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EDUCATION

- 1993 BSW (Bachelor of Social Work), University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa
- 1996 MSW (Master of Social Work), University of South Carolina, Columbia
- 2009 MD, Mercer University School of Medicine, Macon, Georgia
- 2009-2013 Residency, Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of Louisville School of Medicine, Kentucky

OTHER TRAINING

- 1/2001-7/2002 Pre-medical courses, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa

AWARDS/HONORS:

- Residency**
- 2010, 2011 Arnold P. Gold Foundation Humanism and Excellence in Teaching, University of Louisville School of Medicine, selected by medical students
- 2011 UGOF (University Gynecology & Obstetrics Foundation) Excellence in Patient Care by a PGY-2, University of Louisville School of Medicine, Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Women's Health
- 2011 First Place, Best Research Proposal, University of Louisville School of Medicine, Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Women's Health

ORAL PRESENTATIONS:

- 1) Diagnosis of acute abdominal pain in older patients. Mercer University School of Medicine, Macon, Georgia. November 2006
- 2) Non-immune fetal hydrops. Ob/Gyn Noon Conference, Savannah, Georgia, November 2007
- 3) Preventive medicine: Screening for child abuse and neglect. Family Medicine Noon Conference, Savannah, Georgia, March 2008

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WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2/1994-
5/1995 Human Service Specialist, II, Lexington County Department of Social Services, Lexington, South Carolina
- 6/1995-
5/1996 Graduate Social Work Intern, Palmetto Health Richland, Columbia, South Carolina
- 6/1996-
7/1998 Director of Advocacy and Council Development, Prevent Child Abuse Georgia, Athens, Georgia
- 5/1999-
12/2000 Program Coordinator, East Tuscaloosa Family Resource Center, Tuscaloosa, Alabama
- 1/2001-
7/2002 Research Assistant to Chemistry Graduate Department, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama
- 8/2002-
5/2003 Social Worker, Matthews Elementary School, Tuscaloosa, Alabama
- 6/2003-
1/2004 Healthy Families Georgia Associate, Prevent Child Abuse Georgia, Atlanta, Georgia
- 1/2004-
7/2005 Healthy Families Georgia State Coordinator, Prevent Child Abuse Georgia, Atlanta, Georgia
- 7/2013-
present Obstetrician/Gynecologist, Baptist OB/GYN Associates, Louisville, Kentucky

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2/1995-
5/1996 Graduate Assistant – Maternal and Child Health Training Project, University of South Carolina, Columbia
- 2010-
2013 Retrospective review of the management of musculoskeletal causes of chronic pelvic pain in adolescents with physical therapy

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- 8/1990-
5/1992 Philanthropy Chairman, Alpha Omicron Pi, Tuscaloosa, Alabama
- 1/1991-
12/1991 Bryce State Mental Hospital, Tuscaloosa, Alabama
- 1/1991-
12/1993 Crisis Counselor, Domestic Violence Safe Shelter, Tuscaloosa, Alabama
- 1/1991-
12/1993 Salvation Army Shelter for Abused Children, Tuscaloosa, Alabama
- 6/1995-
5/1996 Women's Correctional Center, Columbia, South Carolina

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- 1/2004-7/2005 Mentor, Big Brothers/Big Sisters, Atlanta, Georgia
- 1/2006-5/2007 Steering Committee Member, Mercer University School of Medicine, Macon, Georgia
- 1/2006-7/2007 Centenary Soup Kitchen, Macon, Georgia
- 1/2006-5/2007 Student Coordinator, Macon Volunteer Clinic, Macon, Georgia

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