

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education

- 2005 Ph.D.** Temple University, Philadelphia, PA, Educational Psychology
Dissertation title: *The effects of Social Skills and Media on Student Achievement in Elementary School Students*
Committee chair: Joseph P. DuCette
- 1999 M.S.** MCP-Hahnemann University, Philadelphia, PA, Group Counseling and Organizational Dynamics
Thesis title: *The Psycho dynamics of Diversity in Organizations: a comparative review of affirmative action and diversity valuing efforts.*
Committee chair: David W. Danner
- 1998 - 1999** Organizational Training & Development Practicum: Organization Development Unit, Office of the Health Commissioner, City of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA
- 1997 - 1998** Clinical Training Practicum: Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Unit, Eastern Pennsylvania Psychiatric Institute, Medical College of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA
- 1997 B.A.** Temple University, Philadelphia, PA, Psychology

Teaching Experience

Assistant Clinical Professor, 2008 - present

School of Education - Goodwin College of Professional Studies, Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA.

Graduate Lecturer, 2007- 2008

School of Graduate Professional Studies - Performance and Learning Systems, Penn State Great Valley, Malvern, PA.

Graduate Lecturer, 2005 -2007

Graduate School of Education - School Counseling Program, Gwynedd-Mercy College, Gwynedd-Mercy, PA.

Adjunct Professor, 2000-2005

Temple University - College of Arts and Sciences- First Year Writing Program - Department of English

Courses Taught

Counseling Interventions
Human Development
Career Counseling for School Counselors
Diversity and Work Performance
Guidance and Counseling
Assessment Techniques in Counseling
College Composition
Business Communications
Technical Communications
Human Performance Technology
Conflict Resolution
Emotional and Behavioral Support of Individuals with Disabilities

Courses Developed

Conflict Resolution
Emotional and Behavioral Support of Individuals with Disabilities
Diversity and Work Performance

Research Interests

Social skills and learning
Bullying prevention
Child hood emotional/behavioral disorders
Media and child social behavior
Mentoring and youth violence prevention
Outcomes for youth in placement
Management processes and group dynamics
Psychology of gender and race

Administrative Appointments

Director, Center for the Prevention of School-Aged Violence, 2008- present. Goodwin College of Professional Studies, Drexel University.

Selected Workshops, Presentations and Public Testimony

Public Testimony – Bullying Prevention, Baltimore City Council - Special Hearing, Baltimore, MD., June, 16th, 2010.

Public Testimony - Finding Humane Solutions to the Crisis of Youth Violence. Pennsylvania House of Representatives and National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), Girard College, Philadelphia, PA., June 4th, 2010.

Moderator - Toward a More Perfect Union: Confronting America's Racial Divide, National Constitution Center, Philadelphia, PA., March, 18th, 2010.

Workshop Presenter - Classroom Management, Noyce Scholars Program, School of Education, Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA., April, 21st, 2010.

Public Testimony - Intergroup Conflict and School Violence. Philadelphia Commission on Human Relations, April, 6th, 2010.

Public Testimony - Parent Accountability Act (SB. 99). Pennsylvania Senate Judiciary Committee, March, 15th, 2010.

Moderator - South Philadelphia High School - Diversity, Bullying and School-Aged Violence: Challenges and Solutions, 1st Community Symposium, Center for the Prevention of School-Aged Violence, Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA., February, 1st, 2010.

Public Testimony - Foster Care and Adoption. Joint Committees on Public Health, Human Services and Legislative Oversight, City Council of Philadelphia, PA, December, 15th, 2009.

Workshop Presenter - College for Teens. Martin Luther King Jr. Non-Violence Association, Philadelphia, PA., July, 2009.

Panelist – Youth Development Symposium. Center for Peace. Philadelphia, PA. May, 2009.

Workshop Presenter – Family Seminar. Lindy Scholars Program Drexel University, School of Education, Philadelphia, PA., May, 2009.

Workshop Presenter - Teaching the Difficult Child. Transition to Teaching (TTT), Drexel University, School of Education, Philadelphia, PA. May, 2009.

Keynote - Co-creating a civil campus. Civility Week, Community College of Philadelphia Philadelphia, PA., April, 2009.

Co-Moderator - Preventing Youth Violence. The Big Talker 1210 WPHT – CBS Radio [Audio Podcast]. www.thebigtalker1210.com April, 2009.

Keynote - Advocating on Behalf of Children in Placement. Delivered at the opening ceremony for the Pennsylvania Bar Institute's "Current Issues for Child Advocates" Conference 2009, Mechanicsburg, PA., April, 2009.

Panelist - Mentoring the young black male away from violence. Boys 2 Real Men Summit sponsored by Pennsylvania State Representative Cherelle L. Parker, Philadelphia, PA, April, 2009.

Moderator - Preventing crime in Philadelphia. Community forum for Philadelphia District Attorney's race sponsored by The Philadelphia Civic Engagement Committee (PCEC). Philadelphia, PA, April, 2009.

Selected Peer Reviewed Scholarly Contributions

Williams, C. A. (2010, October). *Social Skills and Mentoring: Getting urban youth to graduation with the support of evidence-based practices*. Paper presented at National Social Science Conference: Fall Professional Development Conference, Reno, Nevada.

Williams, C. A. (2010, May). *Teaching Social Skills and Mentoring: Preventing school failure*. Paper presented at the One Voice International Conference for Educators, New Jersey.

Williams, C. A. (2010, May). Mentoring to Improve Outcomes: empowering our youth. In L. S. Reddick (Chair), *6th Annual Black Male Development Symposium*. Symposium conducted at Arcadia University, PA.

Williams, C. A. (2010, February). "He Aint' Heavy..." : *Mentoring, Collective Responsibility, and Social Change*. Black Leadership Summit - REACH Project. Temple University, Philadelphia, PA.

Williams, C. A. (2009, November). *Mentoring, Social Skills and Caregiver Support: Tools for preventing school-aged violence*. Paper presented at One Voice International Conference for Educators, New York.

Selected Peer Reviewed Scholarly Publications

Williams, C. A. (2009). Teaching Social Skills and Mentoring: Preventing school failure. *One Voice International Collection of Scholarly Works* (Vol. 1, 2008-2009). (in press).

Williams, C. A. (2010). Mentoring, Social Skills and Caregiver Support: Tools for preventing school-aged violence. *One Voice International Collection of Scholarly Work* (Vol. 1, 2010). (in press).

Selected Media Contributions [Television and Print]

Green, E. (2010, June 16th). Parents, City Leaders Face Off on Bullying. *Baltimore Sun*. Retrieve online at http://articles.baltimoresun.com/2010-06-16/news/bs-md-ci-school-bullying-hearing-20100616_1_bullying-school-system-gilmor-elementary-school.

Williams, C. A. (2010, June). School Officials Hold Hearing to Address Bullying. [Television Broadcast]. CBS 13. Baltimore, MD. Retrieve online at <http://wjz.com/local/beatng.student.high.2.1756329.html>.

Williams, C. A. (2010, May). Kids, Ages 9 and 11, Die in Suicides. [Television Broadcast]. *Fox 10 O'clock News*. Fox Philadelphia. Retrieve online at http://www.myfoxphilly.com/dpp/news/local_news/Children_Suicides_Northeast_Philadelphia_Ages9_And_11_051410.

Williams, C. A. (2010, May). Does Facebook Make Us Happy? *The Fox 10 O'clock News*. [Television Broadcast]. Fox News Philadelphia. Retrieve online at http://www.myfoxphilly.com/dpp/news/local_news/Does_Facebook_Make_Us_Happy%3F.

Williams, C. A. (2010, May). Outrage Grows After Philly Cop Lies About Suspect. *Good Day Philadelphia*. [Television Broadcast]. Fox News Philadelphia. Retrieve online at http://www.myfoxphilly.com/dpp/news/local_news/051210-outrage-grows-after-philly-cop-lies-about-suspect.

- Williams, C. A. (2010, April). Public Hearing in Philly Addresses School Violence. [Television Broadcast]. CBS 3 Philadelphia. Retrieve online at <http://cbs3.com/topstories/Public.Hearing.Philadelphia.2.1616057.html>.
- Woodall, M. (2010, March 16th). Panel is Told Parents are Key to Stopping Violence. *Philadelphia Inquirer*. Retrieve online at <http://www.philly.com/philly/education/87745442.html>.
- Tales, D. (2010, March 9th). Schooling Parents. *Philadelphia Daily News*. Retrieve online at <http://www.philly.com/dailynews/local/87104967.html#axzz0oyhHizxF>.
- Valerie, R. (2010, March 4th). Coming to Grips With Violence. *Philadelphia Daily News*. Retrieve online at http://www.philly.com/philly/hp/news_update/86312292.html.
- Williams, C. A. (2010, March). Mom: Cyberbullies Targeted Daughter, 11. [Television Broadcast]. Fox Philadelphia. Retrieve online at http://www.myfoxphilly.com/dpp/news/local_news/042310_Mother_Says_Daughter_Was_Cyber_bullied.
- Williams, C. A. (2010, March). Towards A More Perfect Union: Confronting America's Racial Divide. [Television Broadcast]. *C-SPAN*. Retrieve online at <http://www.c-spanvideo.org/program/292595-1>.
- Williams, C. A. (2010, March 18th). Restarting a National Conversation About Race. Interviewed by Scott Martelle. *AOL News*. Retrieve online at <http://www.aolnews.com/article/restarting-a-national-conversation-about-race/19402174>.
- Armstrong, J. (2010, March 17th). Obama and Race Issue. *Philadelphia Daily News*. Retrieve online at <http://www.philly.com/dailynews/features/88052152.html#axzz0oyjA6nI9>.
- Williams, C. A. (2010, March). Expert Says Hoodie Ban Won't Work. *Good Day Philadelphia*. [Television Broadcast]. Fox Philadelphia. Retrieve online at http://www.myfoxphilly.com/dpp/good_day_philadelphia/033010-expert-says-hoodie-ban-won-t-work.
- Wellington, E. (2010, March 3). Fashion's Threatened Hoodies. *Philadelphia Inquirer*. Retrieve online at <http://www.philly.com/inquirer/magazine/86128032.html#axzz0oyjfph3y>.
- Williams, C. A. (2009, March). Steering Children Away from Violence. Interviewed by Lisa Thomas-Laury. *6ABC*, Philadelphia. Retrieve online at <http://abclocal.go.com/wpvi/story?section=news/local&id=6715021>.
- Clark, V. (2009, December 16th). DHS say Adoptions, Reunifications Up in Phila. *Philadelphia Inquirer*. Retrieve online at <http://www.philly.com/philly/news/local/79386937.html>.

Peer Reviewed Grant Submissions

Title:	Local Mentoring
Source:	US Department of Justice

Role: Principal Investigator
 Dates: August, 2009 – September, 2011
 Direct Funds: \$500,000 (total for all years)
 Title: Gang Violence Prevention
 Source: US Department of Justice
 Role: Principal Investigator
 Dates: August, 2009 – September, 2011
 Direct Funds: \$500,000 (total for all years)
 Title: Mentoring for Foster Care Youth
 Source: US Department of Justice
 Role: Principal Investigator
 Dates: August, 2009 – September, 2011
 Direct Funds: \$500,000 (total for all years)

Professional Services

Peer Reviewer - United States Department of Justice – Office of Justice Programs:

- Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention
- Bureau of Justice Assistance
- National Institute of Justice
- Office for Victims of Crime
- Community Capacity Development Office
- Office of Sex Offender Sentencing, Monitoring, Apprehending, Registering, and Tracking (SMART)

Manuscript Reviewer

- Prevention Science
- National Social Science Journal

University Service

Member, Ad-hoc Committee on the Evaluation of Teaching, School of Education, Drexel University.
Member, Search Committee for Associate Dean, School of Education, School of Education, Drexel University.
Member, Search Committee, Assistant Professor, Special Education, School of Education, Drexel University.

Member, Search Committee, Assistant Professor, Higher Education, School of Education, Drexel University.

Boards and Committees

Member - Board of Directors, Institute for the Development of African-American Youth, Philadelphia, PA, 2010 – present.

Member - Board of Directors, National Adoption Center, Philadelphia, PA, 2009 – present.

Chair - Advisory Board, ITWorks, NPower PA, Philadelphia, PA, 2009 – present.

Chair - Policy and Curriculum Committee, Wakisha Charter School, Board of Trustees, Philadelphia, PA 2005 - 2007.

Member - Mayor's Blue Ribbon Commission, Vulnerable Children's Sub-committee, City of Philadelphia, 2006 - 2007.

Chair - Mayor's Blue Ribbon Commission, Child Abuse and Neglect, Working Group, Philadelphia, PA, 2006-2007.

Member - Mayor's Blue Ribbon Commission on Children's Behavioral Health, Policy Writing Group, Philadelphia, PA, 2005.

Member - Mayor's Transition Committee on Children Achieving: Program evaluation and assessment, City of Philadelphia, 2000 - 2001.

Awards and Honors

Who's Who Among Teachers in Humanities, August, 2005.

Outstanding Teaching Award, Temple University Department of English - First Year Writing Program, April, 2003.

Official City Proclamation, Mayor, City of Philadelphia, 2003.

Commendation, Office of the Health Commissioner, City of Philadelphia, May, 1999.

Who's Who Among Students in Colleges and Universities, May, 1999.

Commencement Speaker, MCP Hahnemann University, May, 1999

Official City Proclamation, Mayor, City of Philadelphia, 1999.

City Council Citation, City of Philadelphia, 1998.

President's Salute to Graduates, Temple University Commencement, May, 1997.

Membership in Professional Organizations

- *Member, Association for Assessment in Counseling and Education (AACE) 2008 - present*
- *Member, American Psychological Association (APA) 2005 - present*
- *Member, American Counseling Association (ACA) 1998 - present*