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EDUCATION

DNP: University of Alabama at Birmingham
2009 - 2010 Major: Doctorate of Nursing Practice

Post-Masters Certification FNP: Medical College of Georgia
1994 - 1996 Major: Post Master's Program

Post Graduate Medical College of Georgia
1993 - 1994 Major: Parent-Child Nursing (15 Hours)

MSN Medical College of Georgia
1989 - 1992 Major: Adult Nursing, Education Tract

BSN Medical College of Georgia
1986 - 1988 Major: Nursing

Pre-Nursing Core
1984 – 1988 Auburn, University of Georgia

PROFESSIONAL

LEADERSHIP AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

Piedmont University Title Dean: College of Nursing and Health Sciences
Rank: Professor
Office Address: 1021 Central Avenue, Demorest, GA 30535
Office Phone: 706-776-0116
Appointment: July 2016 to December 2022 (retiring)

Augusta University Rank: Assistant Professor
AU Title: Assistant Dean for CONAT (College of Nursing Athens campus)
Office Address: 1905 Barnett Shoals Rd, Athens GA 30605
Office Phone: 706-389-6805
Appointment: September 2010 – July 2016 (accepted Deanship at Piedmont University)

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Nov 2023-present Student Success Coordinator: Department of Nursing
Associate Professor

July 2016 – Dec 2022 Dean: College of Nursing and Health Sciences-Piedmont University

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Sep 2010 – June 2016	Assistant Professor/SONAT coordinator School of Nursing--Athens campus (CONAT) --Georgia Health Sciences University
2005 - 2010	Instructor –Graduate FNP program Dept. Biobehavioral Nursing --Medical College of Georgia
2003 - 2005	Clinical Faculty --Undergraduate, Nursing Dept. Biobehavioral Nursing --Medical College of
2002 - 2003	Clinical Faculty --Undergraduate, Nursing Athens Technical College
1999 - 2002	Assistant Professor Parent Child Nursing, Nursing --Medical College of Georgia
1992-2005	Instructor/ --Undergraduate, Nursing Parent Child Nursing, Nursing --Medical College of Georgia
1991 - 1992	Nurse Educator--Learning Resource Center, Nursing Medical College of Georgia
1990 - 1991	Graduate Student Teaching Assistant --Learning Resource Center, Nursing Medical College of Georgia

Administrative Responsibilities/Appointments

2016 – 2022	Dean’s Council
2016 – 2022	Provost Council
2012 – 2022	Graduate Faculty Status appointment
2011 – 2022	Assistant Dean for CONAT (GRU Campus in Athens)
Sep 2010 - Jun 2011	Coordinator: School of Nursing Athens Campus (CONAT) Georgia Health Sciences University

Clinical and Health Care

2013 - 2015	Family Nurse Practitioner (PT clinical practice site): Specialty Care Clinic
2002 - 2011	Family Nurse Practitioner--DM and ADR--Dr. David Jarrett
1999 - 2005	Family Nurse Practitioner (PRN) Regional First Care Ambulatory Clinic
1998 - 2004	Family Nurse Practitioner (PT) Dept. of Juvenile Justice Athens Regional Youth Detention Center (facility closed)
1996 - 2002	Family Nurse Practitioner (PRN) Athens Regional Medical Center Emergency Department, GA Emergency Medical Systems
1994 - 2004	Legal Nurse Consultant --Independent Contractor
1990 - 1996	Staff and Charge Nurse—Athens Regional Medical Center (regular and PRN) Medical/Surgical, Adult ICU, Pediatrics, IV Therapy
1988 - 1990	Staff nurse --Egleston Children's Hospital at Emory University

Committee Assignments

2016-2022	Provost and Dean’s council
2016-2022	Graduate Program Committee
2016-2022	Academic program Committee
2016-2022	Nursing and Health Sciences’s leadership teams

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2017-2022	Strategic Enrollment
2011 – 2022	Assistant Dean for CONAT (GRU College of Nursing Athens)
2012 - 2017	Development of Northeast Georgia Nursing Program Consortium
2012 - 2016	CONAT-APRN Clinic outreach –Leader in development community based clinic
2010 - 2016	Interim CONAT coordinator

Committees Assigned as CONAT coordinator

- Workload Efficiency Task Force
- GRU- client email focus group
- Pre-Licensure Faculty Forum
- CON Advancement Committee
- PIP Committee member
- DNP program committee
- School of Nursing Advancement Committee
- NP-DNP action transition team
- Presidential Faculty Satisfaction Action Team
- Outcomes committee
- Academic Affairs committee
- Campus Faculty Search Committee Pool

GRU Enterprise Committees

2010 – 2016	LMS (Learning Management Systems) Project ITAC (Instructional Technology Advisory Committee) Mobile Technology Advisory Committee LTSP (Long Term Strategic Planning Subgroup Committee Member Clinical Strategic Priority Workgroup (Part of Transformation 2020)
2010-2011	Presidential Faculty Satisfaction Action Team Member Internal Newsletter Focus Group

Departmental Committees

2007-2016	Bio-behavioral search committee
1998 - 2001	Teller, School of Nursing Medical College of Georgia Co-Coordinator, Continuing education program- Clinical Update for Nurse Practitioners and Physician Assistants at Medical College of Georgia Member, GRU Faculty Grievance Committee Medical College of Georgia
1997 - 1998	Coordinator, Statewide System Health Assessment Review Course

College of Nursing Committees (GRU)

2013	NP-DNP Transition Task Force
2013	Chair: RN-BSN Task Force
2012-2013	Promotion and Tenure Committee Task Force member
2012- 2016	CON Promotion and Tenure Bylaws- member
2012- 2016	CON Workload- member

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2010- 2016	Member, Outcomes Committee
2010- 2016	Member, Academic Affairs
2008- 2016	NP - DNP transition Committee
2007- 2016	Member, FNP Admissions Committee
2006 - 2016t	Member, Biobehavioral Nursing Search Committee
2005- 2016	Member, Nursing Faculty Practice Group
2005 - 2016	Advisor, Graduate FNP students
2006 - 2009	Chair: Master's Program Committee
1998 - 2002	Member, Faculty Grievance Committee
1997 - 2002	Chair, Undergraduate Course Coordinators committee
1994 - 2011	Course Coordinator
1996 - 2001	Member, PCN Search Committee
1994 - 2001	Member, Undergraduate Programs Committee
1993 - 2000	Member, Student Affairs Committee
1998 - 1999	Chair, Student Affairs Committee
1994 - 1996	Member, PCN Faculty Retreat Committee
1994 - 1995	Chair, Student Affairs Committee
1992 - 1993	Member, Task force for Curriculum Revision
1995 - 2009	Advisor, School of Nursing Classes of 1995, 1997, 1999, 2008
1992 - 2002	Advisor, Georgia Association of Nursing Students

Research and Training Grants

- (2009 - 2010) HRSA Nurse Faculty Loan Award. HRSA. Primary Investigator: Behr, Julia Lowe. Amount Awarded: \$7,200
- (Mar 2002 - Jun 2006) "Pilot data to improve fundability of a randomized clinical trial on the effects of exercise on back pain, function, and mood in pregnancy.
- University of Georgia-Medical College of Georgia Joint Intramural Grant. Co-Principle: OConner, Patrick; Behr, Julia Lowe. Amount Awarded: \$79,575 over 4 years.
- (2000 - 2001) Educational course development grant. Faculty Development Institute (FDI). Other Investigators: Behr, Julia Lowe. Amount Awarded: \$10,525
- (1999) Educational technology grant. Faculty Development Institute (FDI). Other Investigators: Behr, Julia Lowe. Amount Awarded: \$15,00

Current Clinical Responsibilities and Assignments

2005 - 2022 FNP clinical courses 7470, 6880, 6900, 6890, 6980, 7460: Course coordination, revision, clinical placement and supervision

LEADERSHIP AND TRAINING

- The Science and Practice of Leading Yourself: June, 2014: GRU Leadership Academy
- American Association of Colleges of Nursing: Leadership for Academic Nursing Program (LANP) Fellowship July, 2011 Indianapolis, IN
- Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) Training Program June 2011, Reston, VA

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LISCENSURE

1988-Presebt	Registered Nurse: RN089562
1996 – 2021	Family Nurse Practitioner --ANCC (no longer maintained due to inadequate practice time related to my current position as Dean—did not renew last cycle)
1986 - 2022	Basic Cardiac Life Support --America Heart Association
1999-2010	HIV Certified Counselor
1996 - 1999	Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS)
1990 - 1995	Basic Life Support Instructor –American Heart Association

AWARDS/HONORS

May 2015	Sigma Theta Tau--Beta Omicon Chapter: Excellence in Mentoring
Apr 2010	Dean's Ever Onward Award --Medical College of Georgia School of Nursing
Jul 2009	William Groce Campbell Endowed Nursing Scholarship --UAB Birmingham
2000	Distinguished Faculty Development Institute recipient --Georgia Board of Regents
1998	Spirit of Nursing Award nominee
1998, 1992	GANS Advisor of the Year --Georgia Association of Nursing Students
1987-1996	Honor Roll In Undergraduate and Graduate Studies --Medical College of Georgia
1988	Summa Cum Laude Graduate from BSN Program--Medical College of Georgia

SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

2014-2022	Phi Kappa Phi inductee and member
2012 - 2022	GRU Academy of Educators Inductee and member
2004 – 2020	National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculty --NONPF
2004 – 2022	United Advanced Practice Registered Nurses Georgia (APRN-GA)
1989-2009	Georgia Nurses Association
1989 - 2000	Association of Pediatric Oncology Nurses
1994 – 2009	Sigma Theta Tau

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

2008 -2012	Girl Scout Troop Leader—Troop 12170, Watkinsville GA
2000 - 2003	Chair of Board of Directors: Athens Nurses Clinic
1992-2003	Volunteer: Athens Nurses Clinic
1996 - 2000	Editor: NA Newsletter District 11
1998 - 1993	Chair- Scholarship Committee
1990-1994	Board Liaison for Scholarship and Publicity Committees
1998	Deputy Registrar, Oconee County
1986 - 1988	Volunteer Coordinator: Special Olympics of NE Georgia

2022ATIONS AT MEETINGS

International

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- Behr, J. (June 2012). Opiate Addiction in Pregnancy: Implications for Care and Practice” - AWHONN, Washington, DC.
- Behr, J. (Apr 2011). Evaluating Nursing Knowledge and Attitude in Caring for Pregnant Women with Opiate Addiction: Examining the Evidence—Pacific Institute of Nursing Conference, Honolulu, HI
- Behr, J. (Apr 2011). Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnostic Reasoning: An integrated teaching approach—Pacific Institute of Nursing Conference, Honolulu, HI

Regional

- Behr, J. (Apr 2010). Evaluating knowledge, attitude, and presence of countertransference with nurses caring for pregnant patients with opiate addiction. University of Alabama at Birmingham.
- Behr, J. (Apr 2010). Evaluating knowledge, attitude, and presence of countertransference with nurses caring for pregnant patients with opiate addiction. University of Alabama--Huntsville.

Local

- Behr, J. (Oct 2010). Opiate Addiction in Pregnancy: Implications in Care and Practice.
- Behr, J. (Oct 2010). Teaching with Technology: Integrating Active Learning Strategies in Online Learning
- Behr, J. (May 2010). Evaluating knowledge, attitude, and presence of countertransference with nurses caring for pregnant patients with opiate addiction. ARMC-Research Day.

PUBLICATIONS IN NON-REFEREED JOURNALS

- Behr, J. (2000). Successful pediatric laceration repair. Advance for nurse practitioners, 7, 34-39.

PUBLICATIONS IN REFEREED JOURNALS

- Behr, J. (2008). Opioid Addiction and Methadone Maintenance Overview. Clinician Reviews, 18, 29-31.

BOOKS AND CHAPTERS

- Behr, J. The ball is in your court. Guide for individuals diagnosed with cancer.
- Burrell, L., Gerlach, M., Pless, B., Behr, J. (1997). Post-operative nursing. Adult nursing: Acute and community care.
- Burrell, L., Gerlach, M., Pless, B., Behr, J. (1997). Preoperative nursing. Adult nursing: Acute and community care.
- Behr, J., Desmond, A., Wach, C. (1994). Principles of drug administration. In M. Gerlach (Ed.), Concepts and activities: Nursing pharmacology. Springhouse, PA: Springhouse Corporation.
- Behr, J., Desmond, A. Dosage measurements and calculations. In M. Gerlach (Ed.), Concepts and activities: Nursing pharmacology. Springhouse, PA: Springhouse Corporation. (1996). In J. Behr (Ed.), Health promotion in nursing practice. Norwalk, CT: Appleton & Lange.