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Duquesne University School of Education  
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**EDUCATION**

Doctor of Philosophy in Counseling and Counselor Education (CACREP Accredited)  
Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY (2016)

Dissertation: Liu, Y. (2016). *An analysis of talk and interactions in initial sessions in the context of counseling and family medicine* (Doctoral dissertation). ProQuest Dissertations and Theses (UMI No. 10142573)

Master of Science of Education: Community Mental Health Counseling (CACREP Accredited)  
Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, PA (2011)

Thesis: Liu, Y. (2011). *Post-traumatic growth: Serving humanity by promoting transformation*. (Master's thesis). Duquesne University.

Bachelor of Arts in Psychology, minor: Women and Gender Study, summa cum laude  
Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, PA (2008)

Associate degree in Nursing (Concentration: Psychiatric-Mental Health Nursing)  
Chang Gung Institute of Technology, Taoyuan, Taiwan (1999)

**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT**

<b>Clinical Associate Professor</b>	<b>2023-Present</b>
<i>Clinical Facilitator of Counselor Education</i>	<i>2020-Present</i>
<i>Faculty Council School Representative</i>	<i>2022-Present</i>
<i>Academic and Curriculum Committee Representative</i>	<i>2022-Present</i>
Duquesne University	

<b>Clinical Assistant Professor</b>	<b>2016-2023</b>
<i>Faculty Senate Assembly- School of Education</i>	<i>2020-2023</i>
<i>Director of Program Practices, Counselor Education</i>	<i>2020-2022</i>
<i>Center of Teaching Excellence (CTE) Near-Peer Mentor</i>	<i>2017-2018</i>
Duquesne University	

<b>Visiting Assistant Professor</b>	<b>2015- 2016</b>
Duquesne University	

<b>Adjunct Instructor</b>	<b>2014</b>
Department of Counseling, Indiana University of Pennsylvania	

**Adjunct Instructor**

**2013-2014**

Department of Counseling and Human Services, Syracuse University

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

**Graduate courses taught (Master's level), Duquesne University**

GCNE 549: Multicultural Issues & Strategies in Counseling  
GCNE 556: Counseling & Consulting Theory  
GCNE 557: Group Counseling: Theory & Techniques  
GCNE 565: Therapeutic Techniques  
GCNE 567: Community-based Interventions  
GCNE 569: Crisis, Trauma & Disaster Counseling  
GCNE 572: Child & Adolescent Counseling (Counselor Education)  
GCNE 572: Child & Adolescent Counseling (School Psychology)  
GCNE 652: Career Development & Vocational Counseling  
GCNE 673: Diagnosis & Treatment Planning  
GCNE 672: Fieldwork Orientation  
GCNE 680: Fieldwork Orientation for School Counseling Students  
GCNS 509: Independent Study – Counseling

**Graduate courses taught (Doctoral level), Duquesne University**

CESD 805: Leadership in a Diverse Society  
CESD 815: Instructional Methods  
CESD 810: Counseling Supervision: Seminar & Practicum  
CESD 818: Counseling Supervision & Seminar  
CESD 835: Counselor Education & Supervision Internship I  
CESD 836: Counselor Education & Supervision Internship II

**Graduate course taught (Master's level), Indiana University of Pennsylvania**

COUN 657: Individual Counseling Practicum (Adolescent/Adult)

**Undergraduate course taught, Syracuse University**

COU 585: General Counseling Methods

**Community engaged teaching initiative, Duquesne University**

*Individual course initiatives:*

**Fall 2018: GCNE 567 Community-based Interventions**

**Affiliated community organizations:**

- Pittsburgh Action Against Rape (PAAR)
- Pittsburgh Ballet Theater School- Adaptive Dance
- Pittsburgh Ballet Theater School- Mindful Movement
- Just Harvest
- People's Oakland

**Fall 2017: GCNE 567 Community-based Interventions**

**Affiliated community organizations:**

- Ansar of Pittsburgh
- Pittsburgh Ballet Theater School- Adaptive Dance
- Pittsburgh Ballet Theater School-Dance for Parkinson's
- FOCUS Pittsburgh
- People's Oakland

*Program level initiatives:*

**Fall 2018: Poverty Simulation**

**Involved courses:**

- GCNE 549: Multicultural Issues & Strategies in Counseling
- GCNE 556: Counseling & Consulting Theory
- GCNE 567: Community-based Interventions
- GCNE 562: Lifespan Development and Counseling
- GCNE 651: Introduction to Addictions Counseling
- GCNE 669: Advanced Marriage, Couple, and Family Counseling
- GCNE 676: Advanced School Counseling
- CESD 815: Instructional Methods

**Spring 2017: Poverty Simulation**

**Involved courses:**

- GCNE 557: Group Counseling: Theory & Techniques
- GCNE 652: Career Development & Vocational Counseling
- GCNE 654: Introduction to Marriage, Couple & Family Counseling

**Teaching grant**

- **The Heinz Endowments: Just Arts Initiative (funding capacity: \$434K) 2020**  
Requested \$15,900 (not funded)  
Project title: *The HOPE Experience* by Shana Simmons Dance (SSD) & Yihhsing Liu
- **American Counseling Association (ACA): The Counselors for Social Justice (CSJ) Counseling Grant 2018**  
Received \$500 award  
Project title: *Enhancing Social Justice and Advocacies through Poverty Simulations* by Yihhsing Liu & Derron Hilts

**Teaching award**

- **School of Education Early Career Award for Excellence in Teaching 2018**  
School of Education, Duquesne University

**Teaching focused conference presentation*****Accepted (conference cancelled due to pandemic)***

- **Liu, Y.**, & Homa-Earl, A. (2020, September). *Advocacy and interprofessional collaboration as an intersectional identity: A qualitative inquiry*. [Paper presentation]. The 2020 North Atlantic Regional Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (NARACES), Pittsburgh, PA.
- **Liu, Y.** (2020, July). *Community-based participatory research framework and community engagement as a deliberate educational practice: An example of vocational skills development for Syrian women in the United States*. [Poster presentation]. The 2020 World Education Research Association (WERA) Focal Meeting, Santiago de Compostela, Spain.
- Yacoub, M., & **Liu, Y.** (2020, April). *Exploring authenticity, prosocial lying, and power in addiction recovery: A conceptual model*. [Paper presentation]. The 10th Annual Chi Sigma Iota (CSI) Pennsylvania Statewide Conference, Shippensburg, PA.

***Presented***

- Sickels, M., & **Liu, Y.** (2021, May). *A case study regarding existential supervision*. [Paper presentation]. The 2021 Association for Humanistic Counseling (AHC) Virtual Conference.
- **Liu, Y.**, & Hilts, D. (2019, October). *The impact of simulation teaching on counselors-in-training's multicultural competencies*. [Roundtable discussion]. The 2019 Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (ACES) Conference, Seattle, WA.
- **Liu, Y.** (2019, March). *R.I.W: Reflection of identity and worldview*. [Recipes for success]. The Second Pittsburgh Regional Faculty Symposium, University of Pittsburgh, PA.
- **Liu, Y.**, & Hyatt-Burkhart, D. (2019, April). *Using a community-engaged andragogical paradigm in counselor education to promote an advocate identity among new practitioner*. [Paper presentation]. The 9th Annual Chi Sigma Iota (CSI) Pennsylvania Statewide Conference, Pittsburgh, PA.
- **Liu, Y.**, & Hyatt-Burkhart, D. (2018, March). *P.I.P.E.L.I.N.E: A practitioner-advocate community engaged curriculum sampler*. [Recipes for success]. The First Pittsburgh Regional Faculty Symposium, Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, PA. \
- Hilts, D., & **Liu, Y.** (2018, January). *Bridging Adlerian group counseling and poverty simulations in social justice and group work*. [Paper presentation]. The 2018 Association for Specialists in Group Work (ASGW) Annual Conference, Savannah, GA.
- Salgado, C. L., Murphy, J. E., Sanders, B., Simmons, S., Douglass, M., Molinari, C., & **Liu, Y.** (2017, November). *Alzheimer's and Dance*. [Paper presentation]. The 2017 Alzheimer's Association Conference, Wexford, PA.

**Supervised research project**

- Gazzola, J., Strohl, S., & Everett, B. (2021, October). *Breaking down barriers: Addressing how supervisors respond to supervisees countertransference* [Paper presentation]. The 2021 Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (ACES) Conference, Atlanta, Georgia.
- Homa-Earl, A. (2020, April). *Engaging professional advocacy through community-based participatory research and community engagement*. [Poster presentation]. The 6th Annual Duquesne University Virtual Graduate Research Symposium. Retrieved from <https://dsc.duq.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1034&context=gsrs>
- Kolcum, M., & Liu-Guechev, N. (2022, March). *Literature review: Compiling genetic markers associated with posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD)* [Poster presentation]. The 8th Annual Duquesne University Virtual Graduate Research Symposium. Retrieved from <https://symposium.foragerone.com/duqgrs2022/presentations?schools=17647&page=1>
- Mathe, John. (2018, March). *Pushing boundaries: A conversation for counselors* [Poster presentation]. The 2018 Duquesne University Graduate Research Symposium, Pittsburgh, PA.

**Dissertation, Duquesne University***Dissertation committee chaired*

In process	Rowe-Johnson, A. <i>Examining parental engagement in the recruitment and retention of African American gifted students.</i>
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*Dissertation committee member*

Defended	Charette, R. J. (2021) <i>The lived experiences of self-concealment among LGBTQ+ counselors in the workplace.</i>
Defended	Haggerty, D. (2019). <i>Substance use helpers: An exploration into the relationship between professional quality of life and posttraumatic growth.</i>
Defended	Kumpf, C. (2018). <i>Karate and wellness.</i>
Defended	Sickels, M. (2022). <i>“I hear you”: Exploring the lived experience of counselors’ empathic response to clients when conducting telephonic counseling during COVID-19.</i>
Defended	Williams, E. (2022). <i>Perceived levels of teaching self-efficacy among advanced CES doctoral students engaging in external pedagogical experience.</i>

In process	Bankes, B.
In process	Bucur, C. <i>Counseling leadership.</i>
In process	Ludwig, R. <i>Substance use counselor's perceptions regarding client use of medical cannabis.</i>

### **Supervised teaching, Duquesne University**

<i>Year/Semester</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Student</i>
Fall 2022	GCNE 569: Crisis, Trauma & Disaster Counseling (sections 61 & 62)	Samantha Kimball & Abbigail Rinard
Fall 2021	GCNE 569: Crisis, Trauma & Disaster Counseling	Shannon Strohl
Spring 2020	GCNE 556: Counseling & Consulting Theory	Emily Belsito
Fall 2018	GCNE 549: Multicultural Issues & Strategies in Counseling	Matt Nice
Spring 2018	GCNE 557: Group Counseling: Theory & Techniques	Chris Coppock
Spring 2017	GCNE 557: Group Counseling: Theory & Techniques	John Mathe
Fall 2015	GCNE 569: Crisis, Trauma & Disaster Counseling	Kristyn Maikranz
Fall 2015	GCNE 549: Multicultural Issues & Strategies in Counseling	Elisabeth Simpson

## **PUBLICATION**

**Liu, Y., & Luke, M.** (2019). A conversation analysis of initial counseling sessions. *The Practitioner Scholar: Journal of the International Trauma Training Institute, 1*, 1-22.  
<https://www.thepractitionerscholar.com/article/view/18343>

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATION (not included under TEACHING)**

### **International Conference**

- **Liu, Y.** (2017, July). *An analysis of talk and interactions in initial sessions in the context of counseling and family medicine.* [Paper presentation]. The 6<sup>th</sup> International Meeting on Conversation Analysis and Clinical Encounters (CACE), The National Institute for Health Research Collaboration for Leadership in Applied Health Research and Care West (NIHR CLAHRC West), Bristol, UK.
- **Liu, Y.** (2013, June). *Trauma focused supervision: A qualitative inquiry of novice counselor's experiences.* [Paper presentation]. The 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Clinical Supervision, Long Island, New York.
- **Liu, Y., & Levers, L. L.** (2012, July). *Posttraumatic growth: Serving humanity by promoting transformation.* [Paper presentation]. The 30<sup>th</sup> International Congress of Psychology (ICP), Cape Town, South Africa.

**National Conference**

- Snyder, K., & **Liu, Y.** (2016, October). *Enhancing reintegration for rural offenders: Multiple perspectives*. [Paper presentation]. The Annual Imagining America National Conference, Milwaukee, WI.
- Bernard, J. M., Miller, A., & **Liu, Y.** (2013, October). *Training clinical supervisors to conceptualize across dimensions*. [Paper presentation]. The 2013 Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (ACES) Conference, Denver, CO.
- Arthur, M., Kowel, C. D., & **Liu, Y.** (2012, September). *Peer-defusing: Hospital-wide wellness initiative for medical professionals' compassion fatigue prevention and stress reduction*. [Paper presentation]. The 33rd Forum for Behavioral Science in Family Medicine, Chicago, IL.

**Regional Conference**

- **Liu, Y.** (2014, November). *Conversation analysis: An emerging methodology in counseling profession*. [Paper presentation]. The 46<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Counseling Association (PCA) conference, State College, PA.
- **Liu, Y.** (2014, October). *Internationalization of the counseling profession: Challenges, opportunities, and implications*. [Paper presentation]. The 2014 North Atlantic Regional Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (NARACES), Providence, RI.
- **Liu, Y.**, & Luke, M. (2014, October). *Integration of discrimination model and trauma recovery model in clinical supervision*. [Paper presentation]. The 2014 North Atlantic Regional Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (NARACES), Providence, RI.
- **Liu, Y.**, Vatter, B., Auld, L., & Tinsley, T. M. (2010, November). *Developing multicultural competence through travel: Counselor education students' cross cultural immersion in Africa*. [Paper presentation]. The 42<sup>nd</sup> annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Counseling Association (PCA) conference, State College, PA.
- **Liu, Y.** (2010, October). *Spatiality, gender, and ethnicity: A reflection on preschoolers' use of space in classroom*. [Poster session]. The 2010 North Atlantic Regional Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (NARACES), New Brunswick, NJ.
- **Liu, Y.** (2007, Fall). *Sociocultural relativism of the creative process*. [Paper presentation]. The First Annual Duquesne University Regional Undergraduate Psychology Conference, Pittsburgh, PA.

**CLINICAL EXPERIENCE****Psychotherapist**

Awareness and Wellness Center (AWC), Pittsburgh, PA

**2021-Present****Counselor**

CARE Center at Southwestern Pennsylvania Human Services, Inc. (SPHS), Washington, PA

**2021-2022**

**Group Facilitator for Asian American Pacific Islander (AAPI) Solidarity Group** **2021-2022**

Center for Student Wellbeing & Counseling Services, Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, PA

**Doctoral Intern Clinician** **2013-2014**

Vera House, Syracuse, NY

**Doctoral Intern Clinician** **2011-2014**

Department of Family Medicine, St. Joseph Hospital, Syracuse, NY

**Registered Professional Nurse (RPN) and Registered Nurse (RN)** **1999-2004**

Department of Psychiatry, Taipei City Hospital (a.k.a. Taipei City Psychiatric Center)  
Taipei, Taiwan

**Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS) Task force** **2003**

Department of Psychiatry, Taipei City Hospital (a.k.a. Taipei City Psychiatric Center)  
Taipei, Taiwan

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE (not included under TEACHING)**

**National**

- **Mentor for Counselors for Social Justice (CSJ) 2020-2021**  
National Mentorship Program, American Counseling Association (ACA)

**Local**

- **Board member for Shana Simmons Dance (SSD) 2019-2020**  
Shana Simmons Dance (SSD), Pittsburgh, PA

**LICENSURE**

- National Certified Counselor (NCC) in the U.S.A., No. 285294
- Registered Professional Nurse (RPN) in Taiwan, No. 072541
- Registered Nurse (RN) in Taiwan, No. 116656

**CREDENTIAL**

- Certificate in University Teaching(CUT)  
Future Professoriate Program (FPP): Syracuse University
- Certification of Psychotherapy: Series on Psychodynamic Psychotherapy  
Taiwan Institute of Psychotherapy
- Certification of Marriage and Family Therapy in Satir Model  
Shiuh-Li Liuh Memorial Foundation (in cooperation with Satir Professional Development  
Institute of Manitoba, Canada)
- Certification of Structural Family Therapy  
Shiuh-Li Liuh Memorial Foundation



**AWARD & GRANT (not included under TEACHING)**

- **Award of University Fellowship** **2011-2015**  
The Graduate School Program, Syracuse University
- **School of Education Research and Creative Grant Competition** **2014**  
Syracuse University: received \$1000 award for a qualitative research project:  
*Conversation Analysis of Initial Sessions of Trainees in Counseling and Family Medicine.*
- **Recipient of the 2014 Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award** **2014**  
The Graduate School Program, Syracuse University
- **Teaching Mentor for the Graduate School Teaching Assistant Program**  
The Graduate School Program, Syracuse University **2013 & 2014**
- **Association for Adult Development and Aging (AADA) Graduate Student Research Grant** **2012**  
American Counseling Association (ACA): received \$500 award for a qualitative research project:  
*Posttraumatic Growth: A Qualitative Inquiry of Transformation and Negotiation among Volunteers*
- **School of Education Research and Creative Grant Competition** **2012**  
Syracuse University: received \$750 award for a qualitative research project: *Crisis Management: A Qualitative Inquiry of Peer Defusing Following Critical Incidents in a Hospital Setting.*
- **NARACES Outstanding Graduate Student Award** **2010**  
North Atlantic Regional Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (NARACES)
- **NARACES Scholarship** **2010**
- North Atlantic Regional Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (NARACES)

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION**

American Counseling Association (ACA)  
 Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (ACES)  
 American Mental Health Counselors Association (AMHCA)  
 American Psychoanalytic Association (APA)  
 Association for Specialists in Group Work (ASGW)  
 Chi Sigma Iota (CSI): Delta Upsilon Chapter  
 Counselors for Social Justice (CSJ)  
 International Psychotherapy Institute (IPI)  
 North Atlantic Region Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (NARACES)  
 Pennsylvania Counseling Association (PCA)  
 Taiwan Dance Therapy Association  
 Taiwan Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing Association  
 Taipei City Nursing Association