Patterson Hall, UofSC, Columbia, South Carolina.

Parlier, S.T., & de Zeeuw Wright, M. (2017). *Relationships: Transforming people and communities*. 2017 NASW-SC Spring Symposium, March 20-22, in Columbia, South

Carolina.

Hock, R., de Zeeuw Wright, M., & Freedman, M. (2017). *Using Prototyping to Rapidly Build and Test New Behavioral Health Services*, oral presentation at the 2017 Southeastern School Behavioral Health Conference, April 27-28, in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina.

de Zeeuw Wright, M. & Wolfer, T. (2017). *Jacked Up*. A decision case supported in part by the University of South Carolina, College of Social Work. Presented at the 25th Annual Meeting of the Southeast Case Research Association (SECRA) February 23 to 25, in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina.

de Zeeuw Wright, M. (2016) *Fall 2016 Teaching Series* a six-session seminar for faculty and staff Sept.-Dec., Hamilton College, College of Social Work, UofSC, Columbia, South Carolina.

Community Counselling & Resource Centre. (June 2002). *To Be or Not To Be: An In-Service Suicide Prevention Workshop* (unpublished). Peterborough, Ontario: Margriet de Zeeuw Wright.

Community Counselling & Resource Centre. (June 2002). *Believe in You, Believe in Your Skills: An In-Service Crisis Intervention Workshop* (unpublished). Peterborough, Ontario: Margriet de Zeeuw Wright.

Unpublished Documents and Articles

Community Counselling & Resource Centre. (June 2002). *Community Counselling Program Manual* (unpublished). Peterborough, Ontario: Margriet de Zeeuw Wright.

Wright, M. (January 2002). The Gift of a New Year, *The Peterborough Examiner*.

Wright, M. (February 2001). Children Witness Abuse, *The Peterborough Examiner*.

Community Counselling & Resource Centre. (July 2000). *Clinical Services: A Handbook* (unpublished). Peterborough, Ontario: Margriet de Zeeuw Wright.

de Zeeuw Wright, M. (1993). *Managing with values: Women's conceptualization of health in organizations*, Unpublished master's thesis, Wilfrid Laurier University, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.

Professional Memberships

National Association of Social Workers

Ontario Association of Social Workers and Social Service Workers