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SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

- Full-time Associate Professor of Counselor Education in a CACREP counseling program.
- Clinical Mental Health Track program coordinator.
- Licensed clinical professional counselor, board approved professional counselor supervisor, registered play therapy supervisor and advocate.
- Specialty areas include: Cognitive behavioral therapy, substance abuse/addiction counseling, eating disorders, play therapy, dyadic developmental psychotherapy (level 1).
- Conference presenter, award recipient, LPC-KS advisory board member, mentor, and community volunteer who serves and advocates for individuals living with mental illness.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Counselor Education and Supervision (CACREP-Accredited) Specialization: Forensic Mental Health Counseling Walden University, Baltimore, MD	2019
Certificate in Play Therapy MidAmerica Nazarene University, Olathe, KS	2010
M.A. in Counseling Specialization: Professional Counseling; Marriage and Family Therapy MidAmerica Nazarene University, Olathe, KS	2007
B.A. in Psychology MidAmerica Nazarene University, Olathe, KS	2005
B.A. in Sociology MidAmerica Nazarene University, Olathe, KS	2005
B.A. in Criminal Justice MidAmerica Nazarene University, Olathe, KS	2005

LICENSURE

Kansas, Licensed Clinical Professional Counselor #2275	Licensed
Kansas, Licensed Clinical Marriage and Family Therapist #768	Licensed
Kansas, Licensed Clinical Addictions Counselor #044	Licensed

CERTIFICATION

Board Approved Clinical Supervisor for Professional Counselors - Kansas	2016-Present
National Certified Counselor – National Board for Certified Counselors	2018-Present
Board Certified Professional Counselor, American Psychotherapy Association	Certified 2009-2018
Registered Play Therapist and Supervisor #S2526, Association for Play Therapy	Registered

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

MidAmerica Nazarene University, Olathe, KS 2019-Present
www.mnu.edu

Associate Professor of Counselor Education

Teach counseling courses to a diverse group of 15-25 graduate students in a classroom setting.

- Facilitate discussions, educate on psychotherapy and counseling concepts and techniques, and strengthen problem solving and decision-making abilities.
- Present case studies, design interactive activities, and share counseling scenarios to engage students in active learning.
- Manage the Clinical Mental Health Counseling Track within the Master of Arts in Counseling Program.
- Conduct program specific evaluations and oversee the mental health advisory board.
- Advise and supervise mental health counseling students.
- Grade student assignments and return grades via iTunes U and Moodle.

MidAmerica Nazarene University, Olathe, KS 2013-2019
www.mnu.edu

Assistant Professor of Counselor Education

Teach counseling courses to a diverse group of 15-25 graduate students in a classroom setting.

- Facilitate discussions, educate on psychotherapy and counseling concepts and techniques, and strengthen problem solving and decision-making abilities.
- Present case studies, design interactive activities, and share counseling scenarios to engage students in active learning.
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- Advise and supervise mental health counseling students.
- Grade student assignments and return grades via iTunes U and Moodle.

Walden University, Baltimore, MD 2017-2018
www.waldenu.edu

Graduate Teaching Assistant (200 hours)

Teach Program Evaluation to doctoral counselor education students under the direction of Dr. Corinne Bridges.

Teach Qualitative Reasoning and Analysis to doctoral counselor education students under the direction of

Dr. Corinne Bridges.

Teach Advanced Qualitative Reasoning and Analysis to doctoral counselor education students under the direction of Dr. Corinne Bridges.

- Facilitate discussions in an online environment to encourage critical thinking about subject matter.
- Provide feedback on written assignments, discussions, and projects.
- Provide remediation as necessary in consultation with Dr. Bridges.
- Identify resources to enhance student learning experiences.
- Grade and return feedback via the Blackboard Learning Management System.

MidAmerica Nazarene University, Olathe, KS

2010-2013

www.mnu.edu

Adjunct Instructor

Teach Addictions Counseling online to 25-60 graduate students.

Teach Individual and Family Assessment to 20-25 graduate students.

Teach Juvenile Delinquency to 15-18 undergraduate students.

- Facilitate discussions, educate on the use of assessment in psychotherapy and how to use counseling skills with those affected by addiction.
- Educate students on juvenile law and issues specific to delinquency.
- Present case studies, design interactive activities, and share work-based scenarios to engage students in active learning.
- Grade student assignments and return grades via iTunes U and Moodle.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

EDCare of Kansas City, Merriam, KS

05/2017-2/2018

Doctoral Clinical Intern (300 hours)

- Provide individual counseling to patients with eating disorders and related mental health diagnoses in a partial hospital and intensive outpatient programs.
- Provide group therapy, utilizing cognitive behavioral therapy, acceptance and commitment therapy, and mindfulness to address eating disorder behaviors.
- Provide meal support therapy to patients.
- Complete documentation to include progress notes, treatment plans, intake assessments, and discharge summaries.

MidAmerica Nazarene University Community Counseling Center, Olathe, KS

2013-2015

Clinical Director

Supervise staff of 10 clinical interns and 1 clinical assistant.

- Provide weekly individual supervision.
- Managed a case load of 10 clients with Serious Mental Illness.
- De-escalated crisis situations through behavioral management techniques; recognized for timely, efficient emergency response.
- Reviewed clinical staff's documentation, monitored clients' progress, and met agency and university standards to ensure accurate reporting and compliance; advocate for clients' health and safety.
- Maintained the counseling center budget and provide periodic reports to university administration.

Andrew Secor Counseling, Olathe, KS 2010-Present
Outpatient Mental Health Counselor

Assess and treat clients with mental, emotional, and behavioral challenges in an outpatient setting.

- Provide individual, couple, and family therapy.
- Educate families and caregivers on mental health services and resources to strengthen support systems and reduce future behavioral and emotional episodes.
- Identify at-risk patients to deter psychological and emotional episodes; consulted with supervisor and treatment team members to develop individual treatment plans.
- Provide feedback on the patient intake process that streamlined intake forms and reduced processing time.

KidsTLC

www.kidstlc.org

Residential Therapist/Substance Abuse Counselor, Olathe, KS 9/2007-6/2013

Assessed and treated clients with mental, emotional, and behavioral challenges in a psychiatric residential setting.

- Provided individual, family, and group counseling to residents and their families.
- Conducted unit meetings, provided drug and alcohol evaluations to youth entering treatment, collaborated with outside treatment providers and a multidisciplinary team, developed curriculum and treatment structure for the drug and alcohol program, and worked with state agencies on licensing of the drug and alcohol program.

KidsTLC, Olathe, KS

6/2005-9/2007

www.kidstlc.org

Residential Care Specialist

- Provided day-to-day care of youth in residential care, conducted groups, transported youth to medical appointments.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Member, <i>Kansas Counseling Association</i>	2013-Present
Member, <i>American Psychotherapy Association</i>	2009-2018
Member, <i>National Association for Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counselors</i>	2015-Present
Member, <i>American Counseling Association</i>	2013-Present
Member, <i>Christian Association for Psychological Studies</i>	2013-Present
Member, <i>American Board of Professional Counselors</i>	2009-2018
Member, <i>Association for Play Therapy</i>	2010-Present
Member, <i>Kansas Association for Play Therapy</i>	2010-Present
Member, <i>Association for Counselor Education and Supervision</i>	2015-Present
Member, <i>Kansas Association for Counselor Education and Supervision</i>	2015-Present
Member, <i>Kansas Mental Health Counselors Association</i>	2018-Present
Member, <i>Association for Spiritual, Ethical, and Religious Values in Counseling</i>	2017-Present
Member, <i>Association for Assessment and Research in Counseling</i>	2018-Present

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

Secor, A. (Proposed 2020). Predicting spiritual and religious competence based on supervisor practices and institutional attendance. Christian Association for Psychological Studies International Conference. Atlanta, GA.

Secor, A. (2019). Emotional schema therapy. Southern Nazarene University. Oklahoma City, OK.

Secor, A. (2019). Examining students' perception of supervisor spiritual and religious integration. MidAmerica Nazarene University Celebration of Scholarship. Olathe, KS.

Secor, A., Perepiczka, M. (2019). Examining students' perception of supervisor spiritual and religious integration. American Counseling Association Conference & Expo. New Orleans, LA.

Hobson, S., Limmex, A., **Secor, A.** (2019). What's in your face? The influence of technology on the developing brain. KCA/KSCA Counselors Conference, Lawrence, KS.

Secor, A., Hughey, J. (2019). Getting your questions answered: The current and evolving relationship between KCA & KSCA. KCA/KSCA Counselors Conference, Lawrence, KS.

Secor, A. (2019). What is happening at the BSRB? KCA/KSCA Counselors Conference, Lawrence, KS.

Secor, A., Perepiczka, M. (2018). Relationship between faith-based and non-faith based institutions CACREP-accredited program faculty supervisors' spiritual and religious integration in clinical supervision and counseling interns' perceived spiritual competence with clients. Association for Assessment and Research in Counseling National Conference, Richmond, VA.

Secor, A., Linnebur, R., Lenquist-Slater, M. (2018). Eating disorders: Uncharted territory. Kansas Counseling Association Annual Conference, Wichita, KS.

Secor, A., & Smith, L. (2017). Spiritual competence: What every counselor needs to know. Kansas Counseling Association Annual Conference, Topeka, KS.

Secor, A., & Frye, T. (2017). What's going on at the BSRB and supervision changes. Kansas Counseling Association Annual Conference, Topeka, KS.

Moore, B., & **Secor, A.** (2016). Buddha and the bogeyman: A historical exploration of religious and non-religious mindfulness practices and Christian responses. MidAmerica Nazarene University, Olathe, KS.

Frye, T., **Secor, A.,** Cain, A. (March 2016). Transitioning to the 2016 CACEP Standards: What Every Program Needs to Know. Christian Association for Psychological Studies International Conference, Pasadena, CA.

Frye, T., & **Secor, A.** (October 2015). The Fig Leaf: The two sides of addiction. College Church of the Nazarene, Olathe, KS

Moore, B., & **Secor, A.** (April 2015). Buddha and the bogeyman: A historical exploration of religious and non-religious mindfulness practices and Christian responses. Christian Association for Psychological Studies International Conference, Denver, CO

Secor, A. (2015, March). What Makes Them Tick: Understanding Delinquent Youth. Presentation at the Kansas Counseling Association's Annual Convention, Wichita, KS

Secor, A. (2015, March). Substance Use: Connecting our Present to our Past. Presentation at the Kansas Counseling Association's Annual Convention, Wichita, KS

Secor, A. (2015, February). Counseling, Self-Care and Stress Management/Academic Burnout. Presentation at MidAmerica Nazarene University for the Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing Orientation, Olathe, KS

Secor, A. (2014, August). Counseling, Self-Care and Stress Management/Academic Burnout. Presentation at MidAmerica Nazarene University for the Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing Orientation, Olathe, KS

Frye, T., Moore, B., **Secor, A.**, & Fry, M. (2014, May). The Disconnected Kid: Interpersonal Neurobiology and Attachment. Presentation at the Olathe Summer Conference at Olathe Northwest High School, Olathe, KS

Secor, A. (2014, April). ADHD: What is it? Presentation at KidsTLC, Olathe, KS

Morris, L., **Secor, A.**, & Moore, B. (2014, March). Treatment Issues for the Co-occurrence of Complex Trauma and Addiction. Presentation at the Kansas Counseling Association's Annual Convention, Manhattan, KS

Secor, A. (2014, February). Counseling, Self-Care and Stress Management/Academic Burnout. Presentation at MidAmerica Nazarene University for the Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing Orientation, Olathe, KS

Secor, A. (2013, August). Counseling, Self-Care and Stress Management/Compassion Fatigue. Presentation at MidAmerica Nazarene University for the Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing Orientation, Olathe, KS

RESEARCH:

Spirituality and Recovery Among Individuals in Alcoholics Anonymous (In progress – 2019)

Predicting Spiritual and Religious Competence Based on Supervisor Practices and Institutional Attendance. *Dissertation Study*, Walden University (Successfully defended 9/23/2019).

Intercultural Engagement in Higher Education. Taskforce member, MidAmerica Nazarene University (2018-present).

PUBLICATION:

Predicting Spiritual and Religious Competence Based on Supervisor Practices and Institutional Attendance (In-progress)

OTHER PUBLICATIONS:

Secor, A. (2017). Mental health and violence. *Kansas Counseling Association Quarterly Newsletter*.

Secor, A. (2016). The emerging field of teletherapy. *Kansas Counseling Association Quarterly Newsletter*.

Secor, A. (2016). Professional counseling and Medicare: An ongoing issue. *Kansas Counseling Association Quarterly Newsletter*.

COURSES TAUGHT

MidAmerica Nazarene University

Addictions Counseling (COUN 7073)
Advanced Theories – Cognitive Behavioral (COUN 7631)
Child and Adolescent Counseling (COUN 6431)
Clinical Mental Health Consultation (COUN 6321)
Foundations of Mental Health Counseling (COUN 6143)
Ind. and Family Assessment (COUN 6063)
Juvenile Delinquency (CRIM 2203)
Mental Health Issues and Advocacy (COUN 7863)
Mental Health Practicum (COUN 6563)
Mental Health Internship Level I (COUN 7622)
Mental Health Internship Level II (COUN 7723)
Mental Health Internship Level III (COUN 6123)
Mental Health Prevention and Intervention (COUN 6523)
Orientation and Ethics (COUN 6193)
Psychodiagnosis (COUN 7043)
Research for Counselors (COUN 7053)
Theories of Counseling (COUN 6223)

Walden University

Advanced Qualitative Reasoning and Analysis (RSCH 8360) - Doctoral Teaching Assistant
Program Evaluation for Counselors (COUN 8120) - Doctoral Teaching Assistant
Qualitative Reasoning and Analysis (RSCH 8301) – Doctoral Teaching Assistant

HONORS AND AWARDS

Robert I. Brower Distinguished Educator Award, MidAmerica Nazarene University	2019
Kansas Counseling Association Leadership Award	2019
Inducted Member, National Society for Leadership and Success, Sigma Alpha Pi	2019
American Counseling Association Leadership Grant	2018
Member, Chi Sigma Iota, Counseling National Honor Society	2017-Present
Member, Golden Key International Honour Society	2016-Present
Member, Cambridge Who's Who Among Professionals and Executives	2007
Distinguished Intern, KidsTLC	2007
American Heritage Award, MidAmerica Nazarene University	2005
Who's Who Among American Colleges and Universities	2005
Associated Student Government Legacy of Leadership Award, MNU	2005
Member, Psi-Chi - The National Honor Society in	2004-Present
The National Deans List	2002 and 2003

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Past President, Kansas Counseling Association	2019-2020
President, Kansas Counseling Association	2018-2019
President-Elect, Kansas Counseling Association	2017-2018
CAPS Counselor Education Track Planning Committee	2018-Present
Chi Sigma Iota Student Mentor	2018-2019
Member, Kansas Behavioral Sciences Regulatory Board LPC Advisory Committee	2015-Present
Board Member, Kansas Counseling Association	2015-Present
Board Member, Kansas Mental Health Credentialing Coalition	2015-Present
Chair, Legislation and Advocacy, Kansas Counseling Association	2015-2018
Board Member, Kansas Association for Play Therapy	2010-2016
President Elect, Kansas Association for Play Therapy	2013-2014
Chair, Bylaws and Rules, Kansas Association for Play Therapy	2010-2016

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Olathe Pregnancy Clinic Steering Committee	2017-Present
Board Member, Next Level Mentoring	2017-Present
Board Member, Nazarene Missions International Council, Olathe Westside	2015-2016
Advisory Board Member, TherapyStack EHR software development	2013-2015
Board Member, Olathe Westside Church of the Nazarene	2007-2008; 2008-2009
Member, Training Committee, KidsTLC	2008-2009
Member, Continuous Quality Improvement Committee, KidsTLC	2008-2009
Sunday School Teacher, Westside Church of the Nazarene	2008-2012
Youth Sponsor, Westside Church of the Nazarene	2008-2012

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Emergency Operations Committee, Co-chair, MidAmerica Nazarene University	2019-Present
Celebration of Scholarship Planning Committee, MidAmerica Nazarene University	2018-2019
Faculty Development Committee, MidAmerica Nazarene University	2018-2019
Emergency Operations Committee, MidAmerica Nazarene University	2017-Present
Intercultural Engagement Taskforce, MidAmerica Nazarene University	2017-2019
Academic Exceptions Committee, MidAmerica Nazarene University	2017-2018
Classroom Cultural Competencies Faculty Learning Community, MidAmerica Nazarene University	2016-2017
Technology Committee, MidAmerica Nazarene University (MAC)	2015-Present
Chair, Mental Health Advisory Board, MidAmerica Nazarene University	2015-Present
Chair, Professor Search Committee, MidAmerica Nazarene University	2015
Member, Professor Search Committee, MidAmerica Nazarene University	2014
Member, Mental Health Advisory Board, MidAmerica Nazarene University	2010-2015

SELECT PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Psychopharmacology 2 Day Conference (July, 2019)

Jungian Analytic Play Therapy – Kansas Association for Play Therapy (April, 2019)

American Counseling Association Institute for Leadership Training (July, 2018)

Cognitive Behavioral Therapy Intensive Certificate Training (February, 2018)

Parent Child Relationship Training, Kansas Association for Play Therapy (April, 2015)

Multi-Hazard Emergency Planning for Higher Education (FEMA) (2014)

Association for Play Therapy (APT) Leadership Academy Graduate (2013)

Dyadic Developmental Psychotherapy/Attachment Focused Therapy - Level 1 Training, KidsTLC, (February 2013)

Sensory Interventions for Traumatized Children, Adolescents, and Parents, National Institute for Trauma and Loss in Children (March, 2012)

Dialectical Behavior Therapy, (2011)

Home Based Family Therapy, Wichita, KS, Youthville, 2011

Trauma Informed Care, Olathe, KS, 2010

Play Therapy Certificate Program, Olathe, KS, MidAmerica Nazarene University, 2010

SASSI Administration, Scoring, and Interpretation (2009)

Prepare & Enrich Certification (2007)

Psychoeducational Model (PEM) through Boys Town (2007)

REFERENCES

Available upon request