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**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**EDUCATION**

Doctorate in Social Work (DSW) St. Catherine University and University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN Dissertation: <i>Innovations in Assessing Practice Skills: Using Social Cognitive Theory, Technology, and Self-Reflection</i>	2017
Certificate in Multi-Ethnic Practice School of Social Work, University of Washington, Seattle, WA	2001
Certificate in Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy Northwest Alliance for Psychoanalytic Study. Training: Psychoanalytic Theory & Practice	

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**ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE**

**Clinical Professor and BSW Program Director**  
Seattle University, Seattle, WA

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health issues, school-based mental health. Provide supervision for independent clinical social work

## **SCHOLARSHIP**

Brennan, M.K. (2009). *Clergy Sex Abuse Scandals* in Encyclopedia of Gender and Society. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications, Inc. pp. 141-144

Brennan, M.K. (2009). *Incest* in Encyclopedia of Gender and Society. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications, Inc. pp. 455-457

## **GRANTS AND AWARDS**

College of Arts & Sciences Faculty Research Fellowsh

**M**

- Spiritual Exercise in Every Day Life*. Co-presented with Natch Ohno, S.J at the Ignatian Silent Retreat for Faculty & Staff on November 11-13, 2011.
- “Foster Youth / Foster Care”. Co-Presented at Seattle University Youth Initiative Campus and Community Conference. May 8, 2010
- “Seattle University as Catholic and Jesuit: Exploring the Tensions”. Presented at the invitation of the Office of Mission & Identity at Colleagues on October 15, 2008.
- “Our Mission Together: Reflections on Collaboration with Laity - Gifts, Promise, and Challenges”. Presented at the Jesuit Oregon Province Days, on June 20, 2008.
- “Reflections on the Jesuit and Catholic Mission at Seattle University”, panelist at the New Faculty Institute convened by Dr. Michael Andrews on April 11, 2008.
- “Professional Ethics” workshop given during the New Priests Program: Administrative Year training at the invitation of the Catholic Archdiocese of Seattle on April 2, 2008
- “Professional Ethics: Creating Safe Environments in Parishes”. Presented at the Archdiocese of Seattle, New Priest Program. Seattle, WA. May, 2007.
- “Reflections on the Jesuit and Catholic Mission at Seattle University”. Member of a panel at the New Faculty Institute at Seattle University. February 2007.
- “Professional Ethics: Sexual Abuse and Exploitation”. Presented with O. Manaois at the Archdiocese of Seattle, New Priest Program. Seattle, WA. January 2006.
- “At Risk Teens and Successful Interventions”. Bellevue, WA. Archdiocese Youth Convention, November 4, 2006.
- “A Personal Reflection of Racism and White Privilege”. Presented at Seattle University Mission and Ministry: Colleagues. November 2005.
- “Adolescent Suicide: Prevention & and Intervention”. Bellevue. Archdiocese Youth Convention, November 2005.
- “Understanding the Dynamics of Sexual Abuse”, and the “Impact of Priest Perpetrated Sexual Abuse for Individuals and Parish Communities”. Presented as part of the Regional Deanery Leadership Gatherings, Catholic Archdiocese of Seattle, September 2002 – November 2003.
- “Self Care and Criminal Justice Ministry: Understanding the Concept of Secondary Trauma”. Presented at the Criminal Justice Ministry Day, Catholic Archdiocese of Seattle. October 2003.
- “Ethical Dilemmas in the Field: Opportunities for Education” Practicum Instructors training, Social Work Program, Seattle University, February 2003.
- Presented to community on various topics related to divorce offered through Divorce Lifeline:
- "Impact of Divorce on Children", September 1988 and January 1991.
  - "Impact of Divorce on the Preschool Aged Child", July 1989 and October 1989.
  - "Preschool Children and Divorce", January 1991. Co-led group experience for preschool children.
  - "Single Parenting and the Holidays", November 1988 and November 1990.

## **ACADEMIC AND COMMUNIT SERVICE**

### Social Work Program

Chair of BSW program re-accreditation process by Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) Commission on Accreditation (COA) and primary author of Self Study. Accreditation was granted February 2017 for eight years.

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Member, TT Assistant Professor MSW Program Search Committees, Fall 2015 (successful), Fall 2016 (successful).

Chair of TT Associate Professor / MSW Director Search Committee, Spring 2015. (successful)

**M K B ,**



Working with African American Children. 5/00

University of Washington School of Social Work Continuing Education. Certificate in Multi-Ethnic Practice.

Skills for Serving Latino Clients: Working with Children. 2/00

Consejo. University of Washington School of Social Work Continuing Education, Certificate in Multi Ethnic Practice.

Barriers or Bridges? Communicating Effectively through an Interpreter. 12/99

University of Washington School of Social Work Continuing Education. Certificate in Multi-Ethnic Practice.

Conducting a Culturally Competent Assessment. 11/99

University of Washington School of Social Work Continuing Education.