

Curriculum Vitae Gayle M. Mallinger

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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Social Work, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA (2010)

Dissertation: *Placing children in need with gay and lesbian couples: Influences on placement decisions*

M.S.W., Social Work, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA (1981)

B.S., Psychology, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA (1979)

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, KY (August 2011-Present)

BASW Program Director, School of Social Work, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA (June, 2008-August 2011)

BSW Program Director, Department of Social Work, Thomas University, Thomasville, GA (January, 2001-July, 2002)

Director of Field Education, Department of Social Work, Thomas University, Thomasville, GA (June, 2000-December, 2000)

Adjunct Faculty, Chatham University, Pittsburgh, PA (January, 2005-August, 2008)

Adjunct Faculty, Thomas University, Thomasville, GA (June, 1999-May, 2000)

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Environmental justice and social work education
Efficacy of diversity training in social work education
Alternatives for permanent placement of children in foster care

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Starks, S., Mallinger, G., Countee-Gillian, C., & Vakalahi, H. (accepted). *Mentoring Females for Leadership*. Washington, DC: NASW Press.

Mallinger, G. & Kerby, M. (accepted proposal for book chapter) Chapter 7: A Case Study of Neighborhood and Community Impacts in Narrating Perspectives on Childhood and Adolescence, Mery Diaz and Ben Shepherd (Eds).

Desrosiers, P., **Mallinger, G.**, & Braggs-Underwood, T. (accepted: anticipated publication date Fall, 2016) Patient navigation: A new role for social work, *Advances in Social Work*.

Mallinger, G. (accepted: anticipated press date: December, 2016) Social work practice with lesbians: community. *Social Work Practice with the LGBTQ Community: Exploring Practice and Policy Factors: A Roadmap to Effective Micro, Mezzo, and Macro Interventions*. In M. Dentato (Ed.) *Social Work Practice with the LGBTQ Community: Understanding History, Health and Policy Factors*. New York: Oxford University Press.

Mallinger, G. & Kerby, M. (accepted: anticipated publication date: November, 2016) The harvest is the best teacher: A narrative on food insecurity and community gardening with children and adolescents. *Reflections: Narratives on Professional Helping*.

Mallinger, G., Starks, S., & Tarter, K. (2016) Women social workers: A road map to gender equity. *Affilia: Journal of Women and Social Work*, 1-11. doi: 10.1177/0886109916647766

Mallinger, G., Gabbard, W. J., & Starks, S. (April, 2016) Managing microaggressions in the classroom. *Special Report on Diversity and Inclusion in the College Classroom, Faculty Focus*. <http://cdn.facultyfocus.com/wp-content/uploads/2016/03/FF-Special-Report-2016-Diversity-and-Inclusion.pdf>

Kerby, M., Branham, K. & **Mallinger, G.** (2014) Consumer-based education: The uncaring of learning. *Journal of Higher Education, Theory, and Practice*, 14 (5), 42-54.

Kerby, M.B., & **Mallinger, G.M.** (2014). An application of a new conceptual model beyond sustainability, *eJournal of Public Affairs*, 3(3). Retrieve from <http://ejopa.missouristate.edu/index.php/ejournal/article/view/38/47>

Rosen, D., Seng, J., Tolman, R. & **Mallinger, G.** (2007). Partner violence and mental health status as additional predictors of low birth weight infants among a community sample of low-income mothers. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*, 22, 1305-1314.

Petracchi, H., **Mallinger, G.**, Engel, R., Rischel, C. & Washburn, C. (2005). Evaluating the efficacy of traditional and web-assisted instruction in an undergraduate social work practice class. *Journal of Technology in Human Services*, 23, 299-311 (simultaneously co-published in *Web-Based Education in the Human Services: Models, Methods, and Best Practices*. Robert J. MacFadden, Brenda Moore, Marilyn Herie, Dick Schoech (Ed.) Haworth Press, Inc.).

JURIED PRESENTATIONS

Mallinger, G. & Murphy, A. (Accepted; to be presented March, 2017). Enhancing theory informed practice with diverse populations among BSW students. Paper presentation: 2017 Baccalaureate Program Directors' (BPD) Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA.

Mallinger, G. & Desrosiers, P. (Accepted; to be presented March, 2017). Patient navigation: An opportunity for BSW graduates. Paper presentation: 2017 Baccalaureate Program Directors' (BPD) Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA.

Mallinger, G. & Desrosiers, P. (Accepted; to be presented November 2016). Patient navigation: An opportunity for advancing collaborative social work. Paper presentation: 2016 Annual Program Meeting (APM) of the Council on Social Work Education, Atlanta, GA.

Murphy, A. & **Mallinger, G.** (Accepted; to be presented November 2016). Intercampus collaboration: Enhancing theory informed practice with diverse populations among BSW students. Poster presentation: 2016 Annual Program Meeting (APM) of the Council on Social Work Education, Atlanta, GA.

Mallinger, G. & Kerby, M. (March 2016) Inch by inch, row by row. 2016 Baccalaureate Program Directors' (BPD) Annual Meeting, Dallas, TX.

Mallinger, G. & Starks, S. (March 2016) Developing resilience and leadership among female social work students: A conceptual model. 2016 Baccalaureate Program Directors' (BPD) Annual Meeting, Dallas, TX.

Kerby, M. & **Mallinger, G.** (June 2015) Inch by inch, row by row American Democracy Project (ADP) New Orleans.

Mallinger, G., & Kerby, M. (March 2014) Food justice: Using school gardens as opportunities for transformative learning. 2014 Baccalaureate Program Directors' (BPD) Annual Meeting, Louisville, KY.

Gabbard, W. J., Starks, S., & **Mallinger, G.** (November 2013). Ten effective strategies for teaching diversity and cultural competency. Skills workshop presented at the 2013 Annual Program Meeting (APM) of the Council on Social Work Education, Dallas, TX.

Mallinger, G. & Kerby, M. (October, 2013). Urban and School Gardens: A collaboration. Paper presented at the Coalition of Urban and Metropolitan Universities Conference (CUMU) Louisville, KY.

Kerby, M. & **Mallinger, G.**, (October, 2013) Interdisciplinary collaboration and partnership: Nurturing community in a garden setting. Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education (AASHE) Conference Nashville, TN.

Gabbard, W. J., Starks, S., **Mallinger, G.**, & Luckett, R. (June 2013). Effective strategies for teaching diversity and cultural competency. Workshop presentation at the 10th Annual Teaching Professor Conference in New Orleans, LA.

Mallinger, G., Greeno, C. & Breneman, C. (March 2013). Meeting the need: Developing an interdisciplinary behavioral health service coordination program. Baccalaureate Program Directors' (BPD) Annual Meeting in Myrtle Beach, N.C.

Kerby, M. & **Mallinger, G.**, & Nuckols, B. (June 2012). 32 flavors and then some. National Women's Music Festival. Madison, WI.

Mallinger, G. & Petracchi, H. (March, 2005). *What Students Tell Social Work Educators about Their Experiences with Web-assisted Instruction*. Annual Program Meeting of the Council of Social Work Education (CSWE) Symposium on Distance Education. New York, NY.

Mallinger, G. & Petracchi, H. (November, 2004). *Web-based Instruction: Preparing for the Future*. Baccalaureate Program Directors' (BPD) Annual Meeting. Detroit, MI.

MONOGRAPHS AND REPORTS

Mallinger, G. (2007). Enhancing Outcomes for Incarcerated Parents and Their Families: A Critical Review of the Literature. Pittsburgh Child Guidance Foundation. Pittsburgh, PA.

Mallinger, G. (2004). Clean Slate 2004: Where Do We Go From Here? Housing Authority: City of Pittsburgh. Pittsburgh, PA.

Mallinger, G. (2004). Children of Incarcerated Parents: A Critical Review of the Literature Pittsburgh Child Guidance Foundation. Pittsburgh, PA.

GRANT FUNDING

Mallinger, G & Kerby, M. (January, 2015- December, 2015). *Kentucky Governor's Commonwealth Garden Initiative Grant* (\$10, 000 in-kind) for expansion of the Boys and Girls Club Project to the Housing Authority of Bowling Green.

Brauner, W., Kerby, M., **Mallinger, G.**, Siewers, F., All, J., & Ryan, C. (2015). ICSR Research Group. *An interdisciplinary research working group that examines building resilience in the anthropocene* (\$800). Culminated in focus group: Responding to the anthropocene: Moving from sustainability to resilience.

Co-Principal Investigators: Kerby, M. **Mallinger, G.**, Huss, J. & Stone, M. (June, 2013-December, 2014) *Nurturing Community in a Garden Setting*. Funder: *Interdisciplinary Research & Creative Activities Program (IRCAP) award (\$10,800) #13-8080i* Western Kentucky University

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

BSW Required Courses:

Introduction to Social Work, Social Welfare Policy, Diversity, Human Behavior in the Social Environment (I and II), The Generalist Method of Problem Solving, Generalist Practice with Individuals and Families, Generalist Practice with Communities and Organizations, Generalist Practice with Groups, Senior Field Practicum/Seminar

BSW Elective Courses

Addictions and Co-Occurring Disorders, Case Management, Child Welfare Policy, Gender Issues, Social Work and Women in Society, Family Violence across the Lifespan, Social Gerontology, Special Topics-Expressive Therapies with Children and Adolescents

MSW Courses

Models of Treatment, Social Welfare, Foundations of Practice with Diverse Populations, Social Work in Diverse Rural Areas.

MSW Elective Courses

Environmental Social Work: Theory, Policy, and Practice

Credit for Learning Courses

Enhancing Safety and Permanency, Family Violence.

Other Teaching Experience

Cultural Diversity in Human Services (Master's Course for Department of Rehabilitation), Special Topics-Marriage and Family Therapy (Master's Course for Department of Rehabilitation), Human Diversity in Health and Illness (taught to Shadyside Hospital Nursing Students through Chatham University), Human Growth and Development (taught to Shadyside Hospital Nursing Students through Chatham University), Human Growth and Development (taught to St. Margaret's Hospital Nursing Students through Chatham University), Child and

Adolescent Development (Master's Course in Education for Chatham University)

RECENT DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

Advisor, SWSU (Social Work Student Union), BSW Program. Department of Social Work, Western Kentucky University

BSW Committee, Department of Social Work, Western Kentucky University

Curriculum Coordinator, BSW Program. Department of Social Work, Western Kentucky University

Field Committee. BSW Program. Department of Social Work, Western Kentucky University

Search Committee Member, Department of Social Work, Western Kentucky University (BSW position, Bowling Green; BSW position Owensboro, MSW position, Bowling Green; Field Director position)

Departmental Advisory Committee (DAC), Department of Social Work, Western Kentucky University

RECENT COLLEGE SERVICE

Patient Navigator Working Group, CHHS, Western Kentucky University

Advising Committee, CHHS, Western Kentucky University

Homecoming Committee, CHHS, Western Kentucky University

RECENT UNIVERSITY SERVICE

University Senate, Department Representative, Western Kentucky University, 2013-present

Senate Executive Committee, CHHS Representative, Western Kentucky University, 2015-present

Diversity Enhancement Committee, University Senate Representative, Western Kentucky University (Elected by University Senate Executive Committee; chaired by Vice Provost & Chief Diversity Officer). 2014-2016

Faculty Welfare Committee (University Senate), Western Kentucky University, 2013-2015

Co-advisor, Student Identity Outreach, Western Kentucky University (2012-2014)

RECENT PUBLIC AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Board President, Hope Harbor (2016-present)

Board Vice President, Hope Harbor (2014-2015)

Board Member, Bowling Green International Festival (2013-present)

Board Member, Community Farmers Market (2012-2104)

Board Member, Hope Harbor, 2012-present

Reviewer, SSWR (Society for Social Work and Research)

HONORS AND AWARDS

Faculty–Undergraduate Student Engagement (FUSE) award, Western Kentucky University (2012).

Wynne Korr Dissertation Award, School of Social Work, University of Pittsburgh (2010).

Women’s Studies Student Research Fund, University of Pittsburgh (2007).

Pre-Doctoral Fellowship Award, Provost Office University of Pittsburgh (2004-2006).

Teaching Fellowship, School of Social Work, University of Pittsburgh (2005).

Faculty Honor Roll, University of Pittsburgh (2003); nominated by undergraduate students.

Who’s Who among American Teachers (2002); nominated by Dean’s List undergraduate students.

CLINICAL WORK

Clinical Social Worker/Supervisor, Turning Point Hospital, Moultrie, GA (1998-2000).

Outpatient Substance Abuse Coordinator, Georgia Pines MH/MR/SA, Thomasville, GA (1996-1998).

Clinical Social Worker, Kempsville Counseling, Virginia Beach, VA (1992-1996).

Clinical Director, Jewish Family Services, Norfolk, VA (1990-1993).

Clinical Social Worker, Jewish Family and Children’s Service, Pittsburgh, PA (1987-1990).

Clinical Social Worker, Jewish Family Service, Garden Grove, CA (1984-1987).

Child Services Coordinator, Tucson Rape Crisis Center, Tucson, AZ (1983-1984).

Child and Adolescent Therapist, Pittsburgh Action Against Rape, Pittsburgh, PA (1981-1983).

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Baccalaureate Program Directors (BPD)

Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)