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EDUCATION

Ph.D. 1992 Counseling (Specialization in Marriage and Family Therapy)
 St. Mary's University, San Antonio, Texas

M.Ed. 1976 Guidance and Counseling, University of Houston, Houston, Texas

B.A. 1974 Psychology, University of Houston, Houston, Texas

PROFESSIONAL/ ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

2019 – present Executive Associate Dean for Academic Affairs
 Chair, Department of Kinesiology and Educational Leadership,
 College of Education
 Washington State University

2013 - 2019 Executive Associate Dean for Academic Affairs
 Interim Co-Chair, Department of Educational Leadership, Sports
 Studies and Educational/Counseling Psychology, (2017 – 2019)
 College of Education
 Washington State University

August 2010 - 2013 Associate Dean of Academic Affairs
 College of Education
 Washington State University

August 2011 - 2016 Coordinator for Community Counseling Program/Field Site
 Placements

July 2009 – August 2010 Interim Dean, College of Education,

Washington State University

- 2003 - 2009 Professor and Chair, Department of Educational Leadership and Counseling Psychology, Washington State University
- 2000 - 2003 Professor and Department Head, Department of Counseling, Texas A&M University-Commerce, Commerce, Texas
- 1998 -2000 Doctoral Program Coordinator, Department of Counseling, Texas A&M University-Commerce, Commerce, TX
- 1996 - 2000 Associate Professor and Director of Community Counseling Center (Senior Graduate Faculty Member), Department of Counseling, Texas A&M University-Commerce
- 1993 - 2000 Director of Community Counseling Center, Department of Counseling, Texas A&M University-Commerce, Commerce, TX
- 1993 - 1994 Consultant and Family Therapist for Family Focus Project, Hunt County Family Services, Greenville, Texas
- 1992 - 1996 Assistant Professor and Director of Community Counseling Center, Department of Counseling & Guidance, Texas A&M University-Commerce
- 1991 - 1992 Marriage and family doctoral internship, Family Life Center, St. Mary's University, San Antonio, Texas
- Marriage and family doctoral internship, Family Support Program, J. T. Brackenridge Elementary School, San Antonio, Texas
- Assisted Clinical Director at Family Life Center, St. Mary's University
- 1991 - 1992 Adjunct Instructor, Department of Counseling and Human Services, St. Mary's University, San Antonio, Texas
- 1988 - 1992 Director, Upward Bound Program, Southwest Texas Junior College, Uvalde, Texas

1983 - 1988 Counselor, Upward Bound Program, Southwest Texas Junior College, Uvalde, Texas

PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT/RESEARCH – Human-Animal Interaction Work

- 2018 – 19 Invited Member, **Visionary Task Force, American Hippotherapy Association**
- 2016 Invited participant to **Center for Human Animal Bond Conference**, Purdue University, October 2016; represented WSU's Center for Study of Animal Well Being.
- 2016 Developed Human Animal Interaction Collaborative between WSU and Colorado State University Honors programs to promote student research in human-animal interaction.
- 2015 Invited participant in **Animal-assisted interventions in special populations**. Workgroup sponsored by MARS/Waltham. Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, Rockville, MD.
- 2014 Developed online course – Human animal interaction: Overview of the field; delivered through WSU Global Campus.
- 2014 **Erdman, P. & Chapman, C.** Developed training module for IACUC – Compassion Fatigue
- 2013 Coordinated **Leo K. Bustad Human Animal Interaction Symposium** (1st human animal interaction symposium at WSU). October 18-20, 2013.
- 2013 **Erdman, P. & Ruby, K.** (2013). Understanding the human animal bond. Webinar provided through WSU Global Campus.
- 2012 Member of Planning Committee for Bustad Symposium, Scheduled for September 2013, in honor of Leo Bustad's legacy (Collaboration between College of Veterinary Medicine and College of Education).
- 2011 - present Organized interdisciplinary team at WSU to focus on human-animal interaction work;

Started Human-Animal Interaction Group listserv at WSU

- Fall 2011 - present Developed counseling psychology course that is cross listed with CVM course on Pet Loss/Human Bereavement; co-instruct course, supervising counseling students who consult with veterinarian students in class
- Summer 2010 Created and directed **Path to Success: A Shared Journey** (a summer equine facilitated program for parent/child teams designed to strengthen team building/communication/goal setting); conducting research on impact of program; Program is offered every summer.
- Fall 2008 – present Co-created and co-director of **Path to Success** (Equine facilitated growth and learning program); working with Pullman and Moscow schools; program is ongoing and offered fall and spring

EDITORIAL WORK/CONSULTANT/EXTERNAL REVIEWER

Washington State University:

Invited book reviewer for **Clinicians Guide to Treating Animal Companion Issues** by Elsevier Publishing, 2016

Member of Horse and Humans Foundation Focused Research Initiative – 2016; goal to make recommendations for research and funding for equine programs working with veterans with PTSD

Member of site team review for Professional Educators Standards Board (PESB) – 2015; University of Washington, College of Education

Invited book reviewer for **Men and their dogs: A new understanding of man's best friend** by Routledge/Taylor and Francis, 2014

Invited and paid reviewer for *Veterinary Team Brief*, 2013, 2014, 2015

Current Member of Editorial Review Board:

Journal of Veterinary Medical Education – ad hoc reviewer – 2015 - present
Human-Animal Interaction Journal (APA peer reviewed on line journal) –
2011 to present

The Family Journal (International), 2005 – present

Educational Sciences: Theory and Practice (International) – 2007

Invited reviewer for book proposal by Routledge (*Differentiation of Self: Bowen Family Systems Theory Perspectives*) – 2011

Expert Reviewer for dissertation developing a Counseling Training Environment Scale based on Bronfenbrenner's systemic model – 2011

Served as external reviewer for Promotion/Promotion and Tenure

2018:

Texas Christian University

2015:

University of North Texas

2013:

Colorado State University

2010:

Montana State University

Texas Tech University

2009

University of Missouri

2005

University of North Texas

Texas State University

Invited to submit testimonial for *Counseling Strategies for Loss and Grief*, published by American Counseling Association, November 2008.

Invited participant for *Provost's New Faculty Orientation*, Fall, 2007, Washington State University.

Invited panel participant for Vice Provost's *Chairs Workshop Series*, 2006, 2007, Washington State University.

Invited reviewer for FY2005 *Healthy Marriage Research Initiative Grants*, sponsored by Administration for Children and Families (ACF), Department of Health and Human Services, August 2005.

Invited and paid reviewer for book proposal "*Supervising Marriage and Family Therapists in the 21st Century: What the Research is Telling Us*", Routledge Publishing, Summer 2005.

Invited and paid reviewer for book chapter on “Family Systems Approaches” in *Theories of Counseling and Psychotherapy: Contemporary Applications*, Prentice Hall, June 2005.

Education Division Judge for 2005 *Dr. William R. Wiley Graduate and Professional Studies Exposition*, Washington State University

GRANTS AND PROPOSALS – Funded

- 2020 The loss of a service animal through death or retirement: Exploring the mental health impact on service dog handlers and potentially mitigating resiliency factors. \$50,000 grant funded through Human-Animal Bond in Colorado (HABIC), College of Health and Human Sciences , Colorado State University.
Erdman, P.: Collaborator
- 2014 Educational Neuropsychology Laboratory. \$3,000. Department of Teaching & Learning, WSU. Lamb,R., **Erdman, P.**, McMahon, D.
- 2013 The impact of interdisciplinary instruction in mindfulness on the clinical communication empathy scores in student health professionals. \$4,000. College of Veterinary Medicine Teaching Grant. Ruby,K., **Erdman, P.**, Bayly, D., Gotch, C.
- 2012 Enhancing social competence in children with Autism Spectrum Disorder through a peer-to-peer equine assisted growth and learning program, \$1,000. Pullman Education Foundation.
Erdman, P., Jacobson, S., Miller,. D.
- 2010 “Efficacy Trial of Equine Assisted Intervention on Child Stress and Competence”, National Institute of Health (Health and Human Services); **Erdman, P. (Consultant)**; PI-Patricia Pendry, Human Development, WSU. (\$100,000)
- 2008 WSU College of Education Faculty Funding Awards,
“Measuring the Effectiveness of an Equine Assisted Growth and Learning Program for At-Risk Elementary Students” (\$4,990)
Erdman, P.

- 2008 Pullman Education Foundation,
“Measuring the Effectiveness of an Equine Assisted Growth and Learning Program for At-Risk Elementary Students” (\$1,000). **Erdman, P.** & Jacobson, S.
- 1992 Research Award Grant for doctoral dissertation (Association for Counselor Education and Supervision) (\$1,000). **Erdman, P.**
- 1988 - 1992 Three year federal grants for Upward Bound program (\$600,000 and \$900,000). **Erdman, P.**

PUBLICATIONS - REFEREED

Kogan, L., **Erdman, P.**, Currin-McCulloch, J., Bussolari, C., Packman, W. (2021). The impact of COVID on cat guardians: Veterinary issues. *Animals* 11(3), 603; [doi:10.3390/ani11030603](https://doi.org/10.3390/ani11030603)

Kogan, L., **Erdman, P.**, Bussolari, C., Currin-McCulloch, J., Packman, W. (2021) - The initial months of COVID-19: Dog owners' veterinary-related concerns. *Frontiers in Veterinary Science*, | <https://doi.org/10.3389/fvets.2021.629121>

Bussolari C, Currin-McCulloch J, Packman W, Kogan L, **Erdman P.** (2021). II Couldn't Have Asked for a Better Quarantine Partner!": Experiences with Companion Dogs during Covid-19. *Animals*. 2021; 11(2):330. <https://doi.org/10.3390/ani11020330>

Reilly, K., Adesope, O., & **Erdman, P.** (2020) The effects of dogs on learning: A meta-analysis. *Anthrozoos*, **33:3**, 339-360, DOI: 10.1080/08927936.2020.1746523

Erdman, P., Johnson, A., Hart, L. A. (2020). Incorporating a therapy dog into your practice: Some considerations. *Human Animal Interaction Bulletin*, 8 (1), 93-100

Schroeder, K., Van Allen, J., Dhurandhar, E., Lancaster, B., Heidari, Z., Cazenave, K., Boone, D., & **Erdman, P.** (2019). Riding into health: A pilot study on an equine-assisted childhood obesity intervention. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 16(23), 4835: <https://www.mdpi.com/1660-4601/16/23/4835>

Erdman, P., LaFollette, M., Steklis, N., Steklis, D., Germane, M., & Kogan, L. (2018). Guide to human-animal interaction education. *Human Animal Interaction Bulletin*, 6, 37-46.

Schroeder, K. Stroud, D., & **Erdman, P** (2018). Leading equine-assisted mental health groups: An exploratory survey of practitioner characteristics, practices and professional development. *International Journal of Group Psychotherapy*, 68 (2), 204-214.
doi.org/10.1080/00207284.2017.1417737

Kogan, L., Schaefer, K., **Erdman, P.**, Schoenfeld-Tacher, R. (2016). University counseling center's perceptions and experiences pertaining to emotional support animals. *Journal of College Student Psychotherapy*, 30:4, 268-283, DOI: 10.1080/87568225.2016.1219612

Erdman, P., Miller, D., & Jacobson, S. (2015) The Impact of an Equine Facilitated Learning Program on Youth with Autism Spectrum Disorder, *Human-Animal Interaction Bulletin*, 3(2). p. 21-36

Urquhart, G., Hale, M., Shah, N., **Erdman, P.** (2015) Native American Veteran Treatment Preference: Results from an ongoing survey. V. 1(1).
<http://education.wsu.edu/researchcenters/mestizo/journal/>

Rieger, K., Caro, B., **Erdman, P.**, & Marco, L. (2015) Assessing attitudes towards animal assisted therapy among students and faculty in American Psychological Association Accredited programs. *Human-Animal Interaction Bulletin*, 3 (1). p. 11-17.

Pendry, P., Roeter, S.M., Smith, A.N., Jacobson, S., **Erdman, P.** (2013). Trajectories of Positive and Negative Behavior during Participation in Equine Facilitated Growth and Learning Program for Horse-Novice Youth. *Journal of Extension* 51(1), 1R1B5. .

Caffery, T., & **Erdman, P.** (Summer, 2003). Conceptualizing attachment theory from a systemic framework: Implications for family therapists. *Journal of Systemic Therapies*, 22(2), 3-15.

Erdman, P., & Caffery, T. (2000). An Interview with Robert Marvin: Linking systems and attachment theory. *The Family Journal*, 8(3), 309-316.

Caffery, T., **Erdman, P.**, & Cook, D. (2000). Two Systems/One Client: Bringing families and schools together. *The Family Journal*, 8(2), 149-154.

Caffery, T., & **Erdman, P.** (2000). Conceptualizing parent adolescent conflict: Applications from systems and attachment theories. *The Family Journal*, 8(1), 14 - 21

Erdman, P. (1998). Conceptualizing ADHD as a contextual response to parental attachment. *The American Journal of Family Therapy*, 26(2), 177-185.

Kane, C., & **Erdman, P.** (1998). Differences in family of origin perceptions among African American, Anglo American, and Hispanic American college students. *The Family Journal*, 6(1), 13-18.

Erdman, P., & Caffery, T. (December 1997/January 1998). Systemic treatment of attachment issues in parent-child relationships. *Family Therapy News*, p. 12-13

Trusty, J., Watts, R. & **Erdman, P.** (1997). Family and demographic variables as predictors of parents' involvement in their teens' career development. *The Journal of Career Development*, 23(2), 189-201.

LaBauve, B., & **Erdman, P.** (1997). A systemic perspective of children of Vietnam veterans with post-traumatic stress disorder. *Kentucky Counseling Association Journal*, 16(1), p. 19-22.

Mauzey, E. & **Erdman, P.** (1997). Trainee perceptions of live supervision phone-ins: A phenomenological study. *The Clinical Supervisor*, 15(2), p. 115-128.

Seymour, J. & **Erdman, P.** (1996). Family play therapy with children in transition. *The International Journal of Play Therapy*, 5, 19-30.

Watts, R., Trusty, J., **Erdman, P.** & Canada, R. (1996). Texas LPC's perceptions of their counselor training. *TCA Journal*, 24, 9-14.

Erdman, P. & Lampe, R. (1996). Adapting basic counseling skills for children. *Journal of Counseling and Development*, 74, (4), 374-377.

Mauzey, E. & **Erdman, P.** (1995). Let the genogram speak: Curiosity, circularity, and creativity in family history. *Journal of Family Psychotherapy*, 6, 1-11.

Erdman, P. (1994). Supervisor development: How it affects the supervisees. *Journal of the British Association for Counseling*, 5, 275-279.

Erdman, P. (Summer 1994). The family yarn: A metaphor for family change. *The Family Journal*, 2, 254-255.

Erdman, P. (1993). Dialogue or debate: Family systems or individual counseling. *Family Therapy News*.

Erdman, P. (1990). Enhancing communication between teenagers and their parents. *Journal for National Council of Educational Opportunity Associations*.

BOOKS

Kogan, L., & Erdman, P. (Eds) (2021). *Career paths in human-animal interaction for social and behavioral scientists*. Routledge/Taylor and Francis

Kogan, L. & Erdman, P. (Eds) (2019). *Pet loss, grief, and therapeutic interventions: Practitioners navigating the human-animal bond*. Routledge/Taylor and Francis.

Erdman, P. & Ng, Kok-Mun (Eds). (2010). *Attachment: Expanding the Cultural Connections*" New York: Routledge/Taylor and Francis.

Erdman, P., & Caffery, T. (Eds). (2003). *Attachment and Family Systems: Conceptual, Empirical, and Therapeutic Relatedness*. NY: Brunner-Routledge.

CHAPTERS

Erdman, P., & Ruby, K. (2019). Grief: The unique aspects of loss of a pet. In Kogan, L., & Erdman, P. (Eds). *Pet loss, grief, and therapeutic interventions: Practitioners navigating the human-animal bond*. Routledge.

Erdman, P. & Jacobson, S. (September 2018) Teaching social skills and communication to adolescents through equine interventions. In Trotter, K. & Baggerly, J (Eds) *Equine assisted therapy activities for counselors: Harnessing solutions to common problems*. Taylor and Francis.

Metzger, S, Erdman, P., & Ng, Kok-Mun (2010). Attachment in cultural contexts. Chapter in P.Erdman & K. Ng (Eds.), *Attachment: Expanding the cultural connections*. NY: Routledge.

Haslam, C., & Erdman, P. (2003). Linking systems and attachment theory: A conceptual framework for marital violence. Chapter in P. Erdman & T. Caffery (Eds.), *Attachment and Family Systems: Conceptual, Empirical, and Therapeutic Relatedness*. NY: Brunner/Routledge.

Erdman, P. (2002). Conveying the "not knowing" position in marriage and family counseling. In R. E. Watts (Ed.), *Techniques in Marriage and Family Counseling (Vol. 2)*. Alexandria, VA: American Counseling Association.

Erdman, P. (2000). Bringing a symbol: An experiential exercise in systemic change. In R. E. Watts (Ed.), *Techniques in Marriage and Family Counseling (Vol. 1)*. Alexandria, VA: American Counseling Association.

Erdman, P. (2000). An affair to forget. In L. B. Golden (Ed.), *Case Studies in Marriage and Family Therapy*. NJ: Prentice-Hall.

Erdman, P. (1996). Bowenian. In D. Ratliff & L. Yingling (Eds.), *Reviewing our common body of knowledge* (Ch. 3). Austin, TX: Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Inc.

Erdman, P. (1996). Family life cycle. In D. Ratliff & L. Yingling (Eds.), *Reviewing our common body of knowledge* (Ch. 15). Austin, TX: Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Inc.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Erdman, P. (Fall 2012). The Human animal bond and the Role of Counselors, Washington Counseling Association Newsletter, V. 44 (2), p. 11-12

Jacobson, S., & **Erdman, P.** (2011). WSU's Striker wins 2010 NARHA equine of the year award. *Animal Human Interaction: Research and Practice Newsletter (Section 13 of Div 17, Society of Counseling Psychology – APA), January, 2011.*

Erdman, P., Jacobson, S., & Pendry, P. (2010). PATH....To Success: An equine assisted growth and learning program. *Animal Human Interaction: Research and Practice Newsletter (Section 13 of Div 17, Society of Counseling Psychology – APA), Summer 2010.*

Erdman, P. Invited and paid book review: Children at promise: 9 principles to help kids thrive in an at-risk world, by T. S. Stuart and C.G. Bostrom, *Washington State Magazine*, Spring 2005, p. 52-53.

Erdman, P., Invited as guest editor for special section of *Journal of Systemic Therapies*, Summer, 2002.

Erdman, P., & Sanders, P. (1998). Irrational beliefs as a correlate of wellness in counselor-trainees. *TCA Guidelines*, p. 6.

Erdman, P., & Lugar, R. (October, 1997). Family therapy in managed care settings. *Texas Association of Marriage and Family Counselors Newsletter*, p. 3.

Erdman, P. (1997). Book Review: Stepfamilies: The step by step model of brief therapy, by Burt, M.S., & Burt, R.B. *TCA Journal*, 25(2), p. 92.

Erdman, P. (1993). Book Review, *Contact*.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

International:

Erdman, P. (October, 2014). Therapeutic horsemanship: Examples and evidence from the PATH to Success program at Washington State University. Aalborg Universtiy, Aalborg, Denmark.

Erdman, P., (September 21-23, 2005). Eighth International Counseling and Guidance Conference, Istanbul, Turkey. Keynote Address: "Using Families to Facilitate Change"

Erdman, P. (September 21-23, 2005). Eighth International Counseling and Guidance Conference, Istanbul, Turkey. Workshop: "Family school collaborations: Two systems/One client"

State:

Erdman, P. (September 21, 2008). Washington Music Teachers Association, Yakima, WA. Keynote Speaker: The ABC's of Communication.

Erdman, P. (September 22, 2008). Washington Music Teachers Association, Yakima, WA. Keynote Speaker: Your Personal Journey TO Leadership.

Local:

Erdman, P. (April, 2005) Advice from experienced chairs. Panel discussion at *New Chairs Workshops*, Sponsored by Office of Provost, Washington State University.

WORKSHOPS/WEBINARS/SEMINARS

Erdman, P. (2019). Invited panel member for webinar by United States Department of Agriculture, "Owners cope with Grief and Loss" for Emergency Preparedness and Response Training

Erdman, P. (2019). Do I write the letter for an ESA or not? Ethical implications for writing letters. Invited ethics workshop to mental health providers, sponsored by Suzanne Appelskog/Life's Learning, Spokane, WA.

Erdman, P. (2018). Guiding clients through the loss and grief of a pet. CEU webinar for APA Div 17, Section on Human-Animal Interaction.

Erdman, P. (2017). Emotional Support Animals: Ethical implications for writing letters. Invited ethics workshop to mental health providers, sponsored by Suzanne Appelskog/Life's Learning, Spokane, WA.

Erdman, P. & Edwards, A. (2017). Guiding clients through the loss and grief of a pet. Invited workshop to mental health providers, sponsored by Suzanne Appelskog/Life's Learning, Spokane, WA.

PRESENTATIONS

Erdman, P., Link, J.K., Dacre, R., & Kogan, L. (2021) The initial months of COVID-19: Dog owners' veterinary-related concerns. Poster session, Academic Showcase WSU.

Jenkins, J., Carbonneau, K., Liao, H., **Erdman, P.** (2019) Effects of equine-facilitated psychotherapy on mental health outcomes: A meta-analysis. WSU Academic Showcase Poster.

Adesope, T., Chapman, B., **Erdman, P.** (2019). Using technology to keep track of alumni: The college of education program WSU Academic Showcase poster.

Masterson, H. E., Kogan, L, & **Erdman, P** (2018) Animal loss and grief experience of pet owners: How to prepare pet owners for the end of life process. Poster session. APA conference, San Francisco.

Erdman, P. & Schaefer, K. (2018). Emotional support animals and service dogs: Definitions, roles and regulations. Symposium, American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.

Erdman, P. & Blazina, C. (2017). Attachment theory and coping with pet grief and loss. Symposium, American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.

Erdman, P., Kogan, L, Blazina, C, & Wright, M. (2017) K9 Law officers and their handlers. Poster session. American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.

Erdman, P, and Mixer, P. (2016) Invited speaker for CVM Teaching Academy, Brown Bag series: WSU's Culture of Academic Integrity: An Update.

Erdman, P. (2016) Men and their dogs: A new understanding of man's best friend. Discussant for symposium. American Psychological Conference, Denver, CO, August 4, 2016.

Erdman, P. (2016). The puzzling world of human-animal interaction research: The who, what and how. Section roundtable. American Psychological Conference, Denver, CO, August 4, 2016.

Erdman, P., & Urquhart, G. (2015). A therapeutic horsemanship program for veterans: Building skills to success. Part of HAI Symposium in Treating Veterans with PTSD. American Psychological Association Annual Conference, Toronto, Ontario.

Erdman, P. (2015). Service and emotional support animals in university settings: Exploring current issues. SCP Roundtable. American Psychological Association Annual Conference, Toronto, Ontario.

Urquhart, G., Hale, M., and **Erdman, P.** (2015). Native Americans' preferences in an equine therapy treatment program. Poster Session. American Psychological Association Annual Conference, Toronto, Ontario.

Erdman, P. & Urquhart, G. (2015). Invited Panel Presenters. PTSD: Native Americans' attitudes, perceptions, and beliefs. Native American Health Conference, San Diego, CA.

Erdman, P. (September, 2015). Invited workshop – Equine assisted activities with veterans: What we know and what we don't know. New Mexico Native American Indian Nurses Association, Albuquerque, NM.

Goodwin, M., **Erdman, P.**, Amore, A. (2015) WSU Access service animals and comfort/assistance animals. Workshop to WSU faculty and staff.

Erdman, P. (2015) Oh...How we love our pets. Invited presentation to WSU Administrative Professional Advisory Council (APAC)

Erdman, P. (April 2015). Human animal interaction: Past, present, and future. College of Education Brown Bag, Pullman, WA

Miller, D., **Erdman, P.**, Jacobson, S. (2015). Social competence of youth with autism spectrum disorders: Exploration of a peer facilitated, equine assisted growth and learning program. Presentation, January 2015, Annual Hawaii International Conference on Education.

Erdman, P., & Kogan, L. (2014). Animal assisted therapy and activities: Frequently asked questions and emerging issues. Interactive discussion, HAI section/Div. 17, APA Annual Convention, Washington, D.C..

Ruby, K. & **Erdman, P.** (April 2014). The impact of interdisciplinary instruction in mindfulness on the clinical communication empathy scores in student health professionals. Brown Bag Presentation, Teaching Academy, WSU College of Veterinary Medicine.

Erdman, P. & Jacobson, S. (2014) Increasing Social Competence of Youth with Autism Spectrum Disorders: The Effects of a Peer Facilitated, Equine-Assisted Growth and Learning Program. Presentation. Professional Association of Therapeutic Horsemanship, International, Regional 9/10 Conference. Park City, Utah.

Erdman, P., Miller, D., Jacobson, S., Welsh-Griffin, H. (2014). Increasing Social Competence of Youth with Autism Spectrum Disorders: The Effects of a Peer Facilitated, Equine-Assisted Growth and Learning Program. Poster session. WSU Academic Showcase.

Urquhart, G., Hale, M. Shah, N., **Erdman, P.** (2014). Native American Veterans Attitudes, Perceptions, and Beliefs About PTSD and the Role of AAT in Treatment. Poster session. WSU Academic Showcase.

Jacobson, S., **Erdman, P.**, Pendry, P. (2013). PATH to Success: An equine program for children. Leo K. Bustad Human Animal Interaction Symposium, WSU.

Bayly, D., Craft, S., Urquhart, G., Rieger, K., & **Erdman, P.** (2013). Veterans' perceptions, knowledge, and attitudes towards PTSD and its treatment. Student poster session, Human Animal Interaction Section, Div, 17. APA Conference, Honolulu, Hawaii.

Bayly, D., Craft, S., Urquhart, G., Rieger, K., & **Erdman, P.** (2013). Veterans' perceptions, knowledge, and attitudes towards PTSD and its treatment. Poster session, Academic Showcase, WSU.

Erdman, P. & Kogan, L., (2013). Bridges between professionals: Bringing empirical legitimacy to the human animal interaction field. APA Symposium, Div. 17 (Human animal interaction section 13). APA Conference, Honolulu, Hawaii.

Erdman, P. & Jacobson, S. (2012). Parents, children, and horses: A path to success. Professional Association of Therapeutic Horsemanship, International, Annual Conference, Seattle, WA.

Erdman, P. & Ruby, K. (2012). Building a bridge: Counseling and veterinary professionals collaborate to support clients through bereavement. Washington Counseling Association Annual Conference, Spokane, WA.

Pendry, P. Roeter, S.M., Smith, A., Jacobson, S. & **Erdman, P.** (2012). Experimental Trial Demonstrates Positive Effects of Equine Facilitated Growth and Learning on Child Social Competence. Poster session at WSU's Academic Showcase, Pullman, WA, March, 2012.

Roeter, S.M., Smith, A., Montgomery, A., **Erdman, P.**, Jacobson, S. & Pendry, P. (2012). Trajectories of Adolescents' Behavioral Change in a 11-week equine facilitated leaning program. *Poster presentation conducted at the WSU Wiley Research Exposition, Pullman, WA, February, 2012. * Winner of best poster presentation.*

Erdman, P. & Jacobson, S.(2011). Kids and Horses: Sharing the Path to Success and Learning. Roundtable discussion at COE Research Showcase, October, 14, 2011.

Erdman, P., & Mantle-Bromley, C. (2010). When tragedy strikes: Surviving and Planning. Women's Leadership Conference, University of Idaho, Moscow, ID.

Erdman, P., & Metzger, S. (March, 2007) Cross Cultural Applications of Attachment, Poster session presented at Washington State University's Academic Showcase, Pullman, WA

Metzger, S. & **Erdman, P.** (February, 2007) Cross Cultural Applications of Attachment, Poster session presented at Washington State University's College of Education Graduate Student Organization Conference in conjunction with the 2nd Annual International Globalization, Diversity, and Education Conference, Spokane, WA.

Erdman, P. (October, 2005). Reflections on Higher Education in Turkey. Brown Bag Series, Higher Education Program, Washington State University.

Erdman, P., Engels, D., Lampe, R, & Rainey, S. (February 2002). Preparing school counselors: Who are the players and what their roles are. TACES Midwinter Conference, Belton, Tx.

Choate, B., **Erdman, P.,** and TACES Board. (November 2001). Emerging issues in counselor education and supervision. TCA Annual Conference, Dallas, TX.

Erdman, P., & Serres, S. (April 2001). ADHD: An integrative assessment and intervention model. ACA National Conference, San Antonio, TX.

Erdman, P., Choate, B., Lucas, J., Parker, C., & Holland, J. (November 2000). Dialogue with the TACES Board. TCA Annual Conference, Houston, TX.

Fries, K, & **Erdman, P.** (October 1999). Promoting supervisor development: Implications for the new millennium. ACES National Conference, New Orleans, LA.

Erdman, P., Rodgers, L, & Cook, D. (1999). Systems theory: The next generation. Murphy Day Conference, Texas A&M University-Commerce, Commerce, TX.

Erdman, P., & Adams, S. (1999). The survival game: Reframing the first year as a doctoral student. TACES Midwinter Conference, Austin, TX.

Cook, D., & **Erdman, P.** (1998). Role of the therapist in emotionally focused therapy. TCA Conference, Amarillo, TX.

Erdman, P., & Caffery, T. (1998). Addressing attachment issues in children: A multifaceted approach for school counselors. TCA Conference, Amarillo, TX.

Erdman, P., & Caffery, T. (1998). Attachment theory and family violence. Murphy Day Conference, Dallas, TX.

Lampe, R., & **Erdman, P.** (1997). Adapting basic skills to counsel children. TCA Conference, Austin, TX.

Erdman, P., & Caffery, T. (1997). Conceptualizing adolescent conflicts from an attachment theory perspective. TCA Conference, Austin, TX.

Comstock, D., Wright, J., **Erdman, P.**, Golden, L., & Choate, R. (1997). Hands-on help from TCA's research committee: Practical tips from start to finish. TCA Conference, Austin, TX.

Erdman, P. & Caffery, T. (1997) Conceptualizing Parent/Child Conflicts from an Attachment Theory Framework. TAMFC Conference, San Marcos, TX.

Golden, Comstock, Choate, Wright, **Erdman** (1996). Designing a research project: Hands-on help from TCA's research committee. TCA Conference, Fort Worth, TX.

Erdman, P. & Lim, M. (1996). Family of origin supervision. ETSU Murphy Day Conference, Commerce, TX.

Erdman, P. & Lugar, R. (1996). Training and preparation of managed health care providers. Texas Association for Marriage and Family Counselors, San Marcos, TX.

Erdman, P. & Mauzey, E. (1995) Live supervision phone-ins: Trainee perceptions. Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Dallas, Texas.

Erdman, P. & Seymour, J. (1995) Play therapy with children and their families in transition. Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Dallas, TX.

Erdman, P. (1994). Children, play therapy, and the family. Chi Sigma Iota, East Texas State University.

Erdman, P. (1993). Establishing professional identity of doctoral students. Chi Sigma Iota, East Texas State University.

Erdman, P. (1993). A measure of interactive variables predicting supervisee developmental level. Southern Association for Counselor Education and Supervision Conference, Charleston, SC.

Erdman, P. (1992). Systemic family therapy. Northeast Texas Counselor Association Conference, Mt. Pleasant, Texas.

Erdman, P. (1993). What is family therapy? Hunt County Family Services Family Focus Program, Greenville, Texas.

Erdman, P. (1993). Families in transition. Department of Human Services, Greenville, Texas.

Erdman, P. (1990). The relationship between parental alcoholism and self-esteem in high school students. Texas Association for Student Support Services Conference, Houston, Texas.

Erdman, P. (1989). Choices and crises: A teenage pressure cooker. Southwest Association for Student Assistance Programs Conference, San Antonio, Texas.

AWARDS AND HONORS

2019 WSU Honors College Faculty Award

2017 WSU Honors Faculty Fellow, 2017 - 2020

2007 Nominated for Outstanding Mentor Award, sponsored by WSU Women and Leadership

2001 Chair of dissertation that received the Distinguished Dissertation Award (Mabe)

1999 Paul Barrus Distinguished Faculty Award for Teaching

1998 TACES Outstanding Counselor Educator Award

1998 Undergraduate Commencement Speaker for Texas A&M University-Commerce

1997 TCA Distinguished Service Award

1997 Outstanding Faculty Member, Chi Sigma Iota-Epsilon Tau

1997 ACA, First Place Award (Large Branch) for the *TCA Journal* (under my editorship)

PROFESSIONAL/LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCES

Washington State University:

Member of IAHAIO International Committee on Community Program Standards , 2019 -

Invited to serve as member of Emotional Support Animal Advisory Board for Higher Education Mental Health Alliance for guide on “*Animals on campuses: Emotional support and service animals*.”

Member of International Association for Animal Hospice and Palliative Care Research committee (2019 -)

Editorial Review Board member and Advisory Board member, *Human-Animal Interaction Bulletin* (APA), 2018 -

Nominated and invited to serve as NWCCU Evaluator, Training scheduled for November 2018

Member, Advisory Board – Educational Neuropsychology Lab, 2015-2018

Chair- Human Animal Interaction Section 13 (APA Div 17, Counseling Psychology) – 2014 – 2016

Washington Counseling Association, Membership Chair, 2012 – 2014

Honors College Council – appointed by provost, April 2012 - present

Serve as Senior Diversity Liaison for College of Education searches, 2011 – present.

PI for Carnegie Project on Education Doctorate / 2nd phase – 2011 – present
(National project to study the Ed.D.)

Advisory Board for *Program of Excellence in Rural Mental Health and Substance abuse Treatment*, funded by Life Sciences Discovery Grant, 2009 - 2013

Participated as a WSU delegate in the 17th WSU Education Seminar/Joint Research Conference, Nishinomiya, Japan, October 30 – November 2, 2007.

Committee participant, *Carnegie Initiative on the Doctorate*, College of Education, 2003 – 2006.

Participant and presenter at Graduate Research Symposium, sponsored by Education Graduate Student Organization at Washington State University, 2004, 2005.

Texas A&M-Commerce:

Elected Texas Counseling Association President, 2002 (Served as President-elect 2002-03, but moved to Washington before assuming position as President).

Invited member of State Board for Educator Certification (SBEC) – Framework for Development of Standards for School Counselor, March 2001

Chair, International Association for Marriage and Family Counselors (IAMFC) Research Task Force, 2000 – 2003

Member of Texas Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (TACES) Ad Hoc Committee on Licensed Professional Counselor Legislation, 1999

Member of IAMFC Media Committee, 1999 – 2000

Faculty co-sponsor for Doctoral Students Association, Texas A&M-Commerce, 1998 – 2003

President, Texas Association for Counselor Education and Supervision, 2000 – 2001

President-elect, Texas Association for Counselor Education and Supervision, 1999 – 2000

Secretary, Texas Association for Counselor Education and Supervision, 1998 - 99

Editor, TACES Newsletter (*Juncture*), 1998 – 99

Chair of Texas Counseling Association Publications Committee, 1998–99; 1999-2000

Invited Focus Group Facilitator for TACES Midwinter Conference, 1998

Member of TCA Research Committee, 1995-98

Legislative liaison for Northeast Texas Counseling Association 1995, 1996

President, Texas Association for Marriage and Family Counselors, 1997-98, and President-Elect, 1996-97

Secretary, Truax Foundation, 1997; President-elect, 1998; President, 1999; President 2001.

Developed Contract Between Community Counseling Center and Hunt County Juvenile Probation Department for family counseling services, Spring 1996

Associate Editor, *TCA Guidelines* (1994)

Executive Editor, *TCA Journal* (1994-1997) - Journal won 3rd, 2nd, 1st place award

Past Member of Editorial Review Board:

Catalyst for Change (1993-95)

International Journal for Play Therapy, 1996 - 2000. (by invitation)

Texas Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Journal, 1996-. 2004

(by invitation)

The Family Journal, 1997- 2005 (Nominated for two 4-year terms)

2005 – Nominated by new editor for renewal)

Counselor Education and Supervision, 1997-2000; Renominated for 2000 - 03.

Coordinated Murphy Day Conference for Department of Counseling, TAMU-C, 1994

Developed and Coordinated Doctoral Seminar Series for Department of Counseling, TAMU-C; 1995 – 2000

Served as Departmental Coordinator for Library Acquisitions (1993-97)

University Committee Responsibilities

Washington State University:

Member, WSU Health Science Spokane, Level 3, Health and Security Committee

Co-Chair, WSU Diverse Faculty and Staff working group, 2019 -

Member, Cougar Health Services Physician Search committee, 2018 – 2020

Member, WSU Diverse Faculty and Staff Working group, 2018 - present

Chair, search committee for Assistant Director of WSU Animal Welfare Program – 2017

Member, Drive to 25 Action team – Undergraduate graduate Placement, 2017 – present

Member, Drive to 25 Action team – Faculty awards, 2017 - present

Professional Development Advisory Council (Graduate School) – member, 2016

Honors College Council, Member – 2013 - present

Faculty Senate/Provost appointed taskforce on Academic Integrity – Co-chair – 2015.

Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC), Presidential Committee appointment, Chair – 2014 - present

Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC), Presidential Committee appointment, member Fall 2013 - 2014

Global Campus Advisory Committee, WSU, Fall 2013 – present

Office of Research Advisory Committee (ORAC) – WSU, Fall 2013 - present

Chair, Search committee for Director of Summer Session, WSU, Fall 2013

Committee member, Search for Director, WSU-Vancouver campus, fall 2013

Panelist for Mentoring Discussion, Association for Faculty Women, 2013.

Committee member, Provost appointed task force to develop plans for direct admission to colleges, January 2012 - present

Committee member – Individual Interdisciplinary Doctoral Program (IIDP) – Spring 2013 - to review proposals that are submitted for formal admission to the IIDP program

Committee member, Provost appointed task force to study and propose policy for faculty work loads across colleges, 2011-12

Committee member, Academic Showcase Steering Committee, Fall 2011 - present

Committee member. WSU Strategic Planning Committee, January 2011 – 2015

Committee member, Policy Committee for the Student Information Systems, Washington State University, July 2010 – 2012.

Chair, Search committee for educational leadership for WSU-Vancouver campus, Fall 2009

Member, Women and Leadership Mentor Award Committee, 2007

Member, Association for Faculty Women Sam Smith Leadership Award Committee, 2007

Member, University Academic Showcase Committee, 2006, 2007

Chair, Association for Faculty Women Graduate Student Awards Committee, 2005

Regularly attend Chairs Workshops, sponsored by Office of Provost

Texas A&M-Commerce:

Chair, Provost Search Committee, 2002

Member of Search Committee for Provost, Fall 2001

Hearing Committee, Alternate, 2001

Chair of *Committee to Review Titles* (Ad Hoc committee developed by President McFarland), Spring 2001

Member of University Recruitment and Retention Task Force Committee, March 2001

Member of SACS Compliance Committee, 2001
and Chair of SACS Subcommittee (Institutional Purpose)

Graduate Council Committee on Administration, 1998, 1999
(Chair of subcommittee on doctoral residency)

Library, 1997, 1998. 1999

University Human Subjects, 1997, 1998. 1999, 2000

Outreach Center (College of Education)- committee working in collaboration with Commerce Independent School District to develop a community outreach center to coordinate community needs and services available through various university training facilities

EAP Advisory Committee, 1997 – 1999

College of Education, Dean's Search Committee member, 1999

Honorary Degree Committee, 1997

Faculty Senate Academic Practice, 1997

Presidential Search Committee, 1997
And Executive Committee, 1997

Community Development Advisory Committee, 1995

College of Education Professional Development Committee, 1995

Search Committee, Dean, College of Education, 1994

Health Enrichment Week, 1993

Task Force, Drug and Alcohol Awareness, 1993

College of Education/Department Committee Responsibilities

Washington State University

Chair, Search committee – Assistant to Dean, 2020

Chair, Search committee – Senior Development Director, 2019

Member, Search Committee, Executive Director of Health and Wellness, 2019

Chair, Search committee - Director of Communication, 2013
Search committee - Director of Development, 2013

Member, Search committee – Director of Education, WSU-Vancouver

Chair, Search Committee – Director of Assessment and Evaluation, 2011

Chair - Ed.D. Review Committee (Ad Hoc committee), 2011 - present

ExOfficio Member – COE International Committee, 2011 - present
Graduate Studies Committee, 2011 – present

Texas A&M-Commerce

Departmental Search Committee, Chair, 1999
Departmental Search Committee, Chair, 1998
Doctoral Recruitment Task Force, Chair, 1998
Doctoral Comp Core Committee, Chair, 1998
Doctoral Comp Revision Task Force, Chair, 1996
Doctoral Admissions Review Committee, Chair, 1998 - present
Doctoral Admissions Review Committee, member 1993 - 1998
Departmental Search Committee, Chair (1995)
Departmental Search Committee, Member (1993, 1994)
Clinical Faculty Committee, Member, 1992 – present

Graduate Student Dissertation/Theses Advising:

Washington State University:

Mentored Summer Doctoral Fellow, Summer 2006

Counseling Psychology

Doctoral Committee Chair

Stephanie Wilmore – Graduated May 2014

Kendra Reiger – Graduated 2017

Nahal Kaivan – Graduated 2017
Blanca Caro – Graduated 2017
Sherry Craft – Graduated 2018
Nasreen Shah – Graduated 2018
Lindsey Marco – Graduate 2018
Liz Schreiner – Graduate 2019
Greg Urquhart – Defended 2020
Sarah Sevedge – Graduate 2021

In progress:

Sam Haghigi

WSU Individual Interdisciplinary Doctoral committees/other doctoral/thesis committees

Dan Bayly – Chair
Taylor Fisk – member
Lindsey Madden (Animal Science) – member, Graduated 2016
Heather Welsh-Griffin (Teaching and Learning) – member
Katie Barton (Masters thesis - Educational Psychology) - co-chair, graduated 2016

Oregon State University Doctoral committee:

Katie Schroeder –member, Graduated 2016

Undergraduate Honor's Students Chair

McKayla Wixon – Graduated 2018
Winter Herron – graduated 2016
Caitlin Smith – graduate 2016
Alex Larsen – graduated 2015
Amanda Amore, graduate 2014
Erin Sebring, graduated 2011
(student later accepted as Auvil Scholar and won 2nd place in presentation at Student Undergraduate Research and Creative Activities (SURCA), 2012)

Undergraduate Honors Students HAIC committees – in progress

Faculty Advisor – Jacob Fisk, Veterinary student senior paper

Serving as primary advisor –

Hayley Masterson – WSU – graduated 2018 –Pass with Distinction
Maranda Clark –WSU – graduated 2017
Alexis Alman – WSU

Serving on committee -

Taber Bassett – Colorado State
Alexandra Orahovats – Colorado State
Kelly Davis – Colorado State
Patrice Quadrei – Creighton University
Kadi Horn – Colorado State

Texas A&M-Commerce:

Doctoral Chaired 12 dissertations (one of these received Distinguished Dissertation Award, 2001);
Served on 22 completed dissertation committees

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Erdman, P. (Fall 2010) Presented “Expanding Cultural Connections” to WSU-Spokane campus, sponsored by Riverpoint Diversity Events Committee.

Developed partnerships with Pullman schools in counseling program; delivered workshops to parents and teachers on collaborative family/school activities, 2005/2006

Delivered program on “The Changing Family” to Commerce Kiwanas, August 1999

Delivered programs on “Families Coping with Chronic Illness” to Lupus Support Group, Greenville, TX, August 1999 and Terrell, TX, September 1999

Work collaboratively and coordinate delivery of family counseling through Community Counseling Center to Commerce Elementary and A. C. Williams schools, 1998, 1999.

Participated and represented Community Counseling Center at CATCH Program in Greenville, Sponsored by Drug Free Greenville, October 1998

Invited participant in Family Violence Task Force, Greenville, Texas, April 1998

Workshop on Myers-Brigg Type Indicator, with Dr. Bill Benner, First Presbyterian Church, Greenville, TX., 1998.

Invited member of Academics 2000 Committee, Commerce Elementary School, 1997, 1998

Invited panel member for Drug Free Greenville CATCH Program, October 1997

Invited participant in University/Commerce Independent School District to develop plan and funding for addressing retention issues.

Invited committee member for Campus Improvement Committee, CISD, 1995-96; 1996-97

Presented at CATCH program sponsored by Drug Free Greenville, September, 1995, 1996.

Participated in A.C. Williams Health Fair, 1995.

LICENSURE/CERTIFICATION/TRAINING

Cultural competency workshop, WSU, summer 2015.

Animal Assisted Play Therapy, on line course, 2014.

Completed Cultural Competency Training through the WSU Office of Equity and Diversity, 2013.

Licensed Mental Health Counselor, State of Washington, LH60247460

Clinical Member American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy

Approved Supervisor, American Association for Marriage & Family Therapy

National Certified Counselor, National Board for Certified Counselors, Inc.

Certificate of Participation,

40 hours of instruction in curriculum design, theory, and practice for equine facilitated mental health (EFMH), Equine facilitated learning (EFL) and Experiential Education and Arts Integration; Jackson, Wy (June 7-12, 2010)

Equine Intervention Training/Certifications:

Completion of 28 hours in Healing Partners Equestrian Program/ Clinical skills workshop, 2017

Certificate of Appreciation – Horses and Humans Research Foundation – First Focused Research Initiative for

Equine assisted interventions for veterans with traumatic brain injury/PTS, 2016

Certificate of Completion

24 hours of training in equine-assisted psychotherapy and equine-assisted learning, 2015

Certificate of Participation,

40 hours of instruction in curriculum design, theory, and practice for equine facilitated mental health (EFMH), Equine facilitated learning (EFL) and Experiential Education and Arts Integration; Jackson, Wy (June 7-12, 2010)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

International Society of Anthrozoology (membership by nomination or board approval)

Washington Association for Marriage and Family Therapy

Washington Counseling Association

Washington Association for Counselor Education and Supervision

American Psychological Association, Division 17 (Counseling Psychology),
Human Animal Interaction Section

American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (AAMFT)

Association for Faculty Women (AFW), Washington State University