

PERSONAL

Military spouse, United States Coast Guard, 2005 – Present
Spanish Language, Advanced Conversational Level

EDUCATION/LICENSURE

Licensed Master Social Worker, AL #4781G
Masters of Social Work, University of New Hampshire, 2019
Bachelor of Arts, African American Studies, University of Virginia, 2001

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Clinical Social Worker, Sunshine Behavioral Health
Fairhope, AL
March 2020 – Present

- Utilizes telehealth to support families during COVID-19 pandemic
- Implements effective clinical interventions via telehealth
- Utilizes adventure therapy for teens and young adults when appropriate

Staff Development & Team Building Facilitator, Nature Connect Alabama
Fairhope, AL
Aug 2019 – Present

- Supervises program staff during camps & programs
- Develops customized training & team-building programs for staff and community groups
- Designs camp curriculum for various ages

Clinical Social Worker, Morris Pediatric Counseling
Daphne, AL
Sep 2019 – Jan 2020

- Psychotherapy for children (ages 2-19) and their families
- Specializes in ADHD, trauma, and problematic sexual behavior
- Works with TDI certified therapy dog, Poppy

Graduate Research Assistant, University of New Hampshire,
Aug 2018 – May 2019

- Assisted Dr. Jerry Marx, MSW in macro social work research
- Conducted and summarized interviews of individuals
- Prepared analysis of research for publication

Clinical Intern, Bayside Behavioral Health Center
Robertsdale, AL
Aug 2018 – May 2019

- Conducted intakes assessments of children (ages 2-19) and their families
- Developed treatment plans with appropriate clinical interventions
- Implemented clinical interventions, including adventure and play therapy techniques

Sarah Bogdanovich, LMSW

CPS/Foster Care Intern, Department of Human Services, Arlington County
Arlington, VA

Aug 2017 – Apr 2018

- Conducted pre-assessments and home studies of potential foster families
- Conducted interviews and home visits related to cases of child abuse & neglect
- Developed strategies for foster family recruitment using research and best practices

Challenge Course Facilitator, EDGE, George Mason University
Manassas, VA

Aug 2016 – Present

- Lead groups of participants through experiential learning and ropes course
- Developed customized team-building programs for families
- Created recreational activities for groups of varying ages and abilities

Director of Corporate Relations, American Cancer Society, Hawaii Pacific Region
Honolulu, HI

Aug 2006 – Oct 2007

- Identified and initiated successful corporate partnerships
- Educated the community about cancer prevention & early detection

Manager, Response & Preparedness, American Red Cross, Hawaii State Chapter
Honolulu, HI

Dec 2004 – Aug 2006

- Managed three full-time paid staff on Oahu, Maui, and Big Island
- Successfully administered \$25,000 grant following Hurricane Katrina

Education Specialist, The Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse – Coastal Bend
Corpus Christi, TX

Jan 2004 – Apr 2004

- Facilitated Families and Schools Together (F.A.S.T.) Program
- Managed Prevention Resource Center

Program Assistant, National Conference for Community and Justice (NCCJ)
Corpus Christi, TX

Oct 2003 – Jan 2004

- Facilitated over 15 diversity workshops for students, teachers, and community members
- Edited new program curricula for content and form

Coordinator, Volunteer & Youth Resources, American Red Cross, Greater Miami Chapter;
Miami, FL

Apr 2001 – Feb 2003

- Managed recruitment, orientation, training, and retention of potential volunteers
- Planned and directed 4-day leadership conference for 50 teen leaders

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Board Member, Fairhope Unitarian Fellowship
Fairhope, AL
Dec 2000 – Present

Founder & President, Founders District Neighborhood Association
Fairhope, AL
Aug 2018 - Present

Chair, Multicultural Night, Glebe Elementary School
Arlington, VA
Feb 2016 – Feb 2018

Membership Coordinator, Waverly Hills Civic Association
Arlington, VA
Jun 2016 – Jun 2018

Facilitator, Parenting Group Unitarian Universalist Church
Monterey, CA
Jun 2014- Dec 2015

Group Leader & Facilitator, Mothers' Morning, Westminster Presbyterian
Saint Petersburg, FL
Sep 2010- Dec 2012

Group Leader & Facilitator, Baby Hui Hawaii
Honolulu, HI
Oct 2008 – Feb 2009

Disaster Response Volunteer; American Red Cross
- Disaster Response 168 - Northeast Arizona Wildfires 2003
- Disaster Response 017 - Hurricane Ivan as Kitchen Manager 2004

Camp Counselor & Facilitator; ANYTOWN program, NCCJ Alabama
Birmingham, AL
Jun 1997-1999

Sister City Society Representative for Mobile, Alabama
Rostov, USSR – 1991
Havana, Cuba – 1994, 2000
Managua, Nicaragua – 2001