

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

- Doctorate of Philosophy (Ph.D.)** **May 2019 (Anticipated)**
Counselor Education and Supervision
Waynesburg University
Waynesburg, Pennsylvania
- Master of Science (M.S.)** **May 2014**
Clinical Mental Health Counseling
California University of Pennsylvania
California, Pennsylvania
- Bachelor of Music (B.M.)** **May 2012**
Music Therapy
Seton Hill University
Greensburg, Pennsylvania

LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION

- Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC)** **March 2017-Present**
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs
License Number: PC009571
- Certified Child Life Specialist (CCLS)** **November 2014-Present**
Association of Child Life Professionals
Certification Number: 31591
- Nationally Certified Counselor (NCC)** **October 2014-Present**
National Board of Certified Counselors
Certification Number: 330775

Music Therapist-Board Certified (MT-BC)

Certification Board of Music Therapists
Certification Number: 10368

July 2012-Present**CLINICAL EXPERIENCE**

Anchored Therapies, LLC

Owner/Private Practice Counselor

Provide individual and group services to child, adolescents, and their families. Anchored Therapies focuses on overall wellness and specializes in those dealing with medical trauma, grief and loss, LGBT, and spiritual issues.

March 2017-Present

Pittsburgh, PA

Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC

Certified Child Life Specialist

Provide psychosocial and educational support to patients and families on a Hematology/Oncology, Endocrine, and Adolescent Medicine unit. In addition, provide support to patients with eating disorders who are undergoing medical refeeding.

March 2015-Present

Pittsburgh, PA

Re:solve Crisis Network

Crisis Clinician

Provided individualized crisis counseling primarily via phone. Worked to assess, treat, and plan treatment for multiple populations including drug and alcohol services throughout Allegheny County.

November 2014-March 2015

Pittsburgh, PA

Contracted Music Therapist

Music Therapist-Board Certified

Provided group and individual services to numerous populations from pediatrics through geriatrics. Led psychosocial support groups for individuals and their families facing multiple psychological concerns.

April 2012-January 2015

Washington, PA

TEACHING AND SUPERVISION EXPERIENCE

Waynesburg University**CNS 506: Lifespan Development**

Adjunct Professor for Summer 2017 semester.

CNS 525: Testing and Appraisal

Adjunct Professor in Fall 2017

CNS 546: Psychopathology and Diagnosis

Adjunct Professor for Fall 2017 semester.

CNS 548: Family Counseling and Therapy

Co-taught course in Spring 2017 under the supervision of Dr. James Hepburn

CNS 565: Counseling Practicum

Doctoral student supervisor for Summer 2017 under the supervision of Dr. Brittany Dennis and Dr. Fawn Robinson

PSY 105: Introduction to Psychology

Adjunct Professor in Fall 2016 semester.

PSY 106: Social Psychology

Adjunct Professor in Spring 2017

California University of Pennsylvania

CED 788: Special Topics: Creative Expressive Arts Therapies

Guest Lecturer for Dr. Grafton Eliason (Fall 2014, Spring 2017)

PRESENTATIONS AND TRAININGS

National and International Presentations

Wheatley, J. (2017, October). *Utilizing existential philosophy and mindfulness in a developmental model of supervision*. Poster accepted at the Association for Counselor Education and Supervision. Chicago, IL.

Wheatley, J., Kanawalsky, A., Steele, N., O'Connor, K. (2017, May). *Eat, play, love: Navigating Eating Disorders as an Interdisciplinary Team*. Presented at the Association of Child Life Professionals National Conference. Las Vegas, NV.

Wheatley, J. (2016, October). *Life after dying: A developmental approach to childhood survivors of illness*. Webinar training presented for the Association of Child Life Professionals.

Wheatley, J. (2015, May). *Examining life after illness: A model of conceptualization for helping professionals*. Presented at the Athens Institute of Education and Research. Athens, Greece.

Wheatley, J., Eliason, G. (2014, July). *Life after dying: A model of grief, loss, and death anxiety for survivors of life threatening diagnoses*. Presented at the International Congress of Applied Psychology. Paris, France.

Wheatley, J. (2014, June). *Life after dying: Navigating the preparation for survival in pediatric patients*. Presented at the National Association of Health Play Specialists. London, England.

Trainings and Seminars

Wheatley, J. (2017, March). *Ambiguous grief and loss: What it is and how to make it navigate through it.* Invited seminar for the National Foundation for Huntington's Disease. Pittsburgh, PA

Wheatley, J. (2016, March). *Making it less scary: Using preparation, refocusing, and comfort positioning to reduce anxiety in pediatric medical settings.* Invited training for the Western Pennsylvania Hemophilia Association. Pittsburgh, PA.

Wheatley, J. (Quarterly). *What is child life and how to best utilize the service.* Presented for the Medical Resident Program at Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC. Pittsburgh, PA.

Wheatley, J. (Quarterly). *Introduction to child life.* Presented for Indiana University and Robert Morris Nursing Students. Pittsburgh, PA.

RESEARCH AND SCHOLARLY ACTIVITY

Research Areas of Interest

- **LGBT Identity**
- **Spirituality and Identity Formation**
- **Medically-Induced Trauma**
- **Counselor Education and Supervision**

Research Activities

Antonacci, K., Steele, N., **Wheatley, J.** (In Progress). *Effects of guitar accompaniment patterns on hospitalized infants in a neonatal intensive care unit (NICU).* IRB # PRO15120356. University of Pittsburgh.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND AFFILIATIONS

Professional Activities

International Collaboration Committee **May 2016-Present**
Association of Child Life Professionals
Member

Schwartz Center Rounds **November 2015-Present**
Facilitator/Chair of Children's Hospital Chapter

Reflective Practice in Child Life Professionals **November 2015-Present**
Clinical Supervision Group Facilitator

Professional Affiliations

American Counseling Association (ACA)
 Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (ACES)
 Association for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Issues in Counseling
 (ALGBTIC)
 Association of Child Life Professionals (ACLP)
 Chi Sigma Iota: Counseling Honors Society (CSI)
 National Board of Certified Counselors (NBCC)

Committee Involvement

<p>Counseling Department Advisory Committee Waynesburg University <i>Member-Doctoral Student Representative</i></p>	<p>January 2017- Present</p>
<p>Research and Resource Committee Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC <i>Co-Chair</i></p>	<p>September 2015-Present</p>
<p>Child Life Internship Accreditation Committee Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC <i>Co-Chair</i></p>	<p>August 2015-July 2016</p>
<p>Annual Child Life Conference Planning Committee Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC <i>Chair</i></p>	<p>June 2015-Present</p>

Awards and Recognitions

<p>Praise from Patients Certificate of Recognition Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC</p>	<p>December 2015</p>
<p>Student Counselor of the Year California University of Pennsylvania</p>	<p>May 2014</p>

Community Service

<p>Camp Chihopi Transplant Camp Counselor</p>	<p>August 2014-August 2016</p>
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CONFERENCES ATTENDED

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACLP National Conference, Las Vegas, NV • ACA National Conference, San Francisco, CA • PESI ACT 2-Day Intensive, Pittsburgh, PA • Transgender Care: New Innovations, Pittsburgh, PA | <p>May 2017
 March 2017
 March 2017
 October 2016</p> |
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- Child Life Local Conference, Pittsburgh, PA April, 2016
- Athens Institute for Education Psychology Conference May, 2015
- International Congress on Applied Psychology, Paris, FR July, 2014
- National Health Play Specialist Conference, London, EN June, 2014