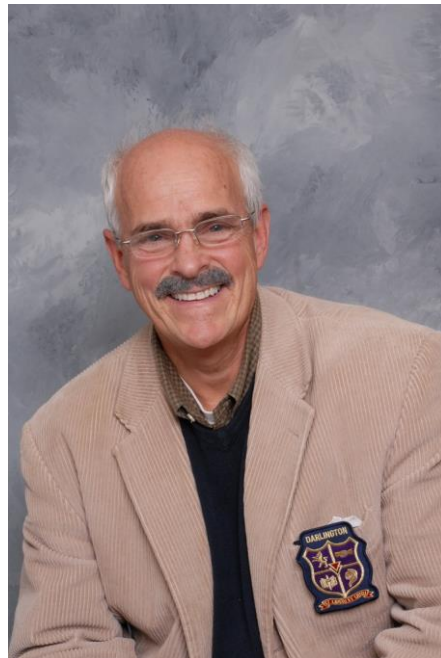


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**EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

<u>UNDERGRADUATE</u> 1965-1970	Auburn University, Auburn, AL.	B.S.	Business/Economics
<u>GRADUATE</u> 1970-1972	Auburn University, Auburn, AL.	MS	Psychology

1978-1982	University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL	Ph.D./DSW <sup>1</sup>	Social Work Applied Research Minor: Psychology
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POST-GRADUATE

1990-1992	National Institute of Aging Post Doctoral Fellowship University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI Mentors: Drs. Andrew Achenbaum, Hiroko Akiyama, Ruth Dunkle & Toni Antonucci	Applied Aging
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2013	Research Fellowship, New College, University of Edinburgh	Global Aging
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MILITARY

	Leadership Schools
1969	AMEDD Officer Basic Course
1976	AMEDD Officer Advance Course
1986	Command & General Staff College

**APPOINTMENTS AND POSITIONS**

2013- Research Fellow, Sabbatical leave, University of Edinburgh, New College  
 2012 - present: Professor, School of Social Work, University of Alabama  
 2010- present: Faculty Associate, Center for Mental Health & Aging, University of Alabama  
 & Faculty Associate  
 2009-2011: Selected as John A. Hartford Foundation & Gerontological Society of America (GSA) National  
 Mentor. Geriatric Scholars Program (e.g., Dr. Lori Thomas, University of North Carolina, Hartford  
 Cohort XII)  
 2009-present: Associate Professor, Adjunct, Department of Medicine, Division of Geriatrics & Palliative Care &  
 UAB Center for Aging, Birmingham, AL  
 2009- 2014: National Review Panel, John A. Hartford and GSA Scholars Program  
 2009- 2012: Member of Governing Council, American Society on Aging Forum on Religion, Spirituality, &  
 Aging  
 2004-2008: Research Scientist, US Chaplains Institute, Maxwell Air Force Base, Montgomery, AL  
 2004-2006: Research Scientist, US Air War College, Maxwell Air Force Base, Montgomery, AL  
 2004-present: Associate Professor (tenured), School of Social Work, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL  
 2003-2008 Co-Investigator, UAB Mobility Study R01  
 2001-2008: Founding Member of the Executive Board, Center for Mental Health & Aging, University of Alabama  
 2001-2006: Member of the Board, West Alabama Officers Association  
 2001-2006: Grant Reviewer, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Faith in Action Program  
 2001-2003: UAB Center for Aging Mobility Study R01, Co PI & Site PI  
 1998-2002: Assistant Professor, School of Social Work, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL  
 1995-2009: Assistant Professor Adjunct, Department of Medicine, Division of Gerontology, Geriatrics, &  
 Palliative Care, UAB Center for Aging, Birmingham, AL.  
 1997-2004: Research Associate, US Army Physical Fitness Research Institute, US Army War College, Carlisle, PA  
 1994-1998: Chief, Behavioral Science Division, Noble Army Community Hospital, Fort McClellan, AL <sup>2</sup>

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1992-1994: Army Medical Department Civilian Training, National Institute of Aging Post Doctoral Fellow, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI  
 1991-1992: Chief, Social Work and Family Services, Heidelberg Army Hospital, Heidelberg, Germany <sup>3</sup>  
 1989-1991: 7th Medical Command Drug and Alcohol Consultant to Commanding General, US Army Europe & Army Surgeon General <sup>4</sup>  
 1989-1991: Member of the Crisis - Stress Management Team, 7<sup>th</sup> Medical Command, European & Asian Theatre of Operations <sup>5</sup>  
 1991-1992: Adjunct Faculty, University of Maryland, European Division  
 1987-1989: Chief, Social Work Services, Community Mental Health, Fort Ord (Monterey), CA<sup>6</sup>  
 1987-1989: Chief, Community Mental Health Service, Defense Language School, Monterey, CA  
 1987-1989: Adjunct Faculty, School of Social Work, San Jose State University, San Jose, CA.  
 1983-1987: Chief, Research and Evaluation Division, US Army Correctional Activity (USACA), Fort Riley, KS<sup>7</sup>  
 1983-1987: Adjunct Faculty, Kansas State University, Family Studies Program,  
 1985-1987: Adjunct Faculty, University of Southern, California, Department of Systems Management  
 1978-1980: NIMH Pre-doctoral Fellow, Psychology & Social Work, University of Alabama  
 1976-1978: Psychologist III, Psychological Testing, Bryce Hospital, Tuscaloosa, AL  
 1973-1976: Officer in Charge, Inpatient Substance Abuse Program, MEDDAC, Nurnberg, Germany  
 1972-1973: Officer in Charge, CDAC Substance Abuse Program, 1<sup>st</sup> Armored Division - Big Red One  
 1970-1972: Associate Director, Primate Lab, Psychology Department, Auburn University, Auburn, AL.  
 1970- Summer: Associate Director, Children's Fresh Air Farm, Birmingham, AL<sup>8</sup>

## CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE

1982-present	Licensed Certified Social Worker: Alabama #0027, Private Independent Practice
1997-2004	Board Certified Diplomate in Clinical Social Work, American Board of Examiners in Clinical Social Work, #27346

## HONORS

2013: Selected as Research Fellow, University of Edinburgh & Church of Scotland  
 2013 Selected as *Keith Allen Lucas Lecturer*, NACSW Annual Conference 2013 <sup>9</sup>

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<sup>2</sup> Managed mental health, health promotion, drug & alcohol, & social work services; served as acting hospital commander; supervised military and civilian professional and paraprofessional personnel for outpatient services provided to over 27,000 beneficiaries.

<sup>3</sup> Managed \$2 million budget, directed mental health and family advocacy program for 60,000 beneficiaries; served as member of the European Stress Response Team (ECOM) for medical disaster and hostage contingency operations and as a member of the DOD Crisis Intervention Team. team

<sup>4</sup> Served as global expert regarding Drug & Alcohol Program and policies to the US Commander of Armed forces in the European Theatre and to the Commander, 7<sup>th</sup> Medical Command; provided oversight of 95 outpatient clinics, 6 inpatient programs, drug testing lab, organized European Theatre of operations annual conference & 6 counselor training programs for over 500,000 beneficiaries; managed multimillion dollar budget;

<sup>5</sup> Completed hostage release missions and consulted with commanders for a variety of medical emergencies and disasters.

<sup>6</sup> Provided oversight for mental health and social work services to the Defense Language School, Navy Postgraduate School, and the 7<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division.

<sup>7</sup> Supervised three senior research psychologists, three computer analysts, and other administrative personnel in managing the US Army's correctional system's program of research and evaluation.

<sup>8</sup> Summer camp for over 300 underserved children

<sup>9</sup> Each year at NACSW's conventions the Board has invited a distinguished scholar to deliver a lecture named after long-time NACSW member and supporter, Alan Keith-Lucas, who was a prolific writer and lecturer on the integration of spirituality and social work practice. Previous lecturers have included: Ann Patrick Conrad, retired dean of the School of Social Work at Catholic University; Ellen Netting,

2011: *Finalist*, Alabama Launchpad, Parent Care Readiness Program<sup>10</sup>

2009-present: Selected as *Geriatric Faculty National Mentor*, Gerontological Society of America (GSA) and John A. Hartford Foundation

2009: *Premiere Award*, Outstanding Faculty-Initiated Community Engagement Effort, Office of Community Affairs, University of Alabama, presented May 1, 2009

2009-2012: Veterans Affairs (VA) Program representative to the GSA & John A. Hartford Foundation Scholars Selection Board<sup>11</sup>

2009-2013: Member of Governing Council, American Society on Aging Forum on Religion, Spirituality, & Aging

2008-2009: Served as Formal Research mentor to Dr. Linda Dunn, Professor with the College of Nursing

2008: *Finalist*, Alabama Launchpad Competition, Intellectual property business initiative, Alabama University systems

2007: Co-author, *Best Paper Award*, National Institute of Health, Society of Research Administrators International Conference, Nashville, TN., September 26

2007: Selected for *Phi Alpha Honor Society*, Social Work Honorary

2003: Selected for the *Frank R. Egan Award*, as an outstanding representative of Phi Alpha ideals at the University of Alabama.

2002: U.S. Congressional Commendation for national research and service, *US Congressional Record*, October 15, 148 (135), E1872-E1873

2001-2003: Selected as *Geriatric Faculty Scholar*, Gerontological Society of America and John A. Hartford Foundation

1998: *Legion of Merit*, US Congress<sup>12</sup>

1997: *Order of Military Medical Merit*, US Army Medical Department 13

1992-1994: *National Institute of Aging Post Doctoral Fellow*, University of Michigan

1991: Selected by US Army Medical Department, Long term civilian education

1987-1998: *Meritorious Service Medal*<sup>14</sup>

1987-1998: *Army Commendation Medal*<sup>15</sup>

1987-1998: *Army Achievement Medal*<sup>16</sup>

1981: Selected for *Pi Tau Chi*, National Religious Honorary

1981: Awarded Dissertation Scholarship, *Center for Public Law and Service Grant*, Office of Family Policy,

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professor of social work at Virginia Commonwealth University; Ron Sider, sociologist at Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary; Nicholas Wolterstorff, retired professor of philosophical theology at Yale Divinity School ; Harold Koenig, Co-director of the Center for Spirituality, Theology and Health at Duke University; & Mark Chaves, professor of sociology, religion, and divinity at Duke University. Keith-Lucas lecturers are asked to present a paper (about a 45-50 minute presentation) for the convention, and then to submit that paper for publication in their academic journal, *Social Work and Christianity* (for additional information about our journal and to view a sample issue, you can go to: <http://www.nacsw.org/SWCIndex.html>).

<sup>10</sup> Finals 7/50 Intellectual Property –faculty generated businesses affiliated with Alabama universities selected after three phases of competition

<sup>11</sup> Helped establish a memorandum of understanding (MOU) between the Department of Veterans Affairs, the John A. Hartford Foundation and Gerontological Society of America (GSA). Co-authored a web based application system. First four VA Hartford Scholars were selected in 2010. The program provides selected scholars with post doctoral, state of science training, mentorship, professional scholarship and professional promotion.

<sup>12</sup> Highest peacetime award to military personnel given by the US Congress

<sup>13</sup> Special life time medical achievement award, US Army Medical Department

<sup>14</sup> Oak leaf cluster, awarded four times

<sup>15</sup> Oak Leaf cluster, awarded four times

<sup>16</sup> Oak Leaf cluster, awarded five times

Law School, University of Alabama

1980-81: *HEW Child Welfare Pre-doctoral Fellow*, University of Alabama

1979-80: *President*, Doctoral Student Association, University of Alabama

1978-1980: *National Institute of Mental Health Pre-doctoral Fellow*, University of Alabama

1972: *Psy Chi*, National Psychology Honorary, Auburn University

1972: *Distinguished Military Graduate*, Army ROTC, Auburn University<sup>17</sup>

1971: *Distinguished Military Student*, Army ROTC, Auburn University

## PATENTS & RELATED INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ACTIVITIES

**Parker, M. (2014).** *Parent Care Readiness Program* is renamed and copyrighted *AgeReady* (See [www.agereadynow.com](http://www.agereadynow.com))

**Parker, M. (2011).** *The Parent Care Readiness Program. Alabama IME Launchpad Competition*, Finalist for 2<sup>nd</sup> time, 15 April 2011, Mobile, Alabama.

**Parker, M., & Hennington, J. (2009).** *The Parent Care Readiness Program-State of Science Caregiving Solutions. Phases II and III Selection. Poster Session, Alabama IME Alabama Launchpad Competition*, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, February, 2008; Finalist, March, 2008.<sup>18</sup>

**Parker, M. (filed 2008).** *Federal: Methods and Systems for Care Readiness*, U.S. Patent Application No. 12/191, 744, N&R Ballard Sparhar Ref No: 21122.0014U2, provisional patent granted 2010, full patent pending. Copy right completed.

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<sup>17</sup> Top 5%

<sup>18</sup> Alabama Launchpad competitions in 2008 & 2011 each involved over 40 business - academic teams. The competition is divided into three phases, each leading to a smaller number of competitors. State of science caregiving & the Parent Care Readiness Program were selected for the finals. Currently working with an investment team and the Human Resource Departments of the University of Alabama, University of Alabama at Birmingham, and the University of Alabama at Huntsville to complete a working prototype / web based eldercare support program to be made available as a organizational benefit and part of an HR program.

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- Parker, M.W.,** Call, V., Vaitkus, M., & Fuller, G. (2001/12) White paper I: Lifetime costs of military service: A Life course perspective. Report delivered to the Army Physical Fitness Research Institute, US Army War College, Carlisle, PA.
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## RESEARCH TRANSLATION INITIATIVES<sup>19</sup>

**Parker, M., Allman, R., Lee, H., & Parmalee, P.** (2009, December). A quick glance at the national news in gerontology, geriatrics, and aging for religious congregations. Available on *Christianity Today & Christian Association Serving Adult Ministries-Significant Living International* Web site.

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## BOOKS IN PROCESS:

**Parker, M. W.**, Achenbaum, A., Winstead, D., & Martin, James. *Veterans for the ages*. Under review by LSU Press, pending 2<sup>nd</sup> edit. Synopsis. The authors provide a crucial, timely spotlight on the successful aging practices of famous veterans from the Civil War, WW II, Korean War, and the Vietnam War. Veterans characterized in the text were selected because they made significant contributions to the welfare of society following their military service. The authors intend to encourage and challenge contemporary veterans to do the same and to suggest that their best days of service are yet to come. Written by veterans of different disciplines, a critical, holistic perspective on successful aging is woven into remarkable, post-war stories. This 300-page monograph is based, in part, on an article that appeared in *Parameters*, a journal published by the U.S. Army War College.

## **RESEARCH CONTRACT AND GRANT ACTIVITY**

Houser, R., et al **Parker, M.** (2015) Marine Corp grant, \$1.5 million. Role: Co Investigator. Status: Currently under review. White Paper: Accelerating the development of small unit decision-making (ADSUDM): Enhancing small unit decision-making using simulation (virtual reality), low current brain stimulation (tDCS) and identification of neural correlates.

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<sup>19</sup> Many of my professional and invited presentations and professional publications represent translational efforts to share evidenced based information with those who need it the most (**Parker, M. W.**, Bellis, J., Harper, M., Bishop, P., Moore, C., Thompson, P., & Allman, R. A. (2002). Multidisciplinary model of health promotion incorporating spirituality into a successful aging intervention with African American and white elderly. *The Gerontologist*, 42(3), 405-415. PMID: 12040144 (46 citations in related articles)

**Parker, M. & Koenig, Harold.** (2014) John Templeton Foundation Grant, \$200,000 planning grant initiative. Not funded, but revision was encouraged and is underway.

**Parker, M. W.** Tri-Service Nursing Grant (\$515,000) (2012-2015) Role: Co-investigator – M. Parker; PI - M. Stanton, College of Nursing. Qualitative and quantitative life course study of active duty RNs. Overall research aims are consistent with the successful reintegration of military nurses into their home environments and the care of military nurses and other professional caregivers. These priorities are also in keeping with the Tri-Service Grant Program’s mission regarding Force health protection.

**Parker, M. W.** (PI) (Developmental funding - \$5,000- Donation- & \$23,000 – UA, UAB UoH Human resource departments) (2010-present). Role: Primary Investigator. see working prototype: [www.AgeReadynow.com](http://www.AgeReadynow.com). *AgeReady* is a web based assessment and intervention program that evaluates a employee’s readiness to retire or to provide care to an aging parent. It tailors an automated intervention to the care recipient’s location. The current iteration is aimed at helping employees of universities prepare proactively for parent care or longer life using human resource (HR) departments. The program is envisioned as an employee benefit because elder care is the # 1 HR problem. UA has paid for the costs of filing for a federal patent. Copy rights are in place. The cost to at risk employees and the sponsoring institution is minimal given the long term benefits of proactive planning. Developmental funding has been received from three major universities (the University of Alabama, University of Alabama in Birmingham, University of Alabama in Huntsville, and University of Alabama Systems). Previous funding has been received from the Gerontological Society of America (\$100,000), CMHA (5,000); the US Chaplains Institute, and the US Army and Air War Colleges via Health Promotion Command (\$75,000). Provisional federal patent was submitted and approved, but a full patent was not granted. Instead, a copyright was considered a more appropriate step, and this was completed in 2013. License agreements between UA and the PI are in place, and revenue sharing plans are under discussion.

**Parker, M. W.** (2009). Role: PI (\$2,000). UA Office of Community Affairs, A qualitative and quantitative study of faith based organizations and agencies providing services to older persons. Co-Investigators: Park, N., Lee, H., Dunn, L., Martin, S., Li, A., & MacCall, S.

Call, V., (PI) & **Parker, M. W.** (2009). *The Washington Panel Survey (WPS)*. Served as consultant in the completion of the initial draft of full NIH R01 proposal. Ultimately, the project was submitted by Call to the DVA and subsequently funded by BYU and the VA (\$1,500,000). The WPS is a pre-existing, longitudinal data set. It is highly unique in two ways: First, it is one of the few panel data sources that includes complete event-history data from adolescence (ages 17-18) to early adulthood (ages 30-31) on a large, representative sample of young men and women prior to and after the Viet Nam War; second, it is the only large panel data set in existence that includes pre- and post-Vietnam service information on a representative sample of young men. About half the young men in this study joined or were drafted into the military and half of those in the military served in Vietnam. The NIH R01 proposal that I drafted targeted this group for late life survey.

**Parker, M. W.** (2008-2009). Role: PI (\$5,000). UA Community Affairs Office, A qualitative and quantitative study of faith based organizations and agencies providing services to older persons: Co-Investigators: Park, N., Lee, H., Dunn, L., Martin, S, Li, A., & MacCall, S.

- Parker, M. W.** (2004-2005). Role: PI. (\$5,000). Center for Mental Health & Aging seed grant, University of Alabama. A Parent Care Readiness Intervention Program.
- Parker, M. W.** (2001-2003). Role: PI. (\$6,000). University of Alabama Research Advisory Committee, Preparation for Parent Care: An intervention with military families.
- Parker, M. W.** (2001-2004). Role: PI. (\$100,000). *Hartford* Geriatric Scholars in Social Work Award/Program, The John A. Hartford Foundation and Gerontological Society of America, the Parent Care Readiness Program.
- Parker, M. W.** (2003-2008). NIA R01 AG15062 - Renewal (\$2,562,717), Role: Co-Investigator; PI - Allman, R.
- Parker, M. W.** (1998-2003). NIA R01 AG15062 (\$1,174,766, 1998-2003). Role: Co-PI - UA PI: Parker, M.W. & UAB PI: Allman, R. The hypothesis underlying this research is that potentially modifiable factors predict mobility (life-space) trajectories associated with aging among community-dwelling African Americans (AAs) and whites. This is prospective, observational study of a population-based sample of 1000 community-dwelling Medicare beneficiaries, stratified by sex, race, and urban/rural residence. Participants were age 65 years and older at baseline. Baseline in-home assessments were completed between December 1999 and February 2001.
- Parker, M. W.** (1999-2001). Role: PI. (\$75,000). U.S. Department of Defense, and U.S. Army Center for Health Promotion and Preventive Medicine (USA CHPPM), Grant No. 04-563-2635, US Army War College Life Course Research.
- Parker, M. W.** (1999-2001). Role: PI. (\$5,000). University of Alabama Research Advisory Committee, "Eldercare among senior ranking military officers."
- Parker, M. W.** (1997-1998). Role: PI (\$90,000). Funded by United States Army Health Promotion Command (USACHPPM) for Tobacco Cessation Research, Fort McClellan, AL.
- Parker, M. W.** (1995-1996). Selected by Department of Defense as scientific Reviewer of grants submitted to 1995 Extramural Defense Women's Health Research Initiative (21-23 Jan 96).
- Parker, M. W.** (1990-1991). Role: Officer in Charge, Awarded \$250,000 from 7th Medical Command to study the alcohol dependence among active duty service personnel arrested for driving under the influence, and the development of effective intervention strategies that target drunk drivers.
- Parker, M.W.** (1983-1986). Role: Officer in Charge, Research and Evaluation Division, United State Army Correctional Facility (USACF), Awarded \$500,000 annually from US Army HQs, FORSCOM to study the effectiveness of the USACA's return to duty mission with military prisoners.
- Parker, M.W.** (1980-1982). Role: PI, Dissertation funding (Lewis, Bennett Co-PIs). \$15,000 from Office of Family Policy, Law School, University of Alabama, to study juvenile court practices with status offenders in Alabama.

## PLANNED GRANT ACTIVITY

**Parker, M. W.**, Lee, H., Harrell, R., Klemmack, J., Bertanzetti, Powers, R., Potts, D.D. & Allman, R. (Projected Resubmission: 2015). Role: PI. (\$1,000,000). Remembrance Templeton Foundation,

Parker, M. W. Resubmit FAST TRACK STTR. National Institute of Health (NIH) STTR. *Eldercare Planning for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Worker*.

## RESEARCH & PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS & POSTERS

Parker, M., Simpson, G. & Williams, J. (2015). The AgeReady Program. 2015 Colloquium Research on Congregational Social Work Practice with Persons 55+. Baylor School of Social Work will host a colloquium on congregational social work with persons 55+ from Sunday evening at 5:00 pm, May 17, 2015 through 1:00 pm, Wednesday, May 20, 2015 in Dallas, Texas.

McCaskill, G., Parker, M., Simpson, G. (2015) Poster: Tuscaloosa Families and Old Age: Reported deaths from Tuscaloosa Tornado, 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual HDI (Humanitarian Disaster Institute) Disaster Planning Conference, Wheaton College, Chicago, Il. June 8-11.

Stanton, Marietta, Parker, M. W., Houser, R., & Dunn, L. (2014) Reintegration of Military Nurse Veterans, TSNRP Research and Evidence Based Practice Dissemination Course 2014, *Sponsored by: The Tri-Service Nursing Research Program (TSNRP) Resource Center*, Sept 14-18, La Quinta Inn & Suites, San Antonio Riverwalk, 303 Blum Street, San Antonio, Texas.

Stanton, Marietta; Parker, M. W.; Houser, R., & Dunn, L. (2014) Reintegration of Military Nurse Veterans, 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Rural health Conference, *Healthy Beginnings, Healthy Communities*, Bryant Conference Center, April 29, 2014, Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

Parker, M.W. (2013) *Keith Allen Lucas Lecturer*, NACSW Annual Conference , October 16, Marriott Hotel, Atlanta, Georgia.

Parker, M. W. (2013). Spirituality & Aging, American Christian Counseling Association, May 16, 2013, Lynchburg, Va.

Parker, M. W. Life Review and Spirituality. American Christian Counseling Association Conference, recorded May 16, 2013, Lynchburg, VA.

Parker, M.W., Scott Martin, Hugh Lee, & Gina McCaskill. (2012). A Vision for Aging Communities and Congregations: Successful Aging Conferences, International Community Engagement Conference, October 1, 2012, Bryant Conference Center, Tuscaloosa, Alabama

McCaskill, G. M., Parker, M. W., Boan, D. M, Aten, J. D. (2012). *Fatalities and old age: Reported deaths from the Tuscaloosa tornado*. Poster presented at the 13th Annual Rural Health Conference, The University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL.

- Tatum, A.D., Bishop, P.A., Black, S., **Parker, M.W.** (2012). The Relationship between Self-Reported Health History, Physical Limitations and Physical Performance in Older Adults. Oral presentation at the meeting of the Southeast American College of Sports Medicine Regional Conference, Jacksonville, FL.
- Parker, M. W.** (2011, August 21). *The parent care readiness program*. Paper presented at Southeastern Regional Dementia Conference, Bryant Conference Center, The University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL.
- Tatum, Alicia D., Green, James, **Parker, M. W.**, and Bishop, Phillip. (2011, June 25). *The relationship between daily stair climbing, knee extensor endurance, and physical independence in community dwelling adults*. Paper presented at American College of Sports Medicine, Denver, CO.
- Parker, M. W.**, & Houston, J. *A theology of dementia and life review*. (2010, August 25). Paper presented at Southeast Regional Alzheimer's and other Dementias' Conference - Hope: Prevention, Care & Cure, Bryant Conference Center, The University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL
- Parker, M. W.**, & Klemmack, J. (2011, May). *The parent care readiness program*, Finals – Alabama Launchpad Competition, Mobile, AL.
- Sun, F., Park, N.S., Roff, L., Klemmack, D., **Parker, M. W.**, Koenig, H.,... Allman, Richard (2010, November). *Predicting the trajectories of depressive symptoms among southern, community-dwelling older adults: The roles of religiousness and changes in self-rated health*. Selected for presentation, Paper presented at Gerontological Society of America Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- Bishop, P., Tatum, A., Green, J., & **Parker, M.** (2009, June). *The relationship between daily stair climbing, leg extensor endurance, and physical independence in community-dwelling older adults*. Paper presented at ATINER International Conference, Athens, Greece.
- Park, N.S., Fei Sun, F., Lucinda L Roff, L., Klemmack, D., **Parker, M.W.**, Koenig, H., Sawyer, P., Allman, R. (2009). *Religiousness and Trajectories of Pain Intensity Among Community Dwelling Older Adults*. GSA (Gerontological Society of America) Annual Conference, GSA 2009
- Li, X., Park, N.S., Dunn, L., MacCall, S., Spencer, C., Harrell, R., Lee, H., **Parker, M.**, & Martin, S. (2009, March). *A Preliminary study of community-based services and resources provided by faith-based organizations to older persons in one southern community*. Poster presentation at the 12th Annual Graduate School Association Research and Thesis Conference, Tuscaloosa, AL.
- Parker, M.**, & Hennington, J. (2008, April). *Proventix: The caregiving solution*. Finals Competition. *Alabama IME Alabama Launchpad Competition*, Tuscaloosa, AL.
- Roff, L. L., Park, N. S., Sun, F., Klemmack, D. L., **Parker, M. W.**, Koenig, H. G.,... Allman, R. M. (2007). *Religiousness and pain among community-dwelling African American older adults*. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA.
- Park, N. S., Roff, L. L., Sun, F., **Parker, M. W.**, Klemmack, D. L., Sawyer, P., Allman, R. M. (2007). *Transportation difficulties of Black and White rural older Alabamians*. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA.



- Sanders, E., Shino, K., Ford, B., & **Parker, M.** (2007). SBIR and STTR programs: *The private sector, public sector, and university trifecta*. Presented at the SRA International Conference, Nashville, TN. (Best Paper Award).
- Parker, M. W.**, Powers, Richard; Roff, L., Ford, B., Hollingsworth, M. , Winstead, D.,... Dyer, C. (2007, April 13-15). *Evacuation of the frail elderly during Katrina: Lessons and solutions*. Paper presented at Forensic Psychiatry Post Katrina: Lessons Learned Post Disaster, Chateau Sonest Hotel, New Orleans, Tulane University Health Sciences Center, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA.
- Tatum, A., Bishop, P., Green, J. M., & **Parker, M.** (2007, February 9). *The relationship between daily stair climbing, knee extensor endurance, and physical independence in older adults*. Paper presented at the South Eastern American College of Sports Medicine, Charlotte, NC.
- Park, N., Roff, L., Klemmack, D., **Parker, M.**, Koenig, H., Sawyer, P., & Allman, R. (2006, November). *Religiousness and longitudinal trajectories in elders' functional status and self-perceived health*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America 59<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Dallas, TX.
- Roff, L., Klemmack, D., & **Parker, M.** (2005, November 18-11). *Faith matters, health, and functioning of older persons: An interdisciplinary inquiry I*. Paper accepted at The Gerontological Society of America 58th Annual Scientific Meeting, New Orleans, LA.
- Parker, M. W.** (2005, March 30–April 1). *An update on aging*. Paper presented at the Alabama Conference of Social Work, Mobile, AL.
- Klemmack, D., Roff, L., **Parker, M.**, Koenig, H., Baker, P., & Allman, R. (2004). *Religion, spirituality, and health outcomes in older adults with chronic conditions*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America GSA Annual Conference, Washington, D.C..
- Jennings, L. K., Roff, L. L., & **Parker, M. W.** (2004). *Duty, obligation or responsibility? An exploration of the adult child's caregiving experience*. Paper presented at The Gerontological Society of America. Washington D.C.
- Baker, P., **Parker, M.**, & Allman, R. (2004, April 1). *Mobility assessment of seniors*. Paper presented at the Alabama Conference of Social Work, Gulf Shores, AL.
- Parker, M.** (2003, December 12-13). *A model of parent care assessment and intervention: A workshop*. Paper presented at the Dementia Support Conference, Tulane Medical School, Department of Psychiatry, New Orleans, LA.
- Parker, M.** (2003, October 22). *Aging and the social worker: Personal, professional and spiritual issues*. Paper presented at the NAC Social Work Pre-conference Workshop, Louisville, KY.
- Roff, L., Myers, D., Klemmack, D., & **Parker, M.** (2003). *Spirituality and parent care: A faith based intervention*. Part of a symposium on spirituality and aging. Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC.

- Roff, L.K., Klemmack, D., & **Parker, M.** (2003). *Religiosity Among Southern Older Adults: A Cluster Analysis*. Poster session presented at the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC.
- Parker, M.** (2003, July). *Preparing military families for parent care*. Paper presented at the US Air Force Marriage and Family Conference, Charleston, South Carolina.
- Parker, M.** (2003-). Chair, NACSW's *Aging and Faith/Spirituality Community of Scholars Group*, an on-going Internet and conference call network aimed at enhancing the quality of spirituality & aging research.
- Parker, M. W.,** Roff, L., Toseland, R., & Klemmack. (2003, March 1). *The Hartford military parent care project: A psycho-social educational intervention with long distance parent care providers*. Poster session presented at the First National Gerontological Social Work Conference, held in conjunction with Council Social Work Education Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- Roff, L., Klemmack, D., & **Parker, M. W.** (2003, March 1). *Depression and religiosity in African American and White community-dwelling older adults*. Poster session presented at First National Gerontological Social Work Conference, held in conjunction with Council Social Work Education Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- Parker, M.,** Koenig, H., Davis, J., Caldwell, N., Hataway, J., & Allman, R. (2003). *A multidisciplinary model of health promotion incorporating spirituality into successful aging interventions with African American and White elderly*. Paper presented at the Rockefeller Institute of Government Conference on Faith Based Initiatives, Bethesda, MD.
- Parker, M.** (2003). *Preparing for parent care: An intervention model*. Paper presented at the Alabama Social Work Conference, Gulf Shores, AL.
- Call, V., **Parker, M.,** Roff, L., & Toseland, R. (2002, November). *Geographic distance and associational solidarity between generations: The impacts of parental health status*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA.
- \*Gabbard, W., & **Parker, M.** (2002, April). *Spirituality and health issues with homeless veterans*. Paper presented at National Coalition for Homeless Veterans Conference, Washington, DC.
- \***Parker, M. W.** (2002, May). *The Hartford military parent care project*. Paper presented at the Center for Aging Scientific Series, University of Alabama at Birmingham.
- \***Parker, M. W,** & Roff, L. (2002, June). *Successful aging and spirituality*. Paper presented at the Alabama Gerontological Society Annual Conference, Tuscaloosa, AL.
- Parker, M.,** Kosberg, J., and Call, V. (2001, July). *Male caregiving from a distance*. Paper presented at the 17th Congress of the International Association of Gerontology, Vancouver, Canada.
- \***Parker, M. W.** (2001, July). *Spirituality, the forgotten factor in mental health*. Paper presented at the Scientific Series, School of Medicine, Department of Psychiatry, Tulane Medical School, New Orleans, LA.

- Parker, M. W., Call, V., & Dunkel, R.** (2000, November). *Parent care stress among children who live long distances from parents: The case of military families*. Paper presented as part of a symposium entitled: *The concerned son, a new paradigm for parent care*, Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC.
- Parker, M. W., Allman, R., Bishop, P., Thompson, P., Moore, C. Kosberg, J., & Flynn, S.** (2000, March). *Summer camps for seniors: A multidisciplinary intervention advocating successful aging and spirituality*, Paper presented at the Southern Gerontological Society, Richmond, VA.
- Parker, M. W.** (1999, November). *A life course model of successful aging: Preliminary analysis of US Army War College cohort groups*. Paper presented at Gerontological Society of America, Symposium for Special Interest Group on Aging Veterans and their Families, Washington, DC.
- Parker, M. W.** (1997, April). *Eldercare, a demographic imperative: Preparation and practical considerations for military families*. Paper presented at Annual International Tri-Service Behavioral Science Conference, Tampa, FL.
- Parker, M. W.** (1995, November). *The efficacy of a life course perspective in unifying research, program, and policy initiatives*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America's 48th Annual Conference, Los Angeles, CA.
- Parker, M. W.** (1994, November). *The efficacy of a life course perspective in the development of programs, policy and research affecting military families, special interest group on aging military and their families*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America's 47th Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA
- \*Parker, M. W.** (1994, April). *Eldercare, An issue that's 'come of age' for military families*. Paper presented at the US Army, Europe and Seventh Army Medical Department Annual Conference, Garmisch, Germany.
- Parker, M. W.** (1993, November). *Late life counsel for him who has borne the battle*. Paper presented at Gerontological Society of America's 46th Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA.
- \*Parker, M. W.** (1991, October). *Alcoholism treatment in the US Army*. Paper presented at the *International British Military Psychiatry Conference*, Royal British Army Medical College, London, England.
- Parker, M. W.** (1990, June). *The assessment of suicidal risk*. Paper presented at the Annual Tri-service International Behavioral Science Conference, Bad Kissingen, Germany.
- Parker, M. W.** (1990, March). *An overview of alcoholism rehabilitation programs in Europe*. Plenary address presented at the *7th Medical Command's Annual Alcohol Rehabilitation Conference*, Bad Kissingen, Germany.
- Parker, M. W.** (1990, March). *Quality assurance and the Army's drug and alcohol rehabilitation program*. Paper presented at the *7th Medical Command's European Quality Assurance Conference*, Heidelberg, Germany.
- Parker, M. W.** (1989, March). *Computerized psychiatric diagnosis*. Paper presented at the *International Social Work Practices Conference*, Denver, CO.

**Parker, M. W.** (1986, October). *The computer, a Godsend?* Paper presented at the North American Association of Christians in Social Work Annual Conference, Valley Forge, PA.

**Parker, M.W.** (1986, May). *Computer application in military social work.* Paper presented at the International Military Social Work Practices Conference, San Antonio, TX.

Georgoulakis, J., Chynoweth, G., & **Parker, M. W.** (1983, October). *Predicting subsequent service potential for former Army prisoners: A preliminary follow-up.* Paper presented at the Military Testing Association Conference, Gulf Shores, AL.

**Parker, M. W.,** & Chynoweth, G. (1983, October). *Program of evaluation at the US Army Correctional Activity: A multivariate approach.* Paper presented at the National Military Testing Association Conference, Gulf Shores, AL.

Chynoweth, G., & **Parker, M. W.** (1983, October). *The end of cycle review: A program management tool at the United States Army Correctional Activity.* Paper presented at the National Military Testing Association Conference, Gulf Shores, AL.

Chynoweth, G., & **Parker, M. W.** (1983, October). *Follow-up of US Army Correctional Activity graduates returned to duty: The on-site visit.* Paper presented at the National Military Testing Association Conference, Gulf Shores, AL.

**Parker, M. W.** & Winstead, D.K., (1977, August). *Patient autonomy in alcoholism rehabilitation.* Paper presented at the World Psychiatric Convention, Honolulu, HI.

#### OTHER INVITED SERVICE TALKS, PAPERS & WORKSHOPS

**Parker, M.,** Dunn, L., Li, X. (2009, March). *Community advocacy for older adults.* Invited presentation at the Alabama Public Health Association Annual Meeting, Mobile, AL.

**Parker, M. W.** (2009, July 25). *Aging in America.* Invited plenary speaker at the Alabama Medical Directors Association, 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Destin, FL.

**Parker, M. W.** (2009, August 15). *The Aging Church.* Invited plenary speaker at Canterbury-Beeson Forum on Aging, Birmingham, AL.

**Parker, M.** (2009, July 15). *The aging church: Burden or legacy?* Paper presented at the Conference on Spiritual and Mental Health, hosted by HealthCare Ministries, Tuscaloosa, AL.

**Parker, M.** (2008, June 6-9). *The Aging church.* National Faculty Leadership Conference, Washington, D.C., The Crystal Gateway Marriott, Arlington, Virginia.

\***Parker, M.** (2007, November 15). *The aging church: Burden or legacy.* Plenary talk presented at the Annual Significant Living Conference, Irvine, CA.

\***Parker, M.** (2007, November 16). *The parent care readiness program.* Workshop presented at the Annual Significant Living Conference, Irvine, CA.

**Parker, M.** (2006, June 14). *The parent care readiness program.* Tuscaloosa Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

**Parker, M. W.** (2006, March 17). *Spirituality and Practice.* Invitation talk presented on Social Work Day, Taylor-Hardin Center, Tuscaloosa, AL.

- Parker, M. W.** (2005, June 18). *Spirituality and health*. Presented at Baptist Health Systems, Princeton Hospital, Birmingham, AL.
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- Parker, M.** (2003, May). *Parent care, spirituality and aging: A workshop*. Presented at the Beeson Geriatric Training Program: A Faith-based Community Initiative. Carraway Methodist Medical Center, Birmingham, AL.
- Parker, M.** (2002, August). *Spirituality and aging*. Presented at DHR Training Conference, Tuscaloosa, AL.
- Parker, M. W.** (2002). *Successful Aging and Spirituality: Medical-Religious partnerships*. Annual *Primetimers20 Conference*: Chicago, IL. April.
- Parker, M.** (2001). *Aging Successfully: Ecumenical Conferences for seniors*. June 12, 2001, Ecumenical planning group, Columbia, TN.
- Parker, M.** (2000). *Spiritual health and the elderly: The Forgotten Factor*. Plenary speaker, North Alabama Task Force for Elderly and Disabled Adults. *Conference on the Elderly and Disabled Adults*. Florence, AL, July.
- Parker, M.W.** (2000). *Medical and Religious Partnerships*. Annual Conference for the Senior Adult Leadership Network of the Southern Baptist Church. Tucson, AZ. April.
- Parker, M.W.** (2000). *Faith and Health*. *US Army War College Family Support Conference*, Carlisle, PA. February.
- Parker, M. W.** (1999). *Historical examples of successful aging*. *Summer Camp for Seniors*. Tuscaloosa, AL, June.
- Parker, M. W.** (1999). *The value of ecumenical interventions with minority elderly*, invited speaker, Association of Christian Churches in Anniston, AL, June.
- Parker, M. W.** (1999). *Successful Aging*. *Retired Officer's Association Meeting*. Tuscaloosa, AL, April.
- Parker, M.W.** (1966). *The Necessity of 'Margin' as a Core Concept of Personal Wellness*. Plenary address at *Annual Social Work Day*, Jacksonville State University, March.
- Parker, M.W.** (1994). *A life course perspective for military families*. *US Army Europe and Seventh Army Medical Department Annual Conference*, Garmisch, Germany, April.
- Chynoweth, G. and **Parker, M.W.** (1985). *Unit environment and the problem soldier: A preliminary study*. *ALPHA Leadership Conference*. Ft. Riley, KS, May.
- Parker, M.W.** (1980). *Community involvement in primary prevention of alcohol abuse*. *Southeastern Forum on Alcoholism*. University of Alabama, AL, August.

## EDITORIAL EXPERIENCE AND JOURNAL REFEREEING

- 2015-2016, Reviewer for the 2016 White House Counsel on Aging
- 2014- present, Reviewer, *Mental Health & Aging*
- 2012-present, Editorial board, *Journal of Social Work and Christianity*
- 2009- present, Reviewer: *International Journal of Alzheimer's Disease*
- 2008- present, Reviewer: *Generations*
- 2006- present, Reviewer *Medical Journal of Australia*
- 2005- present, Reviewer *Canadian Journal on Aging*
- 2005- present, Reviewer *Aging & Mental Health*
- 2003- 2008, Reviewer *Journal of Social Service Research*
- 2003 Guest Editor, special edition, *Geriatric Care Management*

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20 National association that encourages volunteerism among senior citizens

2002- present, Reviewer *Journal of Gerontological Social Work*

2001- present, Reviewer *The Gerontologist*

## PROFESSIONAL TEACHING ACTIVITIES

Courses taught:

SW 501	Social Work and Advanced Policy ON-LINE
SW 528*	Spirituality and Practice*
SW 528	Spirituality and Practice ON-LINE*
SW 505*	Life Review*
SW 510	Human Development and Behavior Across the Life Span
SW 511	Human Development and Behavior Across the Life Span
SW 520	Research Methods and Social Work Practice
SW 583	Physical and Psychological Aging in a Social Context
SW 580	Aging in a Social Context
SW 410	Human Growth and Development I
SW 411	Human Growth and Development II
SW 206*	Aging in America
SW 206*	Aging in America ONLINE
SW 100*	*Aging in America, campus-wide freshman seminar*
SW 533*	Models and Methods of Gerontological Social Work Practice
SW 533*	Models and Methods of Gerontological Social Work Practice ON-LINE
SW 585*	Geriatric Care Management

\* Developed new or revised course

## INTERDISCIPLINARY DOCTORAL AND POST-DOCTORAL SUPERVISION<sup>21</sup>

POST DOCTORAL SUPERVISION:

John A. Hartford Foundation & GSA Geriatric Scholar National Mentor, 2011-2013, for Dr. Lori Thomas, University of North Carolina, Hartford Cohort XII, Title of proposed research: *Aging Without Place: The Experience of Cumulative Trauma and Adversity among Older Homeless Adults*.

UA-College of Nursing External Research Mentor, 2009-2010, for Linda L. Dunn, DSN, RN, CCE, Professor, External Research Mentorship, Spirituality & Nursing, 1<sup>st</sup> granted by Capstone College of Nursing.

John A. Hartford Foundation advisor for Bryan Ford, UAB and DVA GRECC, the first recipient of the John A. Hartford & GSA Veteran Affairs Geriatric Scholars Award 2010-2012.

NATIONAL RECOGNITION:

Nominated successfully Yugi Guo for AGE SW Gerontological Social Work (AGE SW) Pre-Dissertation Initiative in 2015-16, member of the 6<sup>th</sup> cohort group. 22

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<sup>21</sup> Renewed, full member of the Graduate Faculty, University of Alabama, 2010.

Nominated successfully two of my UA Doctoral Research Assistants, Michelle Piper and Allison Li, for the distinguished GADE Leadership Award<sup>23</sup> for Ph.D. Students in Social Work for their participation in my UA Community Grant with faith based communities. Both were the recipients of this distinguished national award at CSWE APM 2010-11 Conference.

Supported one (1), UA PhD student in Psychology and two (2), UA PhD students in Social Work with successful John A. Hartford & GSA Geriatric Fellow applications: Gina McCaskill - 2011, Bryan Ford - 2008, & Avani Shah - 2006.<sup>24</sup>

Supported four (4), UA junior faculty members with successful John A. Hartford & GSA Geriatric Scholar applications: Nan Park - 2006, Shadi Martin - 2009, Fei Sung - 2010, & Bryan Ford - 2010.<sup>25</sup>

### ONGOING DOCTORAL SUPERVISION:

John A. Hartford Foundation & GSA Fellows Institutional Mentor and member of the UA Dissertation Committee for Gina McCaskill, MSW, *Diabetic Self-Assessment*, 2012.

UA PhD Concentration Committee member for:

- Quentin R. Maynard, LGSW, MSW - caregiving
- Yugi Guo - area of study: Aging & the life course
- Robin Harvey - area of study: Life Reviews of Civil Rights Leaders
- Carolyn Neiswender - area of study: dementia care interventions, UT PhD student
- Nyshetia White-Chapman -, area of study: employment
- Freda V. Coleman-Reed- grandparents raising grandchildren
- Crystal Broussard - area of study - end of life communications

### COMPLETED:

Gina M. McCaskill, Validation of the self-care utility Geriatric African American Rating (SUGAAR) for Type 2 Diabetes, 2013.

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22 Student will receive one-year membership in Gerontological Society of America and the Association for Gerontological Education in Social Work, registration to the 68<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting of the GSA including attendance at a day-long conference session focus on gerontological social work research strategies, a \$1500 stipend & a \$500 stipend from UA, and membership in the 6<sup>th</sup> cohort group.

23 Group for the Advancement of Doctoral Education in Social Work The GADE Student Award for Leadership and Service is given to a social work doctoral student, group of students, or doctoral student organization who, through on-going or time-limited actions, activities or project(s), have made significant contributions to excellence in doctoral education, including teaching and learning, community-building, curriculum advancement, expansion or creation of supportive resources, program quality improvement, community service, or advocacy.

24 The University of Alabama has one of the highest rates of Hartford Faculty Scholars and Fellows selection in the nation.

25 Dr. Fei Sung was a graduate of the Ph.D. program in Social Work at UA.

Dissertation Committee member & Chair <sup>26</sup> for UA Social Work student, Hae Jung Shin, Dissertation: *Senior volunteerism and Civic Engagement in the United States and Korea*, School of Social Work, University of Alabama, 2011.

Dissertation Committee member, for UA Psychology student, Martin Morthland, Dissertation: *Technology Assisted Intervention for Improving Mood: A Portable Computer-Assisted therapy Program for Treating Depression in Older Adults*, Psychology Department, University of Alabama, 2011.

Dissertation Committee member, UA Psychology student, Avani Shah, Dissertation: *Automated interventions with older persons suffering from late life depression*, Psychology Department, University of Alabama, 2010.

Dissertation Committee member, UA Psychology student, M. Davis, Dissertation: *A computerized intervention with older persons suffering from late life depression*, Psychology Department, University of Alabama, 2008.

Dissertation Committee member, UA Social Work student, Bryan Ford, Dissertation: *Predicting Public Support for Government Funded Health: Spiritual variables and the Disposition-Attribution Model of Support for Social Welfare*, School of Social Work, University of Alabama, 2008.

Dissertation Committee member, UA Kinesiology student, Alicia Tatum, Dissertation: *A. The relationship between daily stair climbing, knee extensor endurance, and physical independence in older adults*. Kinesiology Department, University of Alabama, 2007.

Dissertation Committee member & Chair, UA Psychology student, S. Davis, Dissertation: *Stress, coping and spirituality among young Americans*. Department of Psychology, University of Alabama, 2006.

Dissertation Committee member & Chair, Concentration Committee, UA Social Work student, Jay Gabbard, Dissertation: *Spirituality and Religiosity of Homeless Individuals*. School of Social Work, University of Alabama, 2004.

Dissertation Committee member, UA Social Work student, Keith Springle, Dissertation: *Cultural sharing in the US Navy families*. School of Social Work, University of Alabama, 2002.

Concentration Committee, UA Social Work student, H. Brown, Dissertation: *Older People and Health Care*, School of Social Work, University of Alabama, 2000.

## MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL AND SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES

Gerontological Society of America  
American Society of Aging  
AGE-SW ~ Association for Gerontology Education in Social Work  
Alabama Gerontological Society  
North American Association of Christians in Social Work  
The Society for Spirituality and Social Work

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<sup>26</sup> Transitioned from chair to member after my son's spinal cord injury.



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Department of Defense, Health Promotion Command  
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US Air and Army War Colleges, US Air and Army Chaplain Institutes  
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Gerontological Society of America, Hartford Scholars Program  
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John A. Hartford Foundation, Geriatric Scholars Selection Committee & VA Scholars Initiative  
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Governor, State of Alabama, Black Belt Initiative  
Alabama Department of Public Health  
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Director, Department of Senior Services, State of Alabama  
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, *Faith & Action Initiative*, Grant reviewer  
Utah Senior Olympics Program Planning Committee  
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