

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

Sam Houston State University	Counselor Education (CACREP, GPA 4.0)	Ph.D.	2015
University of North Texas, Denton	Counseling (CACREP)	ME.d.	2010
Providence University, Taiwan	English Literature, Major: Linguistics	B.A.	1995
Chih Lee Junior Business College	Business Administration	Graduated	1992

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS (Certification Date: mm/dd/Year)

Field Supervisor Coaching, by TEA T-Tess	(08/17/2017)
Distance Education, by TAMUK	(11/29/2016)
Certified Humanistic Sandtray Therapist, by Sandtray Therapy Institute	(02/18/2016)
National Certified Counselor #335200,	(02/10/2014, Expiration: 09/30/2019)
Licensed Professional Counselor, #71927,	(01/08/2014, Expiration: 09/30/2021)
Counseling Certificate, by Wesley Counseling Center, Taipei	(06/12/ 2006)
Christian Counseling Certificate, by Wesley Counseling Center, Taipei	(12/16/2002)

PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING EXPERIENCES

LPC	Private Practice	2019-present
Caseworker	Raven School (residential school for CPS & adjudicated youths)	2014-2016
Clinician	Raven School/Gulf Coast Trades Center	2011-2014
Clinician	Dr. Jack Staggs Counseling Clinic	2011-2016
Clinician	Steve Barns & Associates Counseling, Denton Bible Church	2010-2011
Clinician	Good Samaritan Society (Alzheimer residential patients), Denton	2010
Clinician	Denton County Adult Detention Center	2009-2010

EMPLOYMENT IN ACADEMIA IN THE USA

Assistant Professor	Texas A&M University-Kingsville	Aug. 2016-Present
Adult Education Coordinator	Texas A&M University-Kingsville	Jan. 2018-Aug. 2019
Lecturer	Sam Houston State University	Jan. 2015-Aug. 2016
Caseworker	Raven School, New Waverley	Jul. 2014-Jun. 2016
Doctoral Research Assistant	Sam Houston State University	Jun. 2011-May 2015
Graduate Research Assistant	Teach North Texas, UNT, Denton	2008-2009

EMPLOYMENT IN TAIWAN

Executive Secretary to President - Taiwan Rhema Pastoral Psychology Graduate School	2007
Secretary to Vice President of HR Division - New Century Tech. www.Sparq.com.tw	2005-2006
Secretary to President - Interserv Inc. www.interserv.com.tw	2004-2005
Secretary, Jones Day Law firm - Taipei Office www.jonesday.com	1999-2004
Overseas Medical Emergency Coordinator - GESA axaxl.com/insurance/global/asia-pacific/taiwan	1998-1999
Staff, TransAsia Airway - Taipei office www.tna.com.tw	1995-1996
English Teacher - Sesame Street, Qingshui Dist, Taichung www.sesamevillage.tw	1993-1995
English Tutor - Joy Children's English school, Taipei www.je.joy.com.tw	1989-1991

GRADUATE COURSES DEVELOPED AND TAUGHT AT TAMUK

Summer 2019

Professional Orientation & Ethical Practice	Online	EDCG 5310_600_201930
Assessment	Online	EDCG 5324_600_201930
Diagnosis in Counseling	Online	EDCG 5341_601_T: 201930

Spring 2019

Field Practicum for Counselors	Hybrid	EDCG5357_901_201920
Theories of Counseling	Online	EDCG 5311_600_201920
Diagnosis (develop a brand new course)	Online	EDCG 5341_601_T: 201920
Professional Orientation & Ethical Practice	Online	EDCG 5310_600_201920

Fall 2018

Field Practicum for Counselors	Hybrid	EDCG5357_901_201910
Theories of Counseling	Online	EDCG 5311_600_201910
Assessment	Online	EDCG 5324_600_201910
Professional Orientation & Ethical Practice	Online	EDCG 5310_600_201910

Summer 2018

Counseling Culturally Differences	Hybrid	EDCG5347_801_201830
Legal Issues in Counseling	Online	EDCG5315_600_201830
Theories of Counseling	Online	EDCG5311_600_201830
Assessment	Online	EDCG 5324_600_201830

Spring 2018

Theories of Counseling	Online	EDCG 5311_600_201820
Assessment	Online	EDCG 5324_600_201820
Professional Orientation & Ethical Practice	Online	EDCG 5310_600_201820

Fall 2017

Theories of Counseling	Online	EDCG 5311_600_201810
Assessment	Online	EDCG 5324_600_201810
Ethics and Legal Issues in Counseling	Online	EDCG 5315_600_201810

Summer 2017

Assessment	Online	EDCG 5324_600_201730
Legal Issues in Counseling	Online	EDCG 5315_600_201730
Theories of Counseling	Online	EDCG5311_601_201730
Counseling Culturally Differences	Hybrid	EDCG5347_901_201730

Spring 2017

Theories of Counseling	Online	EDCG 5311_600_20861
Assessment	Online	EDCG 5324_600_20863
Professional Orientation & Ethical Practice	Online	EDCG 5310_600_20860

Fall 2016

Theories of Counseling	Online	EDCG 5311_600_201710
Assessment	Online	EDCG 5324_600_201710
Mats and Tech for Career Education	Hybrid	EDCG 5355_900_201710

GRADUATE COURSES TAUGHT AT SAM HOUSTON STATE UNIVERSITY (SHSU)

Summer 2013 Community Counseling, Face-to-face, COUN 5393

UNDERGRADUATE COURSES TAUGHT AT SHSU

Summer 2016 Abnormal Behavior, Online, COUN 4088-01

Fall 2015 Abnormal Behavior, Online, COUN 4088-01& COUN 4088-02

Spring 2015 Introduction to Helping Relationship, Face-to-face, COUN 3321

TRIADIC SUPERVISION AND PRACTICUM CLASS SUPERVISION AT SHSU:

Spring 2015, Fall 2014, Summer 2014, Spring 2014, Fall 2013, Summer 2013, Spring 2013, Fall 2012, Summer 2012, Spring 2012, Fall 2011: Provide triadic supervision and supervise students to counsel clients at Jack Staggs Counseling Clinic for Field Practicum (COUN 6386)

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed National Articles

- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, Hall, K., Fedynich, L., Gonzalez, M., Barrington, R., & Johnson, C. (2019). Holistic cancer support program in rural area, *Journal of Education and Social Development*, 3(2), 14-21. doi: 10.5281/zenodo.3371708.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, Fedynich, L., & Henriksen R. C. (2019). Rural mental health: Correctional suicide prevention, *American Journal of Advanced Research*, 3(1), 1-5. doi: 10.5281/zenodo.3264020
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, Hall, K., Fedynich, L., Barrington, R., Gonzalez, M., & Tu, M. (2019). Rural health: A longitudinal study of anxiety and cancer support, *National FORUM Journal of Counseling and Addiction*, 8(1), 1-8.
- Henriksen, R. C., Jr., Henderson, S. E., **Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, Watts, R. E., & Marks, D. F. (2019). Counselor supervision: A comparison across states and jurisdictions. *Journal of Counseling & Development*, 97(2), 160–170. doi: 10.1002/jcad.12247
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, Jones, D., & Robles-Pina, R. (2018). College students' GPA: Using a large dataset, *Journal of Education and Social Development*, 2(2), 77-81. doi: 10.5281/zenodo.2526429
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, (2018). Rural mental health: Marginalization of Chinese immigrant wives in the United States. *National FORUM of Multicultural Issues Journal*, 15(1), 1-8.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, Jones, D., & Robles-Pina, R. (2018). Ethnic and gender stereotypes on college students' academic performance, *Research in Higher Education Journal*, 35, 1-12.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, & Jones, D., (2018). Chinese and Taiwanese immigrant wives' assimilation in the United States, *Journal of International Business and Cultural Studies*, 11, 1-8.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, & Bain, S. (2017). Exploring Chinese and Taiwanese wives' acculturation process in the United States. *National FORUM of Multicultural Issues Journal*, 14(1), 1-10.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, La Guardia, A., Furgerson, K., & Boswell J. (2017). Wellness of immigrant Chinese and Taiwanese wives in the United States. *Counseling & Wellness Journal*, 6, 1-35.
- Deng, F., **Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, La Guardia, A., & Sun, H. (2016). Cancer support program for Chinese immigrant breast cancer survivors. *Professional Issues in Counseling, Winter Issues*, 15(1), 1-19.
- Henderson, S. E., Henriksen, R. C., Jr., **Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, & Marks, D. F. (2016). Counselor licensure supervision across the United States: A comparative look. *VISTAS Online (Sponsored by the American Counseling Association)*, 9, 1-10.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, Butler, Y. J., & Nichter, M. (2015). Counseling Latino Christians in Costa Rica and the United States. *Professional Issues in Counseling*, 14(1), 1-13.

Refereed Regional Newsletters

- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, Fedynich, L., Gonzalez, M., & Barrington, M. (2018). Rural mental health: Connect professionals in facilitating community cancer support group. *Southern Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Newsletter (Summer Issue)*, 21-22.
- Garza, K., Furgerson, K., & **Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)** (2018). Advocacy for school safety and mental health intervention. *Southern Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Newsletter (Spring Issue)*, 14-15.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, Furgerson, K., & Garza, K. (2017). Equip counseling students' competence through ACA Code of Ethics. *Southern Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Newsletter (Spring Issue)*, 7-8.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

International Presentations with CEU Credits Offered

- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)** (January 5, 2017). Year 106 professional training and practice for care facilities: Golden 72 hours for children and youth replacement in Texas, Division of Welfare Services for Children and Youth, Taipei City Government.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)** (January 6, 2017). Year 106 professional training and practice for care facilities: Golden 72 hours for children and youth replacement in Texas, Division of Welfare Services for Children and Youth, Taipei City Government.

International Presentations

- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, & Fedynich, L. (March 1, 2019). Rural mental health: Cancer support program, International Conference on Education and Social Development, Houston.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)** (March 1, 2019). Rural mental health: Correctional suicide prevention in Taiwan, International Conference on Social Science, Humanities and Interdisciplinary Studies, Houston.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, Jones, D., & Robles-Piña, R. (April 7, 2018). College students' GPA: Using a large dataset, International Conference on Education and Social Development, Houston.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, & Jones, D. (March 23, 2018). Ethnic and gender stereotypes on college students' academic performance, Academic and Business Research Institute International Conference, San Antonio.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, & Jones, D. (March 23, 2018). Chinese and Taiwanese immigrant wives' assimilation in the United States, Academic and Business Research Institute International Conference, San Antonio.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)** (December 27, 2016). Individualized teaching and coaching strategies: From a holiness perspective of Gestalt therapy, Holy Word Children's Home, Taipei.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)** (May, 2014). Alternative school: Help youth out of troubles, Taipei City Center for Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault, Taipei.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)** (May, 2014). Counselor's perspectives serving in correctional facilities, Graduate School of Psychology and Counseling, University of Taipei.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)** (May, 2014). Correctional officers' stress adjustment towards inmates' stressors: Correctional counseling experiences in Texas, Doctoral Class at Department of Crime Prevention and Corrections, Central Police University, Taiwan.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)** (May, 2014). Clinical and correctional counseling to incarcerated people, Law School, National Taipei University, San Shia.

National Presentations (*) Denotes collaboration with students:

- Liang Y. W. (Melissa)** (September, 2019). Professional networking: Cancer support services and research for survivors and families in a rural community, Association for Assessment and Research in Counseling Annual Conference, Sam Antonio, TX
- * Ruiz, G., Rincon, M., & **Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)** (March, 2019). Rural mental health: Facilitating mental wellness and raising awareness for veterans' battling PTSD, American Counseling, Association Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA. (accepted by ACA, but not presented due to a lack of travel budget)
- Henriksen, R., Henderson, S., & **Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)** (January, 2018). Counselor supervision: A comparison across states and jurisdictions, American Association of State Counseling Boards, San Antonio, TX.
- Bain, S., Furgerson, K., & **Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)** (February, 2017). Ethical challenges for LPCs working in public school settings, National Board for Certified Counselors Law and Ethics in Counseling Conference, New Orleans, LA.

Henriksen, R., Henderson, S., & **Liang Y. W. (Melissa)** (March, 2015). Counselor licensure supervision across the U.S.: A comparative look, American Counseling, Association Annual Conference, Orlando, FL.

Liang, Y. W. (Melissa), & LaGuradia, A. (September, 2013). Exploring Chinese international wives' lived experiences and voicelessness in the U.S., National Assessment and Research Conference, Houston, TX.

State Presentations

Liang Y. W. (Melissa) (November, 2019). Creative counselor education, Texas Counseling Association Professional Growth Conference, Fort Worth (Accepted).

Liang Y. W. (Melissa) (November, 2019). Using sandtray to promote practicum students' awareness and confront barriers, Texas Counseling Association Professional Growth Conference, Dallas (Accepted).

Liang Y. W. (Melissa) (November, 2018). Bullying prevention in rural schools, Texas Counseling Association Professional Growth Conference, Dallas.

Liang, Y. W. (Melissa) (March, 2018). Using creative video clips, cartoons, pictures, and online assessments in Counselor Education, Texas Association for Counselor Education and Supervision 2018 Midwinter conference, Austin.

Liang, Y. W. (Melissa), Garza, K., & Bain, S. (November, 2017). Promote diverse college students' academic success and learning strategies, Texas Counseling Association Professional Growth Conference, Galveston.

Liang, Y. W. (Melissa), Green, M., & Furgerson, K. (November, 2017). Cyber bullying prevention: Syllabus design and awareness promotion, Texas Counseling Association Professional Growth Conference, Galveston.

Garza, K. & **Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)** (November, 2017). Utilizing dialectical behavior therapy in supervision, Texas Counseling Association Professional Growth Conference, Galveston.

Liang, Y. W. (Melissa) (February, 2017). Promote diverse ethnic students' academic performance and learning strategies, 2017 Professional School Counselor Conference, Texas Counseling Association, Arlington.

Liang, Y. W. (Melissa) & Nichter, M. (February, 2016). Adolescent school bullying: Let's prevent bullying on our campus, 2016 Professional School Counselor Conference, Texas Counseling Association, Dallas.

Liang, Y. W. (Melissa), & Deng, F. J. (February, 2014). Cancer support program for Chinese immigrant breast cancer survivors, poster session, 6th annual Medicine and Humanities and Social Sciences Conference, Huntsville.

Liang, Y. W. (Melissa) (February, 2014). Counseling Christians in Costa Rica and the United States, poster session, Christian Counselors of Texas, 32nd Annual Conference, Austin.

Liang, Y. W. (Melissa) (February, 2014). Exploration of respect and competence based on Code of Ethics, CEU workshop (credits for counselors and social workers), Montgomery County Youth Services, The Woodlands.

Liang, Y. W. (Melissa), & Nichter, M. (November, 2013). Will they like me? Addressing ethnic stereotype anxiety on college students' academic performance, Texas Counseling Association Professional Growth Conference, San Antonio.

Liang, Y. W. (Melissa), & Henry, W. (November, 2013). Acting out: Helping incarcerated adolescents out of troubles, Texas Counseling Association Professional Growth Conference, San Antonio.

Liang, Y. W. (Melissa), & Robles-Pina, R. (February, 2013). Ethnicity, gender, and college students' academic performance: Using a large university dataset, Southwest Educational Research Association Conference, San Antonio (Accepted by SERAC).

- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, Nelson, J., Li, C.S., & Lin, Y. F. (November, 2012). Chopsticks or forks? The Chinese population's acculturation stress in the United States, Texas Counseling Association Professional Growth Conference, Galveston.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, La Guardia, A., & Serres, S. (November, 2012). Speechless parrots: Exploring voicelessness of Chinese international wives in the United States, Texas Counseling Association Professional Growth Conference, Galveston.
- Li, C. S., Lin, Y. F., **Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, & Dowda, R. (November, 2012). Asian Americans: Is it really a success story?! Texas Counseling Association Professional Growth Conference, Galveston.

Local Presentations (*) Denotes collaboration with students:

- *Alaniz, K., & **Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**. (May 6, 2019). Explore grieving through Sandtray therapy, 13th Javelina Research Symposium, Texas A&M University-Kingsville.
- *Martinez, K., & **Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**. (September 26, 2018). Advocacy of self-care in professional counselor identity, 12th Javelina Research Symposium, Texas A&M University-Kingsville.
- Liang, Y. W.** (February, 2014). Exploration of respect and competence based on the ACA Code of Ethics (2005), NASW Code of Ethics, and Texas State Board of Examiners of Professional Counselors rules-regulations, Montgomery County Youth Services' CEU Workshop, The Woodlands.
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)** (June, 2013). Speechless parrots: Voicelessness of Chinese women married to U.S. citizens in the U.S., poster session, Association of Chinese American Professionals Science, Engineering & Technology Seminars, Houston.
- Nichter, M., & **Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)** (October, 2012). Cognitive complexity: Helping supervisees think outside-the-box, Supervision CEU Workshop, SHSU, The Woodlands.

Invited Presentations

- Liang Y. W. (Melissa)** (May 3, 2019). Sandtray Therapy, Student Health & Wellness Counseling Services, Texas A&M University-Kingsville.

RESEARCH AND CREATIVE ACTIVITIES

Funded Grants (Total Grant Funding for the period 2018-2019 = \$35,546)

- Ikonomopoulos, J., **Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, Villa, R., & Bain, S. (2019). Amistad: A collaborative approach to wellbeing with the Hidalgo County Sheriff's office \$24,893.40
- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, Tu, M., & Fedynich, L. (February, 2018). Cancer support group, University Research Awards, \$10,653, counts as external funding resources
- PI & Group Facilitator:** Ya-Wen Liang, Ph.D., LPC, NCC, Humanistic Sandtray Therapist
- Group Co-Facilitators:**
 Ming Tu, Ph.D.
 La Vonne Fedynich, Ed.D.
 Rebecca Barrington, MD & FACP
 Mary Gonzalez, BSN, Registered Nurse
 Carol Johnson, Licensed Lymphedema and Physical Therapist
- Henriksen, R. C., Jr., & **Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)** (2011). Multiple heritage transracial adoption children's books: A study of their use. Grants funded by SHSU, College of Education, Research Graduate Student/Faculty Mini-Grant

Grant Proposal Submitted (Not Founded)

- Liang, Y. W. (Melissa)**, & Furgerson, K. (December, 2017). Curricular Service Learning to Women's Shelter of South Texas Kingsville, Student Engagement through Service Learning Grant, amount requested \$7,000-

Liang, Y. W. (Melissa) (May, 2017). Curricular Service Learning to Kleberg County, Student Engagement through Service Learning Grant, amount requested \$7,500-

PROFESSIONAL GROWTH ACTIVITIES

Professional Society Membership

National Associations and Memberships

The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi	2018-present
Association for Counselor Education and Supervision	2015-present
American Counseling Association	2010-present
American Association of Christian Counselors	2012-present
Chi Sigma Iota, Counseling Professional Honor Society International	2008-present
Association for Assessment and Research in Counseling	2017-Aug 2018
Association for Multicultural Counseling and Development	2015-Aug 2018

Regional Association and Membership

Southern Association for Counselor Education and Supervision	2015-present
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State Associations and Memberships

Texas Association for Counselor Education and Supervision	2012-present
Texas Counseling Association	2011-present
Texas Hill Country Counselors Association	2017-present
Gulf Coast Counseling Association	2017-2018
Texas Association for Multicultural Counseling and Development	2012-Aug 2018

University Memberships

Tau Alpha Kappa, TAMUK Chapter of Chi Sigma Iota (CSI)	2016-present
Beta Kappa Tau, Sam Houston State University of CSI	2014-2016
SHSU Chapter of American Association of Christian Counselors	2012-2016
SHSU Taiwanese Student Organization	2011-2016
Rho Kappa, University of North Texas of CSI	2008-2014
UNT Christian Graduate Students Organization	2007-2010

Attendance at Meetings of Professional Societies/Activities

Chapter at TAMUK, The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi	2018-present
Delegate Business Meeting of Chi Sigma Iota international Honor Society 2018	
Chapter Faculty Advisors Training of Chi Sigma Iota	April, 2018
TAMUK Wednesday Seminar Series	2016-present
Tau Alpha Kappa meetings	2016-present
TAMUK New Faculty Investment Friday Program	2016-2018
Beta Kappa Tau meetings	2014-2016
SHSU Chapter of American Association of Christian Counselors	2012-2016
Rho Kappa meetings	2008-2010

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Professional Editorial Services

National Editorial Boards

Reviewer	Journal of Asia Pacific Counseling	2019-present
Reviewer	Journal of Education & Social Development	2018-present
Ad hoc reviewer	Journal of Counselor Leadership & Advocacy	2017-present
Reviewer	Professional Issues in Counseling	2017-present
Editorial Assistant	Professional Issues in Counseling	2011-2015
Reviewer	SAGE Journals	2013
Reviewer	Southwest Educational Research Association	2012
Ad Hoc Reviewer	The Family Journal	2011-2015

State Editorial Boards

Program Reviewer TCA Professional Growth Conference 2014-Present

State Committee

CEU Review Committee Texas Counseling Association 2017-Present

University Committee & Services to University

Faculty Senate Committee Spring 2019-present

Faculty Development Leave Committee Fall 2018-present

IRB Review Committee Alternative Fall 2018-present

Humanities Advisory Board 2017

Dissertation Committees - Member

Francisco Ramirez Educational Leadership & Counseling Spring 2019-present

Gaynell Juarez Educational Leadership & Counseling Spring 2019-present

Marcia Braswell Educational Leadership & Counseling Spring 2019

Dissertation Committees - Graduate Council Representative (GCR)

Juan Lopez Teacher & Bilingual Department Fall 2018-present

Department Committee and Services to Department

Member Search Committee for Educational Administration Lecturer Spring 2019

Assistant Chair Counseling Educator Search Committee 2017-2018

Member EDLC Recruitment Committee 2017-present

Member CACREP Accreditation Committee 2016-present

Program Advisor Clinical Mental Health Counseling Program 2016-present

CMHC Handbook (I initiated and updated CMHC Master's Student Handbook.) 2017-2019

Self-Study (I initiated 133 pages Self-Study for CACREP Accreditation.) 2016-present

University Services

Judge Spirit Window Contest Fall 2018

Facilitator Wednesday Noon Seminar October 24, 2018

Leadership Role in Professional Societies/Organizations

Faculty Sponsor Tau Alpha Kappa Spring 2018-present

Membership Coordinator SHSU Chapter, AACC 2013-2015

Scholarship Committee Beta Kappa Tau 2013

Program Facilitator TCA Annual Professional Conference 2013

President SHSU Chapter, AACC 2012-2013

Registrar TCA Annual Professional Conference 2012

Treasurer SHSU Taiwanese Student Organization 2011-2012

Mentor UNT Learning Center 2008-2010

President UNT Christian Graduate Students 2008-2009

Mentor UNT Multicultural Center 2008-2009

Group Leader International Student Counseling Group Summer 2008

Community Services

Session Chair Education & Social Development Conference 2019

Counseling Provider American Cancer Society 2018-present

Group Facilitator Peterson Regional Medical Center July 2018-April 2019

Volunteer Hospitality House, Huntsville 2013

Volunteer Christmas Stocking, SHSU Chapter, AACC 2012-2015

Volunteer Mercy Heart Inmate Ministry 2010-2011

Committee World Culture at Strickland Middle School 2010

Small Group Leader Tejas International Students Retreat, East Texas 2008

AWARDS AND HONORS RECEIVED

CEHP Outstanding Junior Faculty Award	Texas A&M University-Kingsville	2019
TAMUK University Research Award	Texas A&M University-Kingsville	2018
Excellence Teaching Supervision Award	Sam Houston State University	2015
Excellence Service Award	SHSU Chapter, AACC	2015
Second Place	Medicine, Humanities & Social Sciences Contest	2014
Student Research Project Contest Finalist	Association of Chinese American Professionals	2013

NOMINATIONS

The Board Member-at-Large	Texas Association for Counselor Education & Supervision	2018
Outstanding Teacher Award	Association for Counselor Education and Supervision	2017

SCHOLARSHIPS

Emerging Scholars Honor Program Scholarship, Sam Houston State University (SHSU)	2015
Emerging Scholars Honor Program Scholarship, SHSU	2015
Emerging Scholars Honor Program Scholarship, SHSU	2014
Student Research Scholarship, Medicine, Humanities & Social Sciences Conference	2014
Randy Pollard Family Scholarship	2014
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Scholarship Award, Student Research, Chinese American Professionals conference	2013
The University Center Scholar, SHSU	2013
The University Center Scholar, SHSU	2012
Emerging Scholars Honor Program Scholarship, SHSU	2012
W. Tom Thweatt III Scholarship	2012
International Doctoral Scholarship (Summer), SHSU	2012
International Doctoral Scholarship (Spring), SHSU	2012
Emerging Scholars Honor Program Scholarship, SHSU	2011
Auxiliary Services Scholarship, University of North Texas (UNT)	2009 & 2010
College of Education Scholarship, UNT	2008 - 2010
A. Tennyson Miller and Joe L. Akins Scholarship, UNT	2008 & 2009

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Christian Counseling Training, Denton Bible Church, Supervised by John Henderson, LPC-S, Ph.D.