**LEAH H. GATLIN, MSW, PHD CANDIDATE**

Curriculum Vitae

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**EDUCATION**

Expected **Doctor of Philosophy in Social Work*,*** Diana R. Garland School of Social

Sum Work, Baylor University, Waco, TX.

2018 Tentative Dissertation Title: *Factors Affecting Collaboration and Readiness for Collaboration Among Religiously Affiliated and Non-Religiously Affiliated Social Service Organizations*

Chair: Dr. Rob K. Rogers

Committee Members: Drs. James Ellor, Byron R. Johnson, E. Clay Polson, Jon E. Singletary, & C. Samantha Vo

Tentative dissertation defense: June 25, 2018

2011 **Master of Social Work**, Anne & Henry Zarrow School of Social Work, The University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK, *Concentration:  Administration and Community Planning*

2006 **Bachelor of Arts** **in International Studies**, Baylor University, Waco, TX.

**CURRENT ACADEMIC POSITION**

10/14- **Community Faculty Instructor (Adjunct)**, Anne & Henry Zarrow School of

present Social Work, The University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK

*Courses Taught:*

* Human Behavior: Individuals, Families, & Treatment Groups (MSW Traditional 15 Week Seminar Style)
* Human Behavior: Individuals, Families, & Treatment Groups (MSW Condensed 4 Weekend Style)
* Social Welfare Policy & Practice ((MSW Traditional 15 Week Seminar Style)
* Human Behavior: Organizations & Communities (BSW Traditional 15 Week Seminar Style)
* Field Instructor for Foundation Year MSW Student Field Education (Practicum)

**PROFESSIONAL AND SOCIAL WORK EXPERIENCE**

09/14- **Contracted Therapist Under Supervision**, Creating Options, LLC, Norman, OK.

present Provide assessment and treatment planning for initial referrals. Conduct individual and family therapeutic services. Provide referrals and discharge planning as needed. Track necessary paperwork and reporting procedures as needed. Participate in monthly clinical consultation with other therapists in agency. Provide services to predominantly Medicaid-eligible clients.

Oct 2011- **Coordinator of Program and Contract Services,** CommunityWorks, Norman, OK.

Aug 2016 Reviewed and approved/denied therapist and rehabilitation specialist progress notes. Reviewed and corrected treatment plans and intakes. Trained new therapists on documentation and review standards. Assisted in writing new treatment plans and intakes. Assisted providers with documentation.

Jan 2011 – **MSW Intern**, Oklahoma Health Care Authority (OHCA), Oklahoma City, OK.

May 2011 Coordinated outreach calls project. Designed and implemented evaluation strategy for agency evaluation project. Reviewed and tracked pertinent legislative bills. Reported on legislative committee meetings

Sept 2009- **Graduate Research Assistant,** Anne & Henry Zarrow School of Social Work, The

May 2010 University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK.

Researched topics as assigned by professors. Assisted in administrative duties. Edited Power Points, journal articles, and other written works for professors and staff. Reviewed and categorized articles. Transcribed DVD interviews. Located articles and other printed materials.

Sept 2009- **Practicum Student**, Adams Elementary School, Norman Public Schools, Norman,

May 2010 OK

Facilitated small groups on anger management and social skills. Planned activities for individual sessions with students. Monitored student behaviors and progress

Collaborated with teachers about appropriate classroom behavior interventions. Provided assistance with students who had behavior issues and/or needed to be removed from class

Aug 2007 – **Grant Coordinator,** National Domestic Violence Fatality Review Initiative,

Apr 2009 Baylor Institute for Studies of Religion (ISR), Baylor University, Waco, TX.

Monitored and updated national database of fatality review teams. Edited articles and other written publications for staff. Reviewed and evaluated familicide cases according to prescribed criteria. Managed grant finances. Coordinated activities for a federally-funded grant. Researched topics as assigned by Director, Principal Project Advisor, or Consultants. Supervised student workers

July 2006 – **Administrative Associate,** Baylor Institute for Studies of Religion (ISR), Baylor

Aug 2007 University, Waco, TX.

Maintained files. Developed a system for cataloging incoming grant applications. Assisted the Project Coordinator. Welcomed visitors. Provided general administrative support.

**FUNDED RESEARCH**

Fall 2015- *Resource Dependence Theory, Social Network Theory, and Collaboration in the*

Spring 2016 *Texas Hunger Initiative.* Funded research investigation. Principal Investigator. $3000.

**RESEARCH REPORTS**

Gatlin, L.H. (2015). *Resource Dependence Theory, Social Network Theory, and Collaboration in the Texas Hunger Initiative* (Unpublished research report). Texas Hunger Initiative, Baylor University, Texas.

**PUBLICATIONS**

***Manuscripts in Progress***

McLeod, D.A., Sharp, S., Jones. M., & Gatlin, L.H. (in revisions). No idle threat: Exploring histories of coercive control & domestic violence in the lives of incarcerated women.

McLeod, D.A., Hale, S., Natale, A., & Gatlin, L.H. (in revisions). Female sex offenders: The need for gender-responsive, trauma-informed treatment models.

Gatlin, L.H. (in progress). Money and social influence: Factors affecting interorganizational collaboration.

Gatlin, L.H. (in progress). A phenomenological study of organizations’ experiences with collaborative relationships to build solutions to childhood hunger.

Gatlin, L.H. (in progress). Collaboration among social service providers: A review of the literature.

**PEER-REVIEWED PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS**

1. Gatlin, L.H. (2017, October). *Networks, resources, and collaboration in a university-community project fighting childhood hunger.* Paper presentation at the Annual Program Meeting of the Council on Social Work Education, Dallas, TX.
2. McLeod, D.A., Natale, A.P., & Gatlin, L.H. (2017, October). Female sexual offenders and the need for gender specific trauma informed treatment. Paper presentation at the Annual Program Meeting of the Council on Social Work Education, Dallas, TX.

**INVITED PRESENTATIONS**

1. Gatlin, L.H. (2017, September). *Self-care*. Presentation to MSW practicum students, Norman, OK.
2. Gatlin, L.H. (2017, July). *Incorporating spirituality into counseling*. Training for Creating Options therapists, Norman, OK.
3. Gatlin, L.H. (2017, July). *Area social service resources*. Training for Creating Options therapists, Norman, OK.
4. Gatlin, L.H. (2014, October). *Engaging the poor*. Training for Antioch Community Church Lay Leaders, Norman, OK.
5. Gatlin, L.H. (2012, April). *Employment Panel* [One of three invited former MSW graduates]. Panel for current students at Anne & Henry Zarrow School of Social Work, University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK
6. Gatlin, L.H. (2017, July). *Concentration Panel* [One of three invited former MSW graduates]. Panel for current students at Anne & Henry Zarrow School of Social Work, University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK

**SERVICE**

***University***

* Adjunct member of Policy Subcommittee, Curriculum Committee, Anne & Henry Zarrow School of Social Work, University of Oklahoma (Fall 2015–present)
* Adjunct member of HBSE Subcommittee, Curriculum Committee, Anne & Henry Zarrow School of Social Work, University of Oklahoma (Fall 2015–present)
* Graduate Student Member of Electives Subcommittee for Anne & Henry Zarrow School of Social Work, University of Oklahoma (2010-2011)
* Graduate Social Work Association (GSWA)-President, Anne & Henry Zarrow School of Social Work, University of Oklahoma (2009-2010)
* Board of Visitors-Graduate Student Member, Anne & Henry Zarrow School of Social Work, University of Oklahoma (2009-2010)

***Community***

* Benevolence ministry volunteer, Antioch Community Church, Norman, OK (2013-present)
* Preschool volunteer, Antioch Community Church, Norman, OK (2016-2017)
* Small group leader, Antioch Community Church, Norman, OK (2010-2013)

**OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS, HONORS & AWARDS**

**Scholarships**

2013-2017 Doctoral Tuition Remission Award, Diana R. Garland School of Social Work, Baylor University, Waco, TX.

**Awards**

2017 Community Faculty Instructor of the Year, Anne & Henry Zarrow School of Social Work, The University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK

**Honors**

2010 Phi Alpha Honor Society, Lifetime Member

**PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS/MEMBERSHIPS**

Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)

Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR)

**PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES**

1. **Robin K. “Rob” Rogers, PhD**

Associate Professor & Co-Director, PhD Program

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1. **Jon E. Singletary, PhD, MSW, MDiv**

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Dean of doctoral program, instructor for 2 classes, dissertation committee member

1. **Anthony P. Natale, PhD, MSW**

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1. **David A. McLeod, PhD, MSW**

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