**Curriculum Vitae**

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1. Academic Degrees

2019, Ph.D. Doctor of Philosophy in Social Work

School of Social Work

The University of Texas at Arlington

Arlington, TX

Dissertation Title: *“Transportation, Social Support, Family Visitation, and Depression of Nursing Home Residents: A Mixed-Methods Study”*

Dissertation Co-Chairs: Noelle L. Fields, PhD, LCSW and Ling Xu, PhD

2015, MSSA Master of Science in Social Administration

Mandel School of Applied Social Sciences

Case Western Reserve University

Cleveland, OH

2012, BSW Bachelor of Social Work

School of Social Work

Cleveland State University

Cleveland, OH

1. Academic Positions
   1. Teaching Positions

2023-present Associate Professor in Social Work (with tenure)

Social Work Program, Bowling Green State University

2019-2023 Assistant Professor in Social Work (tenure track)

Social Work Program, Bowling Green State University

* 1. Administrative Positions

2023-present Center of Excellence in Health and Wellness Across the Lifespan

College of Health and Human Services, Bowling Green State University

2020-2023 Director of the Optimal Aging Institute

College of Health and Human Services, Bowling Green State University

1. Non-academic Positions

2015 Social Worker, Stonebriar Nursing and Rehabilitation

Austin, TX

2015 Resident Services Coordinator, Portfolio Resident Services

Austin, TX

2013-2015 Social Service and HR Intern, Montefiore Healthcare and Senior Living

Beachwood, OH

2014 Camp Director and Summer Employee, Gelfand STEM Center

Cleveland, OH

2012-2013 Hotline Advocate, Cleveland Rape Crisis Center

Cleveland, OH

2013 Volunteer, VITAS Innovative Hospice Care

Cleveland, OH

2011-2012 Social Service Intern, University Settlement

Cleveland, OH

1. Teaching Experiences
   1. Undergraduate Courses (*rating on 5-point scale*)

2023, Fall - Bowling Green State University

SOWK 1100-1001: *Introduction to Social Work Profession* (face to face)

SOWK 1100-1002: *Introduction to Social Work Profession* (face to face)

SOWK 2320: *Social Welfare Institutions* (online)

HNRS 4980-1038: *Honors Project Development*

2023, Spring – Bowling Green State University

SOWK 1100-1001: *Introduction to Social Work Profession* (face to face) *(4.86/5)*

SOWK 2320: *Social Welfare Institutions* (online) *(4.41/5)*

2022, Spring – Bowling Green State University

SOWK 2320: *Social Welfare Institutions* (online) (*4.45/5*)

DHS 3000-1002: *Research Methods for the Human Services* (face to face) (*4.85/5*)

2021, Fall – Bowling Green State University

SOWK 2320-1001: *Social Welfare Institutions* (remote) *(4.78/5)*

SOWK 2320-8001: *Social Welfare Institutions* (remote) *(4.83/5)*

DHS 3000-1005: *Research Methods for the Human Services* (face to face) *(4.73/5)*

SOWK 2320-1002: *Social Welfare Institutions* (face to face) *(4.95/5)*

2021, Spring – Bowling Green State University

DHS 3000: *Research Methods for the Human Services* (online) (*4.75/5*)

SOWK 2320: *Social Welfare Institutions* (online) (*4.80/5*)

2020, Fall – Bowling Green State University

DHS 3000-1002: *Research Methods for the Human Services* (online) (*4.76/5*)

SOWK 2320-1001: *Social Welfare Institutions* (online) (*4.95/5*)

SOWK 2320-1002: *Social Welfare Institutions* (online) (*4.85/5*)

SOWK 2320-8001: *Social Welfare Institutions* (online) (*4.75/5*)

2020, Summer – Bowling Green State University

DHS 3000: *Research Methods for the Human Services* (online) (*4.83/5*)

2020, Spring – Bowling Green State University

SOWK 2320-1001: *Social Welfare Institutions* (face to face) (*5/5*)

DHS 3000-1001: *Research Methods for the Human Services* (face to face) (*4.57/5*)

2019, Fall – Bowling Green State University

SOWK 2320-1002: *Social Welfare Institutions* (face to face) (*4.93/5*)

SOWK 2320-8001: *Social Welfare Institutions* (video-distance) (*4.77/5*)

DHS 3000: *Research Methods for the Human Services* (face to face) (*4.64/5*)

2019, Summer – University of Texas at Arlington

SOCW 4335-003/004: *Aging in American Society* (online) (*4.88/5)*

2018, Fall – University of Texas at Arlington

SOCW 4335-004: *Aging in American Society* (face to face) (*4.80/5*)

2018, Spring – University of Texas at Arlington

SOCW 3303-006/007: *Social Welfare Policy & Services* (online) (*4.78/5*)

* 1. Undergraduate-Graduate Courses (rating on 5-point scale)

2023, Spring – Bowling Green State University

CRJU 4030/6030-5001: *Data Analysis & Intrep in CRJU (5/5)*

* 1. Graduate Courses (rating on 5-point scale)

2021, Summer – University of Texas at Arlington

SOCW 5308: *Research Methods & Evaluation I* (online) *(4.76/5)*

SOCW 5308: *Research Methods & Evaluation I* (online) *(4.78/5)*

SOCW 5308: *Research Methods & Evaluation I* (online) *(4.58/5)*

2020, Summer – University of Texas at Arlington

SOCW 5308-001/004: *Research Methods & Evaluation I* (online) (*4.78/5*)

2019, Summer – University of Texas at Arlington

SOCW 5308-006: *Research Methods & Evaluation I* (online) (*4.82/5*)

* 1. Other Teaching

2016, Fall – University of Texas at Arlington

*Teaching Assistant*

SOCW 6325-001: *Advanced Micro Practice* (online)

SOCW 6310-002: *Seminar in Gender Issues* (face to face)

2016, Summer – University of Texas at Arlington

School of Social Work Field Liaison

2014, Summer – Case Western Reserve University & University Circle, Inc.

Co-Teacher/Co-Author & Mentor

* 1. Thesis and Dissertation Students
     1. Membership on Dissertation Committees

2023-present Thesis Chair for Emma Lau, Department of Human Services, College of Health & Human Services, Bowling Green State University

2020-2022 Graduate Faculty Representative – Dissertation Committee member for Jules Patalita, School of Media & Communication, Bowling Green State University

2020-2022 Graduate Faculty Representative – Dissertation Committee member for Sunidhi Jaiswal, Departments of Chemistry, Physics and Astronomy, and Biological Sciences, Bowling Green State University

1. Curriculum Development
   1. Courses

2023-present Create HNRS class (1 cr.) for the Honors College at BGSU

2020-present Adapt SOWK 2320 – Social Welfare Institutions including textbook, Signature Assignments, in-person to online format.

* 1. Workshops

2021, May Connections Volunteer Center. “Substance Use Disorder in Older Adulthood: Understanding Gerontology-focused Assessment and Treatment Needs.”

2021, March Connections Volunteer Center. “Serving the Whole Person: Engaging and Treating Older Adults with Mental Illness using a Trauma-Informed Lens.”

2020, November 2020 NASW Ohio Virtual Conference. CEU program titled “Older Adults and Substance use Disorder: Understanding Gerontology-Focused Assessment and Treatment Need.”

1. Professional Development

2023, September Course Evaluation Data: Using Results to Inform Pedagogy, Center for Faculty Excellence

2021, December Faculty Search Committee Workshop, Division of Diversity and Belonging

2021, September Safe Zone Workshop, Center for Faculty Excellence

2020, November NASW Ohio Virtual 2020 Annual Conference, National Association of Social Workers – OH

2020, October Open Education Resources Workshop, University Library

2020, January Green Dot Training, Center for Violence Prevention and Education

2019, December Teaching and Learning Certificate, Center for Faculty Excellence

2019, October Active Learning Classroom Certification, Center for Faculty Excellence

2019, September Office of Research Compliance Ethics Training - CITI Equivalent

2018, June Transatlantic Summer Institute on Qualitative and Mixed Methods, New York University Silver School of Social Work and University of Strathclyde Centre for Health Policy

2015, January Gerontology Certificate, Case Western Reserve University

1. Academic Advising
   1. Undergraduate
      1. Years, Number of Students Assigned

2023-present BSW

2022-2023 BSW 18 students

1. Research Interests

Dr. Miller’s research extrapolates on her practice experience with a focus in gerontology and social work across three areas:  (1) various factors that facilitate social connection among older adults, such as technology and transportation, (2) social work and social policy to promote the well-being of vulnerable, marginalized older adults (e.g., residents of nursing homes, caregivers, low-income older adults, racially and ethnically diverse older adults), and (3) gerontological- social work education.

1. Research Projects and Grants

2023, January. “Securing Access for Emergency Recovery (SAFER): Using a Continuous Monitoring Application to Effectively Measure and Manage Opioid Use Disorders and Improve Patient Outcomes.” National Institutes of Health (NIH) Heals Initiative. Principal Investigators: Eric M. Cooke, PhD & Vivian J. Miller, PhD, LSW; Co-Investigator (Co-I): Lauren Maziarz, PhD, RN, et al. $7,121,622. (submitted, not funded)

2022, April. “Measuring the Relationship between Family Satisfaction and Quality of Maryland Nursing Homes: A Quality Improvement Approach.” PALTC Foundation. Principal Investigator: Nancy Kusmaul; Co-Investigator (Co-I): Vivian J. Miller, PhD. $8,307. (submitted, not funded)

2022, January. “State Tested Nurse Aide (STNA) and/or Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) Turnover Project.” Principle Business Enterprises, Inc. (PBE). Principal Investigator: Vivian J. Miller, PhD; Co-Investigator (Co-I): Lauren Maziarz, PhD, Melissa Burek, PhD, & Jennifer Wagner, MPH, HSE, LNHA, CEAL. $33,615. (funded, in progress)

2021, May. “Social Connection and Technology Use: Older Adults Experiences during COVID-19.” Office of Sponsored Research and Programs, Bowling Green State University. Principal Investigator: Vivian J. Miller, PhD. $10,000. (funded, in progress)

2020, February. “The Experiences of Public Transportation and Community Connection: A Study of Senior Center Users in Lucas County, OH.” Retirement Research Foundation. Principal Investigator: Vivian J. Miller, PhD. $88,624. (submitted, not funded)

2019, October. “Transportation Equity and Consequences of Transportation Disadvantage: An Exploration among Senior Center Users.” Borchard Foundation Center on Law & Aging. Principal Investigator: Vivian J. Miller, PhD. $20,000. (submitted, not funded)

2019, September. “Wood County Committee on Aging (WCCOA) Interest and Needs Assessment.” Wood County Committee on Aging. Principal Investigator: Melissa Burek, PhD; Co-Investigator (Co-I): Jordan Wilfong, PhD; Researcher: Vivian J. Miller, PhD, LSW.

2018, September. “Transportation in the Cities of Arlington and Grand Prairie, Texas.” President’s Grant, University of Texas at Arlington. Research Manager: Vivian J. Miller, LSW. (funded)

2018, June. “Evaluating Improved Transit Connections for Ladders of Opportunity.” National Institute for Transportation and Communities, U.S. Department of Transportation. Principal Investigator: Noelle Fields, PhD, LSW; Co-Principal Investigator: Stephen Mattingly, PhD. Research Manager: Vivian J. Miller, LSW. $200,000. (funded)

2018, February. “Transportation, Social Support by Family Visitation, and Depression of Residents in Nursing Homes: A Mixed-Methods Study.” National Institute for Transportation and Communities, U.S. Department of Transportation & Hogg Foundation for Mental Health. Principal Investigator: Vivian J. Miller, PhD. $22,000. (funded)

2017, August. “National Consensus Project Clinical Practice Guidelines for Quality Palliative Care, 4th Edition.” National Coalition for Hospice and Palliative Care.

Graduate Research Assistant: Vivian J. Miller, LSW.

2016, August. “Transportation Mobility Among Low-Income, Transportation Disadvantaged Older Adults Living in a Low-Density Urban Environment Using Innovative Data Collection Methods.” Transportation Research Center for Livable Communities (TRCLC). Research Manager: Vivian J. Miller, LSW.

2015, August. “Psychoeducational Intervention for Foster Grandparents.” Innovative Community Partnership grant, University of Texas at Arlington. Research Assistant: Vivian J. Miller, LSW.

1. Publications or Equivalencies
   1. Publications
      1. Books
         1. Textbooks

2023, May-present Introduction to Social Work: A Look Across the Profession, Open Education Resources textbook adaptation

* + 1. Journal Articles
       1. Refereed Articles

Wenning, M. & **Miller, V.J.** (in progress). Working to Close the Disability Divide: College Students’ Experiences with Disability Awareness.

Cooke, E., **Miller, V.J.**, Skelly, A.G., & Williams, S. (in progress). The Benefits and Consequences of Segregating Persons Incarcerated by Age: A Systematic Review of the Literature.

Maziarz, L., **Miller, V.J.**, Wagner, J. Perry, K., Bell, J., & Burek, M. (under review). A Scoping Review of Nurse Aide Turnover in Home Health Care. *Health Sciences.*

Beltran, S.J., Wagner, J., & **Miller, V.J.** (under review). Experiences of Nursing Home Administrators during the COVID-19 Pandemic. *Health & Social Care in the Community.*

Lee, H.S., **Miller, V.J.**, & Myers, L. (2023). Getting along during COVID-19: Older adults stress and coping. *Activities, Adaptation, & Aging*. http://doi.org/10.1080/01924788.2023.224974

Fields, N.L., Schuman, D., **Miller, V.J.**, Kunz-Lomelin, A., Kusmaul, N., & Anderson, K.A. (2023). “Knowing when it’s time to take a break”: Nursing home social workers’ coping during COVID-19. *Aging and Health Research, 3*(2), 100144. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ahr.2023.100144

**Miller, V.J.**, Maziarz, L., Wagner, J., Bell, J., & Burek, M. (2023). Nursing Assistant Turnover in Long-term Care: A Systematic Review of the Literature. *Geriatric Nursing, 51*, 360-368. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.gerinurse.2023.03.027

Kusmaul, N., **Miller, V.J.**, Cheon, J.H., & Burns, J. (2022). Family Member Roles in Long Term Care: Lessons for the Future from COVID-19. *Journal of Aging Studies*, 62. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jaging.2022.101060

Tonui, B., **Miller, V.J.**, & Adeniji, D. (2022). Older Immigrant Adults Experiences with Social Isolation: A Qualitative Interpretive Meta Synthesis. *Aging & Mental Health, 27*(6), 1068-1076. https://doi.org/10.1080/13607863.2022.2068131

Kusmaul, N., **Miller, V.J.**, Cheon, J.H., & Burns, J. (2022). “They just took him out of my life”: Nursing home care partner experiences in COVID-19. *Journal of Gerontological Nursing, 48*(2), 7-11. https://doi.org/10.3928/00989134-20220111-02

Fields, N.L., Cronley, C., Mattingly, S., & **Miller, V.J.** (2022). Leveraging app technology to measure the impact of transportation disadvantage: The development of MyAmble. *Journal of Technology in Human Services*, *40*(2), 157-180. https://doi.org/10.1080/15228835.2022.2036298

**Miller, V.J.**, Horner, B., Williams, J.R., Bryant, J., & Burns, J. (2021). Navigating Re-Entry with Older Adults Using Ecosystems Perspective and the Eco-Map. *Journal of Offender Rehabilitation*, *60*(8), 485-500. http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/10509674.2021.2000547

**Miller, V.J.**, Fields, N.L., Anderson, K., & Kusmaul, N. (2021). “Please don't let academia forget about us:” An Exploration of Nursing Home Social Work Experiences during COVID-19. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work, 65*(4), 450-464. https://doi.org/10.1080/01634372.2021.1978027

Jenkins Morales, M., **Miller, V.J.**, & Hamler, T. (2021). Dismantling Systemic Racism in Long-Term Services and Supports: A Call to Action for Social Workers. [Commentary]. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work, 65*(2), 121-128. https://doi.org/10.1080/01634372.2021.1942375

Beltran, S., **Miller, V.J.**, & Hamler, T. (2021). The long-term care ombudsman program: A case study of regulation writing and opportunities for social workers to impact policy. *Journal of Social Work, 65*(2), 121-128. https://doi.org/10.1177/14680173211010303

**Miller, V.J.**, Hamler, T., Beltran, S.J., & Burns, J. (2021). Social Worker in the Nursing Home: A Systematic Review of the Literature from 2010 to 2020. *Social Work in Health Care, 60*(4), 387-409. https://doi.org/10.1080/00981389.2021.1908482

Fields, N.L., Cronley, C., Mattingly, S., Murphy, E.R., Robinson, S., & **Miller, V.J.** (2021). Transportation Mobility and Health among Older Adults: Examining Missed Trips and Latent Demand. *Journal of Transport & Health, 21*. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jth.2021.101069

Wallace, M., **Miller, V.J.**, Fields, N.L., Xu, L., & Mercado-Sierra, M. (2021). Empirically Evaluated Suicide Prevention Program Approaches for Older Adults: A Review of the Literature from 2009-2021. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work, 64*(5), 480-498. https://doi.org/10.1080/01634372.2021.1907495

Cronley, C., **Miller, V.J.**, Fields, N., Mattingly, S., & Kitchens, M. (2021). Utilizing an inter-professional Community Advisory Board: A case study to inform best practices in community-engaged research for transportation equity and social inclusion. *Transportation Research Interdisciplinary Perspectives, 10*. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.trip.2021.100365

**Miller, V.J.**, Murphy, E.R., & Fields, N.L. (2021). Experiences with Technology amongst an International Sample of Older Adults: Results from a Qualitative Interpretive Meta-Synthesis. *British Journal of Social Work, 51*(4), 1332-1353. https://doi.org/10.1093/bjsw/bcab040

Schuman, D., Woody, D., Parekh, R., Fields, N.L., & **Miller, V.J.** (2021). Improving Outcomes for At-Risk MSW Students: A Pilot e-Mentorship Program Using a Near-Peer Model. *Journal of Teaching in Social Work, 41*(1), 42-56. http://doi.org/10.1080/08841233.2020.1852361

**Miller, V.J.**, Fields, N.L., Anderson, K., & Kusmaul, N. (2020). Nursing Home Social Workers Preparedness and Coping for COVID-19. *Journal of Gerontology: Series B Social Sciences, 76*(4), e219-e224. http://doi.org/10.1093/geronb/gbaa143

**Miller, V.J.** & Wilfong, J. (2020). A policy analysis of Medicare Parts B and D: A focus on mental health of Latin/x and African American older adults. *Journal of Policy Practice and Research, 1*, 113-121. https://doi.org/10.1007/s42972-020-00011-0

Beltran, S.J. & **Miller, V.J.** (2020). COVID-19 and Older Adults: The Time for Gerontology-Curriculum Across Social Work Programs is Now! [Letter to the Editor]. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work, 63*(6-7), 570-573. https://doi.org/10.1080/01634372.2020.1789257

Xu, L., Fields, N., **Miller, V.J.**, He, H., & Vasquez-White, T. (2020). The roles of ‘grandparents’ in Foster Grandparent Program from the perspective of Chinese immigrant older adults in the United States. *Activities, Adaptation & Aging, 45*(3), 234-254. https://doi.org/10.1080/01924788.2020.1769947

Lee, H. & **Miller, V.J.** (2020). The Disproportionate Impact of COVID-19 on Minority Groups: A Social Justice Concern [Letter to the Editor]. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work, 63*(6-7), 580-584. https://doi.org/10.1080/01634372.2020.1777241

**Miller, V.J.** & Lee, H. (2020). Social work values in action during COVID-19 [Letter to the Editor]. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work, 63*(6-7), 565-569. https://doi.org/10.1080/01634372.2020.1769792

Hamler, T., English, S., Beltran, S.J., & **Miller, V.J.** (2020). A reflection of and charge to the gerontological social work: Past pandemics and the current COVID-19 crisis [Letter to the Editor]. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work, 63*(6-7), 577-579. https://doi.org/10.1080/01634372.2020.1766629

Fields, N.L., **Miller, V.J.**, Cronley, C., Hyun, K., Khademi, S., & Reza Ramezanpour Nargesi, S. (2020). Interprofessional Collaboration to Promote Transportation Equity for Environmental Justice Populations: A Mixed Methods Study of Civil Engineers, Transportation Planners, and Social Workers’ Perspectives. *Transportation Research Interdisciplinary Perspectives, 5*. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.trip.2020.100110

**Miller, V.J.** (2020). The experience of transportation to visit a nursing home resident: A case study. *Social Work in Health Care, 59*(5), 300-321. https://doi.org/10.1080/00981389.2020.1756556

Beltran, S. & **Miller, V.J.** (2019). Breaking out of the silo: A systematic review of university-level gerontological curricula in social work and nursing programs. *Journal of Social Work Education, 56*(4), 753-778. https://doi.org/10.1080/10437797.2019.1656689

**Miller, V.J.**, Murphy, E.R., Cronley, C., Fields, N.L., & Keaton, C. (2019). Student experiences engaging in interdisciplinary research collaborations: A case study for social work education. *Journal of Social Work Education, 55*(4), 750-766. https://doi.org/10.1080/10437797.2019.1627260

**Miller, V.J.**, Nahar, S., Praetorious, R., & Rivedal, J. (2019). The art of living with chronic health conditions. *Illness, Crisis, & Loss.* https://doi.org/10.1177%2F1054137319857088

Twis, M., **Miller, V.J.**, Cronley, C., & Fields, N. (2019). Collecting qualitative data through text messaging among individuals experiencing transportation disadvantage: A multiple case study report. *Journal of Technology in Human Services, 38*(1), 38-53. https://doi.org/10.1080/15228835.2019.1599766

Fields, N., Cronley, C., Mattingly, S.P., Murphy, E., & **Miller, V.J.** (2019). ‘You are really at their mercy’: Examining the relationship between transportation disadvantage and social exclusion among older adults through the use of innovative technology. *Transportation Research Record, 2673*(7), 12-24. https://doi.org/10.1177/0361198119839969

**Miller, V.J.** & Hamler, T. (2019). A value-critical policy analysis of the nursing home reform act: A focus on care on African American and Latino residents. *Social Work in Health Care, 58*(5), 471-493. https://doi.org/10.1080/00981389.2019.1587660

Fields, N., Xu, L., & **Miller, V.J.** (2019). Caregiver burden and desire for institutional placement – the roles of positive aspects of caregiving and religiosity coping. *The American Journal of Alzheimer’s Disease & Other Dementias*, 199-207. https://doi.org/10.1177/1533317519826217

**Miller, V.J.** (2018). Investigating barriers to family visitation of nursing home residents: A systematic review. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work, 62*(3), 261-278. https://doi.org/10.1080/01634372.2018.1544957

**Miller, V.J.**, Killian, M.O., & Fields, N. (2018). Caregiver identity theory and predictors of burden and depression: Findings from the REACH II study. *Aging & Mental Health, 24*(2), 212-220. https://doi.org/10.1080/13607863.2018.1533522

Hamler, T., **Miller, V.J.**, & Petrakovitz, S. (2018). Chronic kidney disease and older African American adults: How embodiment influences self-management. *Geriatrics, 3*(52). https://doi.org/10.3390/geriatrics3030052

Fields, N.L., Adorno, G., Felderhoff, B., Parekh, R., **Miller, V.**, Magruder, K., & Rogers, K. (2018). The social construction of “emerging elders”: Implications for age-friendly community assessments. *Gerontology & Geriatric Medicine, 4,* 1-7. https://doi.org/10.1177%2F2333721418784844

**Miller, V.J**., Fields, N., Adorno, G., & Smith-Osborne, A. (2017). Using the eco-map and ecosystems perspective to guide skilled nursing facility discharge planning. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work, 60*(6-7), 504-518. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01634372.2017.1324548>

* + 1. Editorships of Journals

2023, June-present Invited Guest Advisor for Article Collection in Journal *International Journal of Qualitative Studies on Health and Well-being (QHW)*

2022, January-present *Journal of Gerontological Social Work*, Media Review Editor

* + 1. Book Reviews and Encyclopedia Entries

**Miller, V.J.** (2021). Book Review of *Bridging the Family Care Gap*. *Journal of Applied Gerontology, 41*(2), 590-591*.* <http://doi.org/10.1177/07334648211063430>

**Miller, V.J.** (2021). A Review of *Lessons in Leadership for Person-Centered Elder Care* (2017). *Journal of Gerontological Social Work, 64*(8), 914-915*.* <https://doi.org/10.1080/01634372.2021.1923606>

**Miller, V.J.** (2020). Book review of *Assessment and Treatment of Older Adults: A guide for Mental Health Professions* (2019). By G. Hinrichsen. *The Gerontologist, 60*(8), 1580-1581. <https://doi.org/10.1093/geront/gnaa083>

**Miller, V.J.** (2019). Family Medicine. In: Gu D., Dupre M. (eds.). *Encyclopedia of Gerontology and Population Aging*. Springer, Cham.

**Miller, V.J.** (2018). Invited book review of *Choosing a Nursing Home* (2018). *Journal of Gerontological Social Work, 62*(3), 366-368*.* <https://doi.org/10.1080/01634372.2018.1515799>

**Miller, V.J.** (2017). Invited book review of *Social Policy for an Aging Society: A Human Rights Perspective* (2015). By C. Cox. *Perspectives on Social Work Journal, 13*(1), 42-44.

**Miller, V.J.** (2016). Book review of *Grief and Loss Across the Lifespan: A Biopsychosocial Approach* (2015). By C. A. Walter and J. L. M. McCoyd. *Social Work*, *61*(4), 378-379. <https://doi.org/10.1093/sw/sww041>

* + 1. Reports

**Miller, V.J.**, Maziarz, L., Burek, M., & Wagner, J. (2023, June). “State Tested Nurse Aide (STNA) and/or Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) Turnover Project.” Final report for Principle Business Enterprises (PBE), Inc., Bowling Green, OH.

**Miller, V.J.**, Maziarz, L., Burek, M., & Wagner, J. (2022, December). “State Tested Nurse Aide (STNA) and/or Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) Turnover Project.” Progress report submitted to Principle Business Enterprises (PBE), Inc., Bowling Green, OH.

Burek, M., **Miller, V.J.**, Sears, J., & Wilfong, J. (2020, August). “In response to hate crimes: Criminal justice and interventions.” Report brief presented to La Conexion, Bowling Green, OH.

Burek, M., Wilfong, J., Lanson, L., & **Miller, V.J.** (2020, January). “Wood County Committee on Aging Needs Assessment.” Final Report Published for the Wood County Committee on Aging (WCCOA), Bowling Green, OH.

**Miller, V.J.** (2019, August). “Transportation, social support, family visitation, and depression of residents in nursing homes: A mixed-methods study.” Final Dissertation Published for NITC, Portland, OR. <https://ppms.trec.pdx.edu/media/project_files/Final_Dissertation.vjm.pdf>

Fields, N., Cronley, C., Hyun, K., Mattingly, S., **Miller, V.J.**, et al. (2019, January). “How interdisciplinary teams leverage emerging technologies to respond to transportation infrastructure needs? A mixed-methods evaluation of civil engineers, urban planning, and social workers’ perspectives.” Final Report for NITC, Portland, OR. <https://nitc.trec.pdx.edu/research/project/1176>

Mattingly, S., Fields, N., Cronley, C., **Miller, V.J.**, Murphy, E.R., Crawford, M., Gwak, L., & Reza, S. (2018, May). “Transportation mobility among low-income, transportation disadvantaged older adults living in a low density urban environment using innovative data collection methods.” Final Report for NCTCOG, Arlington, TX.

Farkas, K., Drabble, L., & **Miller, V**. (2015, May). *Master ́s advanced curriculum (MAC) project substance use and older adults resource review 2015 revision*. Alexandria, VA: Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) Gero-Ed Center (online publication). [https://www.cswe.org/getattachment/Centers-Initiatives/Centers/Gero-Ed- Center/Initiatives/Past-Programs/MAC-Project/Resource-Reviews/Substance- Use/2015Revision\_SubstanceUse\_Ch5\_Treatment.pdf.aspx](https://www.cswe.org/getattachment/Centers-Initiatives/Centers/Gero-Ed-%20Center/Initiatives/Past-Programs/MAC-Project/Resource-Reviews/Substance-%20Use/2015Revision_SubstanceUse_Ch5_Treatment.pdf.aspx)

1. Papers Read to/Posters presented at Professional Societies
   1. Refereed papers/posters (\**denotes* *upcoming conference*)

\*Seo, C. H., Lee, K., **Miller, V. J.**, & Rodriguez, C. (2024, January). Employment Barriers of Older Adults in Northern Nevada. Society for Social Work and Research, 28th Annual Conference. Washington, D.C.

**\*Miller, V.J**., Wagner, J., Maziarz, L., Burek, M., Bell, J., & Perry, K. (2023, November). “Job Expectations vs. Reality: Workplace Experiences from the Nursing Home Frontlines.” Late breaking poster presentation submitted for the GSA 2023 Annual Scientific Meeting.

\*Wagner, J., **Miller, V.J.**, Maziarz, L., Burek, M., Bell, J., & Perry, K. (2023, November). “Nursing Assistant Turnover in Home Health Care Agencies: A Scoping Literature Review.” Late breaking poster presentation submitted for the GSA 2023 Annual Scientific Meeting.

\*Wagner, J., **Miller, V.J.**, Maziarz, L., Burek, M., Bell, J., & Perry, K. (2023, November). ““There is a shortage and misuse of tertiary nursing”: Perspectives of Nursing Assistants in Acute Care.” Late breaking poster presentation submitted for the GSA 2023 Annual Scientific Meeting.

\***Miller, V. J.**, Van Dussen, D.J., Minyo, M.J., Judge, K., Mendoza, K., Moss, K.O., & Kinney, J.M. (2023, October). “Incorporating Age into Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) Initiatives: A Dialogue about Intersecting Identities in Later Life.” Pre-Conference workshop accepted for o4a 2023 Annual Conference. Columbus, OH.

Van Dussen, D.J., Minyo, M.J., Judge, K., Mendoza, K., Moss, K.O., Kinney, J.M., **Miller, V.J.**, & Beach, D. (2023, April). “How to teach aging. How to engage students when teaching: Teaching and Lessons.” Workshop presentation accepted for the 2023 Annual Ohio Association of Gerontology and Education (OAGE) Conference. Toledo, OH.

Beltran, S.J., Wagner, J., & **Miller, V.J.** (2022, November). “Exploring the Experiences of Nursing Home Administrators during COVID-19.” Poster presentation accepted for the 2022 Gerontological Society of America Annual Scientific Meeting. Indianapolis, IA.

Lee, H.S. & **Miller, V.J.** (2022, April). “Stress and Coping Strategy among Community-Dwelling Older Adults during the Pandemic: Ken-Q Analysis.” Poster presentation accepted for the 2022 Conference of the Ohio Association of Gerontological and Education. Youngstown, OH.

**Miller, V.J.**, Lee, H.S., & Roark, E. (2022, April). “The Experiences of Technology Use among Older Adults during COVID-19.” Poster presentation accepted for the 2022 Conference of the Ohio Association of Gerontological and Education. Youngstown, OH.

Mattingly, S., Fields, N.L., Cronley, C., & **Miller, V.J.** (2022, January). “Developing Public Transportation Performance Measures for Assessing the Service of Transit Dependent Riders.” [Refereed]. Paper presentation accepted for the 2022 Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C.

**Miller, V.J.**, Lee, H.S., & Roark, E. (2021, November). ““For me, it's connection”: Older Adults Experience with Technology during COVID-19.” [Refereed]. Late breaker poster presentation accepted for the 2021 Gerontological Society of America Annual Scientific Meeting. Phoenix, AZ.

**Miller, V.J.**, Adenjeni, D.O., & Tonui, B. (2021, November). “Combating Social Isolation among Older Immigrant Adults: A Qualitative Interpretive Meta-Synthesis.” [Refereed]. Late breaker poster presentation accepted for the 2021 Gerontological Society of America Annual Scientific Meeting. Phoenix, AZ.

Beltran, S.., **Miller, V.J.**, & Hamler, T. (2021, November). “Regulation-Writing as an Opportunity to Impact Aging Policy Post-Legislature: A Case Study.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the 2021 Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. Orlando, FL.

**Miller, V.J.**, Anderson, K., Fields, N.L., & Kusmaul, N. (2021, November). ““Please don't let academia forget about us:” An Exploration of Nursing Home Social Work Experiences during COVID-19.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the 2021 Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. Orlando, FL.

**Miller, V.J.,** Kusmaul, N., Burns, J., & Cheon, J.H. (2021, November). ““It was Heartbreaking... It was Horrible”: The Experiences of Nursing Home Residents’ Children during COVID-19.” [Refereed]. Paper presentation accepted for the 2021 Gerontological Society of America (GSA) Annual Scientific Meeting. Phoenix, AZ.

Beltran, S.J. & **Miller, V.J.** (2021, November). “Social Work Graduates Entering the Field of Gerontology during COVID-19: Exploring Perceived Readiness and Needs.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted at the 2021 Gerontological Society for America (GSA) Annual Scientific Meeting. Phoenix, AZ.

Wallace, M., Fields, N.L., **Miller, V.J.**, Xu, L., & Mercado Serra, M. (2021, November). “Empirically Evaluated Suicide Prevention Program Approaches for Older Adults: A Systematic Review.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the 2021 Gerontological Society of America (GSA) Annual Scientific Meeting. Phoenix, AZ.

Kusmaul, N., **Miller, V.J.**, Cheon, J.H., & Burns, J. (2021, October). ““They just took him out of my life”: The Experiences of Nursing Home Residents’ Spouses during COVID-19.” [Refereed]. Paper presentation accepted for the 2021 Canadian Association on Gerontology Conference. Toronto, ON.

**Miller, V.J.**, Williams, J., Bryant, J., & Burns, J. (2021, September). “Navigating Reentry and Reintegration using Ecosystems Perspective and the EcoMap.” Paper presentation accepted for the Midwestern Criminal Justice Conference.

Kusmaul, N. & **Miller, V.J.** (2021, September). ‘The Future of Long-Term Care.’ Invited Presentation to the NASW-MD Chapter’s Virtual Annual Fall Clinical & Macro Social Work Conference.

**Miller, V.J.** & Wilfong, J. (2021, July). “A Value-Critical Policy Analysis of Medicare Part B: A Focus on Latin/x and African American older adults.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the 2021 UK Joint Social Work Education and Research Conference (JSWEC). Cardiff, Wales. [Conference online due to COVID-19]

**Miller, V.J.** (2021, July). “Transportation is critical to community connectedness: Family members visitation to residents in nursing homes and the Social Determinants of Mental Health.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the 2021 UK Joint Social Work Education and Research Conference (JSWEC). Cardiff, Wales. [Conference online due to COVID-19]

Lee, H., **Miller, V.J.,** & Burns, J.O. (2021, April). “Caregiver Voices of Stress and Coping during COVID-19.” Poster presentation accepted for the 2021 Conference of the Ohio Association of Gerontological and Education. Athens, OH.

**Miller, V.J.**, Hamler, T., Beltran, S.J. & Burns, J.O. (2021, April). “Social workers in the nursing home: A systematic review of the literature.” Poster presentation accepted for the 2021 Conference of the Ohio Association of Gerontological and Education. Athens, OH.

**Miller, V.J.** (2020, December). “The Importance of Connectedness in the Era of COVID-19.” AARP of Northwest Ohio Event titled: *Emergency Preparedness: Be Ready!* Online Webinar.

**Miller, V.J.** (2020, November). “Older adults and substance use disorder: Understanding gerontology-focused assessment and treatment needs.” Invited presenter at the National Association of Social Workers (NASW) Ohio Chapter Annual State Conference. Columbus, OH.

**Miller, V.J.**, Hamler, T., Beltran, S.J., & Burns, J. (2020, November). “The social worker in the nursing home: A rapid review of the literature from 2009 to 2019.” [Refereed]. Late breaker poster presentation submitted for the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 2020 Annual Scientific Meeting. Philadelphia, PA. [online due to COVID-19]

**Miller, V.J.**, Fields, N.L., Anderson, K., Kusmaul, N., & Maxwell, C. (2020, November). “Nursing Home Social Workers Preparedness and Coping for COVID-19.” [Refereed]. Late breaker poster presentation submitted for the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 2020 Annual Scientific Meeting. Philadelphia, PA. [online due to COVID-19]

**Miller, V.J.**, Wilfong, J., Burek, M., & Lanson, L. (2020, November). “Identifying the transportation needs of a rural aging community: Findings from a community assessment.” [Refereed]. Invited symposium presentation as a part of the symposium: “Let’s Stop Spinning our Wheels: Strengthening the Case for Community Engaged Transportation Solutions” accepted for the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 2020 Annual Scientific Meeting. Philadelphia, PA. [online due to COVID-19]

Murphy, E.R., Cronley, C., Fields, N.L., **Miller, V.J.**, & Hill, D. (2020, January). “First/last mile accessibility to healthcare within the context of the behavioral model for vulnerable populations.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the Transportation Research Board 2019 Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C.

Cronley, C., **Miller, V.J.**, Fields, N., Mattingly, S., & Kitchens, M. (2020, January). “Utilizing a diverse professionals Community Advisory Board to inform community-engaged participatory research on transportation equity: A case study to inform future best practices.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the Transportation Research Board 2019 Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C.

**Miller, V.J.** (2019, November). “Transportation is the driver to visit: Does community connectedness effect depression symptoms of residents?” [Refereed]. Invited symposium presentation as a part of the Interest Group Session: “Living in and leaving nursing homes: The factors that contribute to quality of life, health, and safety outcomes” accepted for the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 2019 Annual Scientific Meeting. Austin, TX.

**Miller, V.J.** (2019, November). “Assessing transportation disadvantage within our communities: A confirmatory factor analysis.” [Refereed]. Paper presentation accepted for the Council on Social Work Education 2019 Annual Program Meeting. Denver, CO.

**Miller, V.J.** (2019, September). “Family Member’s Transportation and Depression Symptoms of Residents in Nursing Homes: The Mediating Effect of Social Support.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the 11th annual Transportation and Communities Summit 2019. Portland, OR.

Cronley, C., Fields, N., **Miller, V.J.**, & Mattingly, S. (2019, September). “A Methodological Case Presenting Use of a Community Advisory Board to Assess First/Last Mile Accessibility.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the 11th annual Transportation and Communities Summit 2019, Portland, OR.

Ramezanpour Nargesi, S., Khademi, S., Mattingly, S., **Miller, V.**, & Cronley, C. (2019, July). “Measuring the public health outcome of first/last mile solutions.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the Institute for Transportation Engineers International and Texas District Meeting. Austin, TX.

**Miller, V.J.**, Kitchens, M., Cronley, C. & Fields, N. (2019, June). “How can interdisciplinary teams leverage emerging technologies to respond to transportation infrastructure needs? A mixed-methods evaluation of civil engineers, urban planners, and social workers’ perspectives.” [Refereed]. Podium presentation accepted for the 6th Annual Summer Conference on Livable Communities. Kalamazoo, MI.

Ramezanpour Nargesi, S., Khademi, S., Mattingly, S., **Miller, V.J.**, & Cronley, C. (2019, February). “Measuring the public health outcome of first/last mile solutions.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the 2019 Active Living Conference. Charleston, SC.

Fields, N., Cronley, C., Mattingly, S.P., Murphy, E., & **Miller, V.J.** (2019, January). ‘“You are really at their mercy”: Examining the relationship between transportation disadvantage and social exclusion among older adults through the use of innovative technology.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the Transportation Research Board 2019 Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C.

**Miller, V.J.**, Nahar, S., Praetorious, R., & Rivedal, J. (2019, January). “The art of living with chronic health conditions: A qualitative study.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the 2019 Society for Social Work and Research Annual Conference. San Francisco, CA.

Twis, M., **Miller, V.J.**, Cronley, C., & Fields, N. (2019, January). “Collecting qualitative data through text messaging among individuals experiencing transportation disadvantage: A multiple case study report.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation submitted for the 2019 Society for Social Work and Research Annual Conference. San Francisco, CA.

Murphy, E.R. & **Miller, V.J.** (2018, November). “’A whole new world’: A qualitative interpretive meta-synthesis of experiences with technology use among an international sample of older adults.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 2018 Annual Scientific Meeting. Boston, MA.

**Miller, V.J.**, Killian, M., & Fields, N. (2018, November). “Caregiver identity theory and predictors of burden and depression: Findings from the REACH II study.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 2018 Annual Scientific Meeting. Boston, MA.

Xu, L., Fields, N., Tonui, B., & **Miller, V.J.** (2018, November). “The effects of a psychoeducational intervention for Chinese American foster grandparents.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the Council on Social Work Education 2018 Annual Program Meeting. Orlando, FL.

Cronley, C., Fields, N., **Miller, V.J.**, & Murphy, E.R. (2018, November). “Rethinking data collection strategies to document transportation disadvantage - An Interprofessional Approach.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the Council on Social Work Education 2018 Annual Program Meeting. Orlando, FL.

**Miller, V.J.** (2018, July). “Assessing the internal consistency of the Cornell Scale for Depression in Dementia among nursing home residents: A systematic review.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the SWSD 2018 Social Work, Education and Social Development Conference. Dublin, IRE.

**Miller, V.J.**, Murphy, E.R., & Cronley, C. (2018, July). “Leveraging innovative interdisciplinary efforts in social work education to improve quality of life among transportation disadvantaged populations.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the SWSD 2018 Social Work, Education and Social Development Conference. Dublin, IRE.

Hohn, K., **Miller, V.J.**, Crawford, M., Gwak, L.B., Williams, J., Reza, S., & Khademi, S. (2018, June). “Interdisciplinary community engagement: Student leadership in the development of a Community Advisory Board.” [Refereed]. Student poster presentation accepted for the Transportation Research for Livable Communities 2018 Annual Conference. Kalamazoo, MI.

**Miller, V.J.**, Murphy, E., Crawford, M., Gwak, L.B., Reza, S., & Khademi, S. (2018, June). “Leveraging Social Work Skills to Engage Lower-income Older Adults in Research on the Impact of Transportation Disadvantage.” [Refereed]. Student poster presentation accepted for the Transportation Research for Livable Communities 2018 Annual Conference. Kalamazoo, MI.

Reza, S., Khademi, S., **Miller, V.**, Hohn, K., Crawford, M., & Gwak, L. (2018, June). “Developing transportation gaps performance measures to evaluate potential of transit for access opportunities.” [Refereed]. Student poster presentation accepted for the Transportation Research for Livable Communities 2018 Annual Conference. Kalamazoo, MI.

Rahman, Z., Mattingly, S., Fields, N., Cronley, C., **Miller, V.**, Balasubramanian, M., & Murphy, E. (2018, June). “Techniques for Assessing Transportation Gaps of Environmental Justice Populations.” [Refereed]. Paper presentation accepted for 7th Transportation Research Board Conference on Innovations in Travel Modeling.

**Miller, V.J.** (2018, Summer). “Investigating barriers to family visitation with nursing home residents: A systematic review.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the 2018 School of Social Work Research Office Student Research Showcase. Arlington, TX.

**Miller, V.J.**, Murphy, E.R., Gwak, L., Crawford, M., Fields, N., Cronley, C., & Mattingly, S. (2018, Summer). “Leveraging App Technology to Measure the Impact of Transportation Disadvantage: A Methodological Case Study.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the 2018 School of Social Work Research Office Student Research Showcase. Arlington, TX.

Rahman, Z., Mattingly, S., Fields, N., Cronley, C., **Miller, V.**, Balasubramanian, M., & Murphy, E. (2018, April). “An Innovative Data Collection Approach to Include Low-income, Transportation Disadvantaged Older Adults in the Transportation Planning Process.” [Refereed]. Paper presentation abstract accepted for the 2018 Annual Transportation Research Forum. Washington, D.C.

**Miller, V.J.** (2018, April). “Experiences of End-of-Life Care in U.S. Nursing Homes: A Qualitative Interpretive Meta-Synthesis (QIMS).” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the Society for Social Work and Research 2018 22nd Annual Conference. Washington, D.C.

Beltran, S.J. & **Miller, V.J.** (2017, October). “Breaking Out of the Silo: Interdisciplinary Education for Gerontological Social Workers.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the Council on Social Work Education 2017 Annual Program Meeting. Dallas, TX.

**Miller, V.J.** & Cronley, C. (2017, October). “Leveraging interdisciplinary research collaborations with social work and engineering to improve quality of life among transportation disadvantaged populations: A Case Study.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the Council on Social Work Education 2017 Annual Program Meeting. Dallas, TX.

**Miller, V.J.**, Roark-Murphy, E., Kelley, D., Rahman, Z., Reza, S., & Balasubramanian, M. (2017, September). “Working on an Interdisciplinary Team to Address Transportation Disadvantage among Older Adults.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the National Institute for Transportation and Communities (NITC), 2017 Transportation & Communities Summit. Portland, OR.

Xu, L., **Miller, V.**, & Fields, N. (2017, July). “Benefits and Barriers for Chinese Immigrant Foster Grandparents: A Mixed Methods Study.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the 21st IAGG 2017 World Congress of Gerontology and Geriatrics. San Francisco, CA.

Murphy, T., **Miller, V.J.**, Rahman, Z., Balasubramanian, M., White, K., & Wills-Thames, E. (2017, June). “Working on an Interdisciplinary Team to Address the Transportation Experiences of Environmental Justice Populations.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the Transportation Research Center for Livable Communities Fourth Annual Summer Conference. Kalamazoo, MI.

**Miller, V.** & Killian, M. (2017, January). “Caregivers' Daily Tasks for Recipients with Alzheimer's Disease and Associations with Levels of Caregiver Burden and Depression.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the Society for Social Work and Research 2017 21st Annual Conference. Washington, D.C.

**Miller, V.J.**, Fields, N., Adorno, G., & Smith-Osborne, A. (2016, November). “Using the Eco-map and Ecosystems Perspective to Guide Skilled Nursing Facility Discharge Planning.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 2016 Annual Conference. New Orleans, LA.

Xu, L., Fields, N., & **Miller, V.J**. (2016, November). “The Roles of “Grandparents” in Foster Grandparent Program among Chinese Immigrant Older Adults.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 2016 Annual Conference. New Orleans, LA.

Nguyen, A., **Miller, V**., Slaughter, J., & Hyun Seo, C. (2016, October). “Theory-informed Evidence Based Practice: Comparative Analysis of Three Social Work Journals.” [Refereed]. Poster presentation accepted for the Council on Social Work Education 2016 Annual Program Meeting. Atlanta, GA.

1. Service
   1. Department

2023-present Part-time Faculty Committee member

2023-present DHS Merit Policy Committee, Chair

2022 Social Work Search Committee – Benz Professorship, Chair

2021-present DHS Merit Committee member, Social Work Representative

2020-present Bachelor of Science in Social Work Academic Advisor

2020-present DHS Scholarship Committee member, Social Work Representative

2019-present Bachelor of Science in Social Work Admissions Reviewer

2019-2020 Social Work Phi Alpha Honor Society Faculty Advisor

* 1. College

2023 Nursing Camp, BGSU Pre-College Summer Camp

2022 HHS Career Exploration Day, Toledo Public Schools

2021-present Faculty Senate HHS Representative

2020-2023 Director of Optimal Aging Institute (OAI) Executive Board

2020-2022 Dean’s Faculty Advisory Committee

2016-2019 Doctoral Student Association (DSA), Mentor

2016-2017 Doctoral Student Association (DSA), Social Chair

2016-2017 Gerontology Organization (GO), Vice President

2016 Gerontology Organization (GO), President

2016 Annual Celebration of Excellence by Students (ACES), Judge

2015-2016 Aging Curriculum Committee Student Member

* 1. University

2023 CURS Faculty Advisor, Fall 2023

2023 CURS Faculty Advisor, Summer 2023

2023 CURS Faculty Advisor, Spring 2023

2023 Center for Undergraduate Research & Scholarship (CURS) Conference, Judge

2022 Fall Social Work “Get with the Program”

2022 McNair Faculty Mentor, Yvonne Furaha

2020-present Faculty Mentor, Center for Undergraduate Research & Scholarship

2020 Center for Undergraduate Research & Scholarship Diversity Program, Judge

2020 11th Annual Shanklin Colloquium and Graduate Student Awards, Judge

2019 Center for Undergraduate Research & Scholarship Diversity Program, Judge

* 1. Professional

2023 Invited Guest Advisor, *International Journal of Qualitative Studies on Health and Well-being* (QHW)

2023-present Chair, OAGE Communications Committee

2023-present Secretary, Ohio Association of Gerontology in Education (OAGE)

2023-present Invited Manuscript Reviewer, *Aging and Health Research*

2022-2023 AGESW Social Media Designer

2022-present Board Member, Ohio Association of Gerontology in Education (OAGE)

2022-present *JGSW* Media Review Editor

2021-present Committee Member, AGESW Fundraising

2021-present Board Member at Large, AGESW

2021-present Manuscript Reviewer, *Journal of Gerontological Social Work* (*JGSW*)

2020-2022 Gerontological Society of America (GSA), SSRP Workgroup

2020-2021 Gerontology-Social Work Faculty, Open Group Library

2019-present Manuscript Reviewer, *Qualitative Health Research*

2019-present Manuscript Reviewer, *Gerontology and Geriatric Medicine*

2018 CSWE APM National Conference Volunteer

2018 Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) Annual Conference Volunteer

2017 Abstract Reviewer, 21st IAGG World Congress of Gerontology and Geriatrics

2017 NASW/TX State Conference Volunteer

2016 CSWE APM National Conference Volunteer

* 1. Community

2021-2023 Committee Member, Wood County Committee on Aging LivelyU

2022-2023 Board Member, Otterbein Pemberville

2021 AAUW Bowling Green Branch “Nomination Committee” Member

2020-2021 TMACOG Member, Toledo, OH, Member

2015-2019 Community Hospice of Texas (CHOT)

2016-2019 Tarrant Area Food Bank

1. Membership in Professional Organizations

2020-2022 American Association for University Women (AAUW)

2019-present Ohio Association of Gerontology and Education (OAGE)

2017-2022 Emerging Scholar and Professional Organization, GSA

2016-present Association for Gerontological Education in Social Work (AGESW)

2016-2023 Gerontological Society of America (GSA)

2017-2019 Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR)

1. Honors and Awards

2022, February Nominated for the Outstanding Early Career Award, Office of Sponsored Research and Programs, Bowling Green State University

2021, December Best article award in *JGSW* special issue on Social and Economic Justice (article authored by Jenkins Morales, Miller, & Hamler, 2021)

2021, November Nominated for the AGESW Faculty Achievement Award

2021, May Nominated for the Outstanding Early Career Award, Office of Sponsored Research and Programs, Bowling Green State University

2020, September Awarded Outstanding Educator by AAUW

2019, January Nominated for the Follett Student Leadership Institute, UTA

2018, September Nominated for the Student Leadership Award, AGESW

2018, March Nominated for Student Employee of the Year Award, UTA

2017, April Outstanding Student Organization Officer, School of Social Work, UTA

2017, April Outstanding 2nd Year Graduate Research Assistant, UTA

1. Media

2023, April 17. “BGSU faculty, students give back to community through LivelyU programming.” Toledo Blade. <https://www.toledoblade.com/a-e/culture/2023/04/17/bgsu-faculty-students-give-back-to-community-through-livelyu-programming/stories/20230417004>

2023, April 7. “BGSU faculty, students give back to community through LivelyU programming.” BGSU News. <https://www.bgsu.edu/news/2023/04/bgsu-faculty-students-give-back-to-community-through-livelyu-programming.html>

2021, September 14. “Social Connectivity Among Seniors During COVID-19.” ICS Podcast. <https://www.stitcher.com/show/bg-ideas/episode/social-connectivity-among-seniors-during-covid-19-86805063>

2021, March. “COVID separates family members when nursing homes close visitation.” BGSU News. <https://www.bgsu.edu/news/2021/03/covid-separates-family-members-when-nursing-homes-close-visitati.html?deliveryName=DM11242>

2021, February 12. “Couples torn apart by COVID-19.” Commentary by Nancy Kusmaul and Vivian Miller in Baltimore Sun Newspaper. <https://www.baltimoresun.com/opinion/op-ed/bs-ed-op-0214-nursing-home-couples-20210212-55aivuc3zzcrlficfeceogywua-story.html>

2019, October 12. “Visiting Loved Ones in Nursing Homes: Transportation Access and Barriers.” NITC News. <https://nitc.trec.pdx.edu/news/visiting-loved-ones-nursing-homes-transportation-access-and-barriers>

2019, June 26. “New research highlights inequalities in nursing-home care for minorities.” The Daily, Case Western Reserve University. <https://thedaily.case.edu/new-research-highlights-inequalities-in-nursing-home-care-for-minorities/>

2019, April 9. “Researchers share 6 tips to improve nursing home care for blacks and Latinos.” McNights Long-Term Care News. <https://www.mcknights.com/news/researchers-share-6-tips-to-improve-nursing-home-care-for-blacks-and-latinos/>

2018, May 4. “How Transportation Affects the Mental Health of Nursing Home Residents.” Hogg Foundation for Mental Health. <https://hogg.utexas.edu/vivian-miller-nursing-home-health>

2018, April 17. “Student Spotlight: Spring 2018 NITC Dissertation Fellows.” <https://nitc.trec.pdx.edu/news/student-spotlight-spring-2018-nitc-dissertation-fellows>