CURRICULUM VITAE

**Autumn Asher BlackDeer, PhD, MSW**

*Tsistsistas* - Southern Cheyenne Nation

Graduate School of Social Work | University of Denver

[a2blackdeer@gmail.com](mailto:a2blackdeer@gmail.com) | [www.autumnasherblackdeer.com](http://www.autumnasherblackdeer.com)

[Shape

Description automatically generated with low confidence](https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=agQpubQAAAAJ&hl=en)[Icon

Description automatically generated](https://orcid.org/0000-0001-6122-3687)[](https://twitter.com/DrBlackDeer)

**Education**

**2022 Doctor of Philosophy in Social Work**

Washington University in St. Louis, Brown School of Social Work

**2017 Master of Social Work**

University of Oklahoma – Tulsa, Zarrow School of Social Work

**2015 Bachelor of Arts, Psychology**

Arkansas Tech University

**Professional Interests**

* American Indian, Alaska Native, and Indigenous communities
* Decolonization, collective liberation, abolition, and anti-racism
* Manifestations of structural violence: interpersonal violence, mental health,

substance use, maternal child health, reproductive justice, Indigenous child welfare

**Academic and Professional Experience**

**2022 – Present Assistant Professor**

University of Denver, Graduate School of Social Work

***Faculty Affiliate***

Interdisciplinary Research Institute for the Study of (in)Equality (IRISE)

***Faculty Affiliate***

Center for Community Engagement to Advance Scholarship and Learning

**2021 – Present Buder Center Faculty Associate**

WUSTL, Buder Center for American Indian Studies

**2020 – 2022 Adjunct Assistant Professor**

Smith College, School for Social Work

**2021 – 2022 Course Coordinator – Critical and Decolonial Research Methods**

Smith College, School for Social Work

**2021 – 2022 Graduate Student Affiliate**

WUSTL, Center for the Study of Race, Ethnicity, and Equity

**2018 – 2020 Teaching Fellow**

WUSTL, Brown School of Social Work

**Publications**

**Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2023). Violence, Trauma, and Colonialism: A Structural Approach to Understanding the Policy Landscape of Indigenous Reproductive Justice. *Journal of Trauma and Dissociation.* <https://doi.org/10.1080/15299732.2023.2212402>

Helton, J., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Banks, K., Pousson, M., & Gilbert, K. (2023). Racial Discrimination of Adolescents with Special Healthcare Needs.*Journal of Adolescent Health.* <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jadohealth.2023.02.038>

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2023). Culture as Treatment: A Pathway toward Indigenous Health Equity. *Healthy Populations Journal.* <https://doi.org/10.15273/hpj.v3i1.11479>

Gillani, B., Cohen, F., Kirchgesler, K. & **Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2023). Sites of Possibility: A Scoping Review to Investigate the Mentorship of Marginalized Social Work Doctoral Students. *Journal of Evidence-Based Social Work.* <https://doi.org/10.1080/26408066.2023.2171328>

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** & Gandarilla Ocampo, M. (2022). #SocialWorkSoWhite: A Critical Perspective on Settler Colonialism, White Supremacy, and Social Justice in Social Work. *Advances in Social Work, 22*(2), pp. 720-740. <https://doi.org/10.18060/24986>

Gandarilla Ocampo, M. & **Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2022). We Deserve to Thrive: Transforming the Social Work Academy to Better Support BIPOC Doctoral Students. *Advances in Social Work, 22*(2), pp. 703-719. <https://doi.org/10.18060/24987>

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2022). *Protecting Native Motherhood: A Longitudinal Investigation of Interpersonal Violence Among Alaska Native Women.* (Doctoral dissertation, Washington University in St. Louis).Available from ProQuest Dissertations & Theses Global. [https://www.proquest.com/dissertations-theses/protecting-native-motherhood](https://www.proquest.com/dissertations-theses/protecting-native-motherhood-longitudinal/docview/2659094598/se-2?accountid=13911)

**Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Patterson Silver Wolf, D. A., Beeler, S., & Van Schuyver, J. (2022). Behavioral Health Programs and Initiatives at Tribal Colleges and Universities: A Scoping Review. *Tribal College: Journal of American Indian Higher Education, 33(4).* [https://tribalcollegejournal.org/behavioral-health](https://tribalcollegejournal.org/behavioral-health-programs-and-initiatives-at-tribal-colleges-and-universities-a-scoping-review/)

**Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Beeler, S., Patterson Silver Wolf, D. A., & Van Schuyver, J. (2021). HBCUs Matter: A Review of Behavioral Health at Historically Black Colleges and Universities. *Journal of Black Studies.* <https://doi.org/10.1177/00219347211060540>

**Asher BlackDeer, A.**, Patterson Silver Wolf, D., Maguin, E., & Beeler, S. (2021). Depression and Anxiety among College Students: Understanding the Impact on Grade Average and Differences in Gender and Ethnicity. *Journal of American College Health.* <https://doi.org/10.1080/07448481.2021.1920954>

Patterson Silver Wolf, D.A., Dulmus, C.A., Wilder, G., Barczykowski, A.,Yu, J., Beeler, S., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Rodriquez, N., & Harvey, S. (2021*).* Profiles and Predictors of Treatment-Resistant Opioid Use Disorder (TROUD): A Secondary Data Analysis of Treatment Episode Data Set’s 2017 Admissions. *Alcoholism Treatment Quarterly.* <https://doi.org/10.1080/07347324.2021.1895015>

Gallegos-Riofrio, C. A., Waters, W. F., Carrasco, A. M., Riofrio, L. A., Pintag, M., Caranqui, M., Caranqui, J., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** & Iannotti, L. (2021). Caliata: Vital Lessons from a Small Indigenous Community in Ecuador on Food Sovereignty and Sustainable Diets. *Current Developments in Nutrition.* <https://doi.org/10.1093/cdn/nzab009>

**Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Patterson Silver Wolf, D. A., Beeler, S., & Duran, B., (2020). Substance Use and Interpersonal Violence: Exploring Potential Threats to Underrepresented Minority Students’ Academic Success. *Journal of College Student Retention: Research, Theory & Practice.* [https://doi.org/10.1177/1521025120911638](https://doi.org/10.1177%2F1521025120911638)

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** & Patterson Silver Wolf, D. (2020). Evidence Mapping: Interventions for American Indian and Alaska Native Youth Mental Health. *Journal of Evidence-Based Social Work, 17*(1), 49-62.<https://doi.org/10.1080/26408066.2019.1624237>

Patterson Silver Wolf, D., **Asher BlackDeer, A.**, Beeler, Zheng, K., & Stazrad, K. (2020). Performance-Based Practice: Clinical Dashboards for Addiction Treatment Retention. *Research on Social Work Practice.* [https://doi.org/10.1177/1049731520972798](https://doi.org/10.1177%2F1049731520972798)

Patterson Silver Wolf, D.A., Ramsey, A.T., Epstein, J., Beeler, S., & **Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2020). Bridges to Sobriety: Testing the Feasibility and Acceptability of a Mobile App Designed to Supplement an Adolescent Substance Abuse Treatment Program. *Clinical Social Work Journal,* 1-8. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10615-020-00765-w>

Patterson Silver Wolf, D., Taylor, F., Maguin, E., & **Asher BlackDeer, A**. (2019). You Are College Material – You Belong: An Underrepresented-Minority Student Retention Intervention Without Deception. *Journal of College Student Retention: Research, Theory & Practice.* <https://doi.org/10.1177/1521025119848749>

**In Press\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Gillani, B., Cohen, F., & Vogel, M. (*In Press*). A Tale of Two Mentees: Conceptualizing Academic Mentorship through Systems Thinking. *Journal of Social Work Education.*

Bryer, C., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Gillani, B., & Lewis, J. (*In Press*). Theoretical Approaches to Disrupting Historical Trauma among Indigenous Queer and Two Spirit Elders. *Healthy Populations Journal.*

**Under Review\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2023*, under review*). Unsettling Feminism in Social Work: The Indigenous Decolonial Feminist Framework.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** & Beeler, S. (2022, *under review*). Decolonizing Big Data: Addressing Data Colonialism in Social Work’s Grand Challenges.

Beeler, S., Gerrish, O., Aldred, B., & **Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2023, *under review*). Histories of Violence among Clients Seeking Substance Use Disorder Treatment: A Systematic Mapping Review.

**Editorial Reviewed Book Chapters\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2023). The Mission of Social Work.In T. Alito, A. Kelemen, V. Leff, & A. Moore Patneaude (Eds.) *Mirrors and Windows: Reflections on the Journey in Serious Illness Practice.* [ISBN: 979-8370034343](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B0BW2CNP1F)

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2022). Exemplifying Person-In-Environment: Highlighting Indigenous Resilience. In M. Berg-Weger and V. Murugan (Eds.) *Social Work and Social Welfare An Invitation.* (6th ed.) Routledge. <https://doi.org/10.4324/9781003182160>

Beeler, S., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** & Patterson Silver Wolf, D. (2022). Reducing Harmful Alcohol Use: Integrating a Screening and Brief Interventions into Routine Social Work Practice. In L. Rapp-McCall, A. Roberts, & K. Corcoran (Eds.) *Social Workers’ Desk Reference.* (4th ed.) Oxford University Press. [ISBN: 9780190095543.](https://global.oup.com/academic/product/social-workers-desk-reference-9780190095543?cc=us&lang=en&)

Beeler, S., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** & Patterson Silver Wolf, D. (2022). Substance Use Disorders: Overview, Special Populations, and Treatment Considerations. In L. Rapp-McCall, A. Roberts, & K. Corcoran (Eds.) *Social Workers’ Desk Reference.* (4th ed.) Oxford University Press. [ISBN: 9780190095543.](https://global.oup.com/academic/product/social-workers-desk-reference-9780190095543?cc=us&lang=en&)

**In Press\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Asher BlackDeer, A**. (*In Press*).Decolonial Social Work from an Indigenous Perspective. *Indigenization Discourse in Social Work: International Perspectives.* Springer.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (*In Press*). Indigenous Principles. In J. Creswell Báez (Section Ed.). Issues of Equity. In J. Salvo and Ulmer (Eds.), *Routledge Resources Online - Qualitative Research Methods.* Routledge. [Invited and Peer Reviewed].

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (*In Press*). Decolonizing LGBTQ2S+ Studies. *The SAGE Encyclopedia of LGBTQ Studies, 2nd Edition.* [Invited and Peer Reviewed].

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (*In Press*). Indigenous Sexualities. *The SAGE Encyclopedia of LGBTQ Studies, 2nd Edition.* [Invited and Peer Reviewed].

Gillani, B., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** & Cohen, F. (*In Press*). Remedying the Foundation of Social Work Education: Towards an Actionable Anti-Racist Pedagogy. *Social Work, White Supremacy, and Racial Justice: Reckoning with Our History, Interrogating our Present, Re-Imagining our Future. Volume 4: Strategies for Achieving Racial Justice in Social Work Educations.*

**Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Cohen, F., & Gillani, B. (*In Press*). Transitioning into young adulthood when living with marginalized social identities and locations in a hierarchical environment. *Multidimensional Human Behavior in the Complex Social Environment.* Cognella.

**Under Review\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

Harty, J., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Gandarilla Ocampo, M. & Grinnell-Davis, C. (*Under Review*). Abolition: The Missing Link in Historical Efforts to Address Racism and Colonialism within the Profession of Social Work. In C. Rasmussen, M. Kim, & D. M. Washington Sr. (Eds.) *Abolitionist Social Work: Possibilities, Paradox, and Praxis.* Haymarket Press.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (*Under Review*). Decolonizing Qualitative Research in Gender and Sexuality.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (*Under Review*). Decolonizing Data: The Movement for Indigenous Data Sovereignty.

**Public Impact Scholarship**

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Speaker. [*Decolonization: Pathways to Healing from Racial Trauma.*](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2E8HUBRXaVg) Global to Local Racial Justice, University of Buffalo School of Social Work. (2023, April).

**Asher BlackDeer, A**. Invited Speaker. [*A Conversation on Decolonization.*](https://l.facebook.com/l.php?u=https%3A%2F%2Fwidener.zoom.us%2Frec%2Fshare%2FyHZUyBHR2I4cZlHpDLDffkD75IQJmGu919OLKzh1C9X4DwrkFhc9efMq_LV8hhsX.9P23fjdd4ZCg2-uC%3Ffbclid%3DIwAR1eixeZKS47qg8Y0LEzidKhSLfFkUtsrwdC0-VnXLiKSi8QGe4XK7ImcQg&h=AT235DMXNEvN5P7nt82Fj8DLuukuA55LJOPAZkpNm3MhaUDqg7gxjTImgj4XymDj9AkjO9Pqx1ZSWbtLa6ujsR1VgZUn1V7CjQknM3A7Ht1rmmPJXJoSsDgo0r_iYx0winrMvfgEtg9WlrFsoVAe&__tn__=-UK-R&c%5b0%5d=AT24o2-KdUo6EydJIihtzxNlh8Df4rcxyiIeEcvHG3fmXYVeprCUx47ZiusO9H6pA_9JgsS7SK_3RwKhdnF3jC4jqripakaZR7edHHThRxb7MtrtrZslRo6qzR6UXHxBKh6A_DXvsltp4GhcPKESH5CptV6xv7v17J2OwOWj9tLati7MVSlF) Widener University, Center for Social Work Education. (2023, February).

Solís, J. (2023). Scholarship Interview. [*Dr. BlackDeer Confronts #SocialWorkSoWhite.*](https://www.thebodypro.com/article/dr-blackdeer-confronts-socialworksowhite) TheBody.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Podcast Interview. [*Decolonizing Social Science Methods.*](https://open.spotify.com/episode/4hDMDhDMmhepb1tmWX48Dz?si=rZP3eZxJRdOb_KY9dPPX_A)Included: The Disability Equity Podcast. John Hopkins University Disability Health Research Center. (2023, February).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Radio Interview. [*Indigenous Motherhood: Violence Against Native Women, Mental Health, and Substance Use*.](https://www.facebook.com/NativeRootsRadioImAwake/videos/1049722412389445) Native Roots Radio Presents: I’m Awake. (2022, October).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Public Memorial and Remembrance. [*Re-membering 1864: From Fort Chambers to Sand Creek…The Future is NOW.*](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001rdKNszELCL1jEJo89C2UXvqT5EmHuMRQykOAoF6DVTYeryVH1VMWNWxnxCJZXMfFKwzRhljVBABSkB7wMX0VaKTmKspK6nKFsClDK4Q9oQWlr8kneI5s7IUw1YyXy_xEavkFMknQTWrKyK0vixHkxQ==&c=dB3XPm3haO9E1fBl7VAH4-jewzimJgNTDdnZMHrbon_xIsl0MSRVZw==&ch=iZcZwrJgMbbj7ymJhW4TcITzA-Qb5Fs69twnMvZk1f7E6IiFCpYcAQ==) Dairy Arts Center. Produced by Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes of Oklahoma, the Remembrance Planning Circle, and Culture in Place, in partnership with Creative Nations Arts Collective. (2022, October).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Podcast Interview. [*A Social Worker’s Guide to Decolonizing the Field of Social Work.*](https://www.insocialwork.org/a-social-workers-guide-to-decolonizing-the-field-of-social-work/) In Social Work Podcast. (2022, August).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Speaker. [*Intergenerational Impacts of Trauma: Interpersonal Violence and Involvement with Child Welfare Among Alaska Native Women*](https://wustl.zoom.us/rec/play/RSArQBfri3N8ua0NyupxGG6R1Qq_n6jaowyu8g0lb4Wj46jOsw5QAWt6XzaLLU53IjrywZI56PLDAX9W.z7jj4bg-xpdDLC_W?continueMode=true&_x_zm_rtaid=cJSXK6nKQrWDUBtceYVCnA.1650294032733.bd6ed0206d8abc44772840de9691f059&_x_zm_rhtaid=630)*.* CICM Brown Bag Presentation. Center for Innovation in Child Maltreatment Policy, Research, and Training, Washington University in St. Louis. (2022, April).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Speaker. [*Decolonizing Data: A Quantitative Native Approach to Indigenous Mental Health and Higher Education.*](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=okE2B8YvBMw) QSIDE Colloquium. Institute for the Quantitative Study of Inclusion, Diversity, and Equity. (2021, October).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Podcast Interview. [*Indigenous Data Sovereignty*](https://open.spotify.com/episode/4MhzZGxkHcQKVrdGL5BCfx?si=4KwKXRMORqSYscXbqZgFhQ&dl_branch=1)*.* Equity Matters Podcast. (2021, October).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Speaker. [*Disrupting Clinical Colonization: Examining Culture within the DSM through the Lens of Indigenous Mental Health*.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=haGcRzZScRU) Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in Education and Mental Health Webinar Series. Technology in Training, Education, and Consultation Lab (U-TTEC), The University of Utah School Psychology. (2021, October).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Speaker. [*From Settler Colonialism to Self-Determination: An Indigenous Perspective on Decolonizing Social Work*.](https://www.bu.edu/ssw/about/explorebussw/social-justice/equity-inclusion-speaker-series/?fbclid=IwAR14wv82F7BOymoFpG8CqI-jYOxR9i_1ARJJuDHz8v7QWTH2_PFydXRNx-8) Equity and Inclusion Speaker Series. Boston University School of Social Work. (2021, March).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Public Service Announcement. [*Pride and Racial Justice.*](https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=3221026411293737) ATTN:. (2020, June).

**AsherBlackDeer, A.** Public Service Announcement. [*Native American Women Speak Out About Sexual Assault.*](https://archive.attn.com/videos/18857/native-american-women-speak-out-about-sexual-assault) ATTN:. (2017, July).

**Keynote Presentations**

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Keynote Speaker. *Decolonizing Queering: Addressing Compound Colonialism in Queer Studies.* LGBTQ Research Symposium, Center for LGBTQ+ Research and Advocacy, University of Kansas School of Social Welfare. (2023, June).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Keynote Speaker. *Decolonizing Therapy: Centering Liberation for Collective Healing.* ClinicianFest 2023 Virtual Conference. (2023, May).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Keynote Speaker. *Why We Wear Red: MMIP and the Need for Intersectionality.* University of North Carolina, Charlotte. Sexual Assault Awareness Month, Take Back the Night Event. (2023, April).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Opening Keynote Speaker. *Telling the Full Story: Supporting Student Belonging through Behavioral Health and Violence Prevention.* NASPA Strategies Conference, Kansas City, MO. (2023, January).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Closing Keynote Speaker. *Indigenous Motherhood: Violence Against Native Women, Mental Health, and Substance Use*. Proof Alliance, ProofCON Pro. (2022, October).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** OpeningKeynote Speaker. *Decolonizing Social Work: Uprooting Settler Colonialism and White Supremacy in Social Work.* Society for Social Work Leadership in Health Care (SSWLHC). 57th Annual Conference, Nashville, TN. (2022, October).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Closing Keynote Speaker. *Decolonizing Mental Health: Indigenous Perspectives on Culture and Colonialism.* 2022 Mental Health Equity and Liberation Summit. No More Martyrs. (2022, July).

Lee, E. Chung, S. Patneaude, A., Broussard, S. & **Asher BlackDeer, A.** Keynote Panel. *Decolonizing Palliative & Hospice Social Work Practice: Unpacking the legacy of white supremacy and building new paradigms in education, clinical practice, research and beyond.* Social Work Hospice and Palliative Care Network (SWHPN) General Assembly. (2022, April).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Keynote Speaker. *Indigenizing Health Equity: American Indian and Alaska Native Youth Mental Health.* Mental Health and Health Equity for BIPOC Communities, Anti-Racism Virtual Summit. SWHelper. (2022, March).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Keynote Speaker. *Intergenerational Trauma in Migrant Communities.* UnDocuWeek. Center for Service and Community Engagement, Saint Louis University. (2022, March).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Keynote Address. *We Believe: An Indigenous Scholar’s Educational Journey.* Native American College and Career Fair. Redlands Community College, El Reno, Oklahoma. Sponsored by the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes of Oklahoma. (2018, November).

**Presentations**

**Peer-Reviewed Presentations\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2023, January). Investigating Intergenerational Trauma: Alaska Native Mothers’ Experiences of Interpersonal Violence and Involvement with the Child Welfare System. Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) 27th Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ.

Harty, J., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** & Gandarilla Ocampo, M. (2023, January). *Is Antiracism in Social Work Doomed to Fail? A Roundtable on Interrogating Antiracism through Critical Colonialism.* Roundtable accepted at the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) 27th Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ.

Beeler-Stinn, S., Bourdon, J., **Asher BlackDeer, A**., & Patterson Silver Wolf, P. (2023, January). *Recovery Capital and Assessment: A Scoping Review and Implications for Community-Based Programming.* Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) 27th Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ.

Cohen, F., Gillani, B., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Gandarilla Ocampo, M. & Hamler, T. (2022, November). *Mentorship for Marginalized Doctoral Students in Social Work.* Roundtable accepted at the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) Annual Program Meeting\*.

Aquino-Adriatico, G., Flores, A., Adams, V., Mangum, L., & **Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2022, November). *“If not now, when?”: Racially Diverse Women Doctoral Students on Transforming Social Work Education.* Roundtable accepted at the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) Annual Program Meeting.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2022, November). *Indigenous Health Equity.* Roundtable accepted at the American Public Health Association (APHA) Annual Meeting and Expo\*.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2022, November). *Culture as Treatment: Decolonizing Research through the Lens of Indigenous Mental Health.* Paper accepted at the American Public Health Association (APHA) Annual Meeting and Expo\*.

Harty, J., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** & Gandarilla Ocampo, M. (2022, January). *Is Antiracism in Social Work Doomed to Fail? A Roundtable on Interrogating Antiracism through Critical Colonialism.* Roundtable accepted at the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) 26th Annual Conference\*.

Graham, L., McCauley, H., Rizo, C. F., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** & Macy, R. (2022, January). *Strengths-Focused Sexual and Intimate Partner Violence Prevention: Current Approaches and Future Directions.* Roundtable accepted at the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) 26th Annual Conference\*.

Gandarilla Ocampo, M., Beeler-Stinn, S., & **Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2021, November). *What’s in a name?: Social Work Towards a More Equitable Profession.* Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) Annual Program Meeting\*.

Mangum, L., Aquino, G., Flores, A., & **Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2021, November). *Reimagining Cultural Consciousness: Enhancing Doctoral Education for Underrepresented Racially Diverse Students.* Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) Annual Program Meeting\*[[1]](#footnote-1).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Gillani B., Cohen, F., & Vogel, M. T. (2021, July). *A Tale of Two Mentees: Conceptualizing Academic Mentorship Through Systems Thinking.* Paper presented at the International System Dynamics Conference. Chicago, IL, virtually due to COVID-19 global pandemic.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Patterson Silver Wolf, D., Beeler-Stinn, S., & Van Schuyver, J. (2021, January). *Behavioral Health at Tribal Colleges and Universities: A Scoping Review.* Paper presented at the Society for Social Work and Research 25th Annual Conference, virtually due to COVID-19 global pandemic.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Beeler-Stinn, S., Patterson Silver Wolf, D. & Van Schuyver, J. (2021, January). *Behavioral Health at Historically Black Colleges and Universities: A Scoping Review*. Paper presented at the Society for Social Work and Research 25th Annual Conference, virtually due to COVID-19 global pandemic.

Patterson Silver Wolf, D., Zheng, K., Beeler-Stinn, S., & **Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2021, January). *Increasing treatment retention: A pilot study measuring the impact of a clinical dashboard tool.* Paper presented at the Society for Social Work and research 25th Annual Conference, virtually due to COVID-19 global pandemic.

Beeler-Stinn, S., Jonson-Reid, M., **Asher BlackDeer, A**., Patterson Silver Wolf, D., & Cobetto, C. (2021, January). *Understanding Caregiver Criminal Justice Involvement and the impact on Child Outcomes.* Paper presented at the Society for Social Work and research 25th Annual Conference, virtually due to COVID-19 global pandemic.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2020, November). *Seeds vs. Soil – Improving the Campus Climate for Underrepresented Minority Students*. Paper presented at the Council on Social Work Education’s 66th Annual Program Meeting, virtually due to COVID-19 global pandemic.

Patterson Silver Wolf, D. A., & **Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2020, January). *Reducing Racial Inequality through Educational Attainment: A Random Control Trial Measuring Retention among Underrepresented Minority College Students*. Paper presented at the Society for Social Work and Research’s 24th Annual Conference, Washington, DC.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.,** & Patterson Silver Wolf, D. A. (2020, January). *Mapping the Interventions for American Indian and Alaska Native Youth Mental Health*. Paper presented at the Society for Social Work and Research’s 24th Annual Conference, Washington, DC.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.,** & Morrison, M. (2019, October). *From Zero to Hero: Student Strategies for Conquering the Fear of Statistics.* Paper presented at the Council on Social Work Education’s 65th Annual Program Meeting, Denver, CO.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2019, October). *Evidence Mapping: Interventions for American Indian and Alaska Native Youth Mental Health*. Paper presented at the Council on Social Work Education’s 65th Annual Program Meeting, Denver, CO.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Hovmand, P., & Fowler, P. (2019, July). *Psychological Resilience from a Feedback Perspective.* Paper presented at the 37th International Conference of the System Dynamics Society, Albuquerque, NM.

Wang, S., Busmann, S., Qiu, P., Pritchard, S., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** McBride, T., Fowler, P., & Hovmand, P. (2019, July). *Economic Consequences of Relationship and Sexual Violence on College Campuses.* Paper presented at the 37th International Conference of the System Dynamics Society, Albuquerque, NM.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Hovmand, P., Chew, K., Zhou, K., Fowler, P., & Auslander, W. (2019, January). *Resiliency from a Feedback Perspective*. Poster presented at the Society for Social Work and Research’s 22nd Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA.

Hovmand, P., Zhou, K., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Chew, K., Pritchard, S., Cheng, S.Y., Kuhlberg, J., & Fowler, P. (2018, August). *Relationship and Sexual Violence Prevention.* Paper presented at the 36th International Conference of the System Dynamics Society, Reykjavik, Iceland.

Byers, L. & **Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2017, April). *Teaching Trauma of the Historical Kind*. Paper presented at the National Association of Social Workers (NASW) – Oklahoma Chapter Conference, Norman, OK.

Byers, L.G., Munoz, R., Franklin, L., Bragg, J., Brunk, K., & **Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2016, November). *Evaluating a social justice graduate course with the Diversity and Oppression Scale.* Paper presented at the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) - 62nd Annual Program Meeting, Atlanta, GA.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** (2016, February). *Minority Women + Sexual Assault.* Paper presented at the Minority Women’s Conference – University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK.

**Invited Presentations**

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Speaker – Sexual Assault Awareness Month. *Sexual Violence from a Structural Perspective: Injustice and Intersectionality.* Boston University, It’s On Us. (2023, April).

Hooley, C., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** & Malone, S. Invited Panelist. *Professional Development Seminar: Alumni Perspectives.* Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis. (2023, April).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Speaker – National Minority Mental Health Month. *Fighting for Our Sisters: Justice for Indigenous Girls and Women.* California State University Northridge, Criminology and Justice Studies, Native American Studies. (2023, April).

Sundaram, D., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Mehran, L., & Patel, T. Invited Panelist. *The Precarity of Digital Lives: How Social Media Provide Opportunity and Remain Dangerous for Women of Color, Queer, and Non-Binary Folks.* HerDU Conference, University of Denver. (2023, March).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Speaker. *Decolonizing Mental Health: Indigenous Worldviews to Disrupt Clinical Colonization.* Beyond DEI Speaker Series. The Chicago School of Professional Psychology, Department of Forensic Psychology. (2023, February).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Mentor. *Meet the Scientist Luncheon*. Society for Social Work and Research Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ.

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Speaker. *Settler Colonialism and Sexual Violence Against Indigenous Women: Decolonizing Trauma in Practice.* Boston Area Rape Crisis Center: BARCC. (2022, December).

Dorgbadzi, S., Awaah, F., & **Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Panelist. *Global Learning Theory: Pedagogy and Practice Panel.* Student Learning. University of Maryland – College Park, Higher Education, Student Affairs and International Education Policy. (2022, November).

**Asher BlackDeer, A**. Invited Speaker. *Indigenizing Education for Climate Action.* GEO Indigenous Alliance Section, GEO Week. Group on Earth Observations, Global Action for Local Impact. (2022, October).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Francis, M., Kenney, K., & Speer, R. Invited Panelist. *Job Market Panel.* LGBTQ Caucus of Social Work Students and Faculty. (2022, September).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *Critical Quantitative Approaches.* First Year PhD Quantitative Methods Course. Graduate School of Social Work, University of Denver. (2022, September).

Copeland, V., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** & Harty, J. Invited Panelist. *Black, Indigenous, and People of Color (BIPOC) Scholars Panel.* LEAD: Leadership, Equity and Diversity for Higher Education Second Annual Predoctoral Institute. Center for Innovation in Child Maltreatment, Washington University in St. Louis. (2022, July).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *Developing a Decolonial Social Work Research Agenda.* First Year Seminar. University of Maryland, School of Social Work PhD Program. (2022, April).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Speaker. *Disrupting Clinical Colonization: Indigenous Mental Health and the Role of Culture in the DSM.* Philosophy, Phenomenology, and Progressive Psychiatry Salon. University of Illinois at Chicago, Department of Psychiatry, Psychosis Program. (2022, February).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *Coloniality in Social Work: Interrupting White Supremacy for a Decolonial Praxis.* Foundations of Social Work Practice: Decolonizing Social Work. Columbia University School of Social Work. (2021, November).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *Historical Trauma among American Indian and Alaska Native Communities.* University of Oklahoma Online MSW Program. University of Oklahoma, Anne and Henry Zarrow School of Social Work. (2021, November).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *Community Organizing within Black, Indigenous, and Communities of Color.* Macro Systems in Practice. University of Oklahoma, Anne and Henry Zarrow School of Social Work. (2021, November).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *American Indian and Alaska Native Youth Mental Health Interventions.* Social Work Practice with Children and Families. Washington University in St. Louis, Brown School of Social Work. (2021, November).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *Cultural Considerations: Indigenous Wellness + Evidence-Based Practice.* Introduction to Social Work. Saint Louis University. (2021, October).

Gandarilla Ocampo, M., Harty, J., Ludeke, R., & **Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Panelist. *Child Maltreatment BIPOC Doctoral Student Panel.*LEAD: Leadership, Equity and Diversity for Higher Education Second Annual Predoctoral Institute. Center for Innovation in Child Maltreatment, Washington University in St. Louis. (2021, October).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *Indigenous Health Equity.* Advanced Practice and Research Methods for Public Health Equity. Boston University School of Social Work. (2021, July).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Panelist. *Diversity Discussion Panel.* Arkansas Mental Health Counselors Association Annual Conference, American Mental Health Counselors Association. (2021, May).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *Survey Research.* Community Based Research Methods. Department of Rural Development, University of Alaska. (2021, April).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *Decolonizing Social Work Research: Colonialism, Culture, and the DSM.* Social Work Research. School of Social Work, Simmons University. (2021, April).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Speaker. *Intergenerational Trauma in Migrant Communities.* UnDocuWeek. Center for Service and Community Engagement, Saint Louis University. (2021, March).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *De-Centering Whiteness: Culture and Colonialism.* Applied Decolonizing Research Approaches. American Indian Studies, University of Washington. (2021, March).

Davis, M., Murugan, V., Simon, J. & **Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Panel Moderator. *Taking on the Ivory Tower: Navigating Academia as a Person of Color.* LEAD: Leadership, Equity and Diversity for Higher Education First Annual Predoctoral Institute. Center for Innovation in Child Maltreatment, Washington University in St. Louis. (2021, March).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *Indigenous Mental Health: Culture, Colonialism, and the DSM*. Differential Diagnosis. Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis. (2020, November).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *Social Belonging for Underrepresented Minority Students.* Mental Health Peer Health Educators Group. Washington University in Saint Louis, Habif Health and Wellness Center. (2020, October).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *Evidence Mapping: Mental Health Interventions for American Indian and Alaska Native Youth.* University of Oklahoma Online MSW Program. University of Oklahoma, Anne and Henry Zarrow School of Social Work. (2020, October).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *Sexual Violence Against Indigenous Women.* Human Behavior and the Social Environment. Saint Louis University, College of Public Health and Social Justice. (2020, October).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *Alumni Perspectives – From MSW to PhD.* Professional Social Work. University of Oklahoma, Anne and Henry Zarrow School of Social Work. (2020, September).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Guest Lecture. *Community Organizing within Communities of Color.* Macro Systems in Practice. University of Oklahoma, Anne and Henry Zarrow School of Social Work. (2020, September).

Chung, S., Murugan, V., Huseynli, A., & **Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Panel Moderator. *Go Forth and Conquer: Where Your PhD Can Take You.* LEAD: Leadership, Equity, and Diversity for Higher Education Inaugural Predoctoral Summer Institute. Washington University in St. Louis, Brown School of Social Work. (2019, August).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.,** Robinson, H., Shato, T., & Carter, V. Invited Panelist. *PhD Student Panel.* LEAD: Leadership, Equity, and Diversity for Higher Education Inaugural Predoctoral Summer Institute. Washington University in St. Louis, Brown School of Social Work. (2019, August).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Panelist. *Culturally Responsive Suicide Prevention Perspectives.* Washington University in St. Louis Brown School of Social Work. Hope Policy Academy. (2019, June).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.,** & Patterson Silver Wolf, D. A. Invited Presenter. *A Collaborative Approach to Working with Native Communities: Experiences of Survey Development and Self-Determination*. R25: Building a Multidisciplinary Pipeline of Researchers in Child Abuse and Neglect: Summer Training Institute for Early Career or Transitioning Scholars. Washington University in St. Louis. (2019, May).

Kastelic, S., **Asher BlackDeer, A.,** & Patterson Silver Wolf, D. A. Invited Presenter. *How are Tribes Using Tradition and Culture to Address Child Abuse Prevention?* National Indian Child Welfare Association – 37th Annual Conference. (2019, April).

**Asher BlackDeer, A.** Invited Presenter. *Intersections of Interpersonal Violence and Substance Use*. Relationship and Sexual Violence Assessment Initiative Spring Convening, Institute of Public Health, Washington University in Saint Louis, St Louis, MO. (2018, April).

**Honors, Awards, Invitations**

**2022 Latinx and Indigenous Career Faculty Mentorship Seminar**

Iliff and GSSW Collaborative Endowment

**2022 Diversity, Racial Equity, and Inclusion Scholar ($7,500)**

NORC at the University of Chicago

**2022 R25 Trainee Award – Center for Innovation in Child Maltreatment**

Building a Multidisciplinary Pipeline of Researchers in Child Abuse and Neglect: Summer Training Institute for Early Career Scholars

**2019 – 2022 Doctoral Fellow, Minority Fellowship Program**

Council on Social Work Education

**2017 – 2022 Fellow, Kathryn M. Buder Center for American Indian Studies**

Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis

**2017 – 2022 Fellow, Chancellor’s Graduate Fellowship Program**

Washington University in St. Louis

**2021 19 of the Last 9 Outstanding Alumni Award**

Arkansas Tech University Alumni Association

**2021 ICPSR Summer Workshop**

Ethical Collection, Dissemination, and Use of Data on American Indian and Alaska Native Populations

**2021 MCUAAAR Summer Mentoring Workshop for Advanced Doctoral Students**

Michigan Center for Urban African American Aging Research Mentoring for Advanced PhD Students focusing on American Indian/Alaska Native Research

**2020 – 2021 J. Victor Monke and Beulah E. Monke Fellowship**

Scholars in Arts & Sciences program, Washington University in St. Louis

**2017 Recipient, Zarrow Mental Health Practicum Stipend**

Anne and Henry Zarrow Family Foundation, University of Oklahoma

**2016 – 2017 Scholar, Cobell Scholars, Elouise Cobell Scholarship**

Indigenous Education Inc., University of Oklahoma

**2016 – 2017 Recipient, Jirous Sonic Scholarship**

Marvin D. and Barbara L. Jirous, University of Oklahoma

**2015 – 2017 Recipient, Michael W. Brose Endowment Stipend**

Mental Health Association of Oklahoma, University of Oklahoma

**2012 – 2017 Scholar, Cheyenne and Arapaho Higher Education**

Scholarship Recipient, Arkansas Tech University, University of Oklahoma

**2012 – 2017 Scholar,** **Bureau of Indian Affairs**

**Service and Leadership**

**Professional**

**2023 – Present Early Career Director-At-Large**

Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) Board of Directors

**2023 – Present Consulting Editor**

Abolitionist Perspectives in Social Work

**2023 – Present Ad Hoc Reviewer**

Child Abuse and Neglect

**2022 – 2023 Committee Member,** Postdoctoral Search Committee

IRISE, University of Denver

**2021 – 2022 Committee Member,** Internal Search Committee

School of Social Work, Smith College

**Feb. 2022 Panelist,** Professional Development Seminar: Securing Pre-Doctoral Funding

Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis

**2020 – 2022 Cofounder,** BIPOC PhD Collective

Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis

**2021 – Present Ad Hoc Reviewer**

Race and Social Problems

**2021 – Present Ad Hoc Reviewer**

Advances in Social Work

**2020 – 2021 Board Member,** Sexual Assault Advisory Board

Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis

**Mar. 2021 Panelist,** Sociology Department Prospective Graduate Students Recruitment

Sociology Department, Washington University in St. Louis

**Feb. 2021 Panelist,** Professional Development Seminar: Securing Pre-Doctoral Funding

Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis

**2021 – Present Ad Hoc Reviewer**

American Journal on Addictions

**2017 – 2020 Board Member,** University Sexual Assault Investigation Board

Washington University in St. Louis

**Feb. 2020 Panelist,** Doctoral Program Recruitment

Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis

**2019 – 2021 PhD Student Representative,** Committee on Diversity, Inclusion, and EquityBrown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis

**Feb. 2019 Panelist,** Doctoral Program Recruitment

Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis

**2018 – 2019 Brown School Representative,** Graduate/Professional Advisory Council

Washington University in St. Louis

**2018 – Present Ad Hoc Reviewer,** Journal of Interpersonal Violence

**Mar. 2018 Panelist,** Graduate/Professional Student Panel on Diversity and Inclusion

Diversity and Inclusion Graduate Recruiters, Washington University in St. Louis

**Feb. 2018 Program Ambassador,** Doctoral Program Recruitment

Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis

**2016 – 2017** **President,** Phi Alpha Honor Society

National Social Work Honor Society, University of Oklahoma

**2016 – 2017 School Representative,** Crimson Club

University of Oklahoma

**Community**

**2020 Invited Speaker,** St. Louis Native Women’s Care Circle

Space for Healing, Removal of Columbus Statue in Tower Grove Park

**Nov. 2019 Volunteer,** St. Louis Food Bank

Chancellor’s Graduate Fellowship Program, Washington University in St. Louis

**2018 – 2020 Vice President,** St. Louis Alpha Sigma Tau Alumnae Group

Alpha Sigma Tau National Sorority

**Mar. 2019 Volunteer,** Lift for Life Academy Scholarship Workshop

**June 2018 Panelist,** McNair Scholars Summer Research Institute

Chancellor’s Graduate Fellowship Program, Washington University in St. Louis

**April 2018 Volunteer,** Ronald McDonald House Charities

Chancellor’s Graduate Fellowship Program, Washington University in St. Louis

**2017 – 2018 Ambassador,** We R Native Youth Ambassador Program

We R Native, Northern Plains American Indian Health Board

**2014 – 2015 Chapter President,** Alpha Sigma Tau – Beta Rho

Alpha Sigma Tau National Sorority, Arkansas Tech University

**Research Experience**

**2020 – Present *Authenticity Reader***

Indigenous Content,Macmillan Publishing Houses

**2019 – Present *Independent Data Science Consultant***

Various contract positions conducting data science tasks such as:

* Adapt global survey to US context focused on violence against women and girls and impact of global pandemic upon direct service provision
* Community-driven project with southwest Native nation centering on the impact of COVID-19 upon community mental health and cohesion
* Conducted question validation for suite of technology tools to treat substance use and psychiatric disorders

**2018 – 2022 *Lead Research Assistant:* Community Engagement Core**

**Center for Innovation in Child Maltreatment**

Brown School at Washington University in St. Louis

Supervisor: David A. Patterson Silver Wolf, PhD

* Organize and oversee predoctoral summer institute ([LEAD: Leadership, Equity, and Diversity in Higher Education)](https://brownschool.wustl.edu/News/Pages/Brown-School-Doctoral-Students-Ease-the-Path-to-PhDs-for-Underrepresented-Minorities-.aspx) for underrepresented minority child welfare professionals who are interested in pursuing a Ph.D. in social work, public health, or public policy
* Organize community education and training opportunities, translating research into policy and practice

**2020** ***National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine’s (The National Academies) Commissioned Paper ($3500).***

Behavioral Health Support at Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) and Tribal Colleges and Universities (TCUs): Literature Review and Research Analysis.

Supervisor: David A. Patterson Silver Wolf, PhD

**2018 *Research Assistant:* American Indian and Alaska Native Evidence Mapping**

**Buder Center for American Indian Studies**

Brown School at Washington University in St. Louis

Supervisor: David A. Patterson Silver Wolf, PhD

* Conducted evidence-mapping study of interventions for American Indian and Alaska Native youth mental health services
* Manuscript development

**2018 *Research Assistant:* Resiliency – Trajectories for Survivors of Sexual Violence**

**Relationship and Sexual Violence Assessment Initiative**

Institute of Public Health at Washington University in St. Louis

Supervisor: Peter Hovmand, PhD

* Constructed a simulation model utilizing system dynamics, mapping trajectories post sexual violence experiences

**2017 – 2018 *Research Assistant:* AI/AN Student Interpersonal Violence + Substance Use**

**Buder Center for American Indian Studies**

Brown School at Washington University in St. Louis

Supervisor: David A. Patterson Silver Wolf, PhD

* Data management and analysis of ACHA-NCHA data
* Manuscript development

**Media Contributions**

Zantow, A. (April, 2023). [Wounded Knee’s sad legacy.](https://www.deutschlandfunkkultur.de/armut-bei-native-americans-das-traurige-erbe-von-wounded-knee-dlf-kultur-e03278b5-100.html) *Deutschlandfunk Kultur, German Public Radio.*

Kaur, H. (December 2022). [Indigenous people are criticizing the ‘Avatar’ sequel for relying on tired tropes.](https://www.cnn.com/2022/12/22/entertainment/avatar-2-way-of-water-indigenous-boycott-cec/index.html) *CNN*.

Smith, S. (December 2022). [Why Native Americans are calling for an Avatar boycott.](https://www.dazeddigital.com/film-tv/article/57834/1/indigenous-native-americans-calling-for-avatar-2-boycott-james-cameron) *Dazed.*

Chery, S. (December 2022). [Indigenous people slam Avatar (again) for tropes and inaccuracies](https://www.washingtonpost.com/lifestyle/2022/12/20/indigenous-avatar-2-navi/). *The Washington Post.*

Valdez, J. (December 2022). [James Cameron’s old comments prompt Native American boycott of new ‘Avatar’ sequel.](https://www.latimes.com/entertainment-arts/movies/story/2022-12-19/native-american-boycott-avatar-the-way-of-water) *Lost Angeles Times.*

Invisibilia Podcast. (September 2022). [Season 9, Episode 3 – Therapy Ghostbusters.](https://www.npr.org/2022/09/20/1124139592/therapy-ghostbusters?fbclid=IwAR2JIRlZ3m-38AVRn6hv_fDGRBgqQufHdZ-pbzVl235_2-cusuto1htjekA) *NPR.*

**Teaching**

**Independent Teaching**

*Graduate School of Social Work, University of Denver*

MSW Courses

Spring, 2023 Evidence for Practice

Winter, 2023 Mental Health and Substance Use Policy

Fall, 2022 Evidence for Practice

*Smith School of Social Work, Smith College*

MSW Courses

Summer, 2022 Critical and Decolonial Approaches to Research for Clinical Social Work Practice

Summer, 2021 Evidence-Based Practice in Social Work

Summer, 2020 Evidence-Based Practice in Social Work

*Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St.**Louis*

MPH Courses

Spring, 2020 SAS Skill Lab

Fall, 2019 Biostatistics

Fall, 2019 SAS Skill Lab

Spring, 2019 SAS Skill Lab

**Lab Instructor**

*Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St.**Louis*

Doctoral Courses

Fall, 2020 Foundations of Data Analysis

Summer, 2020 Stats Bootcamp

Fall, 2019 Foundations of Data Analysis

Summer, 2019 Stats Bootcamp

Fall, 2018 Foundations of Data Analysis

**Teaching Assistantships**

*Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St.**Louis*

MSW Courses

Fall, 2020 Research Methods with Statistical Applications

Fall, 2019 Substance Use Disorders

Spring, 2019 American Indian/Alaska Native Societies, Values, and Cultures

Fall, 2018 Indigenous Mental Health Practice

Spring, 2018 American Indian/Alaska Native Social Welfare Policy + Administrative Practices

**Professional Practice Experience**

**2017 Masters Level Intern**

Crisis Care Center, Family and Children Services, Tulsa, OK

**2016 Psychiatric Technician**

Laureate Psychiatric Hospital and Clinic, Tulsa, OK

**2015 - 2016 Practicum Student,** Child Welfare Rotation Unit

National Resource Center for Youth Services

Tulsa County Department of Human Services

Tulsa Community Service Council: 211

Tulsa County Drug Court

**2013 – 2015 Behavioral Health Technician**

Valley Behavioral Health Services, Barling, AR

**2015 Mental Health Paraprofessional**

Valley Behavioral Health Services, Barling, AR

1. \* - denotes withdrawn due to COVID-19 global pandemic [↑](#footnote-ref-1)