

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education:

2006-2008	A.T. Still University Mesa, AZ Doctor of Physical Therapy - March 2008
2001-2003	Boston University Boston, MA Master of Science Physical Therapy - January 2003
1997-2001	Boston University Boston, MA Bachelor of Science Health Science – May 2001

Licensure Information:

2003 – present	Massachusetts Physical Therapist License #16397
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Certifications:

2009	APTA Advanced Credentialed Clinical Instructor
2007	APTA Credentialed Clinical Instructor

Employment and Positions Held:

2011 - present	Associate Director of Clinical Education & Assistant Professor MGH Institute of Health Professions School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences Charlestown Navy Yard Boston, MA
2012 - 2018	Clinical Instructor MGH Institute of Health Professions Physical Therapy Center for Clinical Education and Health Promotion
2011 – 2017	Per Diem Physical Therapist Lahey Health formerly Northeast Health Systems Lahey Outpatient Center Danvers formerly Beverly Hospital at Danvers

Danvers, MA

2009 –2011	Term Lecturer/Lab Instructor MGH Institute of Health Professions
2010-2011	Clinical Team Leader Northeast Health Systems Center for Rehab and Sports Medicine - Beverly Hospital at Danvers Danvers, MA
2008-2011	Staff Physical Therapist Northeast Health Systems Center for Rehab and Sports Medicine - Beverly Hospital at Danvers Danvers, MA
2003-2008	Staff Physical Therapist New England Rehabilitation Hospital Danvers, MA

Peer Reviewed Publications:

Haladay, D; Morris, Z; Tilson, J; Fitzgerald, C; Applebaum, D; Flom-Meland, C; DeWaay, D; Manal, T; Gravano, T; Anderson, S; Miro, R; Russ, D; Klein, A. (2024) Development of a Novel Evidence-Based Practice-Specific Competency for Doctor of Physical Therapy Students in Clinical Education: A Modified Delphi Approach. Journal of Physical Therapy Education.

Naidoo, K., Fitzgerald, C., Arrigo, M., Wong, J., & McCarthy-Jacobson, A. (2023). *Mentoring the mentor: Developing clinical instructor cross-cultural psychological capital to support culturally/linguistically diverse DPT students*. The Journal of Clinical Education in Physical Therapy, 5. <https://doi.org/10.52214/icept.v5.10395>

Peer Reviewed Scientific and Professional Presentations:

February 2023	Mentoring the Mentor: Building Clinical Instructor Cross-Cultural Psychological Capital and Fostering Belonging for Minoritized DPT Students Presenters: Keshrie Naidoo, Caitlin Fitzgerald, Monica Arrigo, Justin Wong, Anne McCarthy Jacobson Combined Sections Meeting – San Diego, CA
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October 2022	Coaching Supported Learning Community Design: External Supports to Enhance Full Time Clinical Education Presenters: Caitlin Fitzgerald & Monica Arrigo Education Leadership Conference – American Physical Therapy Association (Education Academy and ACAPT) – Milwaukee, WI
October 2022	Development of an Evidence-Based Practice-Specific Entrustable Professional Activity for DPT Students Douglas Haladay, PT, DPT, PhD, MHS, Zoe Morris, PhD, Donna Applebaum, PT, DPT, MS, Caitlin Fitzgerald, PT, DPT, Cynthia Flom-Meland, PT, PhD, Aimee Klein, PT, DPT, DSc, Tamara Gravano, PT, DPT, EdD, David Russ, PT, PhD, Rebecca Miro, PhD, Stephanie Anderson, PT, DPT, Julie Tilson, PT, DPT, MS, Tara Jo Manal, PT, DPT, FAPTA, Joseph Wegley, PT, DPT, Matthew Picard-Fraser, PT, DPT, Deborah DeWaay, MD Education Leadership Conference – American Physical Therapy Association (Education Academy and ACAPT) – Milwaukee, WI
April 2021	Changing climate, changing curriculum: Preparing Future healthcare providers to address climate health and improve population health Presenters: Ashley McLellan, Alexa McWhinnie, Benjamin Gordon, Caitlin Fitzgerald, Margie Sipe, Patrice Nicolas & Sue Ellen Breakey Climate Change & Health: The Intersection of Climate Change, COVID-19 & structural racism, MGH Institute of Health Professions – Boston, MA
October 2019	Making Integrated Clinical Education Work – It's All about Consistency, Connections and Collaboration Presenters: Jane Baldwin, Caitlin Fitzgerald, Laura Plummer, Elizabeth Cornforth & Lesley Smith Education Leadership Conference – American Physical Therapy Association (Education Academy and ACAPT) – Bellevue, WA
December 2018	Restructuring an IHI Open School Chapter to Support Greater Member Engagement Presenters: Alexa McWhinnie, Marykate O'Malley, Katherine Cox, Caitlin Fitzgerald, Margie Sipe Institute for Healthcare Improvement National Forum – Orlando, FL
February 2018	A Knowledge Transfer System via Social Media: Collaboration Between Academic and Clinical Educators (Phase 2) Presenters: Caitlin Fitzgerald, Christopher Cesario, Erin Riley, & Kim Steinbarger Combined Sections Meeting – New Orleans, LA

October 2016	Preparing Clinicians to be Effective Interprofessional Practice Instructors Presenters: Leslie Portney, Ann Jampel, Caitlin Fitzgerald & Mary Knab Education Leadership Conference – American Physical Therapy Association (Education Section and ACAPT)
February 2016	A Knowledge Transfer System via Social Media: Collaboration Between Academic and Clinical Educators Presenters: Caitlin Fitzgerald, Christopher Cesario, Erin Riley, & Kim Steinbarger Combined Sections Meeting – American Physical Therapy Association Anaheim, CA
November 2015	Beyond a social network: An information network for the health care professional: Moving from information recipient to information broker Presenters: Keshrie Naidoo, Christopher Cesario, & Caitlin Fitzgerald Massachusetts Chapter – American Physical Therapy Association Norwood, MA
September 2015	The MGH Interprofessional Clinical Exposure: An Innovative Collaborative Clinical Education Model Presenters: Caitlin Fitzgerald, Mary Evenson, Meredith O’Dea, & Trish Zeytoonjian Collaborating Across Borders Conference V (CAB V) Roanoke, VA
October 2014	A Collaborative Interprofessional Clinical Education Model to Improve Compassionate Team-Based Care Presenter: Caitlin Fitzgerald Authors: Caitlin Fitzgerald, Mary Evenson, Meredith O’Dea, Rebecca Inzana, Trish Zeytoonjian Advancing Compassionate Care Through Interprofessional Education for Collaborative Practice Atlanta, GA
June 2014	Tweeting Towards Enhanced Collaboration in Interprofessional Clinical Education Presenter: Caitlin Fitzgerald All Together Better Health VII Pittsburgh, PA
November 2013	An Innovative, Team-based Model Interprofessional Education: The IPDEU at Massachusetts General Hospital

Presenters: Meredith Bosley O'Dea, Erin Daly, Audrey Kurash Cohen,
Caitlin Fitzgerald, & Trish Zeytoonjian
American Speech-Language-Hearing Association Annual Convention
Chicago, IL

October 2013 A Consortium Website for the 21st Century: Meeting the Needs of
Academic and Clinical Partners to Promote Clinical Education Excellence
Presenters: Olga McSorley, Caitlin Fitzgerald, Jessica Maxwell, & Micki
Harris
APTA Education Leadership Conference
Portland, OR

June 2013 The MGH IPDEU Experience: An Innovative Clinical Teaching Model of
Interprofessional Team-based Patient Care in an Acute Care Setting
Presenters: Caitlin Fitzgerald, Meredith O'Dea, & Trish Zeytoonjian
Collaborating Across Borders Conference IV (CAB IV)
Vancouver, Canada

Abstracts:
N/A

Non-Peer Reviewed Publications:
N/A

Non-Peer Reviewed Presentations:

October 2020 Online Teaching – TEAL Fellow Panel
MGH Institute of Health Professions

December 2016 Teaching Millennials: Innovative Use of Social Media in the Clinical
Education Curriculum

May 2013 ELPT ePortfolio
Presenter: Caitlin Fitzgerald
Clinical Faculty Development Workshop
MGH Institute of Health Professions

January 2013 The Interprofessional Dedicated Education Unit Experience: An
Innovative Model of Teaching Interprofessional Patient and Family
Centered Care
Presenters: Caitlin Fitzgerald, Meredith O'Dea & Trish Zeytoonjian
Harvard Macy Institute

Funded/In Review Grant Activity:

2023	Massachusetts General Hospital Slavin Academy Teaching Scholars Grant \$5000
2022	MGH Institute School of Health & Rehabilitation Sciences \$3,000 Mentoring the Mentor: Building Clinical Instructor Cross-Cultural Psychological Capital and Fostering Belonging for Minoritized DPT Students Co-investigator
2021	Foundation for Physical Therapy Research Grant \$40,000 Development of a Novel Evidence-Based Practice-specific Entrustable Professional Activity for Doctor of Physical Therapy Student Clinical Education Collaborator

Current/Active Research Activity:

N/A

Membership in Scientific/Professional Organizations:

2022 – present	National Academies of Practice – Distinguished Practitioner and Fellow
2022 – present	International Society for Scholarship of Teaching and Learning (ISSOTL) Member
2012 – present	Institute for Healthcare Improvement Open School Member
2003 - present	American Physical Therapy Association (APTA) Member Massachusetts Chapter Education Academy Neurology Academy (past member)

Consultative and Advisory Positions Held:

2021 – 2023	Faculty Advisor Physical Therapy Club – MGH Institute of Health Professions
2017 – present	Faculty Advisor to MGH Institute Interprofessional Team competing in University of Minnesota Clarion National Case Competition
2013 – present	Faculty Advisor to MGH Institute's IHI Open School Chapter
2008-2011	Year Long Internship MGH Institute of Health Professions Interview Panel Northeast Health Systems

Community Service:

2022	Pan Mass Challenge Rider
2021	Physical Therapy Day of Service – MGH Institute of Health Professions Participant
2019	MGH Institute of Health Professions Charlestown Community Service Day Volunteer
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2015	MGH Institute of Health Professions Charlestown Community Service Day volunteer
2014	MGH Institute of Health Professions Charlestown Community Service Day volunteer
2014	Boston University Global Day of Service Room To Grow volunteer
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	Room To Grow volunteer
2012	MGH Institute of Health Professions Charlestown Community Service Day volunteer
2012	Belle of the Ball Charity Event volunteer
2007-2012	Annual holiday fundraiser co-organizer beneficiaries Project Bread and Dana Farber Cancer Institute
2011	Special Olympics Summer Games Fun Fitness volunteer

Services to the University/College/School on
Committees/Councils/Commissions:

2024 to present	School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences Clinical Education Committee Committee member
2023 to present	Department of Physical Therapy Outcomes Committee Committee member
2017 to 2020	ACAPT Communications Committee
2013 to 2014	Faculty Search Committee MGH Institute of Health Professions
2012	ePortfolio Advisory Committee Committee Member MGH Institute of Health Professions
2012 to present	Committee on Academic Policies and Procedures Committee Chair (2018 – present) Committee Member (2012-2017) MGH Institute of Health Professions Department of Physical Therapy
2011 to 2012	Provost Committee – Clinical Affiliations Team Committee Member MGH Institute of Health Professions

2011 to present Website & Technology Committee
Committee Member 2011-2012, 2022-present
Chair 2013 – 2021
New England Consortium of Clinical Education
(NECCE)

Honors and Awards:

2023 PTLI Education Influencer Award

2023 Distinguished Practitioner and Fellow – National Academy of Practice

2020 Advisor of the Year Award
MGH Institute of Health Professions
Office of Student Services

2018 Teaching Excellence Academy for Learning (TEAL) Fellowship
MGH Institute of Health Professions

2013 Partners in Excellence Award
IPDEU (Interprofessional Dedicated Education Unit) Team
Team Captain
Partners Healthcare

2013 Partners in Excellence Award
Two Constitution Center Move Team
Team Member
Partners Healthcare

Continuing Education Attended:

2024 APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Boston, MA

2023 National Academies of Practice Forum, Washington DC

2023 APTA Combined Sections Meeting, San Diego, CA

2022 ISSOTL Annual Conference, Kelowna, BC Canada

2022 APTA Education Leadership Conference, Milwaukee, WI

2022 New England Consortium Peatman Clinical Faculty Institute – Growth
Mindset, virtual

2022	Academic Impressions DEI Foundations: White Privilege in Higher Education, virtual
2022	Academic Impressions DEI Foundations: Allyship in Higher Education, virtual
2020	APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Denver, CO
2019	New England Consortium Clinical Faculty Institute
2019	APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Washington, DC
2018	Institute for Healthcare Improvement National Forum, Orlando, FL
2018	APTA Education Leadership Conference, Jacksonville, FL
2018	Institute for Healthcare Improvement Leadership & Organizing for Change Course – online
2018	Leading Across Professions, Somerville, MA
2018	BU School of Public Health Dean’s Symposium – Teaching Public Health
2018	New England Consortium Clinical Faculty Institute
2018	APTA Combined Sections Meeting, New Orleans, LA
2017	APTA Education Leadership Conference, Columbus OH
2017	Institute for Healthcare Improvement National Forum, Orlando, FL
2017	Institute for Healthcare Improvement Summer Immersion Course, Cambridge MA
2017	BU School of Public Health Dean’s Symposium – Reducing Health Inequities: Advancing Meaningful Change
2017	APTA Combined Sections Meeting, San Antonio, TX
2016	BU School of Public Health Dean’s Symposium – How Does Where You Live Affect Your Health?
2016	New England Consortium Clinical Faculty Institute, Rindge, NH

2016	APTA Education Leadership Conference, Phoenix, AZ
2016	APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Anaheim, CA
2015	APTA Education Leadership Conference, Baltimore, MD
2015	Collaborating Across Borders V (CAB-V), Roanoke, VA
2015	New England Consortium Clinical Faculty Institute, Boston, MA
2015	APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Indianapolis, IN
2014	New England Consortium Clinical Faculty Institute, Springfield, MA
2014	APTA Education Leadership Conference, Kansas City, MO
2014	All Together Better Health Conference, Pittsburgh, PA
2014	APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Las Vegas, NV
2013	New England Consortium Clinical Faculty Institute, Springfield, MA
2013	APTA Education Leadership Conference, Portland, OR
2013	Collaborating Across Borders IV (CAB-IV), Vancouver, BC
2013	APTA Combined Sections Meeting, San Diego, CA
2012	APTA Education Leadership Conference, Greenwich, CT
2012	Interprofessional Education Collaborative (IPEC) Institute, Atlanta, GA
2012	APTA Annual Conference, Tampa, FL
2012	APTA New Faculty Development Workshop, Indianapolis, IN
2012	Sloan C Workshop – Engaging Students through Social Media, on-line
2012	New England Consortium Clinical Faculty Institute, Tewksbury, MA
2012	APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Chicago, IL
2011	APTA Education Leadership Conference, Clearwater Beach, FL

2011	Children's Hospital Boston – Pediatric Summit, Beverly, MA
2011	APTA Combined Sections Meeting, New Orleans, LA
2010	APTA Annual Conference, Boston, MA ^{SEP}
2009	APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Las Vegas, NV
2009	New England Consortium Clinical Faculty Institute, Tewksbury, MA

Current Teaching Responsibilities:

Summer	PT 741 Clinical Experience 1
Fall	PT 603 Fundamentals Patient/Client Management 3
	PT 843 Clinical Internship
Spring	PT 742 Clinical Experience 2