

KEVIN L. SAUER, PhD, RD, LD

Education

Kansas State University	B.S. Dietetics	1993
Kansas State University	M.S. Foodservice/Hospitality Management & Administrative Dietetics	1998
Kansas State University	Ph.D. Human Ecology	2009

Academic Experience

Kansas State University

Department of Hospitality Management and Dietetics

Instructor, 2004 - 2009

Assistant Professor, 2009 - present

Management in Dietetics HMD 560 (Campus and Distance)

Management Dietetics Practicum HMD 561 (Campus and Distance)

Management in Dietetics Practicum Recitation HMD 562

Financial Management in Dietetics HMD 426 (Campus and Distance)

Lab Instructor, Science of Food HN 413

Cost Controls in Hospitality and Foodservice Operations HRIMD 422

Academic advising – 65 dietetics students per semester

Leadership Team Member, 2011 – present

Center of Excellence for Food Safety Research in Child Nutrition Programs

Kansas Department of Education

Department of Child Nutrition and Wellness

Trainer for Child Nutrition Academy, summer terms, 2005 – present

Industry Experience

Healthcare - Food and Nutrition Services, 1998 - 2004

Director, Food and Nutrition, Aramark, Healthcare Management Services

Assist. Dir., Food and Nutrition, Aramark, Healthcare Management Services

Director, Nutrition Services, St. Luke's Health System, KC, MO

Operations Manager, Nutrition Services, St. Luke's Health System, KC, MO

College and University Foodservice, 1995 - 1998

Assistant Unit Director, K-State Housing and Dining Services, Manhattan, KS

School Foodservice & Business and Industry Dining, 1993 - 1995

Manager, School Foodservice and Childcare, Wichita Canteen Company

Relief Manager, Business/Industry Dining and Catering, Wichita Canteen

Abstracts and Papers

Sauer, K., Ward, B., Rogers, D. Meuller, C., Touger-Decker, R., Fontenot-Molaison, E. (in press). The 2010 Commission on Dietetic Registration Entry-Level Dietetics Practice Audit: Distinguishing between Educational Attributes. *Journal of the American Dietetic Association*.

Ward, B., Rogers, D., Meuller, C., Touger-Decker, R., **Sauer, K.**, Schmidt, D. (in press). Distinguishing Entry-Level RD and DTR Practice: Results from the 2010 Commission on Dietetic Registration Entry-Level Dietetics Practice Audit. *Journal of the American Dietetic Association*.

Meuller, C., Touger-Decker, R., **Sauer, K.**, Rogers, D., Ward, B. (2011). Entry-Level Dietetics Practice Today: Results from the 2010 Commission on Dietetic Registration Entry-Level Dietetics Practice Audit. *Journal of the American Dietetic Association*. 111(6), 914-941.

Sauer, K.L., Canter, D.D., Shanklin, C.W. (2010). Job Satisfaction of Dietitians with Management Responsibilities: An Exploratory Study Supporting ADA's Research Priorities. *Journal of the American Dietetic Association*, 110(10), 1432-1440.

Sauer, K.L., Canter, D.D., Shanklin, C.W. (2010). Job and Career Satisfaction: An Exploratory Study of Dietitians with and without Management Responsibilities. *Journal of the American Dietetic Association*, 110(9), A-83.

Kwon, J., **Sauer, K.L.**, Canter, D.D., Liu, P. (2010). Room Service Implementation in U.S. Hospitals: Application of the Theory of Planned Behavior. *Journal of the American Dietetic Association*, 110(9), A-70.

Kwon, J., Canter, D.D., **Sauer, K.L.**, Liu, P. (2010). Healthcare Foodservice Directors' Attitudes Toward Implementation of Room Service System. *Journal of the American Dietetic Association*, 110(9), A-71.

Roberts, K.R., **Sauer, K.L.**, Choi, J.W. (2010). *Food Safety Practices in Continuing Care Retirement Community Foodservice Operations in Kansas*. Kansas State University, Kansas Research Forum.

Sauer, K.L., Canter, D.D., Shanklin, C.W. (2010). *Key Factors in Professional Practice: Attitudes of Management and Non-Management Dietitians*, Kansas Dietetic Association Annual Conference, Manhattan, KS.

Sauer, K.L., Shanklin, C.W., Canter, D.D., & Angel, K. (2007). Development of a proposed methodology for assessing career development of registered dietitians. *Journal of the American Dietetic Association*, 107(8), A-15.

Barrett B, Penner K, Blakeslee K, **Sauer K.** (1998). *Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point Training for Foodservice Operators in Kansas*. *Dairy, Food and Environmental Sanitation*, 18(4), 206-211.

Sauer K., Shanklin C., Barrett B. (1997). *Food Safety Knowledge and HACCP Practices in Healthcare Foodservice Operations*. Proceedings from the Council on Hotel, Restaurant and Institutional Education (CHRIE) Annual Conference.

Technical Reports

Shanklin C.W., **Sauer K.L.**, Canter D.D., Angell K, Chiang S. (2006). *Final Report: Development of a Proposed Methodology for Assessing Career Development of Dietetics Professionals.*

Funding

Sauer, K. L., Lee, Y. M., & Kwon, J. (2011). Current practices and school foodservice directors' knowledge and attitudes about food allergy training. American Dietetic Association Foundation, Allene Vaden Memorial Grant for Foodservice Management Research. \$5,000 (Funded).

Kwon, K. & **Sauer, K.L.** (2011) Advancing food allergy education for hospitality management and/or dietetics students using storytelling. United States Department of Agriculture, Higher Education Challenge Grant. \$140,168 (Funded).

Roberts, K.R., **Sauer, K.L.**, Shanklin, C.W., Kwon, J. (2011). *Center of Excellence for Food Safety Research in Child Nutrition Programs.* USDA – FNS. \$1.6M (Funded).

Kwon, J., Ryu, D., Todd, E., **Sauer, K.** (2010). *Assessment and Reduction of Produce Food Safety Risks in the School Foodservice System.* USDA – CSREES Food Safety Initiative Program. \$600,000 (Funded).

Washburn, S.G., Roberts, K.R., **Sauer, K.L.**, Featherstone, A.M. (2010). *Incorporation of Global Perspectives into Curriculum and Campus Programs, Fayoum University, Egypt.* KSU Office of International Programs, International Incentive Grant. \$3,600 (Funded).

Roberts, K.R., Kwon, J., **Sauer, K.L.** (2010). *Exploring and Improving the Food Safety Practices in Asian and Hispanic Restaurants Using the Theory of Planned Behavior.* USDA – CSREES Food Safety Initiative Program. \$599,979 (Not Funded)

Roberts, K.R., **Sauer, K.L.** (2009). *An Exploration of Food Safety Barriers in the Continuing Care Retirement Community Environment.* KSU Faculty Development Award and Small Research Grant. (\$4,000) (Funded).

Roberts, K.R., Kwon, J., **Sauer, K.L.**, Ellis, J. (2009). *Exploring and Improving Food Safety Training in Ethnic Restaurants.* USDA – CSREES Food Safety Initiative Program. \$599,396 (Not Funded)

Canter, D., Roberts, K.R., **Sauer, K. L.**, Schrader, M., Barrett, B. (2006). *A Food Safety Social Marketing Campaign for Young Adults at Kansas State University.* Rutgers University (in partnership with USDA – CSREES Food Safety Initiative Program). \$5,000 (Funded).

Shanklin, C.W., **Sauer, K.L.**, Canter, D.D. (2005). *The Development of a Proposed Methodology for Assessing Career Development of Dietetics Professionals.* The American Dietetic Association. Funding: \$10,000.

Sauer, K.L., Barrett, B. (1997). *Development of a Computer-Based HACCP Plan for Foodservice Operators.* Foodservice Systems Management Education Council (FSMEC). Funding: \$1,000.

Presentations and Workshops

Sauer, K. (2011). *Perspectives in Management in Dietetics Practice*. Western Kansas Dietetic Association (WKDA) conference, invited speaker.

Sauer, K. (2011). *Creative Strategies for Teaching Financial Management in Dietetics*. Food Service Systems Management Education Council (FSMEC) Bi-Annual National Conference, Oxford, MS, invited speaker.

Sauer, K. (2011). *Adviser Panel*. Kansas State University Department of Housing and Dining Professional Development Workshop, invited panelist.

Sauer, K. & Schwartz, R. (2009). *Distance Education, R U Ready?* Kansas Department of Education, Child Nutrition and Wellness Program, invited speaker.

Sauer, K. (2008). *Mentoring Students: Everyday Opportunities*. Kansas State University College of Human Ecology Fall Forum, invited panelist.

Sauer, K. (2006, 2007). *Advice for New Graduate Students and GTAs* Kansas State University Graduate School Orientation, invited panelist.

Sauer, K. & Roberts, K. (2006). *Techniques for Lecturing*. Kansas State University Graduate School Orientation for Graduate Students with Teaching Responsibilities, invited speaker.

Sauer, K. & Roberts, K. (2005). *Managing Food/Labor Costs: Ideas for the Classroom & That Looks Like Roadkill! How to Objectively Evaluate Food Quality*. 1st Annual Summer Institute in Hospitality Management, Kansas State University.

Sauer, K. (2005). *Basic Food Costing and Forecasting for Food Production Personnel*". North Central KS – Flint Hills Area on Aging, invited speaker.

Sauer, K. (2005). *Practical Cents: Financial Management Instructional Strategies. Extreme Financial Makeover: The Dietitian Edition*. FSMEC 23rd Biennial Meeting, invited panelist.

Sauer, K. (1998). *Advanced Issues, Updates and Resources at The HACCP Café*. The New Mexico State Dietetic Association Annual Fall Conference, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Sauer, K., Penner, K., Boyle, L. (1998). *Tech Zone: Resources for Educating the Public and Employees About Food Safety*. The American Dietetic Association (ADA) National Conference.

University Service

Co-Chair, Hospitality Management & Dietetics Dept. Head Search Committee, 2010 - 2011

Mentor, Guide to Personal Success (GPS) Retention Program for KSU freshmen, 2009 - present

Chair, College of Human Ecology Faculty Affairs Committee, 2009 - 2011

College of Human Ecology Faculty Affairs Committee, 2005 - 2009

Faculty Member – K-State “Learning Communities” Pilot Program, 2005

Dietetics Curriculum Committee, 2004 - present

HMD Faculty Search Committees, 2004, 2005

K-State College of Human Ecology Alumni Board, 1999 – 2003

President, K-State College of Human Ecology Alumni Board, 2001-2002

Professional Associations and Service

Chair, Commission on Dietetic Registration (CDR) Exam Panel, 2011 – present
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Editor/Website Coordinator, Foodservice Systems Management Education Council, 2011 - present
Assistant Newsletter Editor, Foodservice Systems Management Education Council, 2007- 2011
Co-editor, Journal of Foodservice Management and Education, 2009 - present
USD 383 School Wellness Committee, 2010 - present
Commission on Dietetic Registration, Dietetic Practice Audit, 2009 - 2011
Commission on Dietetic Registration, RD Exam Writing Workshop, 2006
Commission on Dietetic Registration, RD Exam Passing Scores Study, 2006
Commission on Dietetic Registration, RD Exam Item Review, 2008
Commission on Dietetic Registration, RD Exam Pool Review, 2008
Kansas Dietetic Licensure Task Force Committee, 2007
Member, American Dietetic Association
Member, Kansas Dietetic Association
Member, Dietetic Educators Practice Group
Member, School Nutrition Services Dietetic Practice Group
Member, Foodservice Systems Management Education Council
Member, School Nutrition Association

Honors and Awards

2010 Mary Ruth Bedford Distinguished Faculty Award
2009 KSU Mortar Board Outstanding Faculty and Staff Award, College of Human Ecology
2008 Myrna Jean Adee Scholarship
2008 Myers-Alford Excellence in Teaching Award, College of Human Ecology
2008, 2010, 2011 Presidential Award for Undergraduate Academic Advising, Nominated
2007 The Joan Coleman Graduate Fellowship
2007 K-State Housing and Dining Services – Professor of the Year Nominee
2006 Kappa Omicron Nu, National Honor Society for Human Sciences
2000 Healthcare Food Management (HFM), Spotlight on Innovation Award
2000 K-State College of Human Ecology, Young Professional Award
1995 Rose Straka, Levelle Wood Scholarships
1993 K-State College of Human Ecology, Outstanding Graduating Senior Award