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PRESENT POSITION

Postdoctoral Special Education Research Fellow
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EDUCATION

Ph.D., University of Washington, Special Education, Emotional and Behavioral Disorders, 2011

M.Ed., Central Washington University, School Psychology, School Counseling, 1999

B.A., Central Washington University, Psychology, Developmental and Experimental, 1997

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2012 - Present **Researcher**, Institute of Educational Sciences funded Postdoctoral Special Education Researcher at Kansas University Juniper Children's Project

2010 - 2012 **Director**, Special Education State Needs Projects Core Grant for the Center for Change in Transition Services.

2011 - 2012 **Adjunct Professor**, School Psychology, College of Education, Seattle University, Seattle, Washington

2009 - 2010 **Assistant Director**, Special Education State Needs Projects Core Grant for the Center for Change in Transition Services.

2007 - 2009 **Research Assistant and Practicum/Field Supervisor**, Area of Special Education, College of Education, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington

2008 - 2009 **Adjunct Professor**, Area of Special Education, College of Education, Seattle University, Seattle, Washington.

- Spring 2005 **Research Assistant and Adjunct Professor**, Area of Special Education, College of Education, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington.
- 1999 - 2004 **School Psychologist/Counselor/Behavior Interventionist**, Puyallup School District, Puyallup, Washington.
- 1997 - 1999 **Research Technician & Educational Docent Liaison**, Chimpanzee and Human Communication Institute Docent and Earthwatch International Research, Ellensburg, Washington.

INSTRUCTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

Seattle University

Special Education 540	Introduction to Special Education	Spring 2012
School Psychology 571	Counseling and Behavioral Intervention	Winter 2012
Special Education 546	Advanced Behavioral Interventions	Winter 2008
Special Education 543	Introduction to Behavioral Interventions	Fall 2007

University of Washington

Special Education 500	Practicum Field Supervision Seminar	Fall 2007
Special Education 500	Practicum Field Supervision Seminar	Spring 2007
Special Education 500	Practicum Field Supervision Seminar	Winter 2006
Special Education 500	Practicum Field Supervision Seminars	Fall 2006
Special Education 526	Social Skills Instruction	Winter 2005

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed Journals

Cheney, D., Lynass, L., Flower, A., Waugh, M., & **Iwaszuk, W.** (2010). The Check, Connect, and Expect Program: A Targeted, Tier Two Intervention in the School-Wide Positive Behavior Support Model. *Preventing School Failure, 54*, 152-158.

Weyandt, L., **Iwaszuk, W.**, Fulton, K., Ollerton, M., Beatty, N., Fouts, H., Schepman, S. & Greenlaw, C. (2003) The Internal Restlessness Scale: Performance of College Students With and Without ADHD. *Journal of Learning Disabilities* 36, 382-389.

Articles in Review or Preparation

Johnson, C., **Iwaszuk, W.** & Edgar, E. (under revision) Post-School Status of Special Education Graduates: Nine Years of State Follow-Up Data.

Iwaszuk, W. & Johnson, C. (in preparation). One year later: Outcomes for students practicing self-determination skills through student-directed IEP meetings.

Iwaszuk, W., & Cheney, D. (in preparation). A tier two intervention for students with internalizing problem behaviors.

GRANT WORK

- 2012 - 2014 **Post-Doctoral Researcher**, Class-Wide Functional Intervention Teams (CW-FIT)
- 2010 - 2012 **Director**, Special Education State Needs Projects Core Grant for the Center for Change in Transition Services (\$300,000 yearly).
- 2009 - 2010 **Assistant Director**, Special Education State Needs Projects Core Grant for the Center for Change in Transition Services (\$296,000).
- 2006 - 2009 **Research Assistant**, "Evidence-Based Interventions for Severe Behavior Problems." US Department of Education, Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services (\$4,300,000).
- 2004 - 2005 **Research Assistant**, "BEACONS Outreach Project, Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, State Improvement Grant for the Connecting IDEAS Project (\$140,000).

SCHOLARLY REPORTS AND PRESENTATIONS

The Class-wide Function-related Intervention Team Program (CW-FIT.) Session presentation at Missouri Council of Administrators of Special Education Annual Conference, Lake Ozark, MO (September, 2012)

Center for Change in Transition Services Webinars, Monthly web-based professional development classes designed to support educators working with young adults during secondary transition, Seattle, WA (2010-2012).

Using the Wizard for State-wide Improvement Action Planning. Session presentation at the Sixth Annual Secondary Transition State Planning Institute, Charlotte, NC (May, 2012).

Washington State's Post-School Outcomes Report, Annual State Performance Plan report for IDEA Part B Indicator 14 published in collaboration with Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, WA (2010, 2011 & 2012).

Using Evidence-Based Practices in Secondary Transition Programming. Puget Sound Educational Service District Presenter, Kent, WA (November, 2011).

Invited Guest Speaker for Washington State Transition Panel. Transitioning from School to Jobs: A Conference on Best Practices for Students with Intellectual Disabilities in Washington State, SeaTac, WA (October, 2011).

Secondary Transition: Using Student-Directed IEP Meeting to Facilitate Self-Determination. Northwest Educational Service District Presenter, Anacortes, WA (August, 2011).

Triangulating Data for Program Improvement. Session presentation at the Fifth Annual Secondary Transition State Planning Institute, Charlotte, NC (May, 2011).

Positive Behavior Supports for Students at Risk of EBD in Elementary School. First Annual Statewide Conference of Positive Behavior Support, Bellevue, WA (May, 2010).

Positive Behavioral Support in the Classroom Council for Children with Behavior Disorders for the International Conference. Denver (September, 2009).

A Tier 2 Intervention for At-Risk Students with Internalizing Behavior Problems. Paper presentation at the Council for Exception Children Conference, Seattle, WA (April, 2009).

Predictive Factors for Students At-Risk for Antisocial and Severe Behavior Problems: Response to a Tier 2 Intervention. Paper presentation at the Council for Exceptional Children Conference, Seattle, WA (April, 2009).

Predicting Responsiveness to a Tier 2 Behavioral Intervention. Paper Presentation at the National Association of School Psychologists Conference, Boston, MA (February, 2009).

Schoolwide PBS Tier 2 Screenings. Renton & Highline School District Elementary School Staff, WA (2007-2009).

Check Connect & Expect and Schoolwide PBS Implementation Trainings. Renton School District Elementary School Staff Workshops and Staff Training, Renton, WA (2007-2009).

What Works? Findings from Implementing Schoolwide PBS and Comparing Targeted Interventions. International Positive Behavior Supports Conference, Tampa, FL (April, 2005)

Teaching Social Skills to Student with EBD. Washington State Counsel for Children with Behavior Disorders Conference, Tacoma, WA (April, 2004).

Making Data Based Decision using Curriculum Based Measures. Washington State Council for Children with Behavior Disorders Conference, Tacoma, WA (August, 2003).

Understanding and Conducting Functional Based Assessments. Washington State Council for Children with Behavior Disorders Conference, Tacoma, WA (February 2002).

Psychometric Properties of the Internal Restlessness Scale. Poster Presentation at National Association of School Psychologists Conference (June, 1997).

Constructs of the Internal Restlessness Scale. Poster Presentation at Washington State Association of School Psychology Spring Conference, SeaTac, WA (May, 1997).

Guest Lecturer: ADHD into Adulthood. Central Washington University Department of Psychology Tests and Measurements Graduate Course (spring, 1997).

SERVICE

Advisory Boards

2012 - Present	Guest Reviewer. Education and Treatment of Children and Journal of Positive Behavior Interventions
2010 - 2012	Board Member. Washington Council for Children with Behavior Disorders, WA.
2008 - 2010	Board Member. Washington Positive Behavior Intervention Support, WA (Merged with Oregon in 2010 to form the Northwest Positive Behavior Intervention Support Network).
2007 - 2009	Treasurer. Washington Council for Children with Behavior Disorders, WA.
2003 - 2004	President. Washington Council for Children with Behavior Disorders, WA.
2002 - 2003	President Elect. Washington Council for Children with Behavior Disorders, WA.

- 2001 - 2002 **Membership Chair.** Washington Council for Children with Behavior Disorders, WA.
- 1998 - 1999 **Professional Education Advisory Board,** Central Washington University Graduate Student Representative, Ellensburg, WA.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND HONORS

- National Youth to Work Coalition, Member
- The International Council for Exceptional Children, Member
- The Association of Positive Behavior Support, Member
- Positive Behavior Support Leadership Fellowship Recipient, University of Washington
- School-Wide Information System (SWIS) and School-wide PBIS Facilitator
- National Association of School Psychologist, Member
- Northwest Positive Behavior Interventions Support (NWPBIS) Network, Member
- Central Washington University Psychology Department Outstanding Research Award
- Central Washington University Psychology Department Award for Academic Excellence