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**Curriculum Vitae**  
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**Personal Information**

Professor  
Social Welfare  
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**Education**

Ph.D., Social Work, 1988  
University of Kansas School of Social Welfare, Lawrence, KS

M.S.W., Clinical Concentration, 1975  
University of Kansas School of Social Welfare, Lawrence, KS

B.S., Secondary Education, 1973  
University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS

**Employment History**

Academic

University of Kansas School of Social Welfare, Lawrence, KS  
Ph.D. Director, Summer 2008 - Present  
Professor, 2001 - Present  
Leadership Group Chair, Office of Child Welfare and Children's Mental Health, 2002 - 2004  
Associate Professor, 1994 - 2001  
Assistant Professor, 1988 - 1994  
Teaching Assistant and Field Liaison, 1985 - 1988  
Senior level and graduate clinical practice courses, graduate electives

Baker University, Baldwin, KS  
Assistant Professor, 1977 - 1979  
Taught full range of social work core curriculum and several sociology courses.

Hazard Community College Human Services Program, Hazard, KY  
Instructor, 1976 - 1977

Practice

Bert Nash Mental Health Center, Lawrence, KS  
Director of Children's Services, Part-Time, 1985 - 2000

Clinical Social Worker, Children's Services, February 1978 - December 2000  
Director of Children's Services, June 1982 - January 1985  
Responsibilities included development and supervision of interagency sexual abuse treatment program.

Frontier Nursing Service, Hyden, KY  
Director, Social Work Department, July 1975 - August 1976  
Provision of medical social services in rural poverty setting in Appalachia.

#### Professional

Kansas State Department of Education  
Curriculum Consultant, 2001 - 2002  
State Improvement Grant, "Building Family-School Partnerships."

Family Preservation Program, Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, Lawrence Area Office  
Clinical Consultant, October 1993 - July 1996

#### Research

Kansas Action for Children  
Contracted Researcher, 2004 - 2005  
Research project on Transition to Adulthood for Youth in Foster Care

#### Administrative Assignments

KU Lawrence  
PhD Program Director, August 15, 2009 - Present

#### Research Key Words

children's mental health; child welfare; family centered practice; evidence-based practice; best practices; PhD education

#### Research Funding/Fellowships

##### University of Kansas

##### Externally-Funded Grant/Contract

##### Funded

1. McDonald, T. (Principal), Petr, C. G. (Co-Principal), Kapp, S. (Co-Principal), & Moore, T. (Co-Principal). *Title XIX Children's Mental Health Contract with Kansas Social and Rehabilitation Services*. Contract with Kansas Social and Rehabilitation Services \$370,039 (2010 - 2011).
2. McDonald, T. (Principal), Petr, C. G. (Co-Principal), Kapp, S. (Co-Principal), & Moore, T. (Co-Principal). *Title XIX Children's Mental Health Contract with Kansas Social and Rehabilitation Services*. Contract with Kansas Social and Rehabilitation Services \$465,105

(2009 - 2010).

3. Corrigan, S. (Principal), Petr, C. G. (Co-Principal), Kapp, S. (Co-Principal), & Moore, T. (Co-Principal). *Title XIX Children's Mental Health*. Contract with Kansas Social and Rehabilitation Services \$480,707 (2008 - 2009).  
\$1,908,289 total contract; \$480,707 as P.I.
4. Corrigan, S. (Principal), Petr, C. G. (Co-Principal), Kapp, S. (Co-Principal), & Moore, T. (Co-Principal). *Title XIX Children's Mental Health*. Contract with Kansas Social and Rehabilitation Services \$2,321,987 (2007 - 2008).
5. Corrigan, S. (Principal), Petr, C. G. (Co-Principal), Kapp, S. (Co-Principal), & Moore, T. (Co-Principal). *Title XIX Children's Mental Health*. Contract with Kansas Social and Rehabilitation Services \$1,225,286 (2006 - 2007).
6. Corrigan, S. (Principal), Petr, C. G. (Co-Principal), & Kapp, S. (Co-Principal). *Title XIX Children's Mental Health*. Contract with Kansas Social and Rehabilitation Services \$1,733,288 (2005 - 2006).
7. Petr, C. G. (Principal), Kapp, S. (Co-Principal), & Corrigan, S. (Co-Principal). *Title XIX Children's Mental Health*. Contract with Kansas Social and Rehabilitation Services \$1,351,559 (2004 - 2005).
8. Petr, C. G. (Principal), & Chamberlain, R. (Co-Principal). *Title XIX Children's Mental Health*. Contract with Kansas Social and Rehabilitation Services \$1,221,617 (2003 - 2004).
9. Petr, C. G. (Principal), & Chamberlain, R. (Co-Principal). *Title XIX Children's Mental Health*. Contract with Kansas Social and Rehabilitation Services \$989,087 (2002 - 2003).
10. Petr, C. G. (Principal), & Chamberlain, R. (Co-Principal). *Title XIX Children's Mental Health*. Contract with Kansas Social and Rehabilitation Services \$592,072 (2001 - 2002).
11. Petr, C. G. (Principal), & Chamberlain, R. (Co-Principal). *Title XIX Children's Mental Health*. Contract with Kansas Social and Rehabilitation Services \$662,084 (2000 - 2001).
12. Petr, C. G. (Principal), & Chamberlain, R. (Co-Principal). *Title XIX Children's Mental Health*. Contract with Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services \$504,498 (1999 - 2000).
13. Chamberlain, R. (Principal), & Petr, C. G. (Co-Principal). *Mental health consumer satisfaction evaluation*. Contract with Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services \$358,154 (1998 - 1999).
14. Petr, C. G. (Principal), & Chamberlain, R. (Co-Principal). *Title XIX Children's Mental Health*. Contract with Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services \$286,877 (1998 - 1999).
15. Rapp, C. (Principal), Petr, C. G. (Co-Principal), & Chamberlain, R. (Co-Principal). *Title XIX Adult and Children's Mental Health*. Contract with Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services \$916,619 (1997 - 1998).

16. Petr, C. G. *Measuring family-centered practice*. National Institute of Disabilities Rehabilitation Research to the Beach Center on Families and Disabilities, University of Kansas Life Span Institute \$175,000 (1993 - 1998).  
Project Director. Core grant, \$650,000/year for 5 years, project approximately \$35,000/yr.
17. Petr, C. G. (Principal). *Title XIX Children's Mental Health*. Contract with Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services \$282,757 (1996 - 1997).
18. Petr, C. G. (Principal). *Title XIX Children's Mental Health*. Contract with Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services \$149,569 (1995 - 1996).
19. Petr, C. G. *Johnson County Children's Case Management Project*. Contract with Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services \$28,169 (1992 - 1993).  
Project Director.
20. Petr, C. G. *Reunification Training Manual*. Contract with Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services \$15,687 (1992 - 1993).  
Project director.
21. Petr, C. G. (Principal). *Sedgwick County Pilot Reunification Project*. funded by Annie E. Casey Foundation, Corporation for Change, and the Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services \$118,973 (1992 - 1993).
22. Petr, C. G. *Reasonable Efforts in Permanency Planning*. National Institute of Disabilities Rehabilitation Research to the Beach Center on Families and Disabilities, University of Kansas Life Span Institute \$150,000 (1989 - 1993).  
Core grant, \$600,000/yr. for 5 years, project approximately \$30,000/yr.

### **Internal Award**

#### Funded

1. *KU Graduate Studies Dissertation Award*. (August 2014 - August 2015).
2. (Principal). *KU Graduate Studies Diversity Fellowship*. (August 2014 - August 2015).
3. (Principal). *KU Graduate Studies Doctoral Fellowship*. (August 2014 - May 2015).

### **Research/Scholarly Work**

#### **Publications**

#### **Reviewed/Refereed**

#### Journal Articles

1. Petr, C., Harrington, D., Kim, K., Black, B., Cunningham-Williams, R., & Bentley, K. (in press). Quality indicators and expected outcomes for social work phd programs: Perceptions of social work students, faculty, and administrators. *Journal of Social Work Education*.

2. Johnson, M., Petr, C. G., & Mitchell, F. (2014). Factors associated with success in Ph.D. social work programs. *Journal of Social Work Education, 50*(3), 548-558.
3. Kapp, S. A., Petr, C. G., Robbins, M. I., & Choi, J. J. (2013). Collaboration between community mental health and juvenile justice systems: Barriers and facilitators. *Child and Adolescent Social Work, 30*(6).
4. Kang, M., Petr, C., & Morningstar, M. (2012). Improving transition-to-adulthood outcomes of youth with emotional and behavioral disabilities. *School Social Work Journal, 37*(1), 54-74.
5. Walter, U. M., & Petr, C. G. (2011). Best practices in wraparound: A multidimensional view on the evidence. *Social Work, 56*(1), 73-80.
6. McLendon, T., McLendon, D., Petr, C. G., Kapp, S., & Mooradian, J. (2009). Family-directed structural therapy in a therapeutic wilderness family camp: An outcome study. *Social Work in Mental Health, 7*(5), 508-527.
7. Petr, C. G., & Walter, U. (2009). Evidence-based practice: A critical reflection. *European Journal of Social Work, 12*(2), 221-232.
8. McLendon, T., McLendon, D., & Petr, C. G. (2008). A therapeutic wilderness family camp utilizing family-directed structural therapy: A conceptual overview. *Journal of Therapeutic Wilderness Camping, 7*(1), 18-24.
9. Petr, C. G. (2008). Foster care independent living services: Youth perspectives. *Families in Society, 81*(1), 100-108.
10. Walter, U., & Petr, C. G. (2008). Family-centered residential treatment: Knowledge, research, and values converge. *Residential Treatment for Children and Youth, 25*(1), 1-16.
11. Walter, U., & Petr, C. G. (2006). Lessons from the research on paraprofessionals for attendant care in children's mental health. *Community Mental Health Journal, 42*(5), 459-475.
12. Walter, U., Petr, C. G., & Davis, S. (2006). Informing best practices for children in psychiatric crises: Perspectives and insights from families. *Families in Society, 87*(4), 612-620.
13. McLendon, D., McLendon, T., & Petr, C. G. (2005). Family directed structural therapy. *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy, 31*(4), 327-339.
14. Petr, C. G., & Walter, U. (2005). Best practices inquiry: A multi-dimensional, value-critical framework. *Journal of Social Work Education, 41*(2), 251-268.
15. Walter, U., & Petr, C. G. (2004). Promoting successful transitions to regular school environments for youth with serious emotional disorders. *Children in Schools (formerly Social Work in Education), 26*(3), 175-180.
16. Martin, J., Petr, C. G., & Kapp, S. (2003). Consumer satisfaction with children's mental health services. *Child and Adolescent Social Work Journal, 20*(3), 211-226.

17. Petr, C. G., Holtquist, S., & Martin, J. (2000). Consumer-run organizations for youth. *Psychiatric Rehabilitation Journal*, 24(2), 142-148.
18. Walter, U., & Petr, C. G. (2000). A template for family-centered interagency collaboration. *Families in Society*, 81(5), 494-503.
19. Petr, C. G., & Johnson, I. (1999). Privatization of foster care in Kansas: A cautionary tale. *Social Work*, 44(3), 263-268.
20. Allen, R. I., & Petr, C. G. (1998). Re-thinking family-centered practice. *American Journal of Orthopsychiatry*, 68(1), 4-15.
21. Litzelfelner, P., & Petr, C. G. (1997). Case advocacy in child welfare. *Social Work*, 42(4), 392-402.
22. Petr, C. G., & Allen, R. I. (1997). Family-centered professional behaviors: Frequency and importance to families. *Journal of Emotional and Behavioral Disorders*, 5(4), 196-204.
23. Petr, C. G., & Enrikin, C. (1995). Service system barriers to successful reunification. *Families in Society*, 76(9), 523-532.
24. Petr, C. G., Murdock, B., & Chapin, R. (1995). Home care for children dependent on medical technology: The parent perspective. *Social Work in Health Care*, 21(1), 5-22.
25. Petr, C. G. (1994). An exploratory study of crises that threaten out-of-home placement of children with serious emotional and behavioral disorders. *Families in Society*, 75(4), 195-203.
26. Petr, C. G., & Barney, D. (1993). Reasonable efforts for children with disabilities: The parent perspective. *Social Work*, 38(3), 247-255.
27. Petr, C. G., & Pierpont, J. (1992). Early implementation of legislative children's mental health reform: The Minnesota/Hennepin County experience. *Journal of Mental Health Administration*, 19(2), 195-206.
28. Petr, C. G. (1992). Adultcentrism in practice with children. *Families in Society*, 73(7), 408-416.
29. Petr, C. G. (1991). A consumer-friendly model of implementation. *Administration in Social Work*, 15(3), 67-82.
30. Petr, C. G., & Spano, R. (1990). Evolution of social services for children with emotional disorders. *Social Work*, 35(3), 228-234.
31. Petr, C. G., & Poertner, J. (1989). Protection and advocacy for the mentally ill: New hope for emotionally disturbed children? *Community Mental Health Journal*, 25(2), 156-163.
32. Petr, C. G. (1988). The worker-client relationship: A general systems perspective. *Social Casework*, 69(10), 620-626.

## **Non-Reviewed/Refereed**

### Book Chapters

1. Allen, R., & Petr, C. G. (1996). Towards developing standards and measurements for family-centered practice in family support programs. In G. Singer, L. Powers, & A. Olson (Eds.), *Redefining family support: Innovations in public-private partnerships* (pp. 57-86). Baltimore: Brookes Publishing.

### Book Reviews

1. Petr, C. G. (1996). [Review of the book *Supporting and strengthening families (vol. 1)*]. *Social Work, 41*(5), 562-563.
2. Petr, C. G. (1996). [Review of the book *Working with families*]. *Social Work, 41*(5), 562-563.

### Books

1. Petr, C. G. (Ed.). (2009). *Multidimensional evidence based practice: Synthesizing knowledge, research, and values*. New York and London: Routledge Taylor and Francis.
2. Petr, C. G. (2004). *Social work with children and their families* (2nd ed.). New York: Oxford University Press.
3. Petr, C. G. (2003). *Building family-school partnerships: A primer for educators*. Lanham, MD: Scarecrow Education Press.
4. Petr, C. G. (1998). *Social work with children and their families: Pragmatic foundations*. New York: Oxford University Press.

### Encyclopedia Entry

1. Petr, C. G. (1999). Family-centered practice. In C. Smith (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of parenting*. Greenwood Press/Plenum Publishers.
2. Petr, C. G. (1995). Foster parenting. In D. Levinson (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of marriage and the family* (pp. 313-314). New York: Macmillan.

### Journal Articles

1. Harrington, D., Black, B., Cunningham-Williams, R., & Bentley, K. (2013). Quality guidelines for social work PhD programs. *Research on Social Work Practice, XX*(X), 1-6. (Invited)

### Manuals

1. Allen, R. I., Petr, C. G., & Brown, B. F. C. (1995). *Family centered behavior scale and user's manual*. Lawrence, KS: University of Kansas, Beach Center on Families and Disability.

2. Petr, C. G., Entrikin, C., & Kuhn, L. (1993). *Reunification training manual*. Lawrence, KS: University of Kansas, School of Social Welfare.

#### Monographs

1. Petr, C. G. (in press). Helping professionals and programs become more family-centered. In *Focal Point: A National Bulletin on Family Support and Children's Mental Health* (Vol. 10, 11).

#### Technical Reports

1. Petr, C. G. (2005). *Transition to adulthood for Kansas youth in foster care: A qualitative study of youth perspectives*. Topeka, KS: Kansas Action for Children.
2. Petr, C. G. (2001). *Building family-school partnerships: A curriculum for Kansas educators*. Topeka, KS: Kansas State Department of Education.
3. Martin, J. S., & Petr, C. G. (1999). *Kansas Consumer Satisfaction Survey: Children's Mental Health*.
4. Petr, C. G., & Entrikin, C. (1993, June). *Final report: Sedgwick County Pilot Reunification Project*. Topeka, KS: Corporation for Change.

#### **Invited Presentations/Lectures**

##### **National**

1. Petr, C. (2015, April 23). *Admission criteria: What Correlates with Success?* 2015 GADE Annual Conference, Lawrence, KS.
2. Petr, C. G. (2013, April). *New Trends in Scholarly Dissemination and Publication: Opportunities for Doctoral Students and Programs*. Group for the Advancement of Doctoral Education in social work (GADE) Annual Conference, Richmond, Virginia.
3. Petr, C. G. (2003, January 31). *Forming partnerships with parents in child welfare*. Albuquerque, NM.
4. Petr, C. G. (2000, April 14). *Combating adultcentrism in child welfare*. Keynote address, Child Welfare in southern Minnesota: Framing our Children's Futures, Minnesota State University, Mankato, MN.
5. Petr, C. G., & Martin, J. (2000, April 7). *Consumer satisfaction: Results and lessons from a statewide survey*. Building on Family Strengths: A National Conference on Research and Services in Support of Children and Their Families, Portland, OR.
6. Petr, C. G. (1997, September 22). *Using the family-centered behavior scale (FCBS) in evaluation of family preservation programs*. Family Preservation Institute, Corpus Christi, TX.
7. Petr, C. G. (1997, July 15). *Using the family-centered behavior scale for evaluation of family preservation in Nevada*. Reno and Las Vegas, NV.



### **State**

1. Petr, C. G. (2005, August 17). *Kansas foster youth: Study of transitions to adulthood*. U.S. Administration on Children and Families, Kansas City, MO.

### **Local**

1. Petr, C. G. (2007, April 20). *Strengths-based practice with families*. Social Work Day, KU School of Social Welfare.
2. Petr, C. G., & Kreider, J. (2005, November 18). *Beyond diagnosis: Monitoring alliance to enhance outcome*. Fall Field Forum, KU School of Social Welfare.
3. Petr, C. G. (2005, September 23). *Strengths perspective in the classroom*. KU School of Social Welfare Faculty Colloquium.

### **Presentations – Other Levels**

1. Petr, C. G. (2005, August 27). *Mental health needs of children in care*. KU Child Welfare Scholars Program.
2. Petr, C. G. (2005, July 15). *Foster youth transitioning to adulthood*. Kansas Child Quality Oversight Committee, Topeka, KS.
3. Petr, C. G. (2005, April 6). *Overview of the American child welfare system*. Presentation to visiting students and faculty from University of Costa Rica, Lawrence, KS.

### **Presentations/Lectures**

#### **Reviewed/Refereed**

#### **National**

1. Petr, C. G., Harrington, D., & Kyoungmo, K. (2014, October 25). *Quality Indicators and Expected Outcomes for Social Work PhD Programs*. Annual Program Meeting, Council on Social Work Education, Tampa, FL.

#### **Presentations – Other Levels**

1. Petr, C. G., Padgett, D., Gilgun, J. F., Littell, J., & Soydan, H. (2009, January 16). *A frank (and friendly) dialogue about evidence based practice*. Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA.
2. Petr, C. G. (2008, October 30). *Multidimensional evidence based practice*. Pre-conference Faculty Development Institute (half day), Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting, Philadelphia, PA.
3. Walter, U., & Petr, C. G. (2006, August 1). *Best practices inquiry: A multidimensional approach to evidence-based practice*. International Federation of Social Workers, World Conference, Munich, Germany.

4. Petr, C. G. (1997, November). *The Kansas youth satisfaction survey*. Panel presentation, 9th Annual Conference: Federation of Families for Children's Mental Health, Washington, DC.
5. Petr, C. G. (1995, March 6). *The family-centered service delivery scale*. Poster presentation, 8th Annual Research Conference: A System of Care for Children's Mental Health, Tampa, FL.
6. Allen, R., & Petr, C. G. (1994, April 10). *Towards developing standards and measurements for family centered practice*. Building on Family Strengths: A National Conference on Research, Advocacy and Partnership in Support of Children and Their Families, Portland, OR.
7. Petr, C. G. (1993). *Overcoming barriers to reunification*. Poster presentation, National Association of Social Workers Annual Conference, Orlando, FL.
8. Petr, C. G., & Murdock, B. (1992, March). *Home care for technology dependent children: The parent perspective*. Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)/Annual Program Meeting (APM), Kansas City, MO.
9. Petr, C. G. (1990, March). *Combating adultcentrism in social work education*. (CSWE)/(APM), Reno, NV.
10. Poertner, J., & Petr, C. G. (1990, March). *Understanding and influencing policy implementation: A model for social work practice*. CSWE/APM, Reno, NV.
11. Petr, C. G. (1989, March). *Historical and philosophical foundations for a process approach to social work practice*. Council on Social Work Education's Annual Program Meeting, Chicago, IL.
12. Petr, C. G. (1988, February). *Protection and advocacy for the mentally ill: New hope for emotionally disturbed children?* Poster presentation, National Conference on Children's Mental Health Service and Policy: Building a Research Base, Florida Mental Health Institute, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL.

## **Honors/Awards/Honor Societies**

### Individual Honor/Award

Statland Award for Excellence in Research and Scholarship in the School of Social Welfare.  
(May 2009)

Senior Administrative Fellow, Provost Office, University of Kansas. (2007 - 2008)

Budig Award for Excellence in Teaching in the School of Social Welfare. (May 2008)

Budig Award for Excellence in Teaching in the School of Social Welfare. (May 2002)

Excellence in Teaching Award, KU Center for Teaching Excellence. (May 2001)

Chancellor's Teaching Award, for Excellence in Teaching in School of Social Welfare. (1996)

Outstanding Faculty Award, KU School of Social Welfare Alumni Society. (1994)

### **Teaching Key Words**

professional issues; preparation for teaching social work; best practices; evidence based practice; children and families

### **Licensures, Certifications, and Professional Training**

Kansas

### **Dissertation/Thesis Supervision**

University of Kansas

Dissertation Committee Chair  
Rebecca Gillam 2014

### **KU Courses Taught**

Spring 2017

SW 623-53953, Seminar in Professional Issues  
SW 623-56043, Seminar in Professional Issues

Spring 2016

SW 623-57334, Seminar in Professional Issues

Spring 2015

SW 623-54728, Seminar in Professional Issues

### **Summary List of Courses Taught**

University of Kansas

Doctoral Level

Teaching Social Work in Higher Education (2007, 2008, 2010)  
Methods of Inquiry for Discovering & Integrating Best Practices (2001-2007)  
Community Mental Health Policy (1991)

Master's Level

Social Work in Child and Family Settings (1990-present)  
Clinical Social Work Practice I (1987-2005)  
Advanced Clinical Social Work Practice II (1987-2001)  
Social Work with Male Clients (1998-2001)  
Social Work with Children and Adolescents (1989, 1992-1997)  
Crisis Intervention (1988)

Undergraduate Level

Professional Issues [senior level] (2006, 2008, 2009)  
Social Work Practice [senior level] (1985-1987)

## Professional Service

National

### Other Professional Service

Associate Editor

*Families in Society* Consulting Editor, 1989 - Present; Editorial Board Member, 2009 - Present; Associate Editor, 2010 - Present. (2010 - 2013)

Charter Member

Federation of Families for Children's Mental Health (1989 - 1992)

Member

CSWE Committee to Explore Issues Related to Accreditation of Professional DSW Programs (2014 - Present)

National Board of Directors

Federation of Families for Children's Mental Health (1989 - 1992)

Steering Committee Member

Group for the Advancement of Doctoral Education in Social Work (GADE) Set policy and serve on committees. (2012 - 2015)

Task Force Chair

Group for the Advancement of Doctoral Education in Social Work (GADE) (2012 - 2013)

Service-Other Levels

### Other Professional Service

Co-Chair

Task Force to Revise Doctoral Program Guidelines, Group for the Advancement of Doctoral Education in Social Work (2013)

Douglas County Success by Six Coalition Steering Committee and Board of Directors (2002 - 2007)

Editorial Advisory Board Member

*Journal of Society of Social Work and Research (online)* (2010 - Present)

Member

Citizen (Foster Care) Review Board, Douglas County, Kansas (1997 - 2014)

Douglas County Success by Six Coalition Steering Committee and Board of Directors (2001 - 2010)

Kansas Governor's Planning Commission on Mental Health, Children's Subcommittee (2006 - 2009)

Project Steering Committee, The Future of State Mental Hospitals, SRS Division of Health Care Policy (2003)  
Statewide Children's Hospital Committee, Kansas Social and Rehabilitation Services (2002)

## **University Service**

### University of Kansas

#### Committee Chair

Dean's Search Committee (2005 - 2006)  
Dean's Review Committee (1998)

#### Faculty Senator

Committee on Faculty Compensation (1998 - 1999)  
Ad Hoc Committee on Faculty Benefits (1995)

#### Member

Graduate Funding Innovations Subcommittee of Doctoral Education Workgroup (September 2014 - Present)  
KU Academic Assessment Committee (UAAC) (2013 - Present)  
Search Committee, Dean of School of Social Welfare (May 2014 - January 2015)  
KU Doctoral Education Work Group (2012)  
Social Work Search Committee, Counseling and Psychological Services, Watkins Health Center (2001)  
Dean's Review Committee (1993)  
First Level Review Committee, General Research Fund (1991)

Program Evaluator, Self Graduate Fellowship Program  
(September 2014 - June 2015)

## **School Service**

### University of Kansas

#### Committee Chair

School of Social Welfare, Faculty Executive Committee. Elected. (2008 - 2009)  
School of Social Welfare, Ph.D. Policy-Practice Committee (2005 - 2007)  
School of Social Welfare, Clinical Concentration Committee (2002 - 2005)  
School of Social Welfare, Faculty Executive Committee. Elected. (1999 - 2002)  
School of Social Welfare, Committee on Substantive Courses (1993 - 2001)

#### Committee Member

Faculty Executive committee (elected) (August 15, 2013 - Present)  
Promotion and Tenure Committee (elected) (August 15, 2014 - August 15, 2015)

#### Member

School of Social Welfare, Doctoral Admissions Committee (2005 - Present)  
School of Social Welfare, Faculty Search Committee. Elected. (2005 - 2008)  
School of Social Welfare, Ph.D. Policy-Practice Committee (2001 - 2008)  
School of Social Welfare, M.S.W. Program Committee (2002 - 2005)  
School of Social Welfare, Clinical Practice Committee (1988 - 2005)

School of Social Welfare, Ph.D. Program Committee. Elected. (2002 - 2004)  
School of Social Welfare, Promotion, Retention, and Tenure Committee. Elected. (Spring 2004)  
School of Social Welfare, Promotion, Retention, and Tenure Committee. Elected. (2001 - 2002)  
School of Social Welfare, Faculty Executive Committee (1991 - 2002)  
School of Social Welfare, Promotion, Retention, and Tenure Committee. Elected. (1994 - 1997)  
School of Social Welfare, Doctoral Admissions Committee (1992 - 1997)  
School of Social Welfare, Faculty Search Committee. Elected. (1990 - 1992)

### **Professional Memberships**

(SSWR)

Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)

Group for the Advancement of Doctoral Education in Social work