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## **EDUCATION**

**Ph. D. (in progress)**, Mandel School of Applied Social Sciences, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH

- 2005 - Admitted to doctoral program and began coursework
- 2007 - Completed coursework and admitted to candidacy
- 2008 - Successfully completed prospectus hearing
- Dissertation topic: Stress, Religious Coping and Alcohol Use in College Students

**M.S.W.**, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA, 2000

**B.S. in Secondary Education: Social Sciences**, Lock Haven University of Pennsylvania, Lock Haven, PA, 1994

## **LICENSURE/CERTIFICATION**

Licensed Independent Social Worker with Supervision Designation (LISW-S), Ohio

Licensed Independent Chemical Dependency Counselor (LICDC), Ohio

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Associate Professor (with Tenure) and Chair of Social Work Department**, Malone College, 2008-Present

- Teach social work courses in a growing program with 3 faculty and over 50 students
- Provide budgetary oversight
- Schedule and staff courses
- Maintain Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) accreditation

**Assistant Professor and Director of Social Work Field Education**, Malone College, 2003-2008

- Taught social work courses in a growing program with 3 faculty and over 50 students
- Coordinated field placement program, including recruitment of field sites, placement of students, orientation and training of field instructors
- Interim Department Chair, 1/2006-7/2006 (during regular Chair's sabbatical)
- Worked with Department Chair to revise curriculum in order to improve compliance with CSWE Educational Policy and Accreditation Standards

- Assisted Chair in preparing self-study for CSWE re-accreditation site visit in February, 2008

**Adjunct Instructor**, Mandel School of Applied Social Sciences, Case Western Reserve University, 2007-2008 academic year

- Taught Adult Psychopathology course for MSW program during Spring 2008 semester

**Family Counseling Program Therapist** (part-time), Trillium Family Solutions, 2003-2005

- Provided clinical services for small caseload of clients 1 day per week in order to meet Ohio requirements for independent licensure

**Program Director**, Lancaster County Youth Advocate Program, Inc., 2002-2003

- Directed community-based programming for at-risk youth
- Responsibilities included program development, implementation, and compliance
- Supervised approximately 40 staff members

**Clinical/Operations Director and Therapist**, Naaman Center, 2001-2002

- Directed clinical program at Christian-oriented outpatient addiction treatment clinic
- Provided clinical and administrative supervision for counseling staff
- Provided individual, family, and group psychotherapy for clients with substance abuse issues

**Program Director and Counselor**, Drug and Alcohol Rehabilitation Services, Inc., 1997-2000

- Developed and oversaw independent living program for males with delinquency and substance abuse issues
- Provided individual, family, and group counseling for clients

**Therapeutic Staff Support Worker**, Philhaven Hospital, 1996-1997

- Provided community-based mental health services for at-risk youth

**Coordinator and Youth Worker**, Water Street Rescue Mission, 1994-1996

- Worked in youth ministry program for at-risk youth

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Stoltzfus, K.M. (2008). Spiritual Interventions in the Prevention and Treatment of Substance Abuse: A Review of the Literature. *Journal of Religion and Spirituality in Social Work*, 26(4), 49-69.

Cecil, D., & Stoltzfus, K.M. (2007). Comparing Dimensions of Faith and Academic Life Integration at Public and Christian Universities. *Social Work and Christianity*, 34, 231-243.

Stoltzfus, K.M. (2006). An Elephant in the Sanctuary: Denial and Resistance in Addicted Christians and Their Churches. *Social Work and Christianity*, 33, 141-163.

## **PRESENTATIONS**

Stoltzfus, K.M. (2007, February). In the World, But Not of It: Exploring Areas of Tension for Christian Addiction Counselors. Invited presentation at Salvation Army Counselors Conference, Atlanta, GA.

Stoltzfus, K.M., Cecil, D., Chamiec-Case, R., & Steward, K. (2006, October). Faith Integration in Social Workers; Results of an Exploratory Study. Peer-reviewed presentation at North American Association of Christians in Social Work Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA.

Stoltzfus, K.M. (2006, October). Spirituality and Addiction. Continuing education presentation at Stark County Faith Partnership Training Workshop, Canton, OH.

Stoltzfus, K.M. (2005, October). The Use of Videoconferencing in Social Work Field Education. Peer-reviewed presentation at North American Association of Christians in Social Work Annual Conference, Grand Rapids, MI.

Cecil, D., & Stoltzfus, K.M. (2005, October). Comparing Dimensions of Faith and Academic Life Integration at Public and Christian Universities. Peer-reviewed presentation at North American Association of Christians in Social Work Annual Conference, Grand Rapids, MI.

Stoltzfus, K.M. (2005, March). Addressing Faith-Based Resistance in Addiction Treatment with Evangelical Christians. Presentation at Addiction and Spirituality: Scientific, Theological, and Clinical Perspectives, a conference sponsored by Indiana State University's Center for the Study of Health, Religion and Spirituality, Terre Haute, IN.

Stoltzfus, K.M. (2004, November). Field Instruction: The Challenges and Rewards of Training the Next Generation of Social Workers. Continuing education presentation for Malone College Social Work Program Field Instructors, Canton, OH.

Stoltzfus, K.M. (2004, October). An Elephant in the Sanctuary: Denial and Resistance in Addicted Christians and Their Churches. Peer-reviewed presentation at North American Association of Christians in Social Work Annual Conference.

Stoltzfus, K.M. (2004, October). An Elephant in the Sanctuary: Denial and Resistance in Addicted Christians and Their Churches. Presentation at Social Work Alumni Breakfast, sponsored by Malone College Social Work Department, Canton, OH.

Stoltzfus, K.M. (2004, September). An Elephant in the Sanctuary: Denial and Resistance in Addicted Christians and Their Churches. Presentation at Stark County Faith Partnership Monthly Mini-training Seminar, Canton, OH.

## **COURSES TAUGHT**

Introduction to the Profession and Practice of Social Work

Social Work Practice Skills I & II

Introduction to Social Research

Professional Issues in Social Work

Senior Field Seminar

Populations-at-Risk

The College Experience

Adult Psychopathology

## **AWARDS**

Finalist, 2007 Malone College Distinguished Faculty Award for Teaching

J. F. Steinman Fellowship-1998 & 1999-awarded for graduate study in human services

## **MEMBERSHIPS**

Council on Social Work Education

National Association of Social Workers

North American Association of Christians in Social Work

## **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Faith Partners Program, 2007

- At the request of Mayor, serve on committee to mobilize faith community to address substance abuse problems in Canton, OH by developing congregational team to implement church-based prevention, identification, support, and referral programs

Board of Directors, Lighthouse Ministries, 2005-Present

- Serve on Board of local youth ministry/outreach/tutoring program

Professional Advisory Committee, Summit United Neighbors, 2003-2005

- At request of Director of Summit United Neighbors, provided professional consultation regarding issues facing grass roots community development organization in an urban poor neighborhood in Canton, OH

Stark County Faith Partnership, Member 2004-2007 (Co-chair 2006-2007)

- Member of collaborative effort by clergy and addiction treatment providers to address substance abuse and related problems in Stark County, OH

## **INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE**

Malone College Writers Group, 2003-Present

- Member of interdisciplinary group which meets monthly to review and critique scholarship of members

Faculty Advisor, Social Work Student Organization, 2003-2007

- Advised student club composed of social work majors
- Organized and led service projects, including service learning trip to Cabrini Green neighborhood in Chicago, IL

Elected Member, Committee on Organization, 2004-2007

- Served on committee which organized and staffed non-elected committees and oversaw faculty elections

Co-chair, Student Instructional Report II (SIR II) Ad Hoc Committee, 2004-2006

- Led team of ten faculty charged with evaluating Malone's Student Evaluation of Teaching (SET) process

Connections Program, 2004-2006

- Served (with spouse) as "floor parent" for a group of students who lived on the same floor of a Malone dormitory
- Regularly hosted students in home and attended floor activities