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EDUCATION

2010-2011	Texas Christian University, School of Nursing	Fort Worth, TX
	• Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP), August 2011	
2003-2005	Texas Christian University, School of Nurse Anesthesia, Fort Worth Texas	Fort Worth, TX
	• Masters in Nurse Anesthesia (MSNA), December 2005	
Activities:		
• Student member of the American Association of Nurse Anesthetists		
1997-2002	University of Louisiana at Lafayette	Lafayette, LA
	• Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN), May 2002	
Honors and Activities:		
• Outstanding Graduate in the School of Nursing Award Recipient		
• President Sigma Nu National Fraternity		
• Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society Member		

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2021-Present	Program Director: Franciscan Missionaries of Our Lady University	Baton Rouge, LA
	• DNP-NA Program Director	
	• Assistant Professor	
	• Didactic Experience- ANES-7450- Principles of Anesthesia Practice IV; NURS-7370- Translational Research; ANES 7800 DNP Project Chair; ANES-7375 Principles of Anesthesia III	
2020-2021	Faculty: Franciscan Missionaries of Our Lady University	Baton Rouge, LA
	• Assistant Professor	
	• Didactic Experience- ANES-7450- Principles of Anesthesia Practice IV; NURS-7370- Translational Research; ANES 7800 DNP Project Chair; ANES-7340-Anesthesia Skills Lab	
2006- Present	Parish Management Consultants (Staff CRNA/PRN)	Baton Rouge, LA
	• Provides clinical services as a CRNA. This includes delivering individualized anesthesia to high acuity patient populations from neonatal to geriatric and all ASA classifications and coordinating with all surgical services, including obstetrics.	
	• Experienced with the placement of arterial and venous access catheters as well as a member of the cardiovascular anesthesia team.	
	• Provides offsite anesthesia in a wide range of locations, including cardiac catheterization labs, MRI, ECTs, GI, and other locations.	
	• Participates in the training of SRNAs, medical students, and internal medicine residents in the delivery of anesthesia and the management of the airway.	
	• Participates in pain care services, provides therapeutic and diagnostic procedures, and shares on-call general OR and Heart Team call responsibilities with anesthesia staff when needed.	
2015-2020	Parish Management Consultants (Chief CRNA)	Baton Rouge, LA
	• Management of nurse anesthesia services in collaboration with departments of anesthesia, surgery, and nursing administration.	
	• Developed and interpreted organizational policies for budgets and personnel.	

- Assumed responsibility for safe and proper operation and quality control of equipment, techniques, and procedures.
- Analyzed and evaluated activities to ensure established quality patient care.

2007-2020	Texas Christian University Adjunct Faculty for Nurse Anesthesia Residents Baton Rouge, La	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Functioned as an instructor and mentor for nurse anesthesia students. • Facilitated clinical experiences. 	
2002-2003	Southwest Medical Center Registered Nurse	Lafayette, La
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intensive Care Nursing • Specializing in cardiovascular recovery 	

Licensure/Certifications

- Advanced Practice Registered Nurse, Louisiana
- Registered Nurse, Louisiana
- Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist
- Advanced Cardiac Life Support
- Pediatric Advanced Life Support
- Healthcare Provider (CPR)

Professional Organizations

- American Association of Nurse Anesthetists (2005-present)
- Louisiana Association of Nurse Anesthetists (2005-present)

Committees/ Boards

- Past-President Louisiana Association of Nurse Anesthesiology (2024-2025)
- President Louisiana Association of Nurse Anesthesiology (2023-2024)
- President-Elect Louisiana Association of Nurse Anesthetists (2022-2023)
- Louisiana Association of Nurse Anesthetists Board of Directors (2019-present)
- FRANU Graduate Council Chair 2023-2024
- FRANU Graduate Council 2021-present
- FRANU Faculty Senate
- FRANU Academic Review Council 2023-2024
- FRANU Graduate Nursing
- FRANU MSNS Advisory Council 2022- Present
- FRANU Nursing Advisory Council 2022-Present
- FRANU Advisory Board for Franciscan Center for Professional Development

DNP Scholarly Project Presentation

- 2010: Development of a Proposed Practice Guideline: *The Use of Disposable Monitoring Equipment Throughout the Perioperative Setting*, Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, TX

Podium Presentations

- 2023: Podium presentation: Pharmacologic Management of the Cardiovascular Patient, French Quarter Festival Anesthesia Update, New Orleans, La
- 2017: Association of Perioperative Registered Nurses- Baton Rouge Chapter *Anesthetic Management of Malignant Hyperthermia*, Baton Rouge Medical Center, Baton Rouge, LA

Professional Development

- Completion and Certificate of Proficiency from Maverick Medical Education Course: *Point of Care Ultrasound (POCUS) with Vascular Access*
- Completion of NBCRNA Item Writing Courses
- Completion of Elsevier Research Academy's Certified Peer Reviewer Course

- Editorial Board for FranU Nurse Anesthesiology Journal
- Peer Reviewer for Journal of Nurse Anesthesia Education – www.jnae.scholasticahq.com
- Completion of the Didactic Educator Micro-credential from the American Association of Nurse Anesthesiology