

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

Boston University Doctorate in Occupational Therapy	May, 2020
University of Illinois at Chicago Master of Science in Occupational Therapy	July, 2016
Loyola University of Chicago Master of Social Work	May, 2012
University of Iowa Bachelor of Arts in History	August, 2010

FACULTY AND ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

University of Illinois at Chicago Visiting Clinical Instructor and Academic Fieldwork Assistant Provides coordination and support for fieldwork related matters as a visiting faculty member. Collaborates with fieldwork team members and partners from outside sites to create meaningful and successful fieldwork experiences for students in the Department of Occupational Therapy.	2019-present
Co-instructor Serves as a co-instructor and small group facilitator for the following course: <ul style="list-style-type: none">OT 594: Special Topics in OT, Interprofessional Collaborative Practice in HIV Prevention and Care	2020-present
Guest Lecturer Developed curriculum for and delivered guest lectures in the following courses: <ul style="list-style-type: none">OT 501: Occupational Performance in Adults and AdolescentsOT 507: Introduction to Occupational Therapy PracticeOT 564: Leadership and Management in OTOT 516: Psychosocial Aspects of Occupational Performance	2017-present

Boston University

Teaching Professional and Academic Mentor

2020-present

Supports post-professional OTD students in completion of their doctoral project. Provides assistance in all areas of project development including writing, gathering evidence, and plans for funding and dissemination.

Midwestern University

Guest Lecturer

2018, 2020

Developed curriculum and delivered lectures for OTHED-1649, OT Practice in Psychosocial Settings.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

AMITA Health Housing and Health Alliance

Occupational Therapy Supervisor

2016 – present

Provides supervision and direct clinical services in a community setting focused on people affected by homelessness and/or substance abuse and addiction.

Canine Therapy Corps

Occupational Therapist Program Leader

2019 – present

Along with Certified Dog Trainer co-leader, lead a team of volunteers providing goal-directed animal-assisted therapy services to patients in an inpatient rehabilitation unit.

University of Illinois at Chicago Department of Occupational Therapy

Skilled Assessor and Occupational Therapist

2017 – 2019

Assesses individuals preparing to exit institutional care such as nursing homes to determine what supports would be needed for safe and independent community living.

Therapy Network Resources

Occupational Therapist

2016 – 2019

Provided clinical occupational therapy services in a home health setting, primarily to a geriatric population. Common diagnoses included orthopedic surgery aftercare, stroke, and general deconditioning.

Psychotherapist in Private Practice

Licensed Clinical Social Worker

2015 – 2017

Provided individual psychotherapy sessions in a telehealth format.

Howard Brown Health

Case Manager

2012-2014

Provided case management services to a population of people living with HIV/AIDS and/or other disabilities.

PRESENTATIONS AND COURSES

Thomure, R. (2020). *Building a role for Occupational Therapy in Homelessness*. Illinois Occupational Therapy Association Conference, virtual.

Thomure, R. (2020). *Community/Home Health Occupational Therapy in the United States*. Community and Home Based Rehabilitation - Cultural Perspectives, Karolinska Institute (virtual).

Tyminski, Q., **Thomure, R.**, Leflore, A., & Cendejas, R. (2019). *Innovation in Mental Health OT Practice*. AOTA National Conference & Expo.

Killian, C., Fain, E., Krug, G., Gitlow, L., Loveland, J., & **Thomure, R.** (2019). *Depression, Anxiety, and Stress: Challenges and Strategies for Today's OT Student*. AOTA National Conference & Expo.

NON-PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Thomure, R., Cendejas, R., Roe, D. (2021). Supporting Level II Occupational Therapy Fieldwork Students Over Telehealth in Community Mental Health. *ILOTA Communique*, Illinois Occupational Therapy Association

Thomure, R. (2020). *Building a role for occupational therapy in homelessness*. OpenBU. <https://hdl.handle.net/2144/40895>

SELECTED GUEST LECTURES

Thomure, R. (2021). *Use of Learning Theories in Occupational Therapy Practice*. University of Illinois at Chicago

Thomure, R. (2020). *Providing Effective Occupational Therapy Services to Members of the LGBTQ+ Community*. University of Illinois at Chicago

Thomure, R., Cendejas, R. (2018). *Occupational Therapy's Role in Addiction Services*. Midwestern University

CLINICAL FIELDWORK EDUCATION/SUPERVISIONAMITA Health Housing and Health Alliance

John Sterkowitz, Level II OTA Student, South Suburban College, 2021

Taylor Parks, Level I OT Student, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2021

Kathleen Ellis, Level II OT Student, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2021

Alison Iafarte, Level I OT Student, Rush University, 2020

Danielle Roe, Level II OT Student, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2020

Claire Mercer, Level II OT Student, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2020

Victoria Turnbull, Level I OT Student, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2020

Kathryn Gallagher, Level II OT Student, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2019

Sam Hoyer, Level I OT Student, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2018

Isaac Grashoff, Level II OT Student, Chicago State University, 2018

Michael Ramirez, Level II OTA Student, Wright College, 2018

Sarah Pyle, Level I OT Student, Rush University, 2018
Jackie Matsela, Level II OT Student, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2018
Ryan Walsh, Level I OT Student, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2017

University of Illinois at Chicago Department of Occupational Therapy

Yui Ito, Level II OT Student, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2020
Shana Mangaldas, Level II OT Student, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2020
Jillian Hazlett, Level II OT Student, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2020
Cynthia Espinosa, Level II OT Student, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2020
Alyssa Irgang, Level II OT Student, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2020
Level IB/C Fieldwork Facilitator in Simulated Clinical Experience at UIC, 2020

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES AND SPECIALITY CERTIFICAITONS

Occupational Therapist, Licensed, State of Illinois, License #056011631
Occupational Therapist, Registered, NBCOT, Registration #364533
Licensed Clinical Social Worker, State of Illinois, License #149017622

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY ORGANIZATIONAL MEMBERSHIP AND LEADERSHIP

Illinois Occupational Therapy Association Political Action Committee, Secretary
American Occupational Therapy Association, Member
Illinois Occupational Therapy Association, Member