

**CURRICULUM VITAE**  
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**EDUCATION**

- 2005      **Doctor of Philosophy** in Counselor Education  
*CACREP Accredited Doctoral Program*  
University of North Texas, Denton, TX
- 2000      **Master of Education** in Counseling  
*CACREP Accredited Master's Program*  
University of North Texas, Denton, TX
- 1997      **Bachelor of Arts** in Psychology  
University of North Texas, Denton, TX

**PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION**

**Licensed Professional Counselor-Supervisor, Texas** License # 2194  
**Licensed Professional Counselor, Texas** License # 18255  
**Quality Matters Certified Online Instructor**

**PROFESSIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE**

- 8/08-present      **Lecturer (non-tenure track)**  
Department of Dispute Resolution and Counseling  
Southern Methodist University, Plano, Texas
- 8/06-present      **Adjunct Instructor**  
Department of Counseling, Development, and Higher Education  
University of North Texas, Denton and Dallas, Texas campuses
- 3/03-1/15      **Licensed Professional Counselor-Supervisor**  
Private practice, McKinney, TX
- 8/05-8/07      **Lecturer (non-tenure track)**  
Department of Counseling, Development, and Higher Education  
University of North Texas, Denton and Dallas Texas campuses
- 6/04-8/05      **School Counselor (Head counselor)**  
Universal Academy LTTS Charter School  
Flower Mound and Irving, TX campuses
- 1/ 04- 5/04      **Adjunct Instructor**  
Department of Family Services, Early Childhood, and Education  
University of North Texas, Denton, Texas
- Hired to fill in for a professor on emergency leave
  - DFSECE 4233 Guidance in Child and Youth

- DFSECE 1013 Lifespan Development
- 3/01-12/03      **Teaching Assistant//Supervisor/Distance Learning Coordinator**  
 Department of Counseling, Development, and Higher Education  
 University of North Texas, Denton and Dallas Texas campuses  
 Supervisors: Jan Holden, Ed.D., and E. Doug Norton, Ed.D.
- COUN 5680 Basic Counseling Skills
  - COUN 5660 Advanced Counseling Skills Pre-Practicum
  - COUN 5690 Practicum in Counseling
  - COUN 5710 Counseling Theories- Sections 1, 2, & 3- Distance Learning
  - DFSECE 1013 Human Development
- 8/02-1/04      **Neurofeedback Intern**  
 Department of Rehabilitation, Social Work, and Addictions  
 Neurofeedback Therapy Laboratory, University of North Texas, Denton, TX  
 Supervisor: Genie Bodenhamer-Davis, Ph.D.
- 8/02-5/03      **Doctoral Intern**  
 Child and Family Resource Center, Denton, TX  
 Supervisor: Sue Bratton, Ph.D., LPC
- 6/02-6/03      **Biofeedback Intern**  
 Biofeedback Laboratory, Denton, TX  
 Supervisor: Cindy Chandler, Ed.D.
- 8/01-5/02      **Doctoral Practicum Counselor**  
 Counseling and Human Development Center, Denton, TX  
 Supervisor: Dee Ray, Ph.D., LPC
- 1/01- 3/03      **Licensed Professional Counselor Intern**  
 Private practice, Denton, TX  
 Supervisor: Annetta Ramsay, Ph.D., LPC-S
- 6/00-12/00      **Graduate Counselor Intern**  
 Denton County Friends of the Family  
 Denton, TX; Lewisville, TX
- 10/99- 11/00      **Group Counseling Intern**  
 Denton County Detention Facility, Denton, TX  
 Supervisor: Robert Berg, Ed.D.

**TEACHING AND SUPERVISION EXPERIENCE**

- COUN 5480 Diagnosis in Counseling
- COUN 5730 Appraisal in Adult Counseling
- COUN 5760 Child and Adolescent Appraisal
- COUN 4610 Appraisal Techniques in Counseling
- COUN 5710 Counseling Theories
- COUN 5200 Counseling Adolescents
- COUN 5470 Career Development
- COUN 5580 Family Counseling
- COUN 5590 Couple Counseling
- COUN 5790 Cultural Diversity
- COUN 5290 Ethical, Legal, and Professional Issues in Counseling
- COUN 5740 Group Counseling
- COUN 5680 Basic Counseling Skills

- COUN 5660 Advanced Counseling Skills
- COUN 5690 Practicum
- COUN 5720, 5721 Internship I & II
- COUN 5300 Systems, Leadership, and Program Development
- DFSECE 4233 Guidance in Child and Youth
- DFSECE 1013 Lifespan Development
- HDCN 6330 Psychopathology
- HDCN 6302 Counseling Methods: Individual
- HDCN 6305 Advanced Counseling Methods: Individual
- HDCN 6303 Counseling Methods: Group
- HDCN 6306 Advanced Counseling Methods: Group
- HDCN 6304 Group Personal Growth Lab

## **PUBLICATIONS**

McCortney, A., & Engels, D. (2003). Revisiting the American work ethic. *Career Development Quarterly* 52(2), 132-140.

## **SCHOLARSHIP IN PROCESS**

McCortney, A. *Millennials: American work ethic in the 21st century*. Manuscript submitted for publication.

McCortney, A. *Millennials' attitudes toward clinical supervision*. Manuscript in preparation.

## **UNPUBLISHED RESEARCH**

McCortney, A. (2005). *Quality of work environment for counselor education faculty: Personal and vocational factors*. Unpublished doctoral dissertation, University of North Texas, Denton, Texas.

Harris, H., & McCortney, A. *Interracial dating and marriage attitudes in university undergraduate students*. University of North Texas, Denton, Texas.

Dixon, P., & McCortney, A. *Developmental issues related to the college freshman year experience*. University of North Texas, Denton, Texas.

## **INVITED REVIEWS**

McCortney, A. (2012). [Review of the book *Essentials of Intentional Interviewing*, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed., by Ivey, A., Ivey, M.B., Zalaquett, C.P., & Quirk, K]. Belmont, CA: Brooks/Cole.

## **PRESENTATIONS**

McCortney, A. (Quarterly). *Using APA Style (Correctly)*. Guest lecturer, Southern Methodist University at Plano, by invitation, Plano, TX.

McCortney, A. (November, 2011). *Building Successful Private Practices for Counselors*. Guest lecturer, Graduate Student Counseling Association workshop, University of North Texas at Dallas, by invitation, Dallas, TX.

McCortney, A. (June, 2010). *Childhood Precursors to Eating Disorders*. Guest lecturer, Southern Methodist University at Plano, HDCN 6340 Assessment, by invitation, Plano, TX.

McCortney, A. (June, 2008). *Blending Theories and Basic Skills: Adlerian Theory Demonstration*. Guest lecturer, Southern Methodist University, by invitation, Plano, TX

- McCortney, A. (September, 2006). *Building Successful Private Practices for Counselors*. Guest lecturer, Chi Sigma Iota workshop series, University of North Texas, by invitation, Denton, TX
- McCortney, A., & Hupfeld, K. (October, 2005). *Art Therapy: Maximizing Creativity in Supervision and Clinical Intervention*. Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Annual Conference, Pittsburgh, PA.
- McCortney, A. (March, 2005). *Treating Eating Disorders on Campus*. Guest lecturer, COUN 5690, Advanced Practicum, University of North Texas, by invitation, Denton, TX
- McCortney, A. & DeKuehne, J. (January, 2005). *Self-Mutilation: What School Counselors Need to Know*. Lewisville Independent School District Staff Development, by invitation, Lewisville, TX.
- McCortney, A., Smith, M., Nguyen, T., & Brew, L. (October, 2004). *Creative Use of Sandtray in Supervision*. Western Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Conference, Sacramento, CA.
- McCortney, A. (July, 2004). *Neurotherapy: Brainwaves and Cognitive Disorders*. Guest lecturer, COUN 5480 Psychopathology, by invitation, Denton, TX.
- McCortney, A. (March, 2004). *Eating Disorder Recovery and the Therapeutic Relationship*. Guest lecturer, COUN 5300 Community Agency Counseling, by invitation, Denton, TX.
- McCortney, A. (February, 2004). *Treatment Modalities of Eating Disorders*. Guest lecturer, COUN 5300 Community Agency Counseling, by invitation, Denton, TX.
- McCortney, A. (February, 2004). *Holistic Wellness: Healing Body and Mind*. Guest lecturer, City of Denton Northlakes Recreation Center Wellness Fair, Denton, TX.
- Allen, E., & McCortney, A. (November, 2003). *Principles of Biofeedback: Stress Management for Therapists*. Texas Counseling Association Annual Conference, Galveston, TX.
- Allen, E., & McCortney, A. (November, 2003). *Biofeedback: A Viable Adjunct to Individual Therapy*. Texas Counseling Association Annual Conference, by invitation, Galveston, TX. Poster presentation.
- Kidron, M., & McCortney, A. (November, 2003). *Innovative Supervision: Using Sand-Tray With School Counselors*. Texas Counseling Association Annual Conference, Galveston, TX.
- McCortney, A., & Allen, E. (April, 2003). *Alternative Therapies: Biofeedback for Wellness*. Texas Southwestern Medical Alternative Therapies Training, by invitation, Dallas, TX.
- McCortney, A. (February, 2003). *Adlerian Strategies in Group Counseling*. Guest lecturer, COUN 3640 Group Counseling in Helping Relationships, by invitation, Denton, TX.
- McCortney, A., Allen, E., & Shiau, S. (February, 2003). *Biofeedback for Wellness*. Texas Christian University Health and Wellness Fair, by invitation, Forth Worth, TX.
- Chandler, C., McCortney, A., & Altekruise, M. (October, 2002). *The Quality of Work Environment for Women Faculty*. Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Annual Conference, Park City, UT.

## HONORS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

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| 2002      | Texas Counseling Association Graduate Student Outstanding Research Award |
| 2001-2004 | \$16,000 Robert B. Toulouse Graduate Studies Scholar Fellowship          |

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND ACTIVITIES**

2002-present	Association for Counselor Education and Supervision, Professional Member
2002-present	American Counseling Association, Professional Member
2004-2007	Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi
2000-2007	Chi Sigma Iota, Counseling and Academic Professional Honor Society International
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2004-2005 Rho Kappa Chapter Faculty Mentor</li> <li>• 2002-2004 Rho Kappa Chapter Treasurer</li> <li>• 2002-2004 Rho Kappa Chapter Doctoral Mentor</li> <li>• 2001-2004 Rho Kappa Chapter Master's Mentoring Program Coordinator</li> <li>• 2001-2004 Rho Kappa Chapter Master's Mentor</li> <li>• 2001-2002 Rho Kappa Chapter President</li> <li>• 2000 Rho Kappa Chapter President-Elect</li> <li>• 2000 Rho Kappa Chapter Nominations and Elections Committee Chair</li> </ul>
1990, 1996	National Dean's List, Texas Tech University, University of North Texas
1988-1989	Speakers Bureau, Ambassador for the College of Arts and Sciences, Texas Tech University

**PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES**

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