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**EDUCATION**

Washington State University	Spokane, WA	2015	Ph.D., Nursing
Dissertation: “The Experience of Student Nurses While Caring for Patients at Risk for Suicide”			
Whitworth University	Spokane, WA	2007	M.A., Mental Health Counseling
Thesis: “Physical Activity and Psychological Symptoms of College Students”			
Washington State University	Spokane, WA	1988	B.S., Nursing, Cum Laude

**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

2017-current	Assistant Professor 4015 Lead Faculty (2020-current) 3210 Lead Faculty (2017-2019)	Department of Nursing Helen and Arthur E. Johnson Beth-El College of Nursing and Health Sciences University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
2018-Summer	Research Mentor Undergraduate Research Academy	Department of Nursing Helen and Arthur E. Johnson Beth-El College of Nursing and Health Sciences University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
2017	APA Instructor & Writing Coach	Leadership, Research & Foundations Program College of Education University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
2012-2017	Lecturer & Clinical Faculty Level III Lead Faculty (2014-2017) Academic Advisor (2012-2017)	Department of Nursing School of Nursing and Human Physiology Gonzaga University, Spokane, Washington
2010-2012	Clinical Faculty Resource Center Coordinator	Department of Nursing School of Professional Studies Gonzaga University, Spokane, Washington
2009, 2006	Adjunct Clinical Faculty	Department of Nursing School of Professional Studies Gonzaga University, Spokane, Washington

**PRACTICE APPOINTMENTS**

2018-2020	Mental Health Nurse Consultant	Nurse-Family Partnership Program Helen and Arthur E. Johnson Beth-El College of Nursing and Health Sciences University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
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2007-2010	Mental Health Counselor	Inland Psychiatry and Psychology, Inc. Spokane, Washington
2006-2007	Mental Health Counselor Intern	Inland Psychiatry and Psychology, Inc. Spokane, Washington
2003-2006	Staff Nurse and School Nurse Medication Management Services	Spokane Mental Health Spokane, Washington
1998-2003	Staff Nurse and Charge Nurse Department of Psychiatry	Providence Sacred Heart Medical Center Spokane, Washington
1989-1994	Public Health Nurse Maternal and Child Services	Spokane County Health District Spokane, Washington
1988-1989	Staff Nurse and Charge Nurse Department of Pediatrics	Deaconess Medical Center Spokane, Washington

#### **PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS**

**Zohn, J. H.** (2020). The experiences of student nurses while caring for patients at risk for suicide: A descriptive phenomenology. *Nursing Education Perspectives* (Revised and Resubmitted).

#### **SELECTED PRESENTATIONS**

Poster Presentation at the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Reaching the Peak of Practice: Evidence Based Practice and Research Conference, Schwertfeger, J. & **Zohn, J.**, “*College Students, Suicide, and Mental Health Apps*”. February 22, 2019. UC Health, Colorado Springs, CO.

Poster Presentation at the 2018 Mountain Lion Research Day, Schwertfeger, J. & **Zohn, J.**, “*College Students, Suicide, and Mental Health Apps*”. November 30, 2018. UCCS, Colorado Springs, CO.

Podium Presentation at the 2018 Duke University School of Nursing Institute for Educational Excellence National Conference, **Zohn, J.**, “*The Experiences of Student Nurses While Caring for Patients at Risk for Suicide*”, March 23, 2018. Duke University, Durham, NC.

Podium Presentation at the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Reaching the Peak of Practice: Evidence Based Practice and Research Conference, **Zohn, J.**, “*The Experiences of Student Nurses While Caring for Patients at Risk for Suicide*”, February 23, 2018. UC Health, Colorado Springs, CO.

Poster Presentation at the Induction and Research Meeting of the Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing, “*The Experiences of Student Nurses While Caring for Patients at Risk for Suicide*”, October 25, 2016. Delta Chi Chapter, Spokane, WA.

Lecture Presentation at the Annual Gonzaga University and Jikei University Student Exchange, “*Mental Healthcare in the United States*”, April 13, 2016. Gonzaga University, Spokane, WA.

Lecture Presentation at the Annual Gonzaga University and Jikei University Student Exchange, “*Surveys in Research*”, November 4, 2013. Gonzaga University, Spokane, WA.

Lecture Presentation at the Annual Gonzaga University and Jikei University Student Exchange, “*Pet Therapy in Healthcare and Animal Assisted Intervention*”, November 3, 2012. Gonzaga University, Spokane, WA.

### **INVITED TALKS**

Expert Interviewee for the Department of Broadcasting Documentary Production, “*Unseen Minds: The Story of Ketema Ross*”, 2015. Gonzaga University, Spokane, WA.

Expert Interviewee for the Department of Broadcasting Live Broadcast, “*GUTV Presents: Let's Talk about Mental Health, Gonzaga*”, November 11, 2015. Gonzaga University, Spokane, WA.

Oral Address at the Biannual Bachelor of Science in Nursing Pinning Ceremony, “*What is Hope?*”, December 13, 2014. Gonzaga University, Spokane, WA.

Guest Lecture and Panel Discussion for NURS404: Research and Information Management Course, “*Doctoral Student Research*”, Fall, 2011. Gonzaga University, Spokane, WA.

Guest Lecture for Orientation to Professional Counseling Course, “*Working in Private Practice Counseling Settings*”, Fall, 2009. Whitworth University, Spokane, WA.

Guest Lecture for Orientation to Professional Counseling Course, “*Securing a Practicum and Internship Site*”, Fall, 2008. Whitworth University, Spokane, WA.

### **GRANT FUNDING AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

PCORI. Kenny, D., Pina-Thomas, D., **Zohn, J. H.** Atyabi, A., & Lewis, R. (2020). Moral resilience during COVID-19 through Mobile Application Learning (MoRAL) Study, July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2022, unfunded.

UCCS. Undergraduate Research Academy Grant; Suicide awareness and prevention strategies for college students: There’s an app for that!; Summer 2018; \$3500, **funded**.

HRSA. Nurse Faculty Loan Program (NFLP) Award; 2014-2015; \$10,000, awarded.

Scottish Rite Scholarship Foundation of Washington. Graduate Fellowship in Nursing; 2014-2015; \$5,000, awarded.

Foundation of the National Student Nurses’ Association. Promise of Nursing for Washington Regional Faculty Fellowship; 2013-2014; \$3000, awarded.

HRSA. Nurse Faculty Loan Program (NFLP) Award; 2013-2014; \$10,000, awarded.

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## **C O U R S E S   T A U G H T**

### **UCCS**

#### **Online Courses**

NURS4015 Nursing Research, RN-BSN & Dual-Enrolled, Lead Instructor

NURS4250 Professional Practice Issues, RN-BSN

NURS6800 Mental Health Assessment/Intervention Across the Lifespan for the PMHNP

#### **Hybrid Courses**

NURS3210 Nursing Care of Adults II, Lead Faculty, Traditional BSN Option

NURS3210 Nursing Care of Adults II, Lead Faculty, Accelerated BSN Option

### **GU**

NURS100 Nursing Perspectives

NURS200 Professional Nursing in a Complex Adaptive System, online course

NURS311 Professional and Therapeutic Communication

NURS315 Practicum I: Provider of Care, School Nursing

NURS351 Principles of Care of Individuals and Families within Healthcare Organizations

NURS352 Practicum II: Community Mental Health

NURS402 Care of Individuals with Acute/Chronic Health Alterations, Lead Faculty

NURS403 Practicum III Care of Individuals w/Acute/Chronic Health Alterations, Lead Faculty

NURS404 Research and Information Management, hybrid online/in-seat course

NURS468 Practicum V: Members of the Nursing Profession, Psychiatric/Mental Healthcare

NURS492 Clinical Update Level III, Independent Study

NURS562 Theoretical Foundations for Healthcare Improvement, online course

NURS563 Evidence-Based Practice for Quality and Safety, online course

NURS604E Advanced Clinical Practicum, Population-Focused, online course

NURS720 Evidence Synthesis for Advanced Practice Nursing, online course

## **S E L E C T E D   P R O G R A M   C U R R I C U L U M   A N D   C O U R S E   D E V E L O P M E N T**

### **UCCS Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner - MSN and Post-Master's Certificate Options**

NURS6800 Mental Health Assessment/Intervention Across the Lifespan for the PMHNP

NURS6801 Adult Psychiatric Diagnosis and Management for the PMHNP

NURS6802 Geriatric Psychiatric Diagnosis and Management for the PMHNP

NURS6803 Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Diagnosis and Management for the PMHNP

## **T H E S I S / C A P S T O N E   C O M M I T T E E S**

Dangerfield, H. *Polypharmacy*. Masters Thesis Committee (member). Fall 2020-current

Sherman, C. *Clinical diagnosis and management of patients with diabetes mellitus*.

MSN Comprehensive Exam (member). Fall 2019.

- Haynes, P. *Suicidality trends among transgendered youth.*  
MSN Comprehensive Exam (member) Spring 2019.
- Braybrook, C. *Management of suicidal patients on medical wards.* DNP Capstone Project (member).  
Fall 2016-Spring 2017.
- Seubert, B. *Enhancing United States Army Reserve health professionals suicide assessment competency.* DNP Capstone Project (member). Fall 2016-Spring 2017.

### **HONORS AND RECOGNITIONS**

Nominated for Gonzaga University Teaching Excellence Award, Non-Tenure Track, 2015  
Voted “Influential Instructor” through Student Life Office, Gonzaga University, 2012-2016  
Inducted to Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing, Delta-Chi Chapter, 1988

### **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

American Nurses’ Association, Silver Springs, MD  
American Association of Colleges of Nursing, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs, CO  
Colorado Nurses’ Association, Aurora, CO  
National League for Nursing, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs, CO  
Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing

### **LICENSES AND CREDENTIALS**

Registered Nurse, Colorado State License #1651288  
Licensed Professional Counselor, Colorado State License #14239  
Board Certified Psychiatric and Mental Health Nurse, ANCC, #0379851-37  
National Certified Counselor, National Board for Certified Counselors, #227027

### **SELECTED PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

2020-2021 Ethics Roundtable Series: The Importance of Values in Career Development [online], UCCS  
College of Business, Daniels Fund Ethics Initiative Collegiate Program, 2/10/21, 1 hour.

Johnson Beth-El Burnout In-Service, [online workshop], UCCS, 12/11/20, 2 hours.

RCR: Data Management, Storage, & Security [online workshop], UCCS, 11/10/20, 1 hour.

Mental Health First Aid Training [online], AspenPointe, Colorado Springs, CO, 10/26/21, 8 hours.

Suicide Awareness and Prevention Training [online], UCCS Wellness Center, Colorado Springs, CO,  
9/18/20, 2 hours.

Suicide Assessment, Treatment and Collaborative Management for Health Professionals [webinar],  
Institute for Natural Resources, 6/12/20, 6 hours.

Defending Your Counselor License: Common Legal and Ethical Issues (Part 2) [webinar], Lippincott  
Williams & Wilkins, 10/17/19, 1 hour.

Defending Your Counselor License: Common Legal and Ethical Issues (Part 1) [webinar], Lippincott  
Williams & Wilkins, 10/3/19, 1 hour.

Prevention of the “Silent Epidemic” of Youth Suicide [conference], Peak View Behavioral Healthcare,  
Colorado Springs, CO, 10/1/19, 2 hours.

Test Blueprinting and Item Writing [workshop], Nurse Tim, UCCS Department of Nursing, Colorado  
Springs, CO, 8/19/19, 8 hours.

5th Annual Reaching for the Peak of Practice: Evidence Based Practice and Research [conference], UC

Health, Colorado Springs, CO, 10/22/19, 5.5 hours.  
Sexual Misconduct, Discrimination and Harassment, Spring 2019 Faculty Development Day, UCCS, Colorado Springs, CO, 1/18/2019, 2.7 hours.  
Fall 2018 Faculty Development Day [workshop], UCCS Johnson Beth-El College, 8/17/18, 3 hours.  
Finding Funding and an Introduction to Grant Writing [seminar], UCCS, 10/16/18, 1.5 hours.  
Pursuing Radical Transformation in Nursing Education, Duke University School of Nursing, Durham, NC, 3/22/18-3/23/2018, 11 hours  
Just Talk Series: Prison Arts: Rehabilitation and Creation [seminar], UCCS, 3/1/18, 1.5 hours  
4<sup>th</sup> Annual Reaching the Peak of Practice: Evidence Based Practice and Research [conference], UC Health, Colorado Springs, CO, 2/23/2018, 6 hours.  
Suicide Awareness Event: Cracked, Not Broken, UCCS, Colorado Springs, CO, 2/6/2018  
Feedback, Reflective Practice and Clinical Probation Spring 2018 Faculty Development Day, UCCS, Colorado Springs, CO, 1/12/2018, 3 hours  
Teaching Online Certificate Program, Faculty Resource Center, UCCS, Colorado Springs, CO, Fall 2017, 48 hours.  
The Future of Nursing Research: From NINR Intramural Scientist Perspective [webinar], National Institutes of Health, GNSA, Colorado Springs, CO, 11/30/2017, 1 hour  
Understanding the IRB Process: Session 1, UCCS OSPRI, Colorado Springs, CO, 9/27/2017, 1.5 hours.  
Expand Your National Science Foundation Knowledge [group webinar], National Science Foundation, UCCS, Colorado Springs, CO, 8/9/2017, 3 hours.  
Just Talk Series: Suicide Rates [seminar], UCCS, 6/29/2017, 1 hour.

#### **SELECTED AREAS OF SERVICE**

##### Service to the Helen and Arthur E. Johnson Beth-El College of Nursing and Health Sciences

Representative for Nursing, The Research & Scholarship Council, 2020-present  
Member, RN-BSN Committee, 2020-present  
Member, Merit Review Committee, 2019-present  
Member, Graduate Nursing Admissions & Progressions Committee, 2017-present  
Member, Graduate Nursing Curriculum Committee, 2017-present  
Member, Instructor/Nurse Home Visitor Search Committee, Fall 2020  
Member, Instructor/Nurse Home Visitor Search Committee, Summer 2019  
Member, Search Committee for Academic Services Professional, Summer 2018

##### Service to the University of Colorado Colorado Springs

Faculty Committee on Disability, 2020-present  
Advisory Member, Faculty Assembly Women's Committee, 2017-2018

##### Service to the Profession

Attended Joint Mental Health Boards' Stakeholder Meeting [virtual meeting], 12/3/20  
Attended Department of Regulatory Agencies Stakeholder Meeting [virtual meeting], 6/18/20  
Attended/provided testimony, Colorado State Board of Nursing Stakeholder Meeting, Denver, CO, 1/31/2018  
Advisory Board Member, Foundation for Care Management, Kirkland, WA, 2015-2020

##### Service to the Colorado Springs Community

Consultant, "Brightside" suicide awareness and prevention mobile phone application development, Colorado Springs, CO, 2017-2018.