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Ph. D., LMFT, AAMFT Approved Supervisor

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Full Professor of Psychology, Tenured
Program Director Marriage and Family Therapy Master's Program
Lipscomb University
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Education

University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, MN

2006 – 2010

PhD., Family Social Science

Areas of Specialization:

Adolescent civic engagement, Positive Youth Development,
Parent knowledge of adolescents, Families and Democracy,
and Marriage and Family Therapy

Abilene Christian University, Abilene, TX

1996 – 1999

M.MFT, Marriage and Family Therapy

Major: Marriage and Family Therapy

Harding University, Searcy, AR

1987 – 1992

B.A. English Education

Major: English Education

Credentials

Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist (TN #905)

2011 – current

AAMFT Approved Supervisor

2016 – current

Licensed marriage and Family Therapist (MN #1596)

2006 – 2011

Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist (AR # M0603005)

2006

Minnesota State Supervisor for MFT

2009 – 2011

AAMFT Supervisor Candidate

2012 – 2016

Professional Associations

International Family Therapy Association

2022

American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy

2000 – current

Tennessee Association for Marriage and Family Therapy

2011 – current

Minnesota Association for Marriage and Family Therapy

2006 – 2010

National council on Family relations

2000 – current

- S/NP rep for Religion and Family Life – 2007-2009
- Secretary and Treasurer for Religion and Family life – 2011-2013

● Chair-Elect 2014 – 2015	
Southeast Council on Family Relations	2010 – current
Society For Research on Adolescence	2006 – 2012
Arkansas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (Board Member 2004)	2001 – 2006
National Health Service Corps	

Awards

- Outstanding Teacher, Lipscomb University 2020
- Rising Star: University of Minnesota College of Education and Human Development Award for high achieving alumni 2018
- SALT service learning course development honorarium (\$400) 2011
- National Extension Association of Family Consumer Science (NEAFCS), Minnesota Affiliate. State winner of the Florence Hall Award for “Teen Talk: A Survival Guide for Parents and Teens.” 2008
- National Extension Association of Family Consumer Science (NEAFCS), First place – Central Region. Florence Hall Award for “Teen Talk: A Survival Guide for Parents and Teens.” 2008

Teaching Experience

Lipscomb University: 2010 – current

- Undergraduate
 - Family Interactions (FS 3433)
 - Professional Orientation (FS 1011)
 - Spirituality and Families (FS 2503)
 - Introduction to Psychology (PS 1113)
 - +Abnormal Psychology (PS 4423)
 - +Theories of Personality (PS 3463)
 - *+Special Topics: Positive Youth Development (PS 412v-99)
 - *Personal Relationships (PS 412v-01)
 - Psychological Research (PS 3141-04)
 - *Special topics: Introduction to Marriage and Family Therapy (PS 412v-01)
 - Thriving and Surviving (LU 1891)
- Masters
 - *Research Practicum (PSFT 6A13-99)
 - *Loss, Trauma, & Resilience (PSFT 6A03-99)
 - *Research and Statistics in MFT (PSG 5603, PSFT 5603)
 - *Family Therapy II (PSFT 6713)
 - Introduction to Counseling Skills (PSG 5903-01)
 - *Counseling Skills for MFT (PSFT 5903-01)
 - *Family Life Cycle (PSFT 5303-01)
 - *Advanced Psychopathology (PSFT 6603)
 - *Non-traditional Families (PSFT 6733)
 - *Internship, Supervised Clinical Practice III (PSFT 6843)
 - *Special Topics: International Family Therapy (PSFT 688v)
 - Practicum (PSFT 6813)
 - Thesis I (PSG 6933)
 - Thesis II (PSG 6843)
- Doctorate

D.MIN – Producing the DMIN Project (DMIN 7901)

D.MIN – Acquiring Skills for Effective Ministry Research (DMIN 7101)

**Indicates the creation, development, and implementation of a new course*

+Indicates a SALT Service-learning course.

Taught *Intimate Relations* (FSOS 1101) at the University of Minnesota 2009, 2010

- Collaborated with instruction team on pedagogical approaches to course content
- Carried out all instruction responsibilities
- Assessed students using quizzes, exams, and a final paper
- Engaged students in interactive lectures, applied group activities, and silent reflection
- Kept regular office hours to counsel with students

Taught *Introduction to Individual and Family Relations* (HDFE 115) at the University of Wisconsin-Stout 2007

- Collaborated on syllabus construction
- Carried out all instructional responsibilities
- Assessed students in multiple ways (exams, papers, learning communities, group presentations)
- Utilized web-based learning technologies (D2L – Desire to learn)
- Received excellent student and administrative evaluations

Developed and taught *Religious and Spiritual development in Adolescence* (FSOS 4150-101) at University of Minnesota 2009

- Developed syllabus
- Carried out all instruction
- Assessed students through collaborative quizzes, discussions, presentation, and a final paper

Developed and Taught *Introduction to Marriage and Family Therapy* (FSOS 4150-104) at University of Minnesota 2009

- Developed syllabus
- Carried out all instruction
- Assessed students through collaborative quizzes, discussions, presentation, and a final paper

Guest Lectures and Invited Academic presentations

- Panelist for Engagements course – with Dr. Leann Smith 2019, 2020
- Guest lecture Engagements course – with Dr. Alan Bradshaw 2018, 2019
- Graduate Spiritual Formation – Qualitative Methods 2012
- Graduate Nutrition and Exercise Science – Food Genogram and Food Narratives 2011
- Undergraduate Family Research Methods (FSOS 2105) at University of Minnesota 2008-2010
- Graduate Quantitative Research Methods I (FSOS 5401) 2010
- Undergraduate Counseling Skills Practicum (FSOS 3429) at University of Minnesota 2009, 2010
- Spoke to the senior Family Studies Seminar at University of St. Thomas about research, graduate school life, and careers in family. Invited by Family Studies Department Head, Dr. Meg Wilkes Karraker Dr. Carol 2008, 2009

Taught one day new T. A. training during new T. A. orientation	2007
Upward Bound (Trio Services) – Program supporting high school students who are potential first generation college students, economically disadvantaged, or ethnic minority. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Taught weekend courses in English and college expectations• Tutored students in after school tutoring session• Developed mentoring relationship with students	1997-1999
Public School Teacher (7 th Grade), Frank M. Black Middle School, Houston, TX <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Taught students literature, composition, and grammar• Assessed student performance• Lead curriculum improvements team• Served on Strategic Decision Making Committee	1994-1996
Clinical Experience	
<i>MFT Supervision at The Briggs Institute, Inc.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Supervise post-master's clinical fellow• Collaborate on marketing and institute development• Consult on Challenging and difficult cases	2017 – current
<i>Private Practice, Chris J. Gonzalez Family Therapy</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• AAMFT Approved Supervisor• Supervised post-masters MFT interns (mentored by Mike Runcie M.M., AAMFT Approved Supervisor)• Treated individuals, couples, and families• Diagnosed individual and client systems using DSM5 and systemic diagnosis• Managed case files• Evidence based practice	2015 – current 2016 – current
<i>MFT Supervision, Agape Family Services, Nashville, TN</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Supervised post-masters MFT interns• Mentored by Mike Runcie	2012-2015
<i>Private Practice, Agape Family Services, Nashville, TN</i> Marriage and Family Therapist <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Treated individuals, couples, and families• Diagnosed clients using DSM-IV• Kept accurate files and case notes	2011-2015
<i>Private Practice, Minneapolis, MN</i> Marriage and Family Therapist <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Treated individuals, couples, and families• Diagnosed clients using DSM-IV• Kept accurate files and case notes	2007-2010

Better Life Counseling Center, Jonesboro, AR (Associated with the Southwest Church of Christ)

2001-2006

Marriage and Family Therapist

- Treated individuals, couples, and families
- Diagnosed clients using DSM-IV
- Kept accurate files and case notes
- Taught enrichment courses for couples and parents

Central Psychological Services, St. Paul, MN

2000-2001

Marriage and Family Therapist

- Treated individuals, couples, and families
- Diagnosed clients using DSM-IV
- Kept accurate files and case notes

Abilene Christian University, Abilene, TX

1997-1999

Student Success – Program supporting first year college students making the transition to college

- Had weekly one to one counseling meetings with students who were struggling with the transition to college life or having academic difficulties
- Problem solved and strategized with students on matters including: academic performance, time management, how relationships impact academics, family issues, and emotional issues

Supervision and Mentoring Experience

- AAMFT Approved Supervisor
- Supervision Mentor (Completed Mentoring)
 - Aron Strong
 - Andy Dunn
 - Nick Hayes
- Supervision Mentor (In process)
 - Faye Bledsoe
 - Lexie Holcomb
- Primary Supervisor (Completed Licensure)
 - Glenn Norman
 - Andy Dunn
 - Randy Halstead
 - Abigail Holcomb
 - Sarah Shannon
 - Tuesdae Lawrence
- Primary Supervisor (In Process Toward Licensure)
- Adjunct Supervisor (Complete Licensure)
 - Nathan McCarty
 - Jennifer White VanBoxel
 - AnnChristine Johnson
 - David Harb
 - Alyssa Birmingham
 - Gracie (Mullins) Self
 - Stephanie Sommerstedt
 - Alyssa Walden

- Winn Thomas
- Chris Gygi
- Jason Hancock
- Jeannie Hankins
- Adjunct Supervisor (In Process Toward Licensure)
 - Lexie Holcomb
 - Emma Snow
 - Natalie Hoyt
 - Ana Arevalo
 - Hannah Mills
 - Madison Holladay
 - Aimee Bennett
 - Jon Nemcek
 - Faye Bledsoe
 - George Seay
 - Rece McGee
 - Paige McNeilly
 - Russell Durdunji
 - David Drennon
 - Katia Hurt
 - Jay Daughtry
 - Tammy Daughtry

Clinical Training

<i>International Family Therapy Association (IFTA) World Congress, Puerto Rico</i>	2022
<i>Your Dream Private Practice</i> 7 hours training by Sean Davis, PhD, Advancements in Therapy Conference	2021
<i>Supervision Refresher</i>	2021
<i>Internal Family System</i> 6 hours training	2020
<i>What in the world are we doing?</i> 6 hours training by Sean Davis, Ph.D., Issues in Therapy Workshop, Lipscomb University, Nashville, TN.	2019
<i>Narrative Exposure Therapy</i> , 6 hours training by Liz Weiling Ph.D. Issues in Therapy Workshop, Lipscomb University, Nashville, TN.	2018
<i>Ethics Training</i> , 3 hours MFT ethics training by Terry Case, Ph. D. Lipscomb University, Nashville, TN	2017
<i>Solution-Focused Narrative Therapy</i> , 6 hours training in Solution-Focused Narrative Therapy by Linda Metcalf Ph. D., Issues in Therapy Workshop, Lipscomb University, Nashville, TN	2017
<i>Common Factors in Psychotherapy</i> , 6 hours training in Common Factors by Adrian Blow Ph. D. Issues in Therapy Workshop, Lipscomb University, Nashville, TN	2016
<i>Working with hard cases</i> , 6 hours training in working with hard cases by Bill O'Hanlan M.S. Issues in Therapy Workshop, Trevecca University, Nashville, TN	2015
<i>Treating Depression</i> , 6 hours training in working with depression by Michael Yapko Ph. D. Tennessee Association of Marriage and Family Therapy state conference, Nashville, TN	2015
<i>Discernment Counseling</i> , 5 hours basic training in Discernment Counseling by William J. Doherty & Steven Harris at the AAMFT national Conference in Charlotte, NC.	2012

Research Experience

University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, MN

Dissertation: Is parent modeling and encouragement of service associated with adolescent modeling of service?

My Dissertation research is a study of parental influence on civic contribution during adolescence and emerging adulthood. Drawing on theories of Positive Youth Development (PYD), and most specifically the concept of contribution, this study is focused on finding the association between parental modeling and encouragement with two different kinds of contribution. One form of contribution is volunteering through an organization. The other kind of helping others in need not with an organization. Successfully defended my dissertation in April 2010.

Lipscomb University, Nashville TN

2011-2016

Principle Investigator – Lipscomb Spirituality and Measurement Project (LSAMP)

- Developed survey
- Collected data
- Analyzed data
- Developed internal reports
- Presented results in a variety of contexts

Lipscomb University, Nashville, TN

2014-2015

Principle Investigator – University Spirituality and Measurement Project (USAMP)

For Abilene Christian University

- Developed survey
- Collected data
- Analyzed data
- Developed internal reports
- Presented results in a variety of contexts

Lipscomb University, Nashville, TN

2011-2012

Principle Investigator – Study of Adolescents and Faith, Community, and Risk Behaviors (SAFe-CRiB)

- Developed survey
- Collected data
- Analyzed data
- Developed internal reports
- Presented results in a variety of contexts

University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, MN

Research Assistant – Minnesota Family Formation Project

Assisted professors with many aspects of research

- Met with couples in their homes, providing couple and parenting education (PREPARE assessment)
- Wrote case study reports on couples – qualitative data
- Wrote detailed internal reports

University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, MN

Research Assistant – Minnesota/Texas Adoption Research Project

Assisted professors with many aspects of research

- Conducted literature searches relevant to adoption
- Became proficient in assessment with the Achenbach System of Empirically Based

Assessment

- Coded transcripts using the Intimacy Scale
- Wrote sections of manuscripts including methods section

University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, MN

Research Assistant – Teen Talk Research Project

Assisted professors with many aspects of research

- Conducted literature review on adolescent communication literature
- Entered data into SPSS
- Ran variety of statistical analyses

Peer Reviewed Publications

- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2018). William Turner. In J. Lebow, A. Chambers, & D. Breunlin (Eds), *Encyclopedia of couple and family therapy* (pp. xxx-xxx). New York: Springer
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2017). Circular Questioning. In J. Lebow, A. Chambers, & D. Breunlin (Eds), *Encyclopedia of couple and family therapy* (pp. xxx-xxx). New York: Springer
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2017). Milton Erikson. In J. Lebow, A. Chambers, & D. Breunlin (Eds), *Encyclopedia of couple and family therapy* (pp. xxx-xxx). New York: Springer.
- Briggs, J. G. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2017). Schismogenesis. In J. Lebow, A. Chambers, & D. Breunlin (Eds), *Encyclopedia of couple and family therapy* (pp. xxx-xxx). New York: Springer.
- Briggs, J. G. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2017). Punctuation. In J. Lebow, A. Chambers, & D. Breunlin (Eds), *Encyclopedia of couple and family therapy* (pp. xxx-xxx). New York: Springer.
- Surdacki, W. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2014). Faith as language acquisition: Findings of faith practices and orthodox beliefs in Church of Christ adolescents. *Journal of Youth ministry*, 212(2), 53-66.
- Grotevant, H. D., Rueter, M., Von Korff, L., & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2011). Post-adoption contact, adoption communicative openness, and satisfaction with contact as predictors of externalizing behavior in adolescence and emerging adulthood. *Journal of Child Psychiatry*, 52(2), 529-536. doi: 10.1111/j.1469-7610.2010.02330.x
- Dworkin, J., **Gonzalez, C. J.**, Gengler, C., & Olson, K. (2011). Using newsletters to improve parents' Communication with their early adolescents. *Journal of Family and Consumer Sciences*, 103(1), 47-54.
- Hawley, D. R. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2005). Publication patterns of COAMFTE faculty: A content analysis. *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy*, 31, 89-98.

Manuscripts Under Review

- Gonzalez, C. J.** (in progress). To heal and to heal: a memoir of becoming a therapist
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (in progress). Shared obliviousness in religious congregations.

Unpublished Paper / Reports

- Gonzalez, C. J.** (in progress). MFT Program Director and Administration Handbook. Lipscomb University.
- Briggs, J. G. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2016). Program Handbook MFT Masters Program. Lipscomb University.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2014). University Spirituality and Research Project (USAMP). Report created for Abilene Christian University.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2012). Lipscomb Spirituality and Research Project (LSAMP). Report created for Lipscomb University Board of Trustees.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2011). Monvee: Face Validity Analysis, Further Questions on Reliability and Validity, and Recommendations for Lipscomb and Monvee.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2011). Center for the New Families: White Paper.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** & Dworkin, J. (2007). Teen Talk: A Survival Guide for Parents of Teens, Evaluation Summary. St. Paul, MN: University of Minnesota Extension Service.

- Gonzalez, C. J. & Dworkin, J. (2007).** Teen Talk: A Survival Guide for Parents of Teens, Evaluation Summary for Minnesota. St. Paul, MN: University of Minnesota Extension Service.
- Gonzalez, C. J. & Dworkin, J. (2007).** Teen Talk: A Survival Guide for Parents of Teens, Evaluation Summary for South Dakota. St. Paul, MN: University of Minnesota Extension Service.
- Gonzalez, C. J. & Dworkin, J. (2007).** Teen Talk: A Survival Guide for Parents of Teens, Evaluation Summary for Missouri. St. Paul, MN: University of Minnesota Extension Service.

Non-peer-reviewed publications

- Gonzalez, C. J. (2016).** Blog post: *What about the Kids?*
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2013 Oct/Nov).** “Awkward Step-hug.” *Thriving Family* is a print and online magazine produced by Focus on the Family.
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2013).** Getting in the game: Becoming a mentor. *Intersection of Faith and Culture* is a print magazine created by Lipscomb University.
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2009).** The case of the depressed girl. In Grochowski, J. R. (Ed.) *Health and Families*. Allyn and Bacon: Boston, MA.
- Anderson, J. R., Willoughby, B. J., **Gonzalez, C. J.**, Orieny, P., Gudmunson, C. G., Teik-Cheok Loy, J., & Schacher, G. (2007, September). The challenges of balancing the demands of fatherhood and graduate school. *NCFR Report: Family Focus on Family Science Careers, F7-F8*.
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2005 May).** “The Trojan Children.” In Tots To Teens.
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2005 March).** “The Thing That Happened With Ketchup.” In Tots To Teens.
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2004 November).** “Anticipating Baby.” In Tots To Teens.
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2004 April).** “Amazing Mothers.” In Tots To Teens.
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2004 April).** “Lost and Found: Challenges and Opportunities in Remarriage.” In Smart Stepfamily.
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2004 February).** “Lost and Found: Challenges and Opportunities in Remarriage.” In Wineskins: The Believers’ Magazine.
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2004 January).** “The Wicked Stepmother and other Ridiculous Stepmother Myths.” In Smart Stepfamily.
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2003 October).** “What’s A Dad To Be To Do?” In Tots To Teens.
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2002, September 10).** “The Marketplace of Love.” In Wineskins: The Believers’ Magazine, online edition.
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2002, March 21).** “The Paradox of Desire.” In Wineskins: The Believers’ Magazine, online edition.

Jonesboro Sun

Regular family and culture column every other Saturday.

2002 – 2006

Refereed Research and Invited Presentations

- Gonzalez, C. J. (2021).** Congregational Science: Imagining Stability and Change in Churches. Convened Panel for Christian Scholars Conference, Nashville, TN.
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2021).** Shared Obliviousness in Religious Congregations. Session for the Christian Scholars Conference, Nashville, TN.
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2020).** Congregational Science. Session for Christian Scholars Conference. (CANCELLED)
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2020).** Shared Obliviousness in Congregations. Paper for Christian Scholars Conference. (CANCELLED).
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2020).** Spiritual Formation in Youth Ministry. Respondent to presented paper. Christian Scholars Conference. (CANCELLED).
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2018 – invited).** Building Racial Bridges and Seeking Racial Understanding: Uncovering the Pervasiveness of White Supremacy. Christian Scholars Conference, Nashville, TN.
- Gonzalez, C. J. (2017 – invited).** Walking With Students While Walking With God. Lipscomb Academy,

Nashville, TN.

- Johnson, A. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2017). How story can change the way we live and heal. Student Scholars Symposium, Nashville, TN.
- Surdacki, W. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2016 – invited). Mirror, Mirror on the Wall: Teens reflections of adults view of teens. Pepperdine Bible Lectures, Malibu, CA.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2016 – invited). Trajectories of Indicators of Spirituality of Emerging Adults. Presentation to the Student Life Committee of Lipscomb University Board of Trustees, Nashville, TN.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2016 – invited). Trajectories of Indicators of Spirituality of Emerging Adults. Presentation to the Spiritual life Committee of Lipscomb University Board of Trustees, Nashville, TN.
- Surdacki, W. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2016 – invited). Mirror, Mirror on the Wall: Teens reflections of adults view of teens. TM 2016: Theology and Youth Ministry Conference. Lipscomb University, Nashville, TN.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2015 – invited). Positive Youth Development in Churches: A Parent's Guide. Woodmont Hills Church: Nashville, TN.
- McAllister, B. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2015). Lived Experiences of Ghanaian Children Formerly in Forced Labor. NCFR national conference. Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
- McAllister, B. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2015). Lived Experiences of Ghanaian Children Formerly in Forced Labor. Student Scholars Symposium, Nashville, TN.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2014). The Church of the Future: Positive Youth Development in Youth Ministry. YM 2014: Theology and Youth Ministry Conference. Lipscomb University, Nashville, TN.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2014). Family of Origin. Merge Pre-marital Conference. Otter Creek Church of Christ. Nashville, TN.
- McAllister, B. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2014). Gender, Religious Affiliation, and Attachment to God in Students at a Faith-based Liberal Arts University. Student Scholars Symposium, Nashville, TN.
- White, J. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2014). Coping and Spiritual Response to Struggle. Student Scholars Symposium, Nashville, TN.
- Lankford, R. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2014). LSAMP Results: The Spiritual Role of the Mother and Father in the Lives of College Students. Student Scholars Symposium, Nashville, TN.
- Marshall, R. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2014). A Thematic Analysis of Student Veterans on a Small Liberal Arts College. Student Scholars Symposium, Nashville, TN.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** & Lankford, R. (2013 – invited). Lipscomb Spirituality and Measurement Project (LSAMP). Overview of project presented at Dean's Conference, Lipscomb University, Nashville, TN.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2013 – invited). Discernment Counseling. Caring Connections Conference. Lipscomb University, Nashville, TN.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2013 – invited). Spiritual Formation in College Students: Surveying Spirituality. Summer Celebration. Nashville, TN.
- Gonzalez, C. J.**, Shatzer, C., & Marshall, R. (2013). Service learning in the university setting. Gulf Summit, Louisville, KY.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** & Surdacki, W. (2013). Impression Management and Religiously Conservative Youth. SECFR/ALAMFT conference. Birmingham, AL.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2012 – invited). Discernment Counseling. TAMFT of Middle Tennessee monthly luncheon. Trevecca Nazarene University, Nashville, TN.
- McDowell, S. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2012 – invited). Spiritual Formation in College Students: Surveying Spirituality. Summer Celebration. Nashville, TN.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** & Surdacki, W. (2012 – invited). Study of Adolescents and Faith, Community and Risk Behaviors (SAF-CRB). Summer Celebration. Nashville, TN.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** & Surdacki, W. (2012 – invited). Study of Adolescents and Faith, Community and Risk Behaviors (SAF-CRB). Pepperdine Lectureships. Malibu, CA.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** & Marshall, R. (2011). Toward the creation of a food genogram. Poster presentation at the NCFR national conference. Orlando, FL.

- Small, T. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2011). Father-adolescent relationship quality and adolescent outcomes. Poster at the Southeastern Conference on Family Relations, Birmingham, AL.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2010). Parent modeling and adolescent formal volunteering. Poster presentation at the National Council on Family Relations, Minneapolis, MN.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** & Close, C. (2010). Parental encouragement of volunteering and volunteering during the transition to emerging adulthood. Poster presentation at the Society for Research on Adolescence in Philadelphia, PA.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** & Dworkin, J. (2009). Mother-adolescent communication and mother knowledge of Adolescent sexual status. Poster presentation at the NCFR national conference in San Francisco, CA.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** & Dworkin, J. (2008). Mother-Adolescent Relationship Quality and Mother Knowledge of Adolescent High-Risk Behavior. Poster presentation at the SRA annual conference in Chicago, IL.
- Grotevant, H. D., Rueter, M. A., VonKorff, L., & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2008). Family Communication: Its Role in Adolescents' Adoption Adjustment & Externalizing Behavior. Paper presentation at the SRA annual conference in Chicago, IL.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** (2008). Toward the construction of a collaborative solution map. Poster. Minnesota Council on Family Relations. St. Paul, MN.
- Wilde, J. L., Zaloudek, J. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2007). The Visibility of Religion and Family Research in JMF: A Textual Analysis. Paper presentation at the NCFR annual conference, November, Pittsburgh, PA.
- Dworkin, J., **Gonzalez, C. J.**, Gengler, C., & Olson, K. (2007). Evaluating Newsletters for Parents of Early Adolescents. Paper presentation at the NCFR annual conference, November, Pittsburgh, PA.
- Hawley, D. R. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2007). Strengths and Stressors of Missionary Couples. Poster presentation at the NCFR annual conference, November, Pittsburgh, PA.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** & Brooks, G. (2004). Parenting After Divorce. Lecture presentation at the Arkansas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy.
- Hawley, D. R. & **Gonzalez, C. J.** (2003). Publication Patterns Among MFT Faculty: A Content Analysis. Poster presented at the National Council on Family Relations annual conference.
- Gonzalez, C. J.** & Oden, B. (1999). Marital Satisfaction and the Experiencing Marriage Seminar. Poster presented at the Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapists annual meeting.

Administrative

- Collaboratively writing COAMFTE accreditation self study. 2022
- Doubled the size of the MFT program (students, faculty, budget, space) 2021
- Acquired new academic and office space in a house renovation 2021
- Lead search committee in the hiring of 3 new MFT faculty 2021
- Presidential Search Committee 2021
- Associate Dean Search Committee Austin 2021
- SACS-COC Site visit participant 2021
- Led development of MFT program in Austin 2020-2021
- Developed Proposal for MFT program in Austin 2020
- Led curriculum restructure for MFT program 2020
- Led program through strategic planning – COVID-19 2020
- Partnered with Narrow Gate for the renovation of the Intern Room at LFTC 2020
- Founded Day of Giving for MFT program 2020
- Launched MFT newsletter for Communities of Interest for MFT Program 2020
- Founded Student Legislative Subcommittee with TNAMFT 2019
- Founded Lipscomb MFT Day on the Hill 2019
- Founded MFT Scholarship 2019
- Led faculty in restructure of the MFT Masters program. 2019
 - Added Professional MFT course

- Added Licensure and Exam course
 - Infused trauma across multiple courses
- Led Restructuring of Family Science undergraduate program 2017 – 2019
 - Re-imagined undergraduate curriculum with focus on careers and job Market
 - Led current faculty in creation of four career-focused tracks
 - Gained approval for all changes through ACT
- Co-Founded Program Director Masters in Marriage and Family Therapy Program 2011 – current
 - Program Director (2011-current)
 - Clinical Director (2011-2014)
 - Led team to earn COAMFTE initial accreditation for 6 years with no Stipulations 2017
- Launched Lipscomb Family Therapy Center for Nashville Community 2014
 - Worked with university administration to locate a site for the Family Therapy Center
 - Worked with building and design to renovate the house for e Family Therapy Center
 - Lead team of graduate assistants to develop paperwork for new center
 - Collaborated to with university communications to market new services
 - Instrumental in hiring Clinical Director of Lipscomb Family Therapy Center
 - Instrumental in hiring Office Manager for Lipscomb Family Therapy Center
- Program development for new Marriage and Family Therapy Master's program 2012
 - Course selection and sequencing to meet AAMFT and TN licensing requirements
 - Strategic planning within the parameters of the new Spark facility in Cool Springs
- Curriculum development for new Marriage and Family Therapy Master's program 2012
 - Collection, analysis and production of syllabi in line with state of the art of the MFT field
 - Development of reading lists and library resources
 - Order and review of texts
- Development of new practicum sites
 - Network and create connections to explore possibilities for new practicum sites
 - Develop policy and procedures for new practicum sites in line with expectations of COAMFTE accreditation standards 2012-current
- Program Marketing and Promotion 2012
 - Consulted with university marketing department and department chair on press release
 - Consulted with department chair on marketing strategies for program promotion on internet
- Partnership Building in Community 2012-current
 - Nashville Recovery Center
 - Hillsboro High School
 - Lipscomb Academy
 - Siloam health
 - Open Table

- Hillsboro High School
- Tennessee Prison Outreach Ministry
- The Well
- Christian Community Services Inc.
- Mental Health American Middle Tennessee
- Agape
- Refuge Counseling Center
- Woodmont Family of God
- Otter Creek Church of Christ
- Ethos Church
- Mental Health America of Middle Tennessee
- Teach for America Middle Tennessee
- Sage Hill Counseling
- Daystar
- Lantern Lane
- Founded and produced Annual “Advancements In Therapy” Workshop
 - High Profile Trainers
 - 2022 Andi Clements, PhD “Identifying and Addressing Religious Trauma.” East Tennessee University.
 - 2021 Sean Davis, PhD, LMFT “Your dream private practice.” Alliant University.
 - 2020 Sean Davis, Ph.D., LMFT “Your dream private practice.” Alliant University (CANCELLED).
 - 2019 Sean Davis, Ph. D., LMFT “Why are we doing this?” Alliant University
 - 2018 Liz Wieling, Ph. D., LMFT “Systemic Perspectives on Trauma.” University of Minnesota
 - 2017 Linda Metcalf, Ph. D., LMFT “Solution-focused Narrative Therapy.” Texas Wesleyan University
 - 2016 Adrian Blow, Ph. D., LMFT “Common Factors.” Michigan State University
 - Assembled workshop planning team to create a community event
 - Development of workshop form idea to reality with planning team
 - Secured Spark as a venue for the event
 - Collaborated on marketing and community engagement
 - Developed and managed budget for event
 - Gathered meaningful evaluation of the event to inform future events
- COAMFTE Accreditation

○ Lead self-study for re-accreditation	2021- 2022
○ Annual Report	2018-2022
○ Earned 6 year initial accreditation with no stipulations	2017
○ Responded to Site Visit Report	2017
○ Site Visit facilitated	2017
○ Completed self-study	2016
○ Began self-study a comprehensive report on the quality	2016

- and continuous improvement of the MFT program
 - Developed accreditation work team of faculty, staff, and students 2016
 - Hired consultant to guide team through accreditation process 2016-2018
- Launched Delta Kappa Chapter (International Honor Society for MFT) 2018
 - Launched Alpha Alpha Chapter
 - Inducted charter class of honor society members
 - Became faculty sponsor of Delta Kappa

Grants, Funded Projects, and Fundraising (\$70,139)

- MFT Scholarship funds Raised (\$10,000) 2022
- MFT Scholarship raised funds (\$7200) 2021
- MFT Scholarship raised funds (\$4000) 2020
- MFT Scholarship raised funds (\$2000) 2019
- Lilly Fellow on Addressing White Supremacy (\$375) 2018
- Sabbatical Data Analysis Project LSAMP (semester release) 2015
- Summer Research Grant (\$4,185) 2015
- University Spirituality and Measurement Project (USAMP) ACU (\$6,927) 2014
- Lipscomb Spirituality and Measurement Project (LSAMP) Grant (\$5,000) 2014
- Lipscomb Spirituality and Measurement Project (LSAMP) Grant (\$7,500) 2013
- Lipscomb Spirituality and Measurement Project (LSAMP) course buyout (\$6,000) and grant (\$5,000) 2011-2012
- Innovative Course Development Grant (\$1,000); Travel course / SALT course – “Positive Youth Development” 2011
- Waller Fellowship (\$5,000) 2009
 - The Waller Fellowship is a competitive departmental fellowship provided to support students who have an aggressive research plan with stated outcomes and goals compatible with the student’s state in degree program.
- Ruth Hall Travel Grant (\$400)* 2009
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- Ruth Hall Travel Grant (\$400)* 2007
- Summer Block Grant for Research (\$5,000) 2007
 - Summer Block Grant for Research is a competitive summer grant for first year students who are making excellent progress towards degree completion and have a complete degree plan outlined with the FSoS program faculty selected.
- Marital Satisfaction and the Experiencing Marriage Seminar (\$100). Texas Student Association for Marriage and Family Therapists. 1999

*Ruth Hall travel grants are department grants awarded to students presenting original research at conferences

Graduate Faculty Advising

<u>Department Degree</u>	<u>Student</u>	<u>Role</u>
<i>Masters Degree Completed</i>		
Psychology	Dorothy Walters	Committee – Lipscomb (2010)
Psychology	David Carillo	Committee – Lipscomb (2011)
Psychology	Rachel Paris	Committee – Lipscomb (2011)
Psychology	Amber Teske	Committee – Lipscomb (2011)

Psychology	Michael Byrum	Adviser – Lipscomb (2012)
Psychology	Nicole Brown	Adviser – Lipscomb (2012)
Psychology	Hillary Warrington	Committee – Lipscomb (2012)
Psychology	Lindsay Bieda	Adviser – Lipscomb (2013 – Thesis I)
Psychology	Lisa Kreuzberger	Adviser – Lipscomb (2013)
Psychology	Tiana Martin	Committee – Lipscomb (2013 – Thesis I)
Psychology	Rachael Marshall	Adviser – Lipscomb (2014)
Exercise Science	Hannah Dewalt	Committee – Lipscomb University (2014)
Psychology	Abbe McCaroll	Committee – Lipscomb University (2014)
Psychology	Candice Sepulveda	Adviser – Lipscomb University (2014)
Psychology	Amanda Brodsky	Adviser – Lipscomb University (2014)
Psychology	Ben Dearen	Adviser – Lipscomb University (2014)
Psychology	Cameron Hendley	Committee – Lipscomb University (2016)
Psychology	Elise Beck	Committee – Lipscomb University (2016)
Clinical Mental Health Counseling	Madison Thetford	Adviser – Lipscomb University (2018)
Psychology	Audrey Tesi	Adviser – Lipscomb University (2021)

Masters Degree in Process

Doctoral Degree Completed

Doctor of Ministry	Kate Watkins	Committee – Lipscomb University (2014)
Doctor of Ministry	Jeff King	Committee – Lipscomb University (2014)
Clinical Counseling	Jaclyn Lewinski	Committee – Trevecca University (2014)
Doctor of Ministry	Mallory Wyckoff	Committee – Lipscomb University (2016)

Doctoral Degree in Process

Doctor of Ministry	Jonathan Straker	Adviser – Lipscomb University
Clinical Counseling	Drea Pryor	Committee – Trevecca University

University, Professional, and Community Service

- University (Department, program, college or university)
 - University Strategic Planning Taskforce 2022
 - Diversity Subgroup – Strategic Planning Committee 2022
 - Committee to evaluate university advising – member 2022
 - Served on Search Committee for Lead Faculty Family Science 2022
 - Served on Search Committee for Family Science Faculty 2022
 - Hosted break out chapel “Ding! You are now free to move about the cabin” 2021
 - Report to Board of Trustees on Mental Health and LGBTQ+ (postponed) 2021
 - Hosted home chapel “Voice of the poets” 2021
 - Guest Speaker at the Gathering (video Psalm 88) 2021
 - MLK dinner panelist, Lipscomb University 2021
 - Consultation and Guidance for MFT Program in Austin 2020-2022
 - Respect Leads: Lipscomb’s Council on Diversity and Inclusion 2020-2021
 - Student Life LGBTQ+ Advisory Council 2020-2021
 - College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Dean’s Faculty Advisory Council 2020-2021
 - Served on committee for Center for Christianity and Scholarship 2020
 - Served on Assistant Director search committee for University Counseling Center 2020
 - Mental Health and Self-Care Tip of the Week (weekly tips for LU) 2020

- Distinguished Faculty Lecture for Incoming Freshmen (COVID-19) 2020-2021
- Guest Speaker at The Gathering (video – COVID-19) 2020
- President’s Efficiency Taskforce 2020
- “Demographics in Higher Ed” Taskforce co-leader 2019 - 2020
 - Assembled team
 - Set our structure of end product
- “Community College Workgroup” of Demographics Taskforce 2020
- Guest Speaker at Senior Summit Lipscomb Academy 2019
- Break Out Chapel Faculty Sponsor 2019 - 2020
- Home Chapel Provider and Host for undergraduate students 2019 - 2020
- Consulted on draft of Center for Family Research with Associate Provost of Diversity, Inclusion, and Special Initiatives 2019
- Served on search committee for college of Liberal Arts and Sciences dean 2018-2019
- Served on search committee for Family Science tenure-track faculty 2018
- Served on search committee for LFTC Office Manager 2018
- Consulted with Board of Trustees Spiritual Life Committee on researching student spirituality 2018
- Lifelong Learning: “How to make your life write” 2018
- Guest Speaker at The Gathering: “In □ Tolerance” 2018
- Faculty Meeting Talk: “Microaggressions and Shared Obliviousness” 2017
- Chapel: “Microaggressions, Shared Obliviousness and Incarnational Relationships” 2017
- Chaired Brown Bag Research Lunches for College of Liberal Arts and Sciences 2016-2018
- Served as judge for Student Scholars Symposium 2016-2018
- Focus groups of Lipscomb SGA students reflecting on LSAMP 2016
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- Consult with “Increasing Teaching Diversity” program 2016
- Consult with Teach For America – “Self-care” 2015-2018
- Convene Brown Bag Research Team 2014-2015
- Lipscomb Connect – leadership training for community connection 2014-2015
- Faculty Senate (Academic Affairs Committee) – Lipscomb University 2013-2014
- Consult with Nancy Magnuson Durham on survey for graduating students 2013
- Integrity Council – Lipscomb University 2011-2013
- Faculty Senate (Academic Affairs Committee) – Lipscomb University 2011-2013
- Consult with Vice President of Church Relations on spirituality and emerging adults 2012
- Review of innovative course proposals 2012
- Faculty mentor for John Lewis – Biology 2011-2012
- Dean’s Exploratory Task Force for Center on Families 2010-2011
- Marriage and Family Therapy Program Chair Selection Committee, University of Minnesota 2008-2009
- Professional
 - JMFT (Journal of Marital and Family Therapy) Editorial Board 2021-2025

- COAMFTE Program Directors meeting (COVID-19) 2020
- COAMFTE Program Directors accreditation workshop 2013-2017, 2019-2021
- COAMFTE accreditation site visitor 2016
- Presented about LFTC at Tennessee Association of Marriage and Family Therapy State conference 2015
- Chair-elect for the Religion and Family Life Section of the National Council on Family Relations 2014-2015
- Secretary/Treasurer for the Religion and Family Life Section of the National Council on Family Relations 2011-2013
- Served on exploratory committee for the development of new research journal 2012-2015
- Judged research posters at NCFR 2012
- Consulted on special issue of NCFR Report: “Religion and Spirituality in Families” 2012
- Presider at NCFR national conference: “Religious Beliefs and Involvement as Social Capital” 2011
- Christian Scholar’s Conference: Generative Session Facilitator for “Family Science Meets God Session I” 2011
- Christian Scholar’s Conference: Generative Session Facilitator for “Family Science Meets God Session II” 2011
- Student and New Professional representative for the Religion and Family Life Section of the National Council on Family Relations 2007-2009
- Board (member-at-large) Arkansas Association of Marriage and Family Therapy 2004
- Community
 - Teach at Woodbine Family Church 2018
 - Teach “The Lord’s Prayer” class at Woodbine Family Church 2017
 - Mental Health Professional at Otter Creek Christian Camp 2017
 - Research Consultant Touch A Life, Kumasi, Ghana 2016-2020
 - Mission Trip: Oasis Center – Mexico. Otter Creek Church of Christ 2016, 2017
 - Presentation on Addictions with Christian Community Services Inc. 2015
 - Board Member: Selah Center for Spiritual Formation 2015-current
 - Youth Encouragement Services 2014-current
 - Kenya. Made in the Streets. Trauma and resilience training for site staff 2014
 - Board member: Connor’s Song 2014-2018
 - Ghana. Mental Health Consult with Touch a Life and Connor’s Song in Kumasi, Ghana. 2013, 2014
 - Mission Resource Network (MRN) 2012
 - Facilitated debriefing in small groups of missionaries
 - Volunteer in Otter Creek Church of Christ
 - Garden Club 2022
 - Teach Mental Health In Pandemic Class 2021
 - Life Group Leader 2019 - 2020

▪ Covenant Group Leader – Youth Ministry	2019 - 2020
▪ Fall Retreat Chaperone	2019
▪ Co-taught College class on Enneagram	2018
▪ Developed Class on the Enneagram	2018
▪ Taught High School Class on I & II Timothy – Titus	2018
▪ Taught Middle School class on self-care and meditation	2017
▪ Panelist: “What Does the Bible Say about Pre-Marital Sex?”	2017
▪ Taught 10 th and 11 th graders – theology	2017
▪ Taught 11 th Grade Bible class on Ephesians	2016-2017
▪ Taught 11 th Grade Bible class on Luke	2016
▪ Parent panel for high school students	2016
▪ Taught Adult Bible Class – Parenting Teens	2016
▪ Taught 11 th Grade Bible Class – “I’ll be there for you: Friends of the Bible”	2015
▪ Taught 9 th Grade Bible Class – “Who am I?”	2015
▪ Otter Creek Christian Camp – Counselor Mentor	2013-2015
▪ Habitat for Humanity	2014
▪ Room in the Inn	2012
▪ Meals on Wheels	2012
▪ Taught adult class	2012-2014
▪ Chaperone Cumberland Caverns	2012
▪ Taught 6 th graders (2 semesters)	2011-2012
▪ Chaperone Winterfest	2011
▪ Taught 8 th grade boys (1 semester)	2011
▪ Wayne Reed Christian Child Care Center	2011
▪ Fall Retreats	2010-2012, 2014
○ Crisis counseling for evacuees after Hurricane Katrina	2005
○ Critical incident intervention at Valley View High School, Jonesboro, Arkansas	2004
○ Critical incident intervention at NEA Clinic, Jonesboro, Arkansas	2003

- Critical incident intervention at Camfill Farr Corporation, Jonesboro, Arkansas 2002

Political Action

- Collaborated with TNAMFT lobbyist Jenny Ford to pass Student Telehealth legislation 2020-2021
- Founded TNAMFT Students Legislative Committee 2019
- TNAMFT Legislative committee 2019 - 2020
- Founded annual, “MFT Day on the Hill” at Lipscomb 2019
- Lead team of 20 graduate students to meet with state legislators advocating for legislation salient to the field of MFT in Tennessee 2019

Journal Article Review

- Journal of Marital and Family Therapy 2018-2021
- Journal of Asian Regional Association for Home Economics 2011

International, National, and State Conferences

- International Family Therapy Association 2022-current
 - Puerto Rico, April 6-9, 2022
- National Council on Family Relations 2006-current
 - Minneapolis, MN Nov 2-5, 2016
 - Vancouver, BC, Nov 11-14, 2015
 - Baltimore, MD, Nov 19-22, 2014
 - San Antonio, TX, Nov 6-9, 2013
 - Phoenix, AZ, Oct 31-Nov 2, 2012
 - Orlando, FL, Nov 16-19, 2011
 - Minneapolis, MN, Nov 3-6, 2010
 - San Francisco, CA, Nov 9-11, 2009
 - Little Rock, AR, Nov 5-8, 2008
 - Pittsburgh, PA, Nov 7-10, 2007
 - Minneapolis, MN, Nov 6-11, 2006
- American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy 2012-current
 - Austin, TX, 2019
 - Louisville, KY, 2018
 - Atlanta, GA, 2017
 - Indianapolis, IN, 2016
 - Austin, TX, 2015
 - Milwaukee, WI, 2014
 - Portland, OR, 2013
 - Charlotte, NC, 2012
- Tennessee Association for Marriage and Family Therapy 2013, 2015
 - Nashville, TN, 2015
 - Nashville, TN, 2013
- Southeast Council on Family Relations 2012, 2013
 - Birmingham, AL, 2013
 - Birmingham, AL, 2012

Media

<i>News Channel 4 WSMN interview with Rebecca Cardenas “Osaka’s Mental Health”</i>	2021
<i>Podcast: Connecting with Dr. Kim Swales “On Regret”</i>	2021
<i>Wit & Delight – Interviewed for blog post on Regret</i>	2021
<i>Lipscomb Video interview with Kim Chaudoin</i>	2020
<i>Video of encouragement for Lipscomb Community</i>	2020
<i>Podcast: Bison Talk</i>	2018
<i>Podcast: “Episode #25: “How to talk to kids in the wake of mass shootings” Bison Talk</i>	2018
<i>Podcast: “Episode #2: Freshmen Transition 101” Bison Talk</i>	2017
<i>Podcast: “All the Nines” Typology – Ian Cron</i>	2017
<i>Podcast: “The Peacemaker” The Road Back to You – Ian Cron and Suzanna Stabile</i>	2016
<i>News Channel 4 Nashville WSMV Interview on rise in hate crimes</i>	2016
<i>News Channel 17 Nashville WZTV Interview on post-election conflict</i>	2016
<i>News Channel 2 Nashville WKRN Interview on millennials and technology, “What the Tech?”</i>	2016
<i>News Channel 2 Nashville WKRN Interview on parenting during terror attack</i>	2016
<i>News Channel 5 Nashville Interview on political memes and gifs</i>	2016
<i>News Channel 5 Nashville Interview on hostility in social media – The Chris Conte Story</i>	2013

Professional Development

Engage Leaderships Series: Self-Leadership	2017
Advanced Service Learning Training (SALT) Lipscomb University	2011
Introductory Service Learning Training (SALT) Lipscomb University	2011
Grantsmanship Course (40 hour training)	2003
Leadership Jonesboro (Year Long Course)	2003

Other Presentations – Family Enrichment Seminars

“Investing Time.” Weiner School District, Weiner, Arkansas	2004
“Parenting the Perfect Storm” Ash Flat Church of Christ, Ash Flat, AR	2003
“Making the Most of Your Marriage” Ash Flat Church of Christ, Ash Flat, AR	2003
“Take Back Your Marriage” Southwest Church of Christ, Jonesboro, AR	2002
“Parenting the Perfect Storm” 1 st United Methodist Church, Jonesboro, AR	2002
“Parenting the Perfect Storm” Better life Center, Southwest Church of Christ, Jonesboro, AR	2002
“Parenting the Perfect Storm” Woodbury Family Conference, Woodbury Church of Christ, Woodbury, MN	2001
“Expecting Marriage” Marriage Seminar, Abilene, TX	1998