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EDUCATION

PhD Student	Health Communication IUPUI	in progress
MA	Communication Texas A&M University	2010
BS	Communication Studies The University of Texas at Austin	2008

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor of Record	Marian University	8/2016 - Present
Instructor of Record	Pennsylvania State University	8/2011 - 12/2014
	CAS 100A Effective Speech (9 Sections)	
	CAS 100B Group Communication (2 Sections)	
	CAS 283 Communication and Information Technology (7 Sections)	
Instructor of Record	Texas A&M University	8/2008 - 6/2010
	COMM 203 Public Speaking (9 Sections)	

PUBLICATIONS

- Ebersole, D., **Hernandez, R.A.** Taking good care of our health: Parent-adolescent perceptions of boundary management about health information. In press.
- Smith, R. A., **Hernandez, R.**, & Catona, D. (2014). Investigating Initial Disclosures and Reactions to Unexpected, Positive HPV Diagnosis. *Western Journal of Communication*, 78(4), 426-440.
- Hernandez, R. A.**, Haidet, P., Gill, A.C., & Teal, C.R. (2012). Fostering students' reflection about bias in healthcare: Cognitive dissonance and the role of personal and normative standards. *Medical Teacher*, (0), e1-e8.
- Searle, N., Teal, C., Boyd, R., Friedland, J., Weigel, N., **Hernandez, R.A.**, Lomax, J., Coburn, M., Nelson, E. (2012). A Description of a Self-Nominating, Standards-Based, Peer Reviewed Faculty Recognition Program That Enhances a School's Teaching Environment and Positively Informs the Promotions Process. *Academic Medicine*, 87(7), 870-876.

PUBLICATIONS UNDER REVIEW

- Bute, J. Brann, M. Hernandez, R.A.** Societal-level Privacy Rules for Talking about Miscarriage
- Hernandez, R.A.** Privacy management in secret societies: Understanding sorority women's communication privacy management regarding condom use.
- Hernandez, R.A.** Medical students' implicit bias: A examination of the communication of norms in the medical education.

PUBLICATIONS IN PREPARATION

- Hernandez, R.A.** The "True Gentleman" and the "Ideals of Christian Womanhood": A case for mandatory sexual health programming in fraternities and sororities in the United States.

RESEARCH POSITIONS

Role: Research Assistant <i>Indiana University Purdue University- Indianapolis</i>	08/2015-Present
Role: Student Researcher <i>Penn State University</i>	08/2011-12/2014
Role: Qualitative Analyst Promoting Physicians' Cultural Competence Through Reflective Practice National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute <i>Baylor College of Medicine</i> K07 HL0856622-01 (PI: Paul M. Haidet, MD)	05/2012-08/2012
Role: Research Coordinator Promoting Physicians' Cultural Competence Through Reflective Practice National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute <i>Baylor College of Medicine</i> K07 HL0856622-01 (PI: Paul M. Haidet, MD)	11/2010-08/2011
Role: Research Coordinator Strengthening Behavioral and Social Sciences in Medical School: Relationship-Centered Transformation of Curricula Department of Health and Human Services – Public Health Services <i>Baylor College of Medicine</i> K07 HL082629 (PI: John C. Rogers, MD)	06/2010-11/2010
Role: Graduate Research and Community Outreach Intern Office of Community Communications <i>New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene</i>	05/2009-08/2009
Role: Research Assistant Intellectual Entrepreneurial Pre-Graduate School Internship <i>The University of Texas at Austin</i>	08/2007-08/2008

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- Hernandez, R. A.** (2015). Medical Students' Implicit Bias: An Examination of the Communication of Norms in the Hidden Curriculum. *National Communication Association Conference*. November 21, 2015. Las Vegas, NV.
- Hernandez, R.A., Sharf, B.** (2013). Connecting with sisters: understanding sorority women's communication privacy management regarding condom use. *National Communication Association Conference*. November 17, 2013. Washington, D.C.
- Ebersole, D., Nussbaum, J., Miller-Day, M., & **Hernandez, R.A.** (2013). Parent-adolescent privacy management regarding personal and family health: A qualitative study about family privacy cultures and boundary management practices. *National Communication Association Conference*. Washington, D.C.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (cont.)

- Teal, C.R., Jarecke J., **Hernandez R.A.**, Haidet P. (2013) Pathways through the encounter: Comparing experienced clinicians' and students' interactions with patients. *2013 Regional Conference of the Southern Group on Educational Affairs of the AAMC*. Savannah, GA.
- Eberly, R.A., Gehrke, P.J., **Hernandez, R.A.**, Morris III, C. E., Rood, C., Saas. W. (2012) Reflections on communication privacy management, crisis, and classroom. In the panel "What Can Communication Scholars Learn from the Penn State Child Abuse Scandal?" *National Communication Association Conference*. Orlando, FL.
- Teal C.R, Jarecke J., **Hernandez R.A.**, Haidet P. (2012). Pathways through the encounter: How experienced clinicians recognize and follow patient clues. *American Association on Communication in Healthcare (AACH) Research & Teaching Forum*. Providence, RI.
- Hernandez, R.A.**, Haidet, P., Gill, A., Teal, C. (2012). Fine Tuning the Inner Voice: Use of Personal Standards to Foster Students' Reflection about Bias in Healthcare. *2012 Regional Conference of the Southern Group on Educational Affairs (SGEA, in the Division of Medical Education of the Association of American Medical Colleges)*, Lexington, KY.
- Hernandez, R.A.** (2011). Reflection, Relationships, and the Hidden Curriculum: Exploring Relationship-Centered Care Values among Medical Students and Faculty. *Southern Group on Educational Affairs (SGEA) of the Association of American Medical Colleges*. Houston, TX.
- Hernandez, R.A.** (2009) ¿Tiene Hambre? An investigation of emerging trends in research on eating disorders in racial and ethnic minorities. *National Communication Association Conference*. Chicago, IL.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- Medical students' implicit bias: A bioethical examination of norms in the hidden curriculum. (2014, March 30) [Bioethics Colloquium] State College, PA: *Penn State University*.
- Build your own website for professional advancement. (2014, February 28). [CAS Event] State College, PA: *Penn State University*.
- Connecting with sisters: Understanding sorority women's communication privacy management regarding condom use. (2013, November 8) [CAS Colloquium] State College, PA: *Penn State University*.
- Carve out an online presence for your CV. (2012, March 30). [CAS Colloquium] State College, PA: *Penn State University*.
- Gender, sexuality, and dating. (2010, August 8). [Radio broadcast] College Station, TX: *Our Voices, Ourselves*.
- Beyond the birds and the bees: How to communicate with your child about sex. (2009, November 29). [Radio broadcast] College Station, TX: *Fair and Feminist Radio*.
- Beyond the megaphone: Communication and outreach between NYC communities and the NYC Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. (2009, August 9) [Research presentation] New York, NY: *Health Research Training Program*.

AWARDS and CERTIFICATES

NCA Caucus Student Travel Grant	2015
Petronio-Bantz Travel Award	2015
IUPUI Communication Travel Award	2015
Teaching with Technology Certificate	2014
Bunton-Waller Graduate Award, PSU	2011-2014
National Communication Association Conference Travel Award, PSU	2011-2014
National Communication Association Conference Travel Award, TAMU	2009
Intellectual Entrepreneurial Consortium Travel Award, UT	2007
National Hispanic Merit Scholarship	2004

SERVICE and MEMBERSHIPS

Member , Educational Policy Subcommittee, IUSM	2016-present
Volunteer , Wheeler Mission Ministries	2016-present
Youth Mentor , Boys and Girls Club	2015
Graduate Representative , NCA Graduate Fair	2015
Dog Foster Parent	2014-present
Community Relations Chair , Communication Graduate Student Forum, PSU	2013-2014
Graduate Student Representative , Hiring Committee, PSU	2013-2014
Mentor , CAS 100A Instructors Mentorship Program, PSU	2012-2013
Member , Department Technology Committee, PSU	2012-2013
President , Communication Graduate Student Forum, PSU	2012-2013
Coordinator , Staff Appreciation Potluck, PSU	2012, 2013
Volunteer , Memorial Blood Drive, PSU	2012-2014
Founding Member, Chair , Communication Graduate Student Council, TAMU	2009-2010
Volunteer , Rhetoric, Media, and the Obama Phenomenon Conference, TAMU	2010
Volunteer , The Big Event, TAMU	2010
Social Events Chair , NYC DOHMH Health Research Training Program	2009
Community Coordinator , Alpha Delta Pi	2007-2008
Tools Manager , New Orleans Katrina Rebuild Alternative Spring Break	2006, 2007

SKILLS

Computer: Dedoose, Atlas.ti, NVivo, SPSS, AMOS, LISREL, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Photoshop

Research: Interview and focus group facilitation, data analysis, public speaking skills