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Education

University of Pittsburgh
Pittsburgh, PA
August 2010

Ph.D.
Dissertation: Placing Children in Need with Gay and Lesbian
Families: Influences on Placement Decisions

University of Pittsburgh
Pittsburgh, PA
December 1981

M.S.W.

University of Pittsburgh
Pittsburgh, PA
April 1979

B.S. in Psychology

Academic Appointments

2017-Present

Associate Professor, Department of Social Work
Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, KY

2011-2017

Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work
Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, KY

2008-2011

BASW Program Director, School of Social Work
University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA

2005-2008

Adjunct Instructor
Chatham University, Pittsburgh, PA

2001-2002

BSW Program Director
Department of Social Work, Thomas University, Thomasville, GA

2000-2001

Director of Field Education
Department of Social Work, Thomas University, Thomasville, GA

1999-2000

Adjunct Instructor
Thomas University, Thomasville, GA

Teaching Experience

BSW Required Courses:

- Introduction to Social Work; Social Welfare Policy; Cultural Diversity; Ethnicity and Social Welfare; Human Behavior in the Social Environment (I and II); Generalist Method of Problem Solving; Generalist Practice with Individuals and Families; Generalist Practice with Groups; Generalist Practice with Communities and Organizations, Case Management, Introduction to Social Work Communication Skills.

BSW Elective Courses:

- Addictions and Co-occurring Disorders; Child Welfare Policy; Diversity and Social Welfare; Expressive Therapies with Children and Adolescents; Family Violence across the Lifespan; Gender Issues; Social Gerontology; Social Work and Women in Society.

MSW Required Courses

- Foundations of Practice with Diverse Populations; Models of Intervention; Social Welfare; Social Work in Diverse Rural Areas.

MSW Elective Courses

- Environmental Justice: Theory, Policy, and Practice.

Credit for Learning Courses:

- Enhancing Safety and Permanency; Family Violence.

Nursing Courses:

- Human Diversity in Health and Illness; Human Growth and Development

Education Courses:

- Child and Adolescent Development in the School Context

Rehabilitation Courses:

- Cultural Diversity in Human Services; Marriage and Family Therapy

Directed Student Learning/Research:

- Tessa Wilkerson (2018): College Students' Attitudes towards Peers with Physical Disabilities
- Kyra Tuley (2018): Art Therapy: Social Work Students' Knowledge and Attitudes
- Richard Lee Johnson (2018): Statistical Analysis and Social Service Workers.
- Kazandra Trejo/Gracen Williams (2017-2018): Predictors of Attitudes towards Dreamers among BSW students (resulted in poster presentation BPD).
- Kia Brewer/Kimberly Helton (2017-2018). The Effect of Volunteering during a Crisis on Continued Community Engagement (resulted in poster presentation BPD).
- Elizabeth Willenbrink/Martha Musalia (2016-2017): Cultivating Communities: Experiences of African Refugee Gardeners (resulted in poster presentation BPD).
- Nina Wells/Elizabeth Willenbrink (2015): Growing Community through Gardening (resulted in poster presentation KASWE).
- Kristen Tarter (2015): Gender Equity and the Profession of Social Work (resulted in co-authored paper published in Affilia).
- Kimberly Miles (2015): Females Perception of Safety of on College Campuses (honors thesis).
- Brittany Slaughter (2013): Ending Childhood Obesity with School Garden Programs (resulted in white paper).
- Breanna Nuckols (2012): Sexual Identification among Attendees of National Women's Music Festivals (resulted in workshop presentation at National Women's Festival).
- Rachele McFarland (2010): Food Insecurity: Perceptions and Experiences of Mothers in León, Nicaragua (resulted in poster presentation BPD).

- Benn Grodin (2009): The Effect of Nature-Related Events on Adult Psychiatric Patients (resulted in poster presentation BPD).

Awards and Honors

2018	Western Kentucky University Undergraduate Research Mentoring Award (finalist)
2017	Western Kentucky University Award for Public Service (recipient)
2017	College of Health and Human Service Faculty Excellence for Public Service Award (recipient)
2016	College of Health and Human Service Faculty Teaching Award (nominee)
2015	College of Health and Human Service Faculty Teaching Award (nominee)
2012	Western Kentucky University Faculty Undergraduate Student Engagement (FUSE) Award (recipient)
2010	Wynne Korr Dissertation Award, University of Pittsburgh School of Social Work (recipient)
2008	Faculty Associate Award, University of Pittsburgh (recipient)
2007	Women’s Studies Student Research Fund (recipient)
2006	Pre-Doctoral Fellowship, Provost’s Office, University of Pittsburgh (recipient)
2005	Teaching Fellowship, School of Social Work, University of Pittsburgh (recipient)
	Pre-Doctoral Fellowship, Provost’s Office, University of Pittsburgh (recipient)
2004	Pre-Doctoral Fellowship, Center for Race and Social Problems, University of Pittsburgh (recipient)
2003	University of Pittsburgh Faculty Honor Roll (recipient)
2002-2005	Teaching Assistantship, School of Social Work, University of Pittsburgh (recipient)
2002	Who’s Who Among American Teachers (recipient)

Peer Reviewed Publications

Mallinger, G. (2019). CEU course: *Best Practices with LGB Youth*. West Bridgewater, MA: Western Schools

Mallinger, G (2018). Review: Women’s Issues for a New Generation: A Social Work Perspective. *Journal of Baccalaureate Social Work*, 23 (1) <https://jbsw.org/doi/pdf/10.18084/1084-7219.23.1.55>

- Mallinger, G** (2017). Practice with the lesbian community: 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, 266-285.
- Mallinger, G.,** Starks, S., & Tarter, K. (2017). A new conceptual model of resilience and leadership among female social workers, *Affilia: Journal of Women and Social Work*, 32 (1) 81-91. doi: 10.1177/0886109916647766
- Starks, S., **Mallinger, G**, Countee-Gillian, C, & Vakalahi, H. (contract awarded October, 2016; anticipated completion December 2019). *Mentoring Females for Leadership*. Washington, DC: NASW Press.
- Desrosiers, P., **Mallinger, G.**, & Braggs-Underwood, T. (2016). Patient navigation: A new role for social work, *Advances in Social Work*, 17, (2), 187-202.
- Mallinger, G.** & Kerby, M. (2016). The harvest is the best teacher: A narrative on food insecurity and community gardening with children and adolescents. *Reflections: Narratives on Professional Helping*, 20 (1), 70-78.
- 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 (10), 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 (3/4), 299-311.

Monographs, Reports, & Educational Materials

- Mallinger, G.** (2017). *Instructor's Manual and Test Bank for Hutchinson: The Essentials of Human Behavior: Integrating Person, Environment, and the Life Course*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
- Mallinger, Gayle** (2017) "Enhancing literacy and critical thinking among undergraduate students" Assessment Plans. Paper 1. http://digitalcommons.wku.edu/assess_ah/1
- 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.** (2005). *Instructor's Manual and Test Bank for Engel & Schutt: The Practice of Research in Social Work*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

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 Literature Review.* Pittsburgh Child Guidance Foundation. Pittsburgh, PA

Juried Presentations

Mallinger, G. & Kerby, M. (accepted) *Deliberative dialogue: A tool to build equitable and diverse communities*, Inaugural Conference of the Tennessee Chapter of the National Association for Multicultural Education (NAME). Cookeville, TN (July 2019).

Kerby, M. & **Mallinger, G.** (accepted) *Learning by doing: Deliberative dialogue as an interdisciplinary tool for civic literacy*, 2019 Civic Learning and Democratic Engagement Conference (CLDE). Ft. Lauderdale, FL (June 2019).

Mallinger, G. & Kerby, M. (March 2019) *Information and civic literacy in BSW curricula: Prerequisites for effective advocacy.* Baccalaureate Program Directors' (BPD) Annual Meeting, Jacksonville, FL.

Mallinger, G. & Kerby, M. (November, 2018) *Deliberative Dialogue: An interdisciplinary tool promoting civil discourse and enhancing civic literacy.* 2018 Annual Program Meeting (APM) of the Council on Social Work Education, Orlando, FL.

Mallinger, G. & Murphy, A. (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. (March, 2017). *An opportunity for BSW graduates: Patient navigation.* Paper presentation: 2017 Baccalaureate Program Directors' (BPD) Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA.

Mallinger, G. & Desrosiers, P. (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.** (November 2016). *Intercampus collaboration: Enhancing theory informed practice with diverse populations.* 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) *School gardens and community resilience.* 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.

Grant Funding

Mallinger, G. & Kerby, M. (November, 2016- August, 2017). *Grant Funding for Research in Leadership* (\$2,500) to study effects of transformational leadership and adaptive performance on opportunities for female social workers in the academy.

Mallinger, G. & Kerby, M., Willenbrink, E. (2016). *Quick Turnaround Grant* (\$1000) for Refugee garden project at Housing Authority of Bowling Green.

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.

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.

Kerby, M. **Mallinger, G.** Nuckols, B. (June, 2012-December, 2013). *Sense of Place and the Intersectionality of Diverse Identities: An Intergenerational, Mixed Methods Analysis of Women's Music Festivals (FUSE)* award (\$4,100) Western Kentucky 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
DSW Exploration 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, 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

CHHS Sabbatical and Faculty Awards Committee, CHHS, Western Kentucky University (2018-present)
Search Committee for Dean of College, CHHS, Western Kentucky University (2018-present)
CAPE (Comprehensive Academic Program Evaluation) Committee CHHS, Western Kentucky University (2018-present)
Faculty Ambassador, CHHS, Western Kentucky University (2017-present)
Diversity and Inclusivity Committee, CHHS, Western Kentucky University (2017-present)
Advising and Retention Committee, CHHS, Western Kentucky University (2013-present)
Patient Navigator Working Group, CHHS, Western Kentucky University (2014-2015)
Homecoming Committee, CHHS, Western Kentucky University (2012)

Recent University Service

Guided Pathways Mentor, Institute for Transformative Practices in Higher Education, Western Kentucky University, 2018-present.
Fair Trade University Committee, Western Kentucky University, 2017-present
Center for Citizenship and Social Justice Faculty Advisory Board, Western Kentucky University, 2016-2018
University Senate, Department Representative, Western Kentucky University, 2013-2017
Senate Executive Committee, CHHS Representative, Western Kentucky University, 2015-2016
Diversity Enhancement Committee, University Senate Representative, Western Kentucky University (Elected by University Senate Executive Committee; chaired by Vice Provost & Chief Diversity Officer). 2014-2016
Co-advisor, Student Identity Outreach, Western Kentucky University (2012-2014)

Recent Service to the Profession

Abstract Reviewer, SSWR (Society for Social Work and Research) Annual Meeting
Abstract Reviewer, BPD (Baccalaureate Program Directors) Annual Meeting
Abstract Reviewer, CSWE (Council of Social Work Educators) Annual Meeting
Reviewer, *Journal of Human Behavior and the Social Environment*
Reviewer, *Affilia: Journal of Women and Social Work*
Reviewer, *Journal of Social Work Education*

Recent Public and Community Service

Board Member, Hope Harbor, (2019-present)
Board Member, Barren River Area Child Advocacy Center, (2017-2019)
Board President, Hope Harbor (2015-2016)
Board Vice President, Hope Harbor (2014-2015)
Board Member, Hope Harbor, (2012-2017)
Board Member, Bowling Green International Festival (2013-2017)
Board Member, Community Farmers Market (2012-2104)

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 Affiliations

Baccalaureate Program Directors (BPD)
Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)
American Association of University Women (AAUW)
American Association of University Professors (AAUP)

References

Available upon request