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### **EDUCATION**

- Ph.D. in Family Sciences

Texas Woman's University, Denton, TX, 2014

Dissertation: Exploring Predictors of College Attendance for African American Women Who Parented as Teens and Are Now Between the Ages of 20 - 35.

- M.S. in Education Administration
  Texas A&M University at Commerce, Commerce, TX, 2008
- B.S. in Clothing and Fashion Merchandising Texas Woman's University, Denton, TX, 1978

### **CERTIFICATIONS & AFFILIATIONS**

- Texas Teacher Certificate (Grades PK-6)
- Texas Principal Certification
- Texas Alliance of Black School Educators
- Conference Planning Committee (2011)
- Member (2019)
- Dallas Regional National Alliance of Black School Educators
- Vice President (2010)
- Member (2016)
- Denton County Friends of the Family
- Board of Directors (2011)
- \*\*Dallas Women's Foundation\*\*
- Cycle II Grant Committee (2016, 2017)
- American Teachers Federation
- Member (2016)
- Dallas Black Child Development Institute
- Member (2016)
- Association of Black Cardiologists
- Executive Community Planning Committee, Spirit of the Heart Community Health Event (2016)
- Texas Teachers Retirement System
- Member (2016)
- Black Women in Business
- Member (2018)
- S.W.A.P Sistas With A Ph.D.
- CEO/Founder (501(c)(3) Non-Profit Foundation, 2018)
- American Kidney Foundation (AKF)
- Community Awareness Advocate
- IMDb Betraval of Justice: A Buffalo Soldier Story
- Executive Co-Producer (2023)

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

University of North Texas Dallas, Emerging Teacher Institute Teacher Supervisor 2018, Dallas, TX

- Supervised student teachers on best practices across all elementary education disciplines.
- Collaborated with campus administration to ensure independent instruction met learner standards, ethical practices, and community involvement.

University of North Texas Dallas Adjunct Professor 2017 – Present, Dallas, TX

- Teach courses on Interpersonal Professional Communication Skills for Human Service Professionals.
- Provide face-to-face, virtual, and hybrid instruction focusing on effective communication in a culturally diverse environment.
- Courses include:
- Professional Communication
- Creating a Positive Workplace
- Standards and Ethics in the Workplace
- Nonverbal Communication in the Workplace

North Lake College Adjunct Professor 2016, Irving, TX

- Taught Developmental Reading Comprehension and Paragraph Writing.

Dallas Independent School District Classroom Teacher/Grade Level Chair 2013–2016, Dallas, TX

- Delivered instruction to Pre-K students in English, Math, Science, Social Studies, and Writing.

Instructional Campus Coach/Classroom Teacher 2006–2013, Dallas, TX

- Coached teachers on reading comprehension strategies and best practices in English Language Arts.

Texas Woman's University Graduate Research Assistant 2011, Denton, TX

- Provided administrative support for the Family Studies Department.

# ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

Instructional Specialist, Dallas Independent School District

- Served as a liaison for Reading and Language Arts, presenting professional development workshops on teaching and assessing state standards.
- Represented the Multi-Language English Preparation (MLEP) department, serving 21 elementary, middle, and high schools.

Assistant Principal, Nova Charter School (K-6)

- Developed curriculum in Reading, Math, Science, Social Studies, and Handwriting.
- Hired teachers and staff, provided staff development, and implemented co-teaching models.

- Collaborated with other charter schools and local businesses to enhance community involvement and support after school activities.

### **GUEST SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS**

- Southern Methodist University, Plano, TX
- Couples Communication (2013)
- Verbal and Nonverbal Communication (2013)
- Sexual Counseling Therapy: Romantic Communication (2013)
- Texas Woman's University, Denton, TX
- Poetry, Romance, and Communication (2013)
- Family Sexuality: Discussing Sexuality with Your Child (2007–2010)
- Texas Wesleyan University, Ft. Worth, TX
- Marriage and Family: Discussing Sexuality with Your Family (2010, 2011)

### PRESENTATIONS & PUBLICATIONS

- Cook-Kyle, Jacquelyn. (2014). African American Adolescent Mothers and College Attainment. Paper presented at the Texas Alliance of Black School Educators James Johnson Research Institute, San Antonio, TX.
- Cook-Kyle, Jacquelyn. (2014). Black Grandmothers: Support Systems and Attitudes. Poster Presentation at the Texas Council of Consumer Family Relations Conference, Fort Worth, TX.
- Cook-Kyle, Jacquelyn. (2014). Perils of African American Teen Mothers and Higher Education. Paper presented at the Southern Minority Leadership Conference, Bay St. Louis, MS.
- Cook-Kyle, Jacquelyn. (2015). Seminar Day Doctoral Retreat, Texas Woman's University, Department of Family Sciences, Denton, TX.
- Cook-Kyle, Jacquelyn. (2016, 2017, 2018). Grant Review Committee, Dallas Women's Foundation Cycle II, Dallas, TX.
- Cook-Kyle, Jacquelyn. (2017). Guest Speaker for Sexuality Class, Texas Woman's University, Denton, TX.
- Cook-Kyle, Jacquelyn. (2017). Attended Career Readiness Education Focus Group Session, University of North Texas Dallas, Dallas, TX.
- Cook-Kyle, Jacquelyn. (2017). 45th National Alliance of Black School Educator's Conference, New Orleans, LA.
- Cook-Kyle, Jacquelyn. (2018). Association of Persons Affected by Addictions (APAA), Presented Seminar on Professional Verbal and Nonverbal Communication in the Workplace.
- Cook-Kyle, Jacquelyn. (2019). National Hispanic and Latino Mental Health Transfer Center Network (MHTTC Network), Trauma and Mental Health: The Journey of Hispanic and Latino Populations Symposium, Dallas, TX.
- Cook-Kyle, Jacquelyn. (2020). Texas Association for the Education of Young Children (TXACYE), Multicultural Learning for Parents and Children for Community Inclusion, Frisco, TX.
- Cook-Kyle, Jacquelyn. (2021). Texas Alliance of Black School Educators (TABSE) and Texas Association of Professionals in Higher Education (TAPHE) Joint State Virtual Conference, Graduate Institute: Straight Talk About the Graduate Student Walk.
- Cook-Kyle, Jacquelyn. (2021). Sistas With A PhD, Symposiums to Empower Women of Color, Lancaster, TX.
- Cook-Kyle, Jacquelyn. (2022-2024). Blues Kids Foundation, Chicago, IL, Academic Enrichment Advisor.
- Cook-Kyle, Jacquelyn. (2024). Sistas With A PhD, Tea for Two, Dallas, TX, Community Educational Health Conference for Teenage Mothers.