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**Education:**

2008 PhD, New York University College of Nursing, New York, NY

1996 MA, Nursing Education, New York University, New York, NY

1982 BSN, Nursing Science, Wagner College, Staten Island, NY

**Professional Certification**:

2009 Certified Nurse Educator, National League for Nursing, NY, NY

2015 Recertified

**Professional Experience:**

**Academia/Teaching:**

2021 -present Full Time Non-tenure Track Professor for Nursing, William Paterson University,

Wayne, NJ

2017-2021 Associate Dean, College of Professional Studies, New Jersey City

University, Jersey City, NJ

2018–2019 Interim Nursing Dept. Chair, New Jersey City

University, Jersey City, NJ

2014-2017 Associate Professor & Academic Coordinator for the BSN

Monmouth University, West Long Branch, NJ

2012-2014 Associate Professor for Nursing, William Paterson University, Wayne, NJ

2008-2011 Assistant Professor for Nursing, William Paterson University, Wayne, NJ

2007- 2008 Nursing Instructor, William Paterson University, Wayne, NJ

2003-2006 Adjunct Nursing Faculty, New York University, NY

* 1. Nursing Instructor, Division of Health Sciences,

Brookdale Community College, Lincroft, NJ

* 1. Adjunct Lecturer & Clinical Instructor, Division of Nursing,

New York University, NY

* 1. Adjunct Clinical Instructor, Nursing, Wagner College

Staten Island, NY

**Research Experience:**

2014–2018 Co-Investigator: Professional Identity, Socialization, Emotional Intelligence & Power in BSN students, Monmouth University.

2011-2012 Principle Investigator: The Inner Life of Palliative Care Patients, WPU &

JSUMC.

2005-2007 Principle Investigator: The Inner Life at the End of Life, doctoral dissertation,

New York University, NYC

2003-2006 Project Manager, Breast Cancer: Education, Counseling and Adjustment

Study, New York University, NY

* 1. Research Fellow, Long Term Illness, Quality of Life Study,

New York University, NY

**Holistic Experience:**

1994-2014 Practitioner, Therapeutic Touch, Private Practice

Fair Haven, NJ

**Community Health Experience:**

1994- 2001 Substitute School Nurse, Fair Haven, NJ

**Hospital Experience:**

1986-1992 Professional Registered Nurse, Operating Room, Cardiac Care & ICU

Monmouth Medical Center, Long Branch, NJ

* 1. Professional Registered Nurse, Operating Room

Maimonides Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY

* 1. Professional Registered Nurse, Medical Floor & Operating Room

Memorial Sloan Kettering Medical Center, NY, NY

**Licensures:**

RN NY License; RN NJ License

**Honors & Grants:**

2018 Sigma Alpha Pi, National Society of Leadership & Success Honorary Member,

NJCU, Jersey City, NJ

2017 AMCO Grant – Monmouth University, West Long Branch, NJ

2016 -2017 Dean’s Grant – Monmouth University, West Long Branch, NJ

2010-2012 Research ART Grant, William Paterson University: Inner Life at the End of Life for Palliative Care Patients.

2009-2010 Research ART Grant, William Paterson University: Inner at the End of Life for Hospice Patients, Publication & New Research Proposal.

2002 & 2004 Fred Schmidt Scholarship Award, New York University, NY

1997-Present Kappa Delta Pi National Honor Society in Education,

Beta Pi Chapter

1996- Present Sigma Theta Tau, International Honor Society of Nursing:

Upsilon Chapter

**Publications:**

McSherry, C. B. (2011). The inner life at the end of life. *The Journal of Hospice & Palliative Nursing. March/April.*

Sherman, D. W., Norman, R., & McSherry, C. B. (2010). A comparison of death anxiety and quality of life of patients with advanced cancer or AIDS and their family caregivers. *Journal of the Association of Nurses in AIDS Care, 21(*2), pgs. 99-112.

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Budin, W., Hoskins, C. N., Haber, J., Sherman, D. W., Maislin, G., Cater, J. R., Cartwright-Alcarese, F., Kowalski, M. O., McSherry C. B., Feurback, R., Shukla, S. (2008). Breast cancer education, counseling, and adjustment among patients and partners: A randomized clinical trial. *Nursing Research, 57,* 3, 199-213.

Sherman, D. W., Xiang, Y. Ye, McSherry, C. B., Parkas, V., Calabrese, M., Gatto, M. (2007). Symptom assessment of patients with advanced cancer and AIDS and their family caregivers: The results of a quality of life pilot study. *American Journal of Hospice & Palliative Medicine, 12*(24):350-366.

Sherman, D. W., Xiang, Y. Ye, McSherry, C. B., Parkas, V., Calabrese, M., Gatto, M. (2006). Quality of life of patients with advanced cancer and acquired immune deficiency syndrome and their family caregivers*. Journal of Palliative Medicine, 9*(4): 948-963.

Sherman, D. W., McSherry, C. B., Parkas, V., Xiang, Y. Ye, Calabrese, M., Gatto, M. (2005)

Recruitment and retention in a longitudinal palliative care study. *Applied Nursing Research, 18* 167-177.

Sherman, D. W., Xiang, Y. Ye, McSherry, C. B., Calabrese, M., Parkas, V., Gatto, M. (2005) Spiritual well-being as a dimension of quality of life for patients with advanced cancer

and AIDS and their family caregivers: Results of a longitudinal study. *American Journal*

*of Hospice & Palliative Care, 22*(5):349-62.

**Professional Presentations:**

Spring 2018 Podium presentation – Professional Identity Development in BSN Nursing Students – Sigma Theta Tau International Research Conference, England –June 2018

Spring 2016 Podium presentation - Emotional Intelligence, Power, Professional Socialization, and Professional Identity in BSN Students: A Literature Review - Sigma Theta Tau International Research Conference, Netherland –June 2016

Spring 2014 Podium Presentation - Inner Life of Palliative Care Patients - Sigma Theta Tau International Research conference, Sweden –June 2014

Fall 2013 Presented Research: Inner Life of Palliative Care Patients - Meridian 9th Annual

Research & Evidence-Based Practice Conference, Ann May Center for Nursing.

Summer 2013 Presented Research Inner Life of Palliative Care Patients and at End of Life –

Presented to the NORC (Naturally Occurring Resource Center), Goddard

Riverside Community Center, NYC

Fall 2012 Present Therapeutic Touch Seminar to Iota Alpha Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau,

The International Honors Society for Nursing

Summer 2012 Presented Nursing Research & Critiquing Skills to Chilton Research Council &

Staff nurses

Spring 2011 Presented Research: The Inner Life at the End of Life at the National Conference: Sixth Annual Conference of the New Jersey End-of-Life Nursing Consortium (NJ-ELNEC) Theme: Evidence Based Practice: Moving from Research to Bedside.

Spring 2010 presented Research The Inner Life at the End of Life NYU

April 2010 Keynote Speaker Annual Nursing Research Day, International Nursing Honor Society & WPU Graduate Nursing Program, William Paterson University

April 2010 Presented research: The Inner life at the End of Life at the WPU Research &

Scholarship Day

March 2009 Presented Research: The Inner Life at the End of Life at the New Jersey Nursing Convention, Atlantic City, NJ

Fall 2009 Presented Research: The Inner Life at the End of Life at St. Barnabas Health Care System, Livingston, NJ

Spring 2008 Presented Program of Research to Graduate Nursing Organization

Spring 2008 Presented Research (Guest Lecturer): The Inner Life at the End of Life to the WPU Biology Department: Anatomy & Physiology Class

Fall 2007 Lectured as a Guest at Rutgers State University on qualitative research

methods for undergraduate nursing research students

**Professional Affiliations:**

2020 – 2021 Secretary for Organization of Colleges of Nursing in New Jersey (OCN-NJ)

2018 – 2021 Membership Organization of Colleges of Nursing in New Jersey (OCN-NJ)

2009-Present National League for Nursing

2002-Present Hospice & Palliative Nurses Association

1998-Present American Nurses Association

1998- Present Sigma Theta Tau, Nursing Honors Society

1998-Present New Jersey State Nurses Association

1995-2009 Society of Rogerian Scholars, New York University, NY

2000-2010 Nurse Healers Professional Association

1998-2008 American Holistic Nurses Association

2003-2008 American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine

2001-2003 New York University Doctoral Student Organization President