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EDUCATION

- 1986** Kent State University, B.A., Psychology
1988 Kent State University, M.A., Community Health Education
1996 Kent State University, Ph.D., Curriculum and Instruction/Health Education

HIGHER EDUCATION WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2013 - Present** Kent State University, Associate professor, health education, non-tenure track
- 2003 - 2014** Kent State University, Assistant Professor, NTT, Health Education
- 2002 - 2003** The University of Akron, Visiting professor, health education
- 1997 - 2002** Ashland University, Assistant professor, health education
- 1991 - 1997** Kent State University, Coordinator, Office of Student Health Promotion
- 1988 - 1991** Kent State University, Health Educator Specialist

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2004 - 2005** Ohio Collegiate Tobacco Pilot Project, BACCHUS and GAMMA Peer Education Network
- 2002 - 2003** K-12 Substitute Teacher, Nordonia Hills School District

AWARDS

- 1999** National Award
Inductee: Phi Delta Kappa
- 2016** University Award
Undeniably Accessible: Student Accessibility Services
- 2015** University Award
Mothers, Mentors, Muses Award: Women's Center, KSU
- 2013** University Award
Promotion to Associate Professor:
- 2009** University Award
Outstanding Teaching Award: Kent State University
- 2008** University Award
Graduate Applause: Kent State University Teaching Council

2006 University Award
Graduate Applause recipient: Kent State University Teaching Council

1999 University Award
Young Alumni Achievement Award: Kent State University Alumni Association

CERTIFICATIONS, LICENSURE AND REGISTRATIONS

2001 K-12 Teaching Certif, State of Ohio
K-12 - Health Education

COURSES

Student Teaching in Health Education, HED 42358

Fall 2003 **INTRO TO HED, HED 21030**
Enrollment: 31

Fall 2004 **COMMUNITY HEALTH, HED 11590**
Enrollment: 37

Fall 2004 **INTRO TO HED, HED 21030**
Enrollment: 33

Fall 2004 **HLTH/LEARN: STRAT STU/TEA, HED 42575**
Enrollment: 14

Fall 2004 **NEEDS ASSES & PROG/PLAN, HED 64055**
Enrollment: 12

Fall 2004 **NEEDS ASSES & PROG/PLAN, HED 74055**
Enrollment: 1

Spring 2004 **PERSONAL HEALTH, HED 11570**
Enrollment: 36

Spring 2004 **HED FOR EARLY CHILD ED, HED 20000**
Enrollment: 27

Spring 2004 **EVAL HEALTH PROMO PROGRAM, HED 64057**
Enrollment: 5

Spring 2004 **EVAL HEALTH PROMO PROGRAM, HED 74057**
Enrollment: 1

Fall 2005 **HED FOR EARLY CHILD ED, HED 20000**
Enrollment: 11

Fall 2005 **HLTH/LEARN: STRAT STU/TEA, HED 42575**
Enrollment: 21

Spring 2005 **HED FOR EARLY CHILD ED, HED 20000**
Enrollment: 12

Spring 2005 **PROGRAM PLAN IN HEALTH ED, HED 34050**
Enrollment: 22

Fall 2006 **HED FOR EARLY CHILD ED, HED 20000**

	Enrollment: 10
Fall 2006	HUMAN SEXUALITY, HED 32544 Enrollment: 60
Fall 2006	HLTH/LEARN: STRAT STU/TEA, HED 42575 Enrollment: 20
Spring 2006	HED FOR EARLY CHILD ED, HED 20000 Enrollment: 28
Spring 2006	HUMAN SEXUALITY, HED 32544 Enrollment: 50
Spring 2006	HLTH/LEARN: STRAT STU/TEA, HED 42575 Enrollment: 24
Spring 2006	HEALTH BEHAVIOR, HED 64050 Enrollment: 13
Spring 2006	HEALTH BEHAVIOR, HED 74050 Enrollment: 1
Fall 2007	INTRO TO HED, HED 21030 Enrollment: 36
Fall 2007	HEALTH BEHAVIOR, HED 21050 Enrollment: 38
Fall 2007	HUMAN SEXUALITY, HED 32544 Enrollment: 61
Fall 2007	HLTH/LEARN: STRAT STU/TEA, HED 42575 Enrollment: 28
Spring 2007	HUMAN SEXUALITY, HED 32544 Enrollment: 51
Spring 2007	PROGRAM PLAN IN HEALTH ED, HED 34050 Enrollment: 19
Spring 2007	HLTH/LEARN: STRAT STU/TEA, HED 42575 Enrollment: 21
Spring 2007	HEALTH BEHAVIOR, HED 64050 Enrollment: 12
Spring 2007	HEALTH BEHAVIOR, HED 74050 Enrollment: 3
Fall 2008	HLTH/LEARN:STRAT STU/TEA, HED42575 Enrollment: 25
Fall 2008	HEALTH BEHAVIOR, HED21050 Enrollment: 54
Fall 2008	STUDENT TEACHING HED, HED42358 Enrollment: 2
Fall 2008	INDIVIDUAL HONORS WORK, HONR30096 Enrollment: 1
Spring 2009	PROGRAM PLANING/EVALUATION HED, HED34050

	Enrollment: 22
Spring 2009	HLTH/LEARN:STRAT STU/TEA, HED42575 Enrollment: 43
Spring 2009	HEALTH BEHAVIOR, HED74050 Enrollment: 2
Spring 2009	HUMAN SEXUALITY, HED32544 Enrollment: 50
Spring 2009	HEALTH BEHAVIOR, HED64050 Enrollment: 13
Spring 2009	INDIVIDUAL HONORS WORK, HONR40096 Enrollment: 1
Summer 2009	HLTH/LEARN:STRAT STU/TEA, HED42575 Enrollment: 12
Summer 2009	HLTH/LEARN:STRAT STU/TEA, HED52575 Enrollment: 3
Summer 2009	IND INV HEALTH ED/PROM, HED44096 Enrollment: 1
Fall 2010	Introduction to Health Education, HED 21030 Enrollment: 35
Fall 2010	Inquiry into Professional Practice, HED 49525 Enrollment: 4
Fall 2010	Health and Learning, HED 4/52575 Enrollment: 25
Fall 2010	Health Education Theories, HED 21050 Enrollment: 26
Fall 2010	Health Education Theories, HED 21050 Enrollment: 24
Spring 2010	Program Planning, HED 34050 Enrollment: 33
Spring 2010	Health Behavior, HED 6/74050 Enrollment: 17
Spring 2010	Human Sexuality, HED 32544 Enrollment: 54
Spring 2010	Human Sexuality, HED 32544 Enrollment: 50
Fall 2011	Health Behavior, HED 6/74050 Enrollment: 5
Fall 2011	Introduction to Health Education, HED 21030 Enrollment: 35
Fall 2011	Health Education Theories, HED 21050 Enrollment: 25
Fall 2011	Health Education Theories, HED 21050

	Enrollment: 25
Spring 2011	Health Behavior, HED 6/74050 Enrollment: 15
Spring 2011	Program Planning, HED 34050 Enrollment: 31
Spring 2011	Human Sexuality, HED 32544 Enrollment: 37
Fall 2012	Individual Honors Work, HONR 30096 Enrollment: 1
Fall 2012	Health Education Theories, HED 21050 Enrollment: 26
Fall 2012	Health Education Theories, HED 21050 Enrollment: 42
Fall 2012	Health Behavior, HED 7/84050 Enrollment: 11
Fall 2012	Introduction to Health Education, HED 21030 Enrollment: 36
Intersession 2012	Health and Learning, HED 4/52575 Enrollment: 18
Spring 2012	Program Planning, HED 34050 Enrollment: 30
Spring 2012	Program Planning, HED 34050 Enrollment: 27
Spring 2012	Human Sexuality, HED 32544 Enrollment: 50
Fall 2013	Health Education Theories, HED 21050 Enrollment: 26
Fall 2013	Health Education Theories, HED 21050 Enrollment: 26
Fall 2013	Health Education Theories, HED 21050 Enrollment: 27
Fall 2013	Health and Learning, HED 42575 Enrollment: 26
Spring 2013	Program Planning and Evaluation in HED, HED 34050 Enrollment: 26
Spring 2013	Student Teaching, HED 42358 Enrollment: 9
Spring 2013	Individual Investigation in HED, HED 44096 Enrollment: 1
Spring 2013	Inquiry Seminar in Professional Practice, HED 49252 Enrollment: 5
Fall 2014	Health Education Theories, HED 21050

	Enrollment: 15
Fall 2014	Health Education Theories, HED 21050 Enrollment: 30
Fall 2014	Methods and Applications in Health Education, HED 32542 Enrollment: 14
Fall 2014	Student Teaching, HED 42358 Enrollment: 1
Spring 2014	Health Education Theories, HED 21050 Enrollment: 18
Spring 2014	Human Sexuality, HED 32544 Enrollment: 50
Spring 2014	Program Planning, HED 34050 Enrollment: 33
Spring 2014	Administration of School Health Programs, HED 44543 Enrollment: 6
Fall 2015	Health Education Theories, HED 21050 Enrollment: 39
Fall 2015	Health Education Theories, HED 21050 Enrollment: 36
Fall 2015	Methods and Applications in Health Education, HED 32542 Enrollment: 12
Spring 2015	Human Sexuality, HED 32544 Enrollment: 47
Spring 2015	Program Planning, HED 34050 Enrollment: 29
Spring 2015	Inquiry Seminar in Professional Practice, HED 49525 Enrollment: 6
Spring 2015	Student Teaching, HED 42358 Enrollment: 1
Spring 2015	Administration of School Health Programs, HED 44543 Enrollment: 4
Fall 2016	Health Education Theories, HED 21050
Fall 2016	Health Education Theories, HED 21050
Fall 2016	Methods and Applications in Health Education, HED 32542
Fall 2016	Student Teaching in Health Education, HED 42358
Spring 2016	Program Planning, HED 34050
Spring 2016	Inquiry Seminar into Professional Practice
Spring 2016	Health and Learning, HED 42575
Spring 2016	Administration of School Health Programs
Fall 2017	Adulting 101, HED 44095

Fall 2017	Health Education Theories, HED 21050
Fall 2017	Methods and Applications In Health Education, HED 32542
Spring 2017	Health Education Theories, HED 21050
Spring 2017	Human Sexuality, HED 32544
Spring 2017	Program Planning, HED 34050
Spring 2017	Health and Learning, HED 42575
Fall 2018	Methods and Applications In Health Education, HED 32542
Fall 2018	Student Teaching in Health Education, HED 42358
Fall 2018	Adulting 101, HED 44095
Fall 2018	College Teaching in Health Education, HED 64094
Fall 2018	Health Behavior, HED 6/84050
Spring 2018	Health Education Theories, HED 21050
Spring 2018	Adulting 101, HED 44095
Spring 2018	Health and Learning, HED 42575

DISSERTATION ADVISEMENT

Krajney, Shelly, Committee member
Committee member

PUBLICATIONS

Book Chapters

2016

Telljohann, S., Symons, C., Pateman, B. Editions: 2006, 2008, 2011, 2014, 2016. *Health Education: Elementary and Middle School Applications*. Wrote children's literature sections for content chapters.

Books Edited

1999 Mahoney, C., (1999). *Stand! Human Sexuality*.

Journal Articles, Refereed

1999 Dotterer, S., Axiotis, R., (1999). *More Ways to Go: Sex-positive Strategies and Resources for Creating a Healthy Campus Environment*.

1998 Axiotis, R. (1998.) *The Peer Educator*.

1997 Kerr, D., Figler, J., Axiotis, R. (1997.) *Journal of College Student Development*.

1994 McKee, M., Hayes, S., Axiotis, R. (1994). *Journal of American College Health*.

1994 Dotterer, S., Axiotis, R. (1994). *Journal of American College Health*.

1992 Axiotis, R., Symons, C., Pepe, M., Dubick, C. (1992). *Wellness Perspectives*.

1986 Richardson, R., Riccio, D., Axiotis, R., (1986). *Developmental Psychobiology*.

PRESENTATIONS

International Refereed

- 2011** 4th International Conference on Conflict Resolution Education
Exploring Children's Literature as a Vehicle for Improving Conflict Resolution Education
(with Angela Backus, Cynthia Symons)
- 2007** Inter-American Summit on Conflict Resolution Education: International Innovations and Challenges
Capacity building among pre-service teachers to address conflict resolution skills
(with Angela Backus and Cynthia Symons)

National Refereed

- 2011** American School Health Association National Conference
Exploring Children's Literature as a Vehicle for Improving Health Education Instruction and Practice
(with Angela Backus, Cynthia Symons, Michele Schnarrs)
- 2010** American School Health Association National Conference
Developmentally appropriate practice: evidence-based guidelines for improving health education practice
(with Angela Backus, Cynthia Symons, Judy Johns)
- 2009** American School Health Association National Conference: The teen brain: developmental issues and implications for health education and policy development (with Angela Backus, Cynthia Symons, Michele Schnarrs)
- 2008** Mid-western Education Research Association Annual Conference: Connectedness as a foundation for promoting achievement and reducing school bullying (with Angela Backus and Cynthia Symons)
- 2008** American School Health Association National Conference: A social ecological approach to coordinated school health programming to reduce health risks of youth (with Angela Backus, Cynthia Symons, Michele Schnarrs)
- 2007** Inter-American Summit on Conflict Resolution Education: International Innovations and Challenges Capacity building among pre-service teachers to address conflict resolution skills (2007) (with Angela Backus and Cynthia Symons)
- 2006** American Public Health Association Annual Conference (2006) University and community partnerships: Teaming up for tobacco control policy (with Amy Thompson, Laura Vernon, Jackie Iwanski)
- 2006** American School Health Association Annual Conference (2006) Capacity building among pre-service teachers to manage mental health issues of students (with Angela Stringer, Cindy Symons)
- 2005** American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance Conference (2005) Tobacco prevention and cessation on college campuses: the Ohio Project (with Jan Gascoigne)
- 2002** American School Health Association Annual Conference (2002) The power of positive peer pressure: using social norm theory to address youth health (with Monair Hamilton)
- 1994** American College Health Association Annual Conference (1994) Sexual health

campus programs: SHARE Fair (with Dian Mangus)

- 1994** American College Health Association Annual Conference (1994) Sex-Tac-Toe (with Scott Dotterer)
- 1994** American College Health Association Annual Conference (1994) Working toward successful clinical-health education department linkages (with Ray Leone, D.O.)
- 1993** Ohio College Health Association Annual Conference (1993) The physician as health promoter: implications for college health (with Ray Leone)
- 1993** American College Health Association Annual Conference (1993) The clinician as health promoter (with Ray Leone and Cindy Symons)
- 1992** Association for the Advancement of Health Education Conference (1992) The use of focus groups to gather qualitative data in health promotion needs assessment (with Cindy Symons)
- 1992** Ohio College Health Association Annual Conference (1992) Peer Education Breakout Session on substance abuse
- 1991** American College Health Association Annual Conference (1991) The role of qualitative data in a university needs assessment.
- 1991** American College Health Association Annual Conference (1991) Use of a faculty resource directory to engender support for institution-wide drug prevention programs.

Regional Refereed

- 1985** Midwestern Psychological Association Annual Conference (1985) Contextual memory.

State Invited

- 1998** Ohio Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance Conference. (1998) Developmentally appropriate strategies for teaching sexuality education in elementary and middle school learners

State Refereed

- 2001** Ohio Council of Teachers of English and Language Arts Conference (2001) Curriculum integration: reading and health
- 1997** Ohio College Health Association Annual Conference (1997) Health promotion: its all in the game (with Scott Dotterer)

Local Invited

- 2018** Mandated Reporting Kent Student Education Association Conference
- 2001** Norton City School District (2001) Stress management
- 2001** Stow-Munroe Falls City Schools (2001) Parent engagement
- 1999** Dublin City Schools (1999) Using picture books to support the health curriculum and promote student conversations about health
- 1998** Stow-Munroe Falls City Schools (1998) Elementary health education instruction

1998 Connecting the Dots: Creating a Complete Picture of Healthy Children. (1998) Northeastern Ohio Universities College of Medicine. The education connection: exploring developmentally appropriate practice (with Carolyn Kuhn and Mary Anne Loftus)

Local Refereed

2000 Dublin Literacy Conference (2000) Just what you always hoped for: creative ways to use literature to teach health

1991 Dublin Literacy Conference (1991) All about me: children's literature to teach emotions and self-esteem

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

College

2016 - 2018 Coordinator, Program Coordinator Health Education

2016 - 2016 Member, NCATE Task 3 Committee

2015 - 2015 Reviewer, NTT Promotion Committee

2015 - 2015 Member, Standard 3 NCATE Task Force Committee

2014 - 2014 NTT Reappointment Review Committee

2014 - 2015 Member, Teacher Education Coordinator Committee

2014 - 2017 Member, Teacher Education Council

Community

2018 - Present Member, Nordonía City Schools Wellness Committee

Department

2015 - 2015 Member, School of Health Sciences Grievance Committee

2014 - 2014 Chair, Health Education and Promotion Tenure Track Faculty Search Committee

2012 - 2012 Chair, School of Health Sciences Student Grievance Committee

2010 - 2010 Chair, Health Education and Promotion NTT Search Committee

2010 - 2010 Coordinator, Health Education and Promotion Interim Program Coordinator

2009 - 2010 Chair, Health Education and Promotion Faculty Search Committee

National

Present Coordinate, Research Coordinating Board, American Association for Health Education

Present Committee, Health Education Ethics Committee, American Association for Health Education

Present Committee, Health Education Subcommittee on Continuing Education, American College Health Association

Regional

2003 - 2004 Co-chair, Co-chair, Wellness Committee

Nordonia Hills School District

1999 - 2001

Advisory Board, Health Education Center of Akron, Inc.
Board of Trustees

State

Present

Chair, Chair, Health Education Section, Ohio College Health Association

Present

Advisory Board, President-elect, Ohio College Health Association
President-elect

Present

Chair, Annual Meeting Chair, Ohio College Health Association

Present

Advisory Board, Vice President, Ohio College Health Association
Vice President

University

2014 - 2014

Reviewer, Division of Graduate Studies Graduate Student Fellowships and Awards

2013 - 2015

Honor's College, KSU

Served as course advisor to three Honor's College students pursuing Honor's Credits

2010 - 2010

Member, Outstanding Teaching Award Selection Committee

1999 - 1999

Member, Kent State University Health Promotion Advisory Council

1996 - 1997

Advisory Board, Kent State University Honors College
Alumni Board Member

GRANTS

2014 - 2016

Dr. Laurie Wagner Dr. Renee Axiotis, Future of Sex Education, Future of Sex Education, 1500

Seed grant to align KSU's Health Education and Promotion courses with the new National Teacher Preparation Standards for Sexuality Education

Fund for the Improvement of Post-secondary Education, US FPSI, 27000

Fund for the Improvement of Post-secondary Education, US FPSI, 107000