

Candidate for Succession Planning & Nominations Committee

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5. Candidate's Campaign Statement (250-300 words, including your research and leadership background to your service in a leadership role in SNRS):

I have been a dedicated member of SNRS for the past 7 years. I have participated in annual conferences and served on the planning committee from 2009-2011. My research interest is HIV prevention in older adults, and I am presently an active member of the Geriatric RIG. As a Hartford Faculty Scholar, I presented my research in a mock trial in Washington D.C. I presently serve as Interim Director for the Graduate Program of Nursing at Clayton State University and have served as chair of several School and University committees. If elected, I will use my knowledge and leadership skills to elevate the vision of SNRS and the science of nursing.

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

Dates	Degree	Institution	Major
2010	PhD	Georgia State University Atlanta, Georgia	Nursing
2009	Geriatric Certificate	Georgia State University	
1997	MSN	Armstrong Atlantic University Savannah, Georgia	Nursing
1988	BSN	Tuskegee University Tuskegee, Alabama	Nursing

LICENSES

1988-1989	Registered Nurse, Alabama
1990-1991	Registered Nurse, California
1989-1990	Registered Nurse, South Carolina
1988-Present	Registered Nurse, Georgia

Professional Experience

Academic

2013	Interim Director, Graduate Nursing Program	Clayton State University Morrow, GA
2012	Clinical Instructor (Summer)	Georgia State University Atlanta, GA
2011-2012	Clinical Instructor (Summer) Adjunct Professor (Fall)	Georgia State University Atlanta, Georgia

2007-Present	Assistant Professor of Nursing	Clayton State University Morrow, Georgia
2001-2007	Instructor of Nursing	Clayton State University Morrow, Georgia
2000-2001	Clinical Instructor	Clayton State University Morrow, Georgia

Clinical

2002-2008	Med Temps Nursing Agency ICU/CCU	Riverdale, GA.
1998-present	E-Health Agency ICU/CCU/ER Registry	Woodstock , GA.
1992-1998	Candler General Hospital Float Pool Nurse TCU/PCU	Savannah, GA
1991-1992	Memorial Medical Center PCU/ICU	Savannah, GA
1990-1991	Cross Country Traveling Agency St. Mary's Hospital AIDS/Cancer unit	Boca Raton, FL San Francisco, CA
1989-1990	Medical University of South Carolina Bone Marrow Transplant Unit	Charleston, SC
1988-1989	Candler General Hospital Oncology floor	Savannah, GA

Fields of Interest

Research: AIDS and Older Adults

Teaching: Medical-Surgical Nursing, Critical Care, Pharmacology, Gerontology,
AIDS course, Pathophysiology

Presentations/Research Experience

- 2012 Invited Speaker at Clayton State CE geriatric class, Fayetteville, GA
Staying Physically and Mentally Engaged/HIV prevention
- 2012 Presented at Mock Hearing on Capitol Hill, Washington, DC
Factors Associated with Risky Sexual Behaviors in Older Adults

- 2012 Invited Speaker at GAHERO conference National Archives, Morrow, GA
The Importance of Staying Mentally Engaged for Older Adults
- 2012 Presented at the Clinical Update, Promoting Faculty, Student, and Staff
Relationships, Clayton State University, Morrow, GA
- 2011 Presented at the Clinical Update for full and part-time faculty, Clayton State
- 2008 Annual Cultural Diversity Forum, Clayton State University, Morrow, GA
- 2007 Research Practicum at Emory University. Worked with Dr. Marcia Holstad on
an ongoing project. Wrote an article for publication entitled, An examination
of the psychometric properties of the Antiretroviral General Adherence Scale.
- 2006 Research Practicum at Emory University. Worked with Dr. Sarah Blanton on
an ongoing project. Data analyzed and report written.

Poster Presentations

Foster, V., Clark, PC, & Holstad, MM (2012). Factors associated with risky sexual behaviors in older adults, Southern Research Nursing Society Conference, New Orleans, LA

Foster, V. (2009). Factors associated with HIV risky sexual behaviors in older adults. John A. Hartford BAGNC Leadership Conference, Atlanta, GA

Foster, V., Clark, PC, Holstad, MM, & Burgess, E. (2009). Factors associated with HIV risky sexual behaviors in older adults, Southern Research Nursing Society Conference, Austin, TX

Foster, V., Clark, PC, & Holstad, MM (2008). An examination of the psychometric properties of the Antiretroviral General Adherence Scale (AGAS), Southern Research Nursing Society Conference, Birmingham, AL

Foster, V., Clark, PC (2006). The impact of an education intervention on AIDS and older adults, Emory University Regional Research Conference, Atlanta, GA

Publications

- 2013 **Foster, V., Clark, P., Holstad, M. M. (2013).** The self-reported sexual behaviors of older African-Americans. [Submitted to the Journal of Health Disparities Research and Practice].
- 2012 **Foster, V., Clark, P., Holstad, M. M., & Burgess, E. (2012).** Factors associated with risky sexual behaviors in older adults. *Journal of the Association of Nurses in AIDS Care*, 23, 6, 487-499.

- 2010 Holstad, M. M., **Foster, V.**, DiIorio, C., McCarty, F. & Teplinskiy, I. (2010). An examination of the psychometric properties of the Antiretroviral General Adherence Scale (AGAS) in two samples of HIV-infected individuals. *Journal of the Association of Nurses in AIDS Care*, 21, 2, 162-172.

Awards and Special Recognitions

- 2013 Receipt of a 10-year service award, Clayton State University
2012 John A. Hartford Geriatric Nurse Faculty Scholar, Washington, DC
2012 Honored for representing excellence in education at Women's Day Luncheon, Clayton State University
2011 Faculty of the Year, Clayton State University School of Nursing
2010 Selected Outstanding Graduate Geriatric Certificate Student, Georgia State
2008 John A. Hartford BAGNC Pre-doctoral Scholar, a two year award to support doctoral studies, Washington, DC, **\$78,000**
2008 Gerontology Institute Scholarship, Georgia State University, **\$3,000**
2006 Maymi Chandler Walker scholarship, an award for academic excellence, Georgia State University **\$5,000**
2006 Recipient of a 5-year service award, Clayton State University

Academic and Professional Organization Activities

- 2013 Symposium on HIV across the lifespan submitted to SNRS, San Antonio, TX
2013 Georgia Gerontology Society, member
2013 Massive Open Online Courses presentation by Dean Baker, Clayton State, Morrow, GA
2013 HIV and the AARP Age, Emory University, Atlanta, GA
2012 Kensington-Hartford Geriatric Event, Emory University
2012 Drexel University Certified Nurse Educator Course, Savannah, GA
2012 Attended Issues of Policy and Aging, Georgia State University
2011 Planning committee, Southern Nursing Research Society, New Orleans, LA
2011 Abstract Reviewer, Southern Nursing Research Society
2010 Planning committee, Southern Nursing Research Society, Jacksonville, FL
2010 Planning committee, BAGNC Leadership Conference, New Orleans, LA
2008 Moderator, CDC session, BAGNC Leadership Conference, Atlanta, Georgia
2009 Attended HIV conference, Morehouse College, Atlanta, Georgia
2009 Attended AIDS 101, Clayton State University, Morrow, Georgia
2008 Presentation of GNEC to CSU faculty, Morrow, GA
2008 Southern Nursing Research Society, Poster Presentation, Birmingham, AL
2008 Attended HIV conference, Marietta, Georgia
2007 Orientation to Adult HIV Care for Health Professionals Conference, Atlanta, Georgia
2007 Interdisciplinary HIV/AIDS Research at Georgia State University
2007 Geriatric Nursing Education Consortium (GNEC) Institute, Atlanta, Georgia

- 2006 Sigma Theta Tau, International, planning committee, Spring Research Conference, Morrow, GA
- 2006 Faculty Advisory Meeting, Northside Hospital, Atlanta, GA
- 2006 Open House, Anchor Hospital, Atlanta, GA
- 2006 Center for Instructional Development Workshop, Clayton State University
- 2006 Grant writing workshop, Clayton State University, Morrow, GA
- 2005 Georgia Association of Nurse Educators Conference, Savannah, GA
- 2005 Problem-Based Learning Training, Clayton State University
- 2004 Grady Healthcare Systems Skills Lab Ribbon Cutting, Atlanta, GA
- 2004 Clinical Evaluation Workshop, Gordon College
- 2001-07 Sigma Theta Tau, Honor Society for Nurses, Xi Rho, member
- 2005 Sigma Theta Tau, Xi Rho, Vice-President
- 2001-04 Georgia Association of Nurse Educators, member

Consulting

- 2005 Lippincott, Williams & Wilkins Publishing, coordinated a team of 3 nursing students for chapter review

University and School Committee Service

Departmental Service:

Advising

- 2003-present School of Nursing mentor and advisor 5-7 students per semester

Member

- 2005-2009 Student and Community Affairs
- 2003-2004 Information Technology Resources, Co-Chair

College/School

- 2013 Participated in Graduate Open House, CSU
- 2013 Attended Lessons in Leadership by Mayor Franklin, CSU
- 2012 Attended Servant-Leadership Seminar, CSU
- 2012 Attended Top 100 Workplaces Celebration, CSU
- 2012 College of Health Fund Drive, Coordinator
- 2011-Present Graduate Committee
- 2012 Faculty Mentor for graduate student
- 2011 Faculty Mentor
- 2011 Clinical Coordinators Committee
- 2011 Created Graduate/Undergraduate Alumni Survey for CSU
- 2010-2012 Admission and Progression Committee, Chair
- 2010 Clinical Coordinator Committee, Member
- 2007 Grants committee, Member
- 2002-2006 Clinical Coordinator for School of Nursing (CSU)

2001-Present Admission and Progression Committee, Member
 2004-2006 Admission and Progression Committee, Secretary
 2005-2011 Student Affairs Committee, Member

University

2013 Graduate Council, Member
 2013 Top 100 Workplace Planning Committee
 2012 Smith Award Committee, University Chair
 2011-Present Faculty Affairs Committee, member
 2007-present Smith Award Committee, University member
 2005 Smith Award Committee, School member

Other Institutional Service Activities

2013 Attended Marketing Consultant Meeting, Clayton State
 2013 Attended Faculty/Staff Awards Ceremony, Speaker
 2003-present Clayton State University Foundation, annual financial contributor

Community Service Related to the Field of Expertise

2013 Attended Conference, HIV in the South: What Nurses Need to Know, Atlanta, GA
 2013 Attended Spelman College Health Careers Program, Atlanta, GA
 2012 Attended Clayton County Stakeholders Meeting as representative for Clayton State University, Jonesboro, GA
 2011 Attended Clayton County Stakeholders Meeting, Jonesboro, GA
 2010 Disney's Give a Day, Get a Day, Union City, GA
 2010 Attended Career Day, PRES, Sharpsburg, Georgia
 2010 Participated in geriatric health fair, Georgia State University Alpharetta, Georgia
 2009 Committee member and assisted with developing geriatric health fair for Clayton County Georgia, Jonesboro, GA
 2008 Committee member and assisted with developing geriatric health fair for Clayton County, Riverdale, GA
 2007 Presented CSU Nursing Program Information at Grady Health Systems, Atlanta, GA
 2007 Attended Career Day and spoke about nursing as a career Poplar Road Elementary School, Sharpsburg, GA
 2006 Attended Career Day and spoke about the different types of Nursing, Love Joy Middle School, Lovejoy, GA
 2003 Representative at job fair, Fayette Community Hospital
 2003 Participated in Career Day, Riverdale, GA
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 2001 Attended Career Day and spoke about the importance of nursing, Love T. Nolan Elementary School, Riverdale, GA.

Contributions to the Improvement of Community Life

2013	HBCU 5K Run/Walk, Atlanta, GA
2011	Chi Eta Phi Nursing Sorority Scholarship Luncheon, Atlanta, GA
2007	Health Fair, Jonesboro, GA
2006	Leukemia Walk, Atlanta, GA
2005	Cancer Society, participated in walk with Student Nurses Association
2005	Alzheimer's Walk, participated with Student Nurses Association
2005	Sigma Theta Tau, Living Long, Living Well, Conference Coordinator
2004	Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Adopt a Family, Atlanta, GA

Classes Taught

NURS 3301/L	Health Illness Transitions I/Practicum
NURS 3701/L	Health Illness Transitions II/Practicum*
NURS 4401/L	Health Illness Transitions III/Practicum*
NURS 3383	Pharmacology*
HLTH 3501	AIDS Epidemic* (online)
HLTH 3201	Pathophysiology
HLTH 3501	Gerontology (online)
NURS 5400	Advanced Pharmacology (online)
HLTH 3341	Cultural Diversity in Health and Illness* (online)
NURS 5200	Research for Evidence-Based Nursing Practice (online)
GERO 4200/7200	Health and the Older Adult (Georgia State University)
NURS 3510	Adult Health Clinicals (Georgia State University)

*Served as coordinator of the course