

Dr. Welch CV

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Education

Doctor of Philosophy

Kansas State University
Department: Family Studies & Human Services
Specialization: Lifespan Development
Dissertation: Emotional, Physical, and Sexual Responses in Women who Experience Prophylactic Mastectomy and Breast Reconstruction for the Prevention of Breast Cancer

Master of Science

Kansas State University
Department: Family Studies & Human Services
Specialization: Family Life Education and Consultation
Thesis: Case Studies: Adolescent Parent Mourning Reactions and Potential Developmental Losses Associated with Stillbirth or Neonatal Death

Bachelor of Science

Kansas State University
Industrial/Organizational Psychology and
Labor Relations

Research Interests

Family Health
Relationships

Family Stress/Crisis

Relationship Formation

Intimate

Marital Interaction

Research/Creative Activity

- Welch, K.J. (2015). *Today's Student, Today's Health* (1st ed.). Boston: Pearson Education (in draft).
- Welch, K.J. (2015). *Family stress and crisis* (1st ed.). Boston: Pearson Education (in draft).
- Welch, K.J. (2015). *DOING Intimate Relationships* (1/e). Boston: Pearson Education (in draft).
- Welch, K.J. (2012). *Family life NOW: A conversation about marriage, family, and intimate relationships* (2nd ed.): 2010 Census Update. Boston: Allyn & Bacon.
- Turner, T.J., & Welch, K.J. (2011). *Parenting in contemporary society* (5th ed.). Boston: Pearson Education.
- Welch, K.J. (2011). *THINK Human Sexuality* (1st ed.). Boston: Pearson Education.
- Welch, K.J. (2010). *Family life NOW: A conversation about marriage, family, and intimate relationships* (2nd ed.). Boston: Allyn & Bacon.
- Welch, K.J. (2005). *Development: Journey through childhood and adolescence observation modules*. Boston: Allyn & Bacon.
- Welch, K.J. (2004). *Development: Journey of a lifetime. A CD-Rom interactive learning experience*. Boston: Allyn & Bacon.
- Welch, K.J. (2004). *Development: Journey through childhood and adolescence. A CD-Rom interactive learning experience*. Boston: Allyn & Bacon.
- Welch, K.J. (2000). Adolescent mourning reactions associated with stillbirth and neonatal death. *Omega Journal of Death and Dying*, 40(4), 561-563.

University and Community Service

- 2013-
Current Healthy Families: Reducing HIV/AIDS Transmission from Mothers to Infants Initiative (Roatan, Honduras)
- 2009-2010: Manhattan High School Family Studies Advisory Board
- 2011-
Current KIVA: Parents Making An International Impact

2011-
Current Kansas State University Presidential Lecture Series

2010-2013: Enhanced Classroom Experience Committee

2009-2010: Human Ecology Honor Council Representative

2009: Kansas State University Healthy Decisions Consultant (*Ask Willie* program)

2009: Kansas State University Healthy Decisions Campus Spokesperson

2009: Kansas State University Freshman Orientation (Spring, Summer)

2008-
Current: First Year Seminar, Freshman Experience

2007-
Current: K-State Scholars Faculty Ambassador Program

Teaching Experience
Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS Campus
KSU Global Campus

Assistant Professor

Kansas State University
School of Family Studies & Human Services

FSHS 110 Introduction to Human Development. A study of life span human development through an individual's awareness and understanding of his or her own physical, social-emotional, and psychological growth and relationships with family, peers, and others. (1999-current)

FSHS 200 Sexuality and Health. Introduction to human sexuality and health, including sexually transmitted diseases and AIDS. Attributes of comprehensive programs, K-12, that incorporate state-defined goals for sexuality education and health needs of children and adolescents. (2002-current)

FSHS 302 Introduction to Human Sexuality A study of the developmental, familial, societal, and other environmental factors that influence sexual identity and sexual behaviors.

FSHS 350 Family Relationships and Gender Roles. Effects of family interaction upon individual development and gender roles; consideration of premarital, marital, and parent-child relationships. (1999-current)

FSHS 506 Middle Childhood and Adolescence. Principles of growth and development during middle childhood and adolescence, including familial, societal, and other ecological factors affecting development of youth.

FSHS 654. Death and the Family. Exploration of contemporary attitudes toward death and dying; related influences on individual development and family life. (2003-current)

FSHS 708. Family Communication Review of recent research and theory related to exploration of methods and family and interpersonal communication processes. (2003-current)

Memberships and Honor Societies

Kappa Omicron Nu Honor Society

KIVA: Parenting in Disadvantaged Communities

International Childbirth Educators Association

International Lactation Consultants Association

Awards and Recognitions

SPOTLIGHT on Teaching, Kansas State University TED Talk, March 2013.

The Last Lecture, Kansas State University, 2012

Recipient of the Outstanding Faculty Member for the Kansas State University Panhellenic and Interfraternity Councils (2010)

Faculty Recognition: Mortar Board Senior Honor Society (2007)

Kansas State University Distinguished Faculty Ambassador (2006)

Nominated for the United States Outstanding Distance Educator award (2006)

Recipient of the Student Athlete Professor of the Year (2005)

Recipient of the Residence Halls Professor of the Year (2004)

Recipient of the Outstanding Faculty Member for the Kansas State University
Panhellenic and Interfraternity Councils (2001)

Recipient of the Student Athlete Professor of the Year (2001)

Recipient of the Residence Halls Professor of the Year (2000)

Recipient of the Presidential Award for Outstanding Undergraduate Teaching
(1999).