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EDUCATION

Trevecca Nazarene University, Nashville, TN	
Master of Science in Medicine	August, 2012
Major: Physician Assistant Studies	
Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, TN	
Master of Science	December, 1983
Major: Mathematics	Minor: Education
David Lipscomb College (Lipscomb University), Nashville, TN	
Bachelor of Arts, <i>summa cum laude</i>	August, 1977
Major: Piano Performance	Minor: Mathematics
Honors: Valedictorian	

CLINICAL WORK EXPERIENCE

August 2013-present

- **St. Thomas Medical Partners, Nashville** – practiced as a physician assistant providing primary care for patients in an internal medicine practice at St. Thomas Midtown; diagnosed, treated, and managed chronic conditions such as diabetes, hypertension, hyperlipidemia, depression as well as other common primary care diagnoses

January 2013-2018

- **Beersheba Springs Medical Clinic** – practiced as a physician assistant providing primary care for patients one day per week in a 501(c)(3) clinic in a rural, underserved area in Grundy County, Tennessee

September 2014-present

- **Clinical Preceptor** – served as a preceptor for physician assistant and nurse practitioner students from Trevecca Nazarene University, Harding University, and Middle Tennessee State University

December 2013-August 2014

- **ApolloMD (Harton Regional Medical Center)** – practiced as a physician assistant providing PRN emergency room care in Tullahoma, TN

November 2012-August 2013

- **Locum Partners, LLC** – practiced as a physician assistant providing locum tenens coverage for US Healthworks urgent care clinics in the Middle Tennessee area

November 2012-May 2013

- **Family Practice of Murfreesboro, PLLC** – practiced as a physician assistant providing primary care for patients ranging newborns to seniors

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

2018-present Lipscomb University, Assistant Professor of Physician Assistant Studies

- Graduate instruction in the school of physician assistant studies in the Clinical Medical and Pathophysiology course series
- 1977-2010 Private Piano Instructor**, self-employed (Manchester, Tennessee)
 - Taught private piano lessons for students ages 6-60 from beginner to advanced levels
- 1991-1993 Software Consultant**, self-employed (Manchester, Tennessee)
 - Developed neural network artificial intelligence software for NASA to process electromagnetic plume emission data from the space shuttle main engines
- 1982-1989 Senior Computer Scientist**, Calspan, Inc. (Arnold Air Force Base, Tennessee)
 - Developed computer software for real-time data acquisition systems for transonic and hypersonic flight simulation test facilities
- 1978-1982 Secondary School Teacher**, Webb School (Bell Buckle, TN) and Boyd Christian School (McMinnville, TN)
 - Taught high school mathematics and computer science for grades 7-12

LICENSURES, CERTIFICATIONS, PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Licensures:

- Current State of Tennessee Physician Assistant License (License number 2226)
- Current DEA (Drug Enforcement Administration) License

Certifications:

- **NCCPA** (National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants) Board Certification
- **BLS** (Basic Life Support) Certification
- **ACLS** (Advanced Cardiac Life Support) Certification
- **INMED** International Medicine and Public Health Certification

Professional Organizations:

- American Academy of Physician Assistants, Fellow
- Tennessee Academy of Physician Assistants

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

2012-present Medical Missions to Uganda, Guatemala, Papua New Guinea, Peru

- Provided medical care for patients in remote villages in developing countries

2014-2016 Medical Missions Trip Coordinator - Honduras

- Provided team leadership for medical missions to provide care for patients in remote villages surrounding the children's home Jovenes en Camino in Zamorano, Honduras

2004-2009 Mission Trip Coordinator, Forest Mill Church of Christ (Manchester, TN)

- Provided leadership for teen mission teams working at an inner city church

1990-present Children's Minister, Forest Mill Church of Christ (Manchester, TN)

- Provided teacher supervision, curriculum development for elementary aged children

1971-present Sunday School Teacher

- Taught weekly Sunday school classes for children ages 5-12

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Traveling, alpine skiing, reading, hiking, camping, playing the piano