

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- Ph. D. Rehabilitation Science, 2009
 College of Public Health & Health Professions, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
- M.S. Occupational Therapy, 1997
 Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI
- B.S. Therapeutic Recreation and Anthropology, 1989
 Slippery Rock University, Slippery Rock, PA

EMPLOYMENT

- 2010 – Present Post Doctoral Associate, Department of Occupational Therapy
 University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
- 2004 – 2009 Research Assistant, Department of Occupational Therapy
 University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
- 1998-2004 Occupational Therapist - Pediatric
 ARC of Palm Beach County, Riviera Beach, FL
- 1993-1994 Certified Therapeutic Recreation Specialist
 Mecklenburg County Parks & Recreation, Charlotte, NC
- 1989-1993 Certified Therapeutic Recreation Specialist
 Palm Beach County Parks & Recreation, Lake Worth, FL

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- 1995- present American Occupational Therapy Association
- 2009 – present Gerontological Society of America

LEADERSHIP & AWARDS

- 2007 University of Florida, Outstanding Research Award,
 College of Public Health & Health Professions
- 1997 Western Michigan University, Graduated Magna Cum Laude
- 1996 Western Michigan University, American Student Committee for Occupational Therapy
 (ASCOTA) delegate -1996 AOTA Annual Conference, Chicago, IL
- 1995 Western Michigan University, Pi Theta Epsilon Honor Society
- 1989 Slippery Rock University, Presidential Scholar's Award
- 1989 Slippery Rock University, Graduated Summa Cum Laude

PROFESSIONAL PUBLICATIONS / PEER-REVIEWED (PUBLISHED or IN PRESS)

Winter, S. M., Classen, S., Bédard, M., Lutz, B., Velozo, C. A., Lanford, D. N., Brumback, B. (in press). Focus group findings for a self-report Safe Driving Behavior Measure. *Canadian Journal of Occupational Therapy*.

Classen, S., **Winter, S. M.**, Velozo, C. A., Bédard, M., Lanford, D., Brumback, B., & Lutz, B. J. (2010). Item development and validity testing for a Safe Driving Behavior Measure. *American Journal of Occupational Therapy*, 64 (2), 296-305.

Morgan, C., **Winter, S.**, McCarthy, D. P., Classen, S., & Awadzi, K. D. (2009). Literature review on older adult gender differences for driving self-regulation and cessation. *Topics in Geriatric Rehabilitation*, 25(2), 99-117.

Classen, S., **Winter, S.**, & Lopez, E.D.S. (2009). Meta-synthesis of qualitative studies on older driver safety and mobility. *The Occupational Therapy Journal of Research: Occupation, Participation and Health*, 29(1), 24-31.

Classen, S., **Winter, S.**, Awadzi, K. D., Garvan, C. W., Lopez, E. D. S., & Sundaram, S. (2008). Psychometric testing of SPIDER: Data capture tool for systematic literature reviews. *American Journal of Occupational Therapy*, 62, 335-348.

Classen, S., Lopez, E.D.S., **Winter, S.**, Awadzi, K., Ferree, N., & Garvan, C.W. (2007). Population-based health promotion perspective for older driver safety: Conceptual framework to intervention plan. *Clinical Interventions in Aging*, 2 (4), 677-693.

Classen, S., Garvan, C., Awadzi, K., Sundaram, S., **Winter, S.**, Lopez, E. D.S, & Ferree, N. (2006). Systematic literature review and model for older driver safety. *Topics in Geriatric Rehabilitation*, 22(2), 87-98.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

Classen, S., McCarthy, D., **Winter, S.**, Awadzi, K., & Lanford, D. Driving Research Informing Occupational Therapy Practice. Workshop presented at the Florida Occupational Therapy Association Annual Conference. February 29 & March 1st, 2008. Gainesville, Florida.

Mann, W., Velozo, C., Classen, S., Davenport, R., & **Winter, S.** AOTA/ AOTF pre-conference institute: Linking science, education and practice: An ongoing series to foster scholarly work in occupational therapy. American Occupational Therapy Annual Conference. April 26-30, 2006. Charlotte, North Carolina.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

Classen, S., Lanford, D.N., Shechtman, O., Velozo, C., Schold Davis, E., Bedard, M., & **Winter, S.** Driving and community mobility: Informing and modeling an emerging practice with evidence to meet societal need. Institute for the 90th American Occupational Therapy Annual Conference. April 28, 2010: Orlando, Florida.

Winter, S., Classen, S., Bédard, M. Lutz, B. J., Velozo, C. A., Lanford, D. N., & Brumback, B. Focus groups contributing to development of a Safe Driving Behavior Measure. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America's 62nd Annual Scientific Meeting, November 2009, Atlanta, Georgia.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS continued

Winter, S., Morgan, C., Classen, S., McCarthy, D. P. & Awadzi, K. D. Evidence-based recommendations for addressing gender differences in driving self-regulation or cessation by older adults. Poster presented at the American Occupational Therapy Association Annual Conference. April 22-26, 2009. Houston, Texas.

Winter, S., Morgan, C., Classen, S. & McCarthy, D. P. Review of gender differences in older adults' driving self-regulation and cessation. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America's 61st Annual Scientific Meeting. November 21-25, 2008, National Harbor, Maryland.

Winter, S. & Classen, S. Critical review of older adults' self-regulation driving strategies. Poster presented at the International Conference on Aging, Disability and Independence. February 21-23, 2008, St. Petersburg, Florida.

Winter, S., Classen, S., & Lopez, E.D.S. Qualitative meta-synthesis examining older driver and stakeholder safety perspectives. Poster presented at the American Occupational Therapy Association Annual Conference. April 20-23, 2007, St. Louis, Missouri.

Classen, S., Awadzi, K., & **Winter, S.,** Systematic literature review and structural model for older driver safety. Short course presented at the American Occupational Therapy Association Annual Conference. April 26-30, 2006, Charlotte, North Carolina.

Winter, S., Classen, S., Lopez, E. Qualitative synthesis of stakeholder perspectives on older driver safety: A pilot study. Poster presented at the International Conference on Aging, Disability and Independence. February 1-4, 2006, St. Petersburg, Florida.

Classen, S., Awadzi, K., **Winter, S.,** Sundaram, S., Garvan, C., & Komaragiri, V. A systematic literature review for older driver safety: An evidence-based public health model. Paper presented at the International Conference on Aging, Disability and Independence. February 1-4, 2006, St. Petersburg, Florida.

Classen, S., Awadzi, K., **Winter, S.,** Sundaram, S., Garvan, C., & Komaragiri, V. Determinants of older driver safety: A public health perspective. Poster presented at the International Conference on Aging, Disability and Independence. February 1-4, 2006, St. Petersburg, Florida.

Winter, S., Classen, S., Garvan, C., Komaragiri, V., Awadzi, K., Sundaram, S., Qualitative meta-synthesis of person and stakeholder perspectives on safe driving and aging. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America's 58th Annual Scientific Meeting. November 18-22, 2005, Orlando, Florida.

Classen, S., Awadzi, K., **Winter, S.,** Sundaram, S., Garvan, C., & Komaragiri, V. Systematic literature review and structural model for older driver safety. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of 58th Annual Scientific Meeting. November 18-22, 2005, Orlando, Florida.

Winter, S. & Portera-Vaughn, R. Potentials Charter School: An innovative program for physically impaired students. Short course presented at the American Occupational Therapy Association Annual Conference. May 2-5, 2002, Miami, Florida.

CURRENT FUNDED RESEARCH

FDOT CP10-04-20 (Mann, Project Director) 01/12/10-09/30/2010 Effort 25%

Direct Costs: \$45,455.00

Florida Department of Transportation (sponsor); Elder Road User Information System - This project will extend the Florida Senior Safety Resource Center database to ensure increased usability, dissemination of knowledge of its existence, and a maintenance plan for sustainability of the database.

Role: Research staff

(R21) 1R21AG031717- 01 (Classen, PI) 5/01/2008 - 04/30/2010 Effort: 50%

Direct Costs: \$233,330.00

NIH: NIA (sponsor); Community Participation in Developing a Measure for Safe Older Driver Behaviors - Using converging evidence and community participation we will develop and pilot test a safe driving behaviors measure for older adults with potential for public health application.

Role: Graduate Research Assistant (2008 - 2009) / Post Doctoral Associate (2010)

COMPLETED FUNDED RESEARCH

K01 CE000497-01 (Classen, PI) 9/30/2004 - 9/29/2007 Effort: 50%

Direct Costs: \$ 455, 237. 00

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (sponsor); (CDC) K-01 Career Development Award - Based on the Precede-Proceed Model of Health Promotion this project developed a model to promote safe elder driving.

Role: Graduate Research Assistant

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Guest lecturer on Occupational Therapy and Public Health for PHC 6601- Seminar in Contemporary Public Health Issues course, Spring 2008, Master in Public Health Program, College of Public Health and Health Professions, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL

Guest lecturer on Health Promotion, Prevention and Wellness for graduate course OTH 5002 - Foundations of Occupational Therapy, Summer 2005, 2006, & 2007, Department of Occupational Therapy, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL

Guest lecturer on Activity Analysis for graduate course OTH 5002, Summer 2005, Department of Occupational Therapy, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL

Guest lecturer on Professional Behavior/Cultural Competence & Respecting Diversity for graduate course OTH 5002, Summer 2005, Department of Occupational Therapy, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL

MENTORED TRAINEES / DISTANCE LEARNING MASTER'S PROGRAM (UF)

1. Ellen Meekins, OTR (2010). Lateral elbow tendinopathy: Best practice within occupational therapy.
2. Angelina Marino, OTR (2010). Fall prevention in the elderly: An evidenced based literature review and plan for implementation.
3. Jennifer Bertram, OTR (2008). Community-based education to enhance parental understanding and promotion of typical development.
4. Helen Kovacs, OTR (2005). Using spiritual interventions in long-term care: Occupational therapy to improve patient satisfaction and quality of living.