

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION:

Institution	Discipline	Dates Attended	Degree	Year Conferred/Expected
The University of Alabama at Birmingham	Nursing	2012-2013	Doctor of Nursing Practice	2013
The University of Alabama at Birmingham	Nursing	2009-2010	Master of Science	2010
Palm Beach Atlantic University	Nursing	2006-2008	Bachelor of Science	2008
The University of Alabama at Birmingham	Psychology	2001-2004	Bachelor of Science	2004

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Year(s)	Title	Institution/Agency Name and Location
2016 - Present	Assistant Professor	University of Alabama at Birmingham, School of Nursing; Birmingham, AL
2016 - Present	Adult Gero Primary Care NP Specialty Track Coordinator	University of Alabama at Birmingham, School of Nursing; Birmingham, AL
2014 - Present	Nurse Practitioner/Business Owner	Hometown Family Medicine; Moody, AL
2014 - 2016	Adult Gero Primary Care NP Assistant Specialty Track Coordinator	University of Alabama at Birmingham, School of Nursing; Birmingham, AL
2014 - 2016	Instructor	The University of Alabama at Birmingham, School of Nursing; Birmingham, AL
2011 - 2014	Adjunct Clinical Instructor	The University of Alabama at Birmingham, School of Nursing; Birmingham, AL
2011 - 2014	Nurse Practitioner	Parkway Family Practice; Moody, AL
2010 - 2010	Registered Nurse	St. Vincent's Hospital; Birmingham, AL
2008 - 2009	Registered Nurse	Good Samaritan Medical Center; West Palm Beach, FL

HONORS AND AWARDS:

- 2019 UAB School of Nursing QI Scholars Participant
- 2019 2019 QSEN International Forum Poster Award, Ohio

- 2019 Outstanding Poster Award, NONPF 2019, Atlanta, GA
- 2018 Academic Early Career Award, UAB School of Nursing, Birmingham, AL
- 2018 AANP State Award for Excellence, American Association of Nurse Practitioners, Denver, CO
- 2018 May Graduate Clinical Faculty of the Month, UAB School of Nursing, Birmingham, AL
- 2017 Outstanding Poster Award, NONPF 2017, Washington, DC
- 2016 Distinguished Service Alumni Award, Department of Psychology, Birmingham, AL
- 2016 Young Alumni Merit Award, UAB School of Nursing, Birmingham, AL
- 2015 Bloom Where You are Planted Award, Junior League of Birmingham, Birmingham, AL
- 2015 NPAA Outstanding Nurse Practitioner Regional Award for Central Alabama, Nurse Practitioner Alliance of Alabama, Birmingham, AL
- 2013 Sigma Theta Tau Poster Presentation Award, Sigma Theta Tau, Birmingham, AL

PUBLICATIONS:

Book Chapter

Blakely, K.K., Johnson, C.C. Urinary Tract Problems. *Women's health in primary care: An integrated approach*. Status: Accepted July 2018

Refereed Articles

Blakely, K.K., Suttle, R. Wood, T., Stallworth, K., Baker, N. (2020). Measles – what's old is new again. *Nursing for Women's Health*. In press. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.nwh.2019.11.005>

Blakely, K.K., Johnson, C. (2019). New osteoporosis treatment means new bone formation. *Nursing for Women's Health*. In press. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.nwh.2019.11.002>

Blakely, K.K. (2019) A new year-long combined hormonal contraceptive option. *Nursing for Women's Health*, 23(2), 172-176.

Holland, A., Shirey, M., Hodges, A., Deupree, J., Selleck, C., Blakely, K., Plane, L., Harper, D. (2019) A curriculum to expand rural health care access. *The Journal for Nurse Practitioners*, 15(4), e69-72.

Johnson, C., Blakely, K. (2019) Enhancing advanced practice nursing students' verbal patient report skills. *Journal of Nursing Education*, 58(1), 62.

Baker, N.R., Blakely, K.K. (2017). Gastrointestinal disturbances in the elderly. *Nursing Clinics of North America*, 2(3):419-431.

Blakely, K., Cope, D. G. (2015). Establishing an advanced practice nursing clinic in the cancer setting. *Seminars in Oncology Nursing*, 31(4), 282-289.

PRESENTATIONS:

International

Blakely, K. (2019, May). *Interprofessional Team Trainings on Caring for the Underserved, Vulnerable Population*. Bogota, Colombia [Podium]

Johnson, C., Blakely, K. (2019, May). *Applying Didactic Knowledge to Clinical Practice Through Virtual Clinical Conferences*. 2019 QSEN International Forum, Ohio [Poster]

Blakely, K.K., Wehunt, L., Watson, J. (2018, July). *Preparing Primary Care Nurse Practitioners to Increase Access to*

Care in Rural Alabama. International Rural Nursing Conference, Nashville, TN [Podium]

Johnson, C., Blakely, K. (2018, May). *Ensuring Safe Handoff Communication: Teaching Nurse Practitioner Students to Deliver Verbal Patient Report to Preceptor*, 2018 QSEN International Forum, Bonita Springs, FL [Poster]

National

Holland, A., Blakely, K., Pair, L., Strachan, A., Johnson, C. Prince, K. (2019, June). *Office Gynecology Procedures*, American Association of Nurse Practitioners Annual Conference, Indianapolis, IN [Podium]

Holland, A., Blakely, K., Pair, L., Strachan, A., Johnson, C. (2018, October). *Office Gynecology Procedures*, 21st Annual NPWH Premier Women's Health Conference, San Antonio, TX [Podium]

Holland, A., Blakely, K., Pair, L., Strachan, A., Johnson, C. Prince, K. (2018, June). *Office Gynecology Procedures*, American Association of Nurse Practitioners Annual Conference, Denver, CO [Podium]

Holland, A., Blakely, K., Pair, L., Strachan, A. (2017, October). *Office Gynecology Procedures*, 20th Annual NPWH Premier Women's Health Conference, Seattle, WA [Podium]

Blakely, K.K., Talley, M. (2017, June). *Getting Into the Practice of Business: A Brief Guide to Starting a NP Led Clinic*, American Association of Nurse Practitioners Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA [Podium]

Blakely, K.K. (2017, April). *From Procrastination to Proficiency: Transforming Distance Accessible Health Assessment Courses through Use of Virtual Assessments*, National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties, Washington, DC [Poster]

Blakely, K. K., Holland, A. C. (2015, July). *Are You Up-To-Date?: Women's Health Screening Guidelines for Primary Care Providers*, National Nurse Practitioner Symposium, Keystone, CO [Poster]

Blakely, K. K. (2015, June). *Who, What, When and Why?: Clearing Up Confusion Regarding Women's Health Screening Guidelines*, American Academy of Nurse Practitioners 2015 National Conference, New Orleans, LA [Poster]

Regional

Blakely, K.K. (2019, November). *State of Rural Health in the South*. Southern Medical Association, Birmingham, AL [Podium]

Nichols, L.S., Blakely, K.K. (2015, November). *Connecting Nursing's Past and Future: Integration of A Nightingale Letter Collection Across Nursing Program Curricula*, Southern Regional Education Board, Atlanta, GA [Poster]

State

Blakely, K.K. (2019, October). *Alabama Rural Health Association Road Show*, Northeast Alabama Community College, Rainsville, AL [Podium]

Blakely, K.K. (2017, March). *Nurse Practitioner Led Clinic in Rural Alabama*, UAB School of Nursing Rural Scholars Program, Birmingham, AL [Podium]

Blakely, K.K. (2017, February). *Practice Management in the Rural Setting*, UAB School of Nursing Rural Scholars Program, Birmingham, AL [Virtual]

Blakely, K.K. (2016, February). *Dermatology 101*, UAB School of Nursing Rural Scholars Program, Birmingham, AL [Virtual]

Local

Holland, A., Blakely, K., Pair, L. (2019, November). *Office Gynecology Procedures*, 2019 Office Gynecology Procedures presented by UAB School of Nursing, Birmingham, AL [Podium]

Holland, A., Blakely, K., Pair, L. (2018, October). *Office Gynecology Procedures*, 2018 Office Gynecology Procedures presented by UAB School of Nursing, Birmingham, AL [Podium]

Holland, A., Blakely, K., Pair, L., Prince, K. (2017, August). *Office Gynecology Procedures*, 2017 Office Gynecology Procedures presented by UAB School of Nursing, Birmingham, AL [Podium]

Blakely, K. (2012, April). *The Importance of Women's Annual Wellness Exams*, Bethel Baptist Church Women's Conference, Moody, AL [Podium]

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION/ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIPS:

Year(s)	Name of Organization
2018 - Present	Alabama Rural Health Association, Board of Directors
2017 - Present	Gerontological Advanced Practice Nurses Association, Education Committee
2016 - Present	National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties, Member Resource Committee
2015 - Present	Nurse Practitioner Alliance of Alabama
2014 - Present	National League for Nursing
2014 - Present	National Organization of Nurse Practitioners in Women's Health, Research Committee
2013 - Present	Sigma Theta Tau International
2012 - Present	Junior League of Birmingham
2010 - Present	American Association of Nurse Practitioners
2010 - Present	University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Nursing Alumni Society, President
2004 - Present	University of Alabama at Birmingham National Alumni Society

PROFESSIONAL COMMITTEE SERVICE AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES:

Community Service

2014 - Present	Big Oak Ranch Girls Home
2012 - Present	Junior League of Birmingham

FACULTY PRACTICE ACTIVITIES:

Year(s)	
2014 - Present	Hometown Family Medicine, Nurse Practitioner
2011 - 2014	Parkway Family Practice, Nurse Practitioner