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EDUCATION

Ed.D. Georgia Southern University: Higher Education Administration, August 1998
M.S. Duke University: Physical Therapy, May 1979
B.S. College of William and Mary: Psychology, May 1979

Physical Therapy Licensure: Georgia, 1979 - present, license #1131

Employment and Positions Held

ADJUNCT ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, Massachusetts General Hospital Institute of Health Professions,
February 2019 – present

TERM LECTURER, Massachusetts General Hospital Institute of Health Professions, July 2018 – January
2019

INTERIM DEAN, COLLEGE OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS, AND PROGRAM DIRECTOR, PHYSICAL THERAPY,
Armstrong State University, June 1, 2017 – December 31, 2017 (retired 12/31/17)

DEPARTMENT HEAD, REHABILITATION SCIENCES, AND ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, PHYSICAL THERAPY,
Armstrong State University, July 1, 2012 – December 31, 2017 (with exception of assignments as Interim
Dean)

INTERIM DEAN, COLLEGE OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS, AND PROGRAM DIRECTOR, PHYSICAL THERAPY,
Armstrong State University, July 1, 2014 – June 8, 2015

INTERIM VICE PRESIDENT OF ACADEMIC AFFAIRS, Armstrong Atlantic State University (July 2010 – June
30, 2012)

**UNIVERSITY LIAISON AND REAFFIRMATION DIRECTOR, SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGES AND
SCHOOLS,** 2008-2013

INTERIM DEPARTMENT HEAD AND ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, PHYSICAL THERAPY, Armstrong Atlantic
State University, June 2008-June 2010

ACADEMIC COORDINATOR OF CLINICAL EDUCATION AND ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, PHYSICAL THERAPY,
Armstrong Atlantic State University, May 1994-May 2008

CASUAL STAFF PHYSICAL THERAPIST, Memorial Health University Medical Center, Savannah, Georgia,
May 1999-present

CASUAL STAFF PHYSICAL THERAPIST, Concentra Medical Center, 1998 – June 2010 and June 2017 -
present

CASUAL STAFF PHYSICAL THERAPIST, CareOne Home Health Agency, Savannah, Georgia, September 1994- May 1999

CENTER ADMINISTRATOR, Rehabilitation Center, Savannah, Georgia, February 1987-May 1994

MANAGER, PHYSICAL THERAPY DIVISION, Professional Medical Services, Orlando, Florida, April 1986-February 1987

DIRECTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY, Professional Medical Services/Wayne Memorial Hospital, Jesup, Georgia, May 1984-April 1986

STAFF PHYSICAL THERAPIST, Savannah Sports Medicine Clinic, Savannah, Georgia, August 1983-May 1984

SENIOR STAFF PHYSICAL THERAPIST, Memorial Medical Center, Savannah, Georgia, June 1982-August 1983

STAFF PHYSICAL THERAPIST, Veterans Administration Medical Center, Salem, Virginia, January 1981-May 1982

SENIOR STAFF PHYSICAL THERAPIST, Memorial Medical Center, Savannah, Georgia, May 1980-January 1981

STAFF PHYSICAL THERAPIST, Memorial Medical Center, Savannah, Georgia, May 1979-May 1980

FACULTY TENURE AND INSTITUTIONAL STATUS

Department Chair of Rehabilitation Sciences and Associate Professor Emerita, Georgia Southern University/Armstrong Campus, December 2018

Associate Professor and tenure, Department of Physical Therapy, 2000

Assistant Professor May 1994

Full Graduate Faculty status, 2000

Associate Graduate Faculty status, 1998

Assistant Graduate Faculty status, 1994

Teaching Content Areas: spinal cord injury, orthotics, orthopaedics, pathophysiology, industrial rehabilitation, physical therapy practice ethics, health care reimbursement, state health care practice acts, regulatory affairs, assessment, management, leadership

SCHOLARSHIP

Peer Reviewed Publications:

Zhang KK, **Thompson AW**. Effectiveness of electronic learning for continuing interprofessional education on behavior change of healthcare professionals: A scoping review. *J Interprof Care*. 2022 (in press). DOI 10.1080/13561820.2022.2071850

Thompson AW, Tucker DA. Clinical decision-making in a patient with MRSA. *Phys Ther Case Reports*. 1999; 2(2), 70-72.

Thompson AW, Adams LM. Legal aspects of documenting clinical failure: a case study. *Radiol Technol.* 1997; 68(4), 332-336.

Published Abstracts and Professional Presentations:

Thompson A, White BA, Palaganas JC, Edwards R. (2021) A Systems Dynamics Approach to Prevent and Resolve Interprofessional Team Conflict. Presentation for NEXUS SUMMIT, Online

White BA, **Thompson A**, Palaganas JC, Edwards RA. (2021) Using System Dynamics to Evaluate Team Conflict in Interprofessional Education. Poster Presentation for the International Conference on Communication in Healthcare, Online

Thompson AW, Shoaf LD. (2021) APTA Credentialed Clinical Instructor Refresher Course (CCIP Booster Module 3): *Developing Student Professional Behaviors in the Clinical Setting*. American Physical Therapy Association Learning Center professional development course (2 hours)

Woolf R, Thompson A. (2020) Properly Preparing Students for Licensure Portability and Patient Access. American Council of Academic Physical Therapy Educational Leadership Conference, Online

Establishing normative data for bone mineral density in college age females: lifestyle factors and bone mineral density. (Poster) Arp M, Boggs D, Fender R, **Thompson AW**, Mincer AB, Mans KB, Lorden H. Combined Sections Meeting of the American Physical Therapy Association, Washington DC, 2019

Academic dishonesty in physical therapy education: do faculty and learners agree? (Session) Salamh P, Covington K, Cook C, Beaty A, **Thompson A.** Combined Sections Meeting of the American Physical Therapy Association, New Orleans, LA 2018

When the numbers and your “gut” don’t agree: making tough admissions decisions. (Platform) **Thompson AW**, Mincer AB, Schaefer K. 2016 APTA Combined Sections Meeting of the American Physical Therapy Association, Anaheim, CA 2016

A comparison of conservative treatments of plantar fasciitis. (Platform) Brett A, Hayes A, Headrick J, Huggins A, Maher C, Sikes B, **Thompson AW**, Henderson N, Mincer AB, Schaefer K. Combined Sections Meeting of the American Physical Therapy Association, Anaheim, CA 2016

Finding a fit: simulation strategies implemented for an interprofessional education course. (Platform) Rossler KL, Buelow JR, **Thompson AW.** National League of Nursing Education Summit, Las Vegas, NV 2016

High fidelity patient simulation and experiential learning: recruiting, advising, and teaching the new generation. (Poster) **Thompson AW**, Rossler, KL, and Buelow JR. All Together Better Health VII International Conference, Pittsburgh, PA, 2014

Online, simulation, or role-play: Identifying interprofessional teaching methodologies which fit your students' learning needs,” Rossler KL, Buelow JR, **Thompson AW.** International Nursing Simulation/Learning Resource Centers Conference, Orlando, FL. 2014

Admitting the “Best Fit” Students: Lessons from Strategic Enrollment Management. **Thompson AW**, Mincer AB, Schaefer K, Bringman D, Wofford N. (short course) American Council of Academic Physical Therapy Educational Leadership Conference, Kansas City, KS, 2014

Assessment of outcomes for an accelerated AROM protocol for distal radius fracture rehabilitation (Poster), Walmsley, A., **Thompson, AW**. American Society of Hand Therapists Annual Meeting, Nashville, TN 2011

Setting the pace for a successful 5th year compliance certification (Platform), **Thompson AW**, Clark, AT, and Brock, MA. SACS-COC Annual Meeting, Louisville, KY, 2010

The patient’s perspective on limb salvage, progressive lower extremity amputation, and prosthetic versus non-prosthetic outcomes (Poster), Davis, L., Barcio, R., Usher, K., Hilton, L., Mincer, AB, and **Thompson, AW** Combined Sections Meeting of the American Physical Therapy Association, San Diego, CA, 2010

Medial sternotomy and sternal precautions: literature review, biomechanical analysis, and recommendations for practice (Poster), Tuttle, K., **Thompson, AW**, & Mincer, AB. Combined Sections Meeting of the American Physical Therapy Association, San Diego, CA, 2010

The effect of emu oil on DOMS (Poster), Brown K, Nelson L, Russell AB, Ta Y, Mincer AB, **Thompson AW**. Annual Conference of the American Physical Therapy Association, Orlando, FL, 2006

Student perceptions of clinical instructor supervision (Platform), Ingram DA, Wolff-Burke M, **Thompson AW**. Annual Conference of the American Physical Therapy Association, Orlando, FL, 2006

Static magnets for the treatment of cervical trigger point pain: A single-subject experimental design (Poster), Clark KM, **Thompson AW**, Wright LL, Lake DA, & Lander JL. Combined Sections Meeting of the American Physical Therapy Association, Nashville, TN, 2003

Clinic in a classroom (Platform), Mincer AB, **Thompson AW**, Combined Sections Meeting of the American Physical Therapy Association, Nashville, TN, 2003

What is the attraction to magnets? An evidence-based assessment of the clinical effectiveness of static magnets in the treatment of pain (Platform). Lake DA, Wright LL, **Thompson AW**. Annual Conference of the American Physical Therapy Association, Anaheim, CA, 2001

Effects of stretching and pelvic inclination on quadriceps flexibility. (Poster) Johnson SC, Wright LL, **Thompson AW**, & Lander. J. Combined Sections Meeting of the American Physical Therapy Association, New Orleans, LA, 2000

Comparison of forefoot varus measurements obtained from non-weightbearing, partial weightbearing and full weightbearing orthotic casting techniques. (Poster) Cox RA, Ingrando CR, Park SC, Lake DA, **Thompson AW**, & Mincer, AB. Combined Sections Meeting of the American Physical Therapy Association, New Orleans, LA, 2000

The effects of static magnets on pain perceptions due to exercise induced muscle soreness (DOMS) (Poster), Bredin LE, Ellis AT, Hartman LC, Welch KB, **Thompson AW**, Wright LL, & Lake, DA.

Combined Sections Meeting of the American Physical Therapy Association, New Orleans, LA., 2000

Effects of low impact, low to moderate intensity step aerobics on balance in community dwelling elderly adults (Poster), Shea SP, Wright LL, Thompson, AW, Lander JL. Combined Sections Meeting of the American Physical Therapy Association, New Orleans, LA, 2000

Satisfaction with physical therapy and trust of physical therapists in people with post-polio syndrome (Poster), Scheberies CS, Wright LL, **Thompson AW**, Tucker, D. Combined Sections Meeting of the American Physical Therapy Association, New Orleans, LA, 2000

Leadership factors and job satisfaction in faculty and clinical educators (Poster), **Thompson AW**, Association of Schools of Allied Health Professions Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA, 1999

Student generated cases: a unique approach to the simulated patient (Poster), Mincer AB & **Thompson AW**. Association of Schools of Allied Health Professions Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA, 1999

Use of a simulated clinic for pre-clinical education (Poster), **Thompson AW** & Mincer AB. Allied Health in the New Millennium, Association of Schools of Allied Health Professions Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA, 1999

Simulated patients: more efficient and effective development and use (Platform), Mincer AB & **Thompson AW**. Health Professions Education after Pew: Y2K and Beyond Conference, Armstrong Atlantic State University, Savannah, GA, 1999

Clinic in a classroom: simulating the healthcare workplace (Platform), **Thompson AW** & Mincer AB. Health Professions Education after Pew: Y2K and Beyond Conference, Armstrong Atlantic State University, Savannah, GA, 1999

Interprofessional practice in the US and interprofessional education initiatives at Armstrong Atlantic State University. **Thompson, AW** (Invited speaker), Conference on Interprofessional Practice and Interagency Collaboration: What is the Agenda for Higher Education? Anglia Polytechnic University, Chelmsford, Essex, U.K., 1999

Leadership attitudes and job satisfaction in physical therapy clinical education (Platform), **Thompson AW**. Physical Therapy Association of Georgia Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, 1998

Developments in interprofessional education and practice in the United Kingdom and United States: what is the role of the university? (Platform), Lamb B & **Thompson AW**. Twentieth Annual Interdisciplinary Health Care Team Conference, Williamsburg, VA, 1998

Problems and possibilities: a longitudinal look at an interprofessional clinical education experience (Platform), Thompson, AW. Twentieth Annual Interdisciplinary Health Care Team Conference, Williamsburg, VA, 1998

Simulated work: a new approach to professional education. (Platform by Lake DA) Lake DA, **Thompson AW**, Tucker DA, Mincer AB, & Andersen JC. Sixth International Conference on Experiential Learning, Tampere, Finland, 1998

Interprofessional clinical education: putting theories of collaboration into practice. **Thompson AW**. (Platform) International All Together Better Health Conference, sponsored by the Marylebone Centre Trust, London, U.K., 1997

Use of a professional behavior assessment (Poster), Wright LL, Lake DA, **Thompson AW**, Lander JL & Tucker DA. APTA Scientific Meeting and Exposition, Minneapolis, MN, 1996

An admissions process for an active learning curriculum (Platform) **Thompson AW**, Lake DA, Lander JL & Tucker DA. APTA Scientific Meeting and Exposition, Minneapolis, MN, 1996

Simulated work: a new approach to professional education (Platform), **Thompson AW**, Tucker DA, & Lake DA. Georgia Conference on College and University Teaching, Kennesaw, GA, 1996

Case-based cooperative learning model to integrate the different courses in a curriculum. (Platform) Lake DA, **Thompson AW**, Lander J, & Wright LL. Georgia Conference on College and University Teaching, Kennesaw, GA, 1995

The effects of ultrasound and high voltage galvanic stimulation on ankle dorsiflexion (Platform), **Thompson AW**. Spring Conference of the Virginia Physical Therapy Association, Williamsburg, Virginia, April 1982

Nerve conduction in alcoholic neuropathy (Poster), **Thompson AW**. APTA National Conference, Phoenix, Arizona, June 1980

Editorial and Review Experience:

Abstracts Co-editor and Member, North American Editorial Board, Journal of Interprofessional Care, 1999 – 2009

Abstract Review Team, All Together Better Health III International Conference, Spring 2006, London, U.K.

Manuscript Reviewer, Spinal Cord Injury (Somers MF, Prentice-Hall Publishers, 2000 and 2008)

Manuscript Reviewer, Functional Outcomes Documentation for Rehabilitation (W.B. Saunders Publisher, 2001)

Continuing Education Workshops Conducted/Organized:

Ethics and Jurisprudence (4 hours), required continuing competency for Georgia physical therapy licensees; multiple presentations each biennium; 2000-present

APTA Advanced Clinical Instructor Credentialing Courses (14.5 hours), team presentations 2008- 2010

APTA Basic Clinical Instructor Credentialing Course (14.5 hours), annual presentations, 1998-present

TEACH Academy (Teaching Educators about Careers in Health), Faculty Member, Savannah, GA, 2005

Ethics and Jurisprudence, www.blackboard.com (EJPT000), through Physiotherapy International, online course, 2000

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND CREDENTIALS

American Physical Therapy Association, 1977-present
Education Section and Clinical Education Special Interest Group, APTA, 1994 – present
Health Policy and Administration Section, 2000 – 2015
Acute Care Section, 2009-present
Clinical Electrophysiology and Wound Care Section, 2015 - present

Physical Therapy Association of Georgia, 1979 - present
Chief Delegate, 2015-16
President, 2005-2008
President-Elect, 2004-05
Vice President, 1998-2002
Membership Secretary and Executive Board Member, 1994-96
Program Committee, 1996-2002 and 2008
Legislative Key Contact, 2003, 2004

American Society of Safety Engineers, 1987-1997
American Educational Research Association, 1995 – 2005

Certifications:

APTA Credentialed Clinical Instructor (1998) and Trainer (1999)
APTA Credentialed Advanced Clinical Instructor and Trainer (2007)

CONSULTATIVE, ADVISORY, AND APPOINTED POSITIONS

Member, Georgia State Board of Physical Therapy, 2016-present (gubernatorial appointment)

Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy
Georgia Delegate, 2019-present
Compact Licensure Delegate, 2019-present
Member, Continuing Competence Committee. 2019-2021; chair, 2022
Member, Artificial Intelligence Task Force, 2019-2020
Faculty Mentor, Duke University ABPTRFE Faculty Residency, 2015-2017

Southern Association of College and Schools/Commission on Colleges Site Visitor, 2012-2018
Statewide Area Health Education Center (AHEC) Website Committee, 2006-08
Magnolia Coastlands AHEC Board, 1997 – 2004
President, 2004-2006
Faculty Advisor, Armstrong Atlantic State University Physical Therapy Club, 1995-2010, 2012-2017
Consultant, United States Attorney's Office, 1998
Board of Directors, Healthmaster Home Health Agency, Savannah, Georgia, 1987-93

SELECTED SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Community Service:

Georgia Foundation for Physical Therapy Board, 2016-present
AHEC Migrant Health Fair, 2006-2007
Memorial Health Rehabilitation Institute Foundation Committee, 2004-07
Coastal Center for Developmental Services, annual classes on back care, 1996-2007

American Weightlifting Championships volunteer, Savannah, Georgia, December 6, 1996
Olympic Medical Team, Sailing Venue, Savannah, Georgia. July-August 1996
Georgia Healthcare Providers Focus Group, May, 1996
Nationsbank Pre-Olympic Regatta, Medical Team volunteer, Savannah, Georgia, July 1995

University:

Regents' Advisory Committee on Academic Affairs, 2010-2012
Strategic Planning and Resource Council (SPARC), 2009-2010; chair, 2011-12
Disability Services Committee, Chair, 1994-spring 2007
Faculty Development Committee, 2004-2009
Institutional Effectiveness Committee, chair, 2007-2010
Leadership Advisory Committee, Chair, 2006-2009
Graduate Faculty Status Committee, 2006-08
Task Force on Essential Functions of Faculty Positions, 2005-07
Executive Committee, 2000-2002

HONORS

Outstanding Service Award, Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy 2021
Lucy Blair Service Award, American Physical Therapy Association, 2020
Exceptional Service and Achievement Merit Award, Physical Therapy Association of Georgia, 2020
Outstanding Alumni, Duke University Physical Therapy Alumni Association, 2016
Presidential Award for Service, Armstrong State University, 2013
Physical Therapy Association of Georgia, Outgoing Officer Award, 2002
Physical Therapy Association of Georgia, Outstanding Physical Therapist, 2000
H. Dean Propst Award, Outstanding AASU Faculty Member, 2000
Alpha Eta Health Professions Honor Society, 1995
Pi Lambda Theta Education Honor Society, 1998