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EDUCATION

- 2017 **Ph.D., Human Development and Family Science**
Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
Graduate Certificate: Measurement & Statistics
- 2012 **B.S. (Hons), Legal Studies**
University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL
Specializations: Litigation & Advocacy; Criminal Law & Individual Liberties
Certificate: Behavioral Forensics
Minor: Sociology

CERTIFICATIONS

- 2017 - Present Certified Family Life Educator (*Provisional*)
Certification #: 1175924

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

- 2017 - Present **Assistant Professor**
School of Family Studies and Human Services
Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS
- 2015 - 2017 **Research Associate**
Institute of Family Violence Studies
Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
- 2013 - 2015 **Graduate Research Assistant**
Department of Family & Child Sciences
Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
- 2011 - 2012 **Research Assistant**
Anxiety Disorders Clinic
University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL
- 2008 - 2012 **Research Assistant**
Department of Criminal Justice
University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Instructor of Record**
School of Family Studies and Human Services, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS
- Spring 2018 *FSHS 575: Research Practicum*
- Spring 2018 *HDFS 375: Introduction to Research Methods in Human Dev. & Family Science*
- Spring 2018 *HDFS 375: Introduction to Research Methods in Human Dev. & Family Science (Online)*
- Fall 2017 *HDFS 375: Introduction to Research Methods in Human Dev. & Family Science*

TEACHING EXPERIENCE (Continued)

Instructor of Record (Continued)

- Spring 2017 Department of Family & Child Sciences, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
FAD 2230: Family Relationships: A Lifespan Development Approach
Fall 2016 FAD 2230: Family Relationships: A Lifespan Development Approach
Summer 2016 FAD 2230: Family Relationships: A Lifespan Development Approach (Online)
Spring 2016 FAD 2230: Family Relationships: A Lifespan Development Approach

Course Developer

- College of Social & Behavioral Science, Wilmington University, New Castle, DE
Spring 2017 *AFM 6650: Family Resource Management (Online)

Guest Lecturer

- School of Family Studies and Human Services, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS
Fall 2017 *FSHS 808: Topics in Applied Family Science – The Process of Divorce
Fall 2017 *FSHS 852: Family Theories

- Department of Family & Child Sciences, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
Spring 2016 FAD 4455: Family Life Education

Graduate Teaching Assistant

- Department of Family & Child Sciences, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
Summer 2017 CHD 3243: Contexts of Adolescent Development (Online)
Summer 2013 FAD 2230: Family Relationships: A Lifespan Development Approach (Online)
Spring 2013 FAD 4265: Family Diversity (Online)
Fall 2012 FAD 2230: Family Relationships: A Lifespan Development Approach

*Denotes graduate-level course.

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed Journal Articles

- Duncan, J. M., Withers, M. C., Lucier-Greer, M., **Ferraro, A. J.**, & Reed-Fitzke, K. (in press). Leisure, relatedness, and depression in emerging adults. *Leisure Studies*.
- Petren, R. E., **Ferraro, A. J.**, Davis, T. R., & Pasley, K. (2017). Correlates of coparenting support and conflict following divorce. *Journal of Divorce & Remarriage*, 58, 145-160. doi: 10.1080/10502556.2017.1300013
- Ferraro, A. J.**, Davis, T. R., Petren, R. E., & Pasley, K. (2016). Post-divorce parenting: A study of recently divorced mothers and fathers. *Journal of Divorce & Remarriage*, 57, 485-503. doi:10.1080/10502556.2016.1220302
- Ferraro, A. J.**, Malespin, T., Oehme, K., Bruker, M., & Opel, A. (2016). Advancing co-parenting education: Toward a foundation for supporting positive post-divorce adjustment. *Child & Adolescent Social Work Journal*, 33, 407-415. doi:10.1007/s10560-016-0440-x
- Oehme, K., **Ferraro, A. J.**, Stern, N., Panisch, L. S., & Lucier-Greer, M. (2016). Trauma-informed co-parenting: How a shift in compulsory divorce education to reflect new brain development research can promote both parents' and children's' best interest. *University of Hawai'i Law Review*, 39, 37-73.

Refereed Journal Articles (Continued)

- Reed, K., Duncan, J., Lucier-Greer, M., Fixelle, C., & **Ferraro, A. J.** (2016). Helicopter parenting and emerging adult self-efficacy: Implications for mental and physical health. *Journal of Child and Family Studies*, 25, 3136-3149. doi:10.1007/s10826-016-0466-x
- Walker O'Neal, C., Lucier-Greer, M., Mancini, J. A., **Ferraro, A. J.**, & Ross, D. B. (2016). Family relational health, psychological resources, and health behaviors: A dyadic study of military couples. *Military Medicine*, 181, 152-160. doi:10.7205/MILMED-D-14-00740
- Reed, K., **Ferraro, A. J.**, Lucier-Greer, M., & Barber, C. (2015). Adverse family influences on emerging adult depressive symptoms: A stress process approach to identifying intervention points. *Journal of Child and Family Studies*, 24, 2710-2720. doi:10.1007/s10826-014-0073-7

Invited Publications

- Ferraro, A. J.**, Duncan, J. M., Davis, T. R., Reed, K. (2015). Blended families: Here and now. *CFLE Network*, 27(2), 21-23.
- Ferraro, A. J.** (2016). Binuclear families. In C. Shehan (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Family Studies* (pp. 1-4). Hoboken, NJ: Wiley-Blackwell.
- Oehme, K., & **Ferraro, A. J.** (2016). Successful co-parenting after a divorce: FSU's new research and service project. *FLAFCC Newsletter*, 13(3), 2-3.
- Ferraro, A. J.**, Duncan, J. M., Davis, T. R., Reed, K. (2015). Blended families: Here and now. *CFLE Network*, 27(2), 21-23.
- Ferraro, A. J.** (2014). "Best Interests of the Child" doctrine. In L. Ganong, M. Coleman & Golson, J. G. (Eds.), *Social History of American Families* (Vol. 1, pp. 107-109). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.
- Ferraro, A. J.** (2014). Child custody. In L. Ganong, M. Coleman & Golson, J. G. (Eds.), *Social History of American Families* (Vol. 1, pp. 186-188). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.
- Ferraro, A. J.** (2014). Demographic changes: Divorce rates. In L. Ganong, M. Coleman & Golson, J. G. (Eds.), *Social History of American Families* (Vol. 1, pp. 341-344). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.
- Ferraro, A. J.** & Pasley, K. (2014). Divorce and separation. In L. Ganong, M. Coleman & Golson, J. G. (Eds.), *Social History of American Families* (Vol. 1, pp. 368-372). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

Journal Articles Currently in Revision

- Ferraro, A. J.**, Lucier-Greer, M., & Oehme, K. (revise and resubmit). *Psychometric evaluation of the Multidimensional Co-parenting Scale for Dissolved Relationships*. Manuscript being revised for publication.
- Ferraro, A. J.**, Petren, R. E., & Pasley, K. (revise and resubmit). *Interparental interactions after divorce and parental wellbeing*. Manuscript being revised for publication.

PUBLICATIONS (Continued)

Submitted Manuscripts

- Duncan, J. M., Lucier-Greer, M., **Ferraro, A. J.**, & Reed-Fitzke, K. (under review). *Emerging adult depression and task overload: The role of social support*. Manuscript submitted for publication.
- Ferraro, A. J.**, Lucier-Greer, M., Oehme, K., & †Dalton, H. (under review). Reconsidering physical custody: Examining measurement equivalence across dimensions of post-divorce co-parenting. Manuscript submitted for publication.
- Ferraro, A. J.**, Lucier-Greer, M., Withers, M. C., Reed, K., & Duncan, J. M. (under review). *Family relationship dynamics on depression trajectories of emerging adults: A profile analysis*. Manuscript submitted for publication.
- Oehme, K., **Ferraro, A. J.**, Bruker, M., Alpan, L., & Opel, A. (under review). *The impact of training videos on attitudes toward co-parenting after divorce*. Manuscript submitted for publication.
- Reed-Fitzke, K., Withers, M. C., **Ferraro, A. J.**, Lucier-Greer, M., & Duncan, J. M. (under review). *The role of the family: A growth curve analysis of self-esteem and depression throughout emerging adulthood*. Manuscript submitted for publication.

PRESENTATIONS

- Duncan, J. M., & **Ferraro, A. J.** (2017, November). *Leisure and the transition to long-term care: Implications for health*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Orlando, FL.
- Ferraro, A. J.**, Lucier-Greer, M., & Oehme, K. (2017, November). *Competing models of co-parenting post-divorce: A stress process approach*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Orlando, FL.
- ***Ferraro, A. J.**, Oehme, K., & Lucier-Greer, M. (2017, November). *Co-parenting after divorce: Perceived competence as a coping mechanism*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Orlando, FL.
- Howard, S., Fitzke-Reed, K., **Ferraro, A. J.**, & Lucier-Greer, M. (2017, November). *Linking psychological needs with individual well-being: The case for FOMO*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Orlando, FL.
- Petren, R. E., **Ferraro, A. J.**, Anthony, M. V., & Pasley, K. (2017, November). *Parents' perceptions of post-divorce coparenting and father involvement*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Orlando, FL.
- ****Ferraro, A. J.**, Lucier-Greer, M., & Oehme, K. (2016, November). *Psychometric evaluation of the Multidimensional Co-parenting Scale for Dissolved Relationships: Implications for diverse family structures*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Minneapolis, MN.
- Pasley, K., **Ferraro, A. J.**, Petren, R. E., & Davis, T. R. (2016, November). Profiles of coparenting and parental wellbeing following divorce. In A. J. Ferraro (Chair), *Coparenting in context: Highlighting new directions*. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Minneapolis, MN.

PRESENTATIONS (Continued)

Petren, R. E., **Ferraro, A. J.**, Davis, T. R., & Pasley, K. (2016, November). *Coparenting typologies and father involvement following divorce*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Minneapolis, MN.

Reed, K., Withers, M. C., **Ferraro, A. J.**, Lucier-Greer, M., & Duncan, J. M. (2016, November). *Self-esteem and depression throughout emerging adulthood: Role of family*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Minneapolis, MN.

Duncan, J. M., Withers, M. C., Lucier-Greer, M., Reed, K., & **Ferraro, A. J.** (2016, March). *Leisure, relatedness, & psychological vulnerability in emerging adults*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southeastern Council on Family Relations. Orlando, FL.

Duncan, J. M., Withers, M. C., Lucier-Greer, M., Reed, K., & **Ferraro, A. J.** (2016, February). *Leisure, relatedness, & depression in emerging adults*. Paper presented at the Florida State University College of Human Sciences Research and Creativity Day, Tallahassee, FL.

Ferraro, A. J., Lucier-Greer, M., Withers, M. C., Reed, K., & Duncan, J. M. (2015, November). *Family relationship dynamics on depression trajectories: A profile analysis*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Vancouver, BC.

Reed, K., Fixelle, C., Lucier-Greer, M., **Ferraro, A. J.**, & Duncan, J. M. (2015, October). *Helicopter parenting and emerging adult self-efficacy: Implications for mental and physical health*. Paper presented at the biennial meeting of the Society of Emerging Adulthood, Miami, FL.

Lucier-Greer, M., Duncan, J. M., Mancini, J., & **Ferraro, A. J.** (2015, June). *A dyadic perspective on military-related stress and psychological vulnerability: Exploring the role of relationship warmth*. Paper presented at the mini-conference of the International Association for Relationship Research, New Brunswick, NJ.

Duncan, J. M., Lucier-Greer, M., Okafor, E., Ferraro, A. J., & Reed, K. (2015, March). *Risk factors for depression and stress in emerging adults: The role of social support*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southeastern Council on Family Relations, Shreveport, LA.

Ferraro, A. J., & Pasley, K. (2015, February). *The stress process of divorce for fathers*. Poster presented at the Florida State University College of Human Sciences Research and Creativity Day, Tallahassee, FL.

****Ferraro, A. J.**, & Pasley, K. (2014, November). *The stress process of divorce for fathers*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Baltimore, MD.

*Petren, R. E., **Ferraro, A. J.**, Pasley, K., Davis, T. R., & Fry, M. E. (2014, November). Coparental cooperation and conflict following divorce. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Baltimore, MD.

*Reed, K., **Ferraro, A. J.**, Lucier-Greer, M., & Barber, C. (2014, November). Adverse family influences and depression: Identifying points of intervention. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Council on Family Relations, Baltimore, MD.

†Denotes a current or former student

*Denotes winner of the Proposal Award from the National Council on Family Relations Education and Enrichment Section.

**Denotes winner of the Feldman Travel Award from the National Council on Family Relations Family Policy Section.

WORKSHOPS

Oehme, K., & **Ferraro, A. J.** (2018, June). *Elephant in the room: ACEs and improving the response to divorcing co-parents*. Annual meeting of the Association of Family and Conciliation Courts, Washington, DC.

Ferraro, A. J. (2017, September). *Successful co-parenting after divorce: Quantitative analysis and future directions*. In Odagiri, N., & Aoki, A. (Chair), Workshop of co-parenting after divorce and family reunification for separated and divorce families and family support professionals, Japan Foundation Center for Global Partnership, Tokyo, Japan.

Oehme, K., & **Ferraro, A. J.** (2016, September). *Successful co-parenting after divorce: FSU's online training and research to promote the goals of Florida statute 61.21*. Florida Chapter of the Association of Family and Conciliation Courts, Orlando, FL.

CONTRACTS & GRANT ACTIVITY

External Awards: Funded

Odagiri, N. [PI], Aoki, A. [Co-I], **Ferraro, A. J.** [Consultant] (April 2017-March 2019). Co-parenting after divorce and family reunification for separated and divorce families and family support professionals. The Japan Foundation Center for Global Partnership Grant Program. Total Award: \$17,652.13.

Internal Awards: Funded

Ferraro, A. J. [PI] (January 2018-December 2018). Co-parenting across households. University Small Research Grant Program, Kansas State University. Total Award: \$4,500.

AWARDS & ACCOLADES

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| 2017 | Prudential Productivity Award , Florida TaxWatch |
| 2014, 2014, 2017 | Proposal Award , Education & Enrichment Section, National Council on Family Relations |
| 2014, 2016 | Feldman Travel Award , Family Policy Section, National Council on Family Relations |
| 2015 | Dr. Kay Pasley Endowment for Excellence Scholarship |

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

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| 2016 - Present | Military Child Education Coalition |
| 2015 - Present | Association of Family and Conciliation Courts |
| 2012 - Present | National Council on Family Relations Member, Education and Enrichment Section Member, Family Policy Section Member, Co-parenting/Divorce Education Focus Group Member, Men in Families Focus Group Member, Military Families Focus Group |
| 2016 - 2017 | Society for Research in Child Development |
| 2016 - 2017 | Peace4TheBigBend, Trauma-Informed Care Workgroup |

NON-DIRECTED SERVICE

Professional Service

- 2017 - Present **Member**, Student & New Professional Leadership Council,
National Council on Family Relations
- 2017 - Present **Student & New Professionals Representative**, Family Policy Section,
National Council on Family Relations
- 2014 - Present **Conference Proposal Reviewer**, National Council on Family Relations
- 2017 **Ad Hoc Reviewer**, Children & Youth Services Review
- 2017 **Special Reviewer**, Marriage & Family Review
- 2016 **Symposium Chair**, National Council on Family Relations
- 2016 **Ad Hoc Reviewer**, Journal of Family Psychology
- 2016 **Ad Hoc Reviewer**, Evaluation & Program Planning

Institutional Service

- 2017 **Member**, Graduate Student Recruitment & Retention Committee,
Applied Family Science Unit, School of Family Studies and Human Services
- 2017 **Guest Speaker**, Interviewing and Job Talks, Applied Family Science Fall 2017
Brownbag Series, School of Family Studies and Human Services

Public Service

- 2017 **Consult**, Resource development and research assistance for clinical therapists. Capital
City Youth Services, Tallahassee, FL.
- 2016 **Presenter**, *Emergent issues for practitioners: Parenting practices across contexts*.
Capital City Youth Services, Tallahassee, FL.