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EDUCATION:

1985-1987 **University of Scranton, Scranton, PA**
M.S. Rehabilitation Counseling

1980-1984 **University of Scranton, Scranton, PA**
BS Criminal Justice

CAREER EXPERIENCE:

2004-Present **Director, Counselor Training Center**
University of Scranton, Scranton PA.

- Minimum 9 credit teaching load
- Co-ordinate and develop on and off site practicum projects for graduate students in Rehabilitation, School and Community Counseling programs.
- Provide orientation and training with respect to CTC policy and procedures
- Program development has included, Shoplifter diversion program for teens and young adults, Peacemaker program for middle school students, Academic and Social support program for college age persons, Counseling clinic for uninsured community residents.
- Develop and implement policy for CTC operations including video technology
- Participate in remediation plans to foster student development

1991-Present **Mental Health Counselor and Partner, Private Practice**
Scranton, PA.

- Provide individual and group counseling services to couples, individuals and families.
- Provide consultation and supervision services to area mental health providers.
- Provide in-service training and education for community and agency events.

2003-2004 **Faculty, Lecturer, Dept. of Counseling and Human Services**
University of Scranton, Scranton, PA.

- 21 credit workload
- New graduate level course preparation, Counseling Adolescents

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- Develop course syllabi
- Committee involvement: Disabilities conference, HIPPA compliance and Ally training program.

Leahy Community Health and Family Center, College of Professional Studies, Co-director.

University of Scranton, Scranton, PA.

- Administrative responsibilities.
- The Leahy Center provides services to underserved members of the Scranton community. Services provided are integrated into current curriculum and are provided by center staff, students, and faculty. The center promotes interdisciplinary collaboration.
- Developed and implemented a strengths based support group protocol for abused children and their caregivers, in collaboration with the Children's Advocacy Center.

1995-2003

Adjunct Faculty, Dept. of Counseling and Human Services

University of Scranton, Scranton, PA.

- Average 15 credits of instruction per calendar year.
- Developed graduate level courses in the areas of Family Violence and Sexual Assault.
- Additional graduate level courses include, Crisis Intervention and Practicum.
- Undergraduate courses include, Crisis Intervention, Group Dynamics, Counseling Theories, Humans Service Systems and Psychiatric Rehabilitation.

1998-2003

Certified Trainer

Pennsylvania Child Welfare Competency Based Training Board.

Administered by University of Pittsburgh, School of Social Work.

- Provide training to PA Child welfare workers and supervisors.
- Provide training to foster parents of special needs children.
- Training topic areas include, Professional burnout and responsibility, communication skills and relationship building strategies.

1987-1991

Sexual Assault Counselor and Domestic Violence Shelter Worker

Women's Resource Center, Scranton PA.

- Provide crisis intervention and supportive services in individual and group settings.
- Provide hotline, case management, court advocacy and on-call services.
- Provide agency training for volunteers.

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1986-1987

Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Human Resources/Counseling

University of Scranton, Scranton PA.

- Provided test development, administration and evaluation.
- Supervised undergraduate registration.
- Coordinated and assisted in special research assignments with faculty.

PUBLICATIONS:

Juracek, K., Barber, G. The Sociology of Diversity: Study Guide to Accompany *Cultural Diversity: A Primer for the Human Services 3rd ed.*(Diller). Penn Foster 2009.

Spirito-Dalgin, R., Bruch, L.A., & Barber, G.A. (2010). The Rehabilitation Counseling Practicum: A National Survey of Current Design and Implementation. *Rehabilitation Education 24*(1 &2), 75-84.

PRESENTATIONS:

Barber, G., (2012) *Arrests and Convictions: Ethical Implications for Service Delivery and Employment*. Pennsylvania Rehabilitation Association, April 2012.

Farrell, M., Barber, G., Buxton, B.,(2011) *Interprofessional Education as a Framework for Teaching Interpersonal Communication Skills*. American Psychiatric Nurse Association 25th Annual Conference. Anaheim, California October 19-22. Presentation accepted unable to attend.

Dalgin, R., Bruch, L. A., Barber, G., (2009) *Customer Driven Rehabilitation Curriculum: Where the rubber hits the road*. National Council on Rehabilitation Education, San Antonio, TX. February, 2009.

Spirito Dalgin, R., Bruch, L., & Barber, G. *The Bridge from theory to practice: Linking practicum to the CORE competencies*. 8th Annual NCRE Conference, San Antonio, TX. February, 2008.

Barber, G. “*Suicide: Myths, Risks and Interventions*.” Marworth Treatment Center, Waverly, PA. May 13, 2009 (3 hours).

Barber, G. “*Burnout: Process and Dynamics*.” MSW Student Association, Marywood University, Scranton, PA. 2004.

Barber, G. “*Understanding Diversity, Oppression, and Communication—A GLBT Perspective*.” Faculty/staff Ally Training, University of Scranton, Scranton PA. 2004. Also panel participant.

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Barber, G. "*Crisis Intervention: Promoting Strength and Resiliency.*" MSW Advanced Practice students, Marywood University, Lehigh Valley Campus, Center Valley, PA. 2004.

Barber, G. "*Cross Cultural Communication in Violence Intervention.*" Diversity Conference, University of Scranton, Scranton, PA. 2002.

Barber, G. "*Women, Violence and Recovery: Relevant issues in Sustaining Sobriety.*" In-patient and outpatient staff, Marworth Treatment Center, Waverly, PA. 2002.

Barber, G. "*Facilitating Empowerment in Recovery.*" In-patient and outpatient staff and community members, Marworth Treatment Center, Waverly, PA. 2001.

Barber, G. "*Burnout Prevention and Recognition.*" Student life and counseling center staff, Marywood University, Scranton, PA. 2000 (3 hours).

Barber, G. "*Feminist Perspective in Counseling.*" School of Social Work, Human Behavior I Course, Marywood University, Scranton, PA. 1998-2002 (2.5 hours).

Barber, G. "*Gay and Lesbian Oppression; Support and Counseling Issues.*" School of Social Work, Human Behavior I Course, Marywood University, Scranton, PA. 1998-2002 (2.5 hours).

Barber, G. "*Perspectives on Sexual and Domestic Violence towards Women.*" Counseling Girls and Women Course, University of Scranton, Scranton, PA. 1997-2002 (2.5 hours).

Barber, G. "*Values Clarification.*" Women's Resource Center, Scranton, PA. 1991-2001 (3 hours annually).

Barber, G. "*Communication/Counseling Skills.*" Women's Resource Center, Scranton, PA. 1991-2001 (3 hours).

Barber, G. "*Sexuality and Sexual Abuse Survivors.*" Marywood University, Scranton, PA. 1998.

Barber, G. "*Stalking.*" Women's Center, University of Scranton, Scranton, PA. 1998.

Barber, G. "*Valuing Self-Care*" Keynote Address. Women's Symposium and workshop "Building Healthy Relationships," Wayne Memorial Hospital, Honesdale, PA. 1998.

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Barber, G. "*Counseling Skill Development and Team Building for Agency Professional Staff.*" Women's Resource Center, Scranton, PA. 1997 (15 hours).

Barber, G. "*Build A City.*" Group experience workshop, Pennsylvania Counseling Association for Specialists in Group Work, University of Scranton, Scranton, PA. 1997 (1.5 hours).

Barber, G. "*Family Violence.*" Pennsylvania Counseling Association Annual Conference, Harrisburg, PA. 1996 (1.5 hours).

Barber, G. "*False Memory Controversy Round Table Discussion.*" Regional Counseling Conference, University of Scranton, Scranton, PA. 1995 (1.5 hours).

Barber, G. "*Counseling Adult Survivors of Sexual Abuse.*" Women's Resource Center, Scranton, PA. 1994 (24 hours- 4 times).

Barber, G. "*Adolescent Antics: Teens and Self Esteem.*" Parenting series, Northeast PA Intermediate Unit, Scranton, PA. 1992 (2 hours).

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP & RECOGNITION:

- Sursum Corda Award (February 2012), University of Scranton, Presented by the president for outstanding contribution to the life and mission of the University.
- Child Advocate Award presented by Children's Advocacy Center of Lackawanna County(2011)
- National Certified Counselor (NCC) 27602
 - Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC) Pennsylvania 001144
 - Certified Rehabilitation Counselor (CRC) Pennsylvania 00085422
- Pennsylvania Counseling Association, 2006 Outstanding Administrator
- Faculty Award for Outstanding Service to Adult Learners, University of Scranton,
- Dexter Hanley College, 2002
- American Counseling Association (ACA)
- Pennsylvania Rehabilitation Association (PRA)
- American Mental Health Counselors Association (AMHCA)
- President , Pennsylvania Association for Specialist in Group Work (1998-1999)
- International Society for the Study of Dissociation(past member)
- Alpha Phi Sigma, Criminal Justice Honor Society
- Pi Gamma Mu, Social Science Honor Society
- Chi Sigma Iota, Counseling Honor Society
- Celebration of Women Recognition, 1992, University of Scranton Alumnae Society

REFERENCES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST