

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Academic Rank

Assistant Professor, August 15, 2010.

Education

Ph.D. 1996 Child and Family Development, Marriage and Family Therapy Program,
University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia

M.Ed. 1990 Counseling and Human Development, University of Georgia.

B.S. 1985 Elementary Education, Springhill College, Mobile, Alabama.

Employment

2017 – present Assistant Professor, Department of Integrative Studies, USA College of Education and Professional Studies

Coordinator, USA Gulf Coast Campus

2013 – 2017 Associate Dean and Assistant Professor, School of Continuing Education and Special Programs, University of South Alabama, Mobile, Alabama.

2011 – 2013 Chair and Assistant Professor, Department of Interdisciplinary Studies, School of Continuing Education and Special Programs, University of South Alabama, Mobile, Alabama.

2010 – 2011 Assistant Professor and Coordinator of Interdisciplinary Degree Program, Department of Interdisciplinary Studies, School of Continuing Education and Special Programs, University of South Alabama, Mobile, Alabama.

2004 – 2010 Interdisciplinary Education Coordinator, Institute on Human Development and Disability (IHDD): A University Center of Excellence in Education, Research, and Service, University of Georgia (UGA), Athens, Georgia.

1998 - 2004 Program Development Coordinator, IHDD, UGA.

1996 - 1998 Coordinator of IHDD Doctoral Leadership in Early Intervention Project, US Department of Education, IHDD, UGA.

Employment (continued)

- 1991 – 1996** Graduate Research Assistant. IHDD, UGA.
1989 - 1991 Family Therapist, Catholic Services to Families, Honolulu, HI.
1987 - 1989 Counselor, Adolescent Psychiatric Unit, Charter Winds Hospital, Athens, Georgia.
1985 - 1987 Elementary School Teacher, Mobile County Public Schools, Mobile, Alabama.

USA Programs/Agreements Developed

Worked in partnership with the dean to develop:

- Bachelor of Science, Hospitality and Tourism Management (HTM). Approved by the Alabama Commission on Higher Education (ACHE), (2013).
- HTM Track in Interdisciplinary Studies, ACHE approved (2013).
- 2+2 Agreement with Faulkner State Community College, HTM (2014).
- 2+2 Agreement with Faulkner State Community College, Interdisciplinary Studies (2012).
- Reverse Transfer Agreement with Faulkner State Community College (2012).
- 2+2 Agreement with Alabama Southern Community College, Interdisciplinary Studies (2012).

USA Courses Developed or Re-designed

- IST 330 Analytical and Information Literacy (re-designed, 2018)
- IST 430 Senior Research Thesis (re-designed, 2016).
- HTM 215 Study Abroad in Hospitality and Tourism Management (*new*, 2015).
- AIS 380 Research Methods and Proposal Development (*re-designed*, 2013).
- IST 302 Introduction to Interdisciplinary Studies (*re-designed*, 2012).
- AIS 300 Foundations of Interdisciplinary Research (*re-designed*, 2012).
- AIS 350 Writing for Interdisciplinary Research (*re-designed*, 2012).
- AIS 101 Theories and Principles of Adult Learning (*re-designed*, 2011).
- IST 210 Introduction to Disability (*new course*, 2010).

USA Courses Taught

- IST 302 Introduction to Interdisciplinary Studies
- IST 496 Professional Studies: Internship I
- IST 498 Internship II: Capstone Experience
- AIS 201 Seasons of Life
- AIS 305 Issues in Human Services
- AIS 300 Foundations of Interdisciplinary Research
- AIS 350 Writing for Interdisciplinary Research (W)
- AIS 380 Research Methods and Thesis Development
- AIS 430/499 Senior Research Thesis/Honors Senior Research Thesis (W)
- IST 430 Senior Research Thesis
- IST 210 Introduction to Disability Studies
- IST 330 Analytical and Information Literacy

University of Georgia Courses Developed and Taught

IHDD 2001/6001	Introduction to Disability Issues
IHDD 4000/6000	Disability Issues Across the Lifespan
IHDD 4002/6002	Community-Based Support Services for Adults with Disabilities
IHDD 5970/7970	Interdisciplinary Collaboration in Disability Services
IHDD 5720/7720	Advocacy Practicum (Service Learning)
IHDD 3010/7010	Directed Study
IHDD 5710/7710	Study Abroad

University of Georgia Certificate Program

Designed and coordinated the Interdisciplinary Certificate Program in Disability Studies.

University of South Alabama Committees

Advising Policy Council (2016 – 2017)
Faculty Development Council (2011 – present).
University Assessment Advisory Committee (2016-present).
Undergraduate Curriculum Committee (2016-present).
Registrar Advisory Committee (2016-present).
Scholarship and Financial Aid Committee (2013 – present; chair, 2012).
Writing Committee (2013 – present).
Veterans Affairs Committee (2013-2017; chair, 2013-2016).
General Education Committee (2011 – present).
Online/Sakai Advisory Committee (2011 – present).
Common Read/Common World Book Selection Committee (2013 – 2016).
Advising Council (2010 – 2011).
Career Services Committee (2010 – 2011).

SCESP/SEPS Committees

CEPS Assessment Committee (2017 – present)
SCESP Curriculum Action Committee (2010 – 2012; chair, 2013 - 2017).
Academic Standards Committee (chair, 2013 – 2017).
Scholarship Committee (2014 - 2017).
Grant Development and Research Committee (2010 – 2017; chair, 2013).

USA and SCESP Search Committees

Director, Center for Continuing Education and Conference Services (Chair, 2018)
Coordinator, USA Office of Veterans Affairs (chair, 2015).
Chair, English Language Center (chair, 2014).
Faculty, Hospitality and Tourism Management (chair, 2014).

Chair, Developmental Studies (2014).
Faculty, English Language Center (2013).
Coordinator, English Language Center (chair, 2012).
Director, USA Baldwin County Campus (2011).

USA Service Activities

Employee Campaign for the South Alabama Annual Fund, Dean's Office Representative (2015).
Women's Leadership Council, United Way (2015-16).
United Way Campaign, SCESSP Representative (2011 – 2012, 2016).
Alabama Gulf Coast Heart Walk, SCESSP Representative (2013).

Community Service Activities

South Baldwin Chamber Foundation Board, Foley AI (2017).
Coastal Alabama Business Chamber (Gulf Shores/Orange Beach, 2016- present).
Education Committee, Business Development Committee
Volunteers of America, leadership development training, Mobile, AI (2010 – 2013).
L'Arche, best practice for community inclusion training, Mobile, AI (2011).
Georgia Options in Community Living, board member, Athens, GA (2007-2010).
People First of Georgia, state advisor to the board, Atlanta, GA (2005-2009).
Georgia Governor's Council on Development Disabilities, consultant (2003-2008).

Professional Organizations

American Association for Adult and Continuing Education
Council for Adult and Experiential Learning
Association for Interdisciplinary Studies

Publications

Manders, J. & Stoneman, Z. (2008). The impact of disability on child abuse investigations and case management. *Journal of Child Abuse and Neglect*. 33 (4), 229-237.
Stoneman, Z., & Manders, J. (2008). Family involvement in early childhood special education programs. In Fallen & Umansky (Eds.), *Young children with special needs*. Columbus, OH: Charles E. Merrill Publishing Company.
Malone, M. & Manders, J. (1997). A rationale for family therapy specialization in early intervention with children with developmental disabilities. *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy*, 23 (1), 65-79.

Program Evaluation Grants and Contracts

Manders, J. (2009). *Partnerships for Success Project Evaluation*, Georgia Department of Education, \$78,000.
Manders, J. & Stoneman, Z. (2010). *New Directions Project Program Evaluation*, Georgia Department of Human Resources, \$24,000.
Manders, J. (2008). *Behavioral Support Project: Needs Assessment and Program Evaluation*, Georgia

Department of Human Resources, \$65,000.

Manders, J. & Holley, B. (1999). *The Impact of Welfare Reform on People with Disabilities: A Report to the Governor*, Georgia Governor's Council on Developmental Disabilities, \$73,090.

Manders, J. (1997). *Systems Response to the Abuse of Children and Adults with Disabilities*, Georgia Governor's Council on Developmental Disabilities, \$20,000.

Training Grants and Contracts

Manders, J. (2002). *Judicial Training Project on the Americans with Disabilities Act*, US Department of Justice, \$230,000.

Manders, J. & Spratz, C. (2003). *The Georgia Safe and Able Lives Domestic Violence Project*, US Department of Justice, \$260,000.

Manders, J., and Ford, K. (2001). *Everyone Can Serve Project*, Corporation for National Service, \$417,000.

Manders, J. (2009). *Disability-Related Customer Service Training for State Employees*, State ADA Coordinator's Office, Georgia State Financing Information Commission, \$22,000.

Manders, J. and Cassidy, P. (2010). *Community-Based Services Training for Direct Support Professionals*, Georgia Department of Human Resources, \$85,000.

Manders, J. (2008) *Individual Preference Assessment Project*, Georgia Department of Human Resources, Office of Developmental Disabilities. \$130,000.

Manders, J. & O'Looney, G. (2005). *Better Futures for All*, International Development Grant, UGA Office of the Vice President for Public Service and Outreach. \$5,000.

Manders, J. (2002). *The Maltreatment of children with disabilities: Steps to effective investigation and prosecution*, Children's Justice Act, Georgia Advisory Committee, \$111,280.

Manders, J., Tuttle, R. (2001). *Georgia Voices That Count*, Georgia Governor's Council on Developmental Disabilities, \$150,000.

Manders, J. & Duncan, N. (2001). *Georgia Women's Safety Project*, MS Foundation, \$20,000.

Manders, J., and Rugg, M. (1998). *The ADA and Child Care*. Georgia Child Care Council, \$71,707.

Manders, J. (1997). *Possibilities in Community Living*, Georgia Governor's Council on Developmental Disabilities, \$72,000.

Research Grants and Contracts

Manders, J., and Nowlin, B. (2011). *From Soldier to Scholar: Needs Assessment of Student Veterans at The University of South Alabama*. USA Faculty Development Grant, USA Faculty Development Council, \$2,600.

Community-Based Training Curricula

Manders, J. & Rackensperger, T. (2010). *The Americans with Disabilities Act and Inclusive Recreation*.

Funded by the Douglas County Parks and Recreation Department, designed to train county employees on respectful interaction with people with disabilities and ADA requirements.

Cassidy, P. & Manders, J. (2009). *Community Guide Certificate Program*. Funded by the Georgia Department of Human Resources, designed to train individuals to provide Community Guide services for individuals with disabilities receiving the Medicaid Waiver.

- Manders, J. and Galifianakis, M. (2006). *Safe and Able Lives Judicial Training Curriculum*. Funded by the US Department of Justice, this curriculum is designed for judges in all classes of courts to better understand issues related to violence against individuals with disabilities. Developed in collaboration with the Institute for Continuing Judicial Education.
- Manders, J. and Spraez, K. (2006). *Safe and Able Lives Domestic Violence Curriculum*. Funded by the US Department of Justice, this curriculum is designed to increase the capacity of domestic violence service providers to support adults with disabilities who have survived domestic violence
- Manders, J. (2001). *Voices That Count*. Funded by Georgia Governor's Council on Developmental Disabilities, this curriculum is designed to increase the capacity of men and women with disabilities to effectively advocate for their civil rights.
- Manders, J. and Ford, K. (2002). *Everyone Can Serve!* Funded by the Corporation for National Service, this curriculum is designed to assist National Service personnel to support the participation of men and women with intellectual disabilities in national service programs such as AmeriCorps and VISTA.
- Manders, J. (2003). *The Maltreatment of Children with Disabilities: Working Together for Effective Prevention and Intervention*. Funded by the Children's Justice Act Advisory Committee, this curriculum is designed to increase communication and collaboration between service delivery systems on the issue of the maltreatment of children with disabilities.
- Manders, J. (1998). *The ADA and Childcare: Training for the successful inclusion of young children with disabilities in early childhood care and education*. Funded by the Georgia Child Care Council.
- Manders, J. (1998). *Staying Safe: Protecting Ourselves and Others*. Curriculum designed to help men and women with intellectual disabilities recognize, prevent, and escape violence and abuse.
- Manders, J. (1997). *Possibilities in Community Living*. Funded by Georgia Governor's Council on Developmental Disabilities, this curriculum is designed to educate people with disabilities, family members, advocates, and professionals on accessing resources for living in the community rather than in institutions.

National and International Conference Presentations

- Manders, J. & Cassidy, P. (2009) *Self direction and Georgia's Medicaid waivers*. Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the American Association on Intellectual Disabilities, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Manders, J. & Rackensperger, T. (2009). *Disability is diversity: Building respectful partnerships with people with disabilities*. Paper presented at the 11th Annual National Outreach Scholarship Conference, Athens, GA.
- Manders, J. (2009). *Partnerships for Success Evaluation Project*, Paper presented at the Association of University Centers OF Excellence on Disability Education, Research, and Service, Washington, DC.
- Kalivoda, T., Wilder, S., Alexander, A., Manders, J., Bivens, D., Cassidy, P., Gibson, S., Galen, B. (2007). Invited presenters. *Building faculty and staff capacity for access and engagement*. Invited presenter. National Outreach Scholarship Conference, Madison, WI.
- Manders, J. (2007). *Including people with disabilities in university outreach efforts*. Invited presenter, National Outreach Scholarship Conference, Madison, WI.

National and International Conference Presentations (continued)

- Manders, J., & Jamieson, S. (2002). *Next steps in Olmstead implementation*. Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the American Association on Mental Retardation, Orlando, FL.
- Manders, J. (2004). Maltreatment of people with disabilities: Rates and methods of effective intervention. Paper presented at the 12th International Association for the Scientific Study of Intellectual Disabilities World Congress. Montpellier, France.
- Manders, J. (2002) *Prevention and intervention in the abuse of children and adults with disabilities*. Invited Participant, SUNY Conference on The Maltreatment of Individuals with Disabilities, Washington, DC.
- Manders, J. (2001). *Prevention of the abuse of children with disabilities*. Annual Conference of the American Association of Centers for Excellence, Washington, DC.
- Brent, B., Hylton, J., Manders, J., Mayfield-Smith, K., Robinson, C., & Steinberg, M. (1996). *Models of collaboration between UAP's and Child Protection Agencies concerning developmental disabilities and abuse and neglect*. Paper presented at the Leadership for a strong future: Annual Meeting of the American Association of University Centers of Excellence, Washington, DC.
- Manders, J. & Stoneman Z. (1999). *The impact of disability on child abuse investigations and case management*. Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the American Association on Mental Retardation, New York.
- Manders, J., & Malone, M. (1996). *Family therapy and early intervention: New roles for clinicians and researchers*. Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the American Association on Marriage and Family Therapy, Baltimore, Maryland.

State and Local Presentations

- Manders, J. & Galifianakis, M. (2005). *Application of the ADA for Survivors of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault: Understanding the victims*. Institute for Continuing Judicial Education, Judicial Certification Course, Peachtree City, GA.
- Manders, J. (2005). *Preventing the sexual assault of people with disabilities*. Annual Conference of the Georgia Network to End Sexual Assault, Atlanta, GA.
- Manders, J. (2005). *Successful interdisciplinary collaborations to effectively intervene in the abuse of children with disabilities*. Prevent Child Abuse Georgia, Atlanta, GA.
- Manders, J. (2004). *Increasing the capacity of crisis programs to serve women with disabilities*. Hear Our Voices: Annual Georgia Coalition Against Domestic Violence Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- Manders, J. & Galifianakis, M. (2003). *Application of the ADA for survivors of domestic violence*. Sponsored by the Institute for Continuing Judicial Education, UGA, Young Harris, GA.
- Manders, J. (2002). *Violence against women with disabilities: Resources for effective intervention*. GA Coalition Against Domestic Violence, Atlanta, GA.
- Manders, J. (2001). *Staying safe: Protecting ourselves and each other*. Sixth Annual People First of Georgia Conference, Jekyll Island, GA.

Manders, J. & Dubin, M. (2000). *Application of the ADA to violence against women with disabilities*. Sponsored by the Georgia State Americans with Disabilities Coordinator's Office, Atlanta, GA.

State and Local Presentations (continued)

Manders, J. (2001). *The impact of disability on child abuse investigation and case management*. Paper presented at the University Systems of Georgia Research Symposium, Augusta, Georgia.

Manders, J., Hoge, G., & Ford, C. (1999). Planning futures for people with autism. Paper presented at the Autism: Shaping the Future Today: A Conference for Parents and Professionals. Sponsored by Emory Autism Resource Center, Decatur, Georgia.

Manders, J., Mayfield-Smith, K., Brownlee, S., & Reeve, J. (1997). *Interagency collaboration to prevent the abuse of children with disabilities*. Presentation at the Changing the Future of Human Services Through Building Effective Partnerships Conference, sponsored by Region IV, Administration for Children and Families, Atlanta, GA.

Manders, J. (1995). *Parent-professional collaboration in family-focused early intervention*. Presentation at the Tenth Annual Kiwanis/Georgia Pines State-Wide Parent Conference, Athens, GA