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EDUCATION

Ph.D. University of Missouri, Columbia, MO 1985
M.A. Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant, MI 1977
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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2001 - Present Full Professor, West Virginia University
1997 - 2001 Full Professor/Chair, West Virginia University
1991 - 1997 Associate Professor, West Virginia University
1985 - 1991 Assistant Professor, West Virginia University
1978 - 1985 Instructor, Central Missouri State University
1972 - 1978 Teacher, Farwell High School, Farwell, Mich.

PUBLICATIONS

Books

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Book Reviews

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Instructional Publications

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Booth-Butterfield, M. (2007). *Communication in Contemporary Society*. Acton, MA: Tapestry Press.

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Booth-Butterfield, M. (1996). *Interpersonal communication in instructional settings. 2nd* edition. Workbook. Edina, MN: Burgess International Group.

Research in Progress

1. Relational communication, humor, and college students' coping - longitudinal.

2. Humor orientation and Relational Satisfaction.

3. Interpersonal skills and cognition in military couples.

4. A variety of specific interpersonal/relational studies.

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Frisby, B. & Booth-Butterfield, M. (2011). *Being Left, Leaving, and Deciding to Part Ways Together: Perceptions and Outcomes of Divorce Conversations*. Top Interpersonal Paper presented at the annual conference of the Eastern Communication Association, Arlington.

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relationships. Paper presented at the annual conference of the International Communication Assoc., New Orleans.

Rudnicki, C., & Booth-Butterfield, M. (2003). Emotion-based personality traits associated with conflict tactics and relationship satisfaction in romantic relationships. Paper presented at the annual conference of the National Communication Assoc., Miami.

Cayanus, J., & Booth-Butterfield, M. (2003). Relationship Orientation and Jealousy: An examination of jealousy evoking and positive communicative responses to feeling jealous. Paper presented at the annual conference of the International Communication Assoc., San Diego.

Bowman, J., & Booth-Butterfield, M. (2003). The influence of Sensation Seeking on the perception of social norms. Paper presented at the annual conference of the Eastern Communication Assoc., Washington, DC.

Booth-Butterfield, M. (2002). The role of Embedded Behaviors in Communication Across the Lifespan: Focus on Tobacco. Paper presented at the annual conference of the National Communication Assoc., New Orleans.

Wanzer, M. & Booth-Butterfield, M. (2002) Perceptions of health care providers' communication: Relationships between patient-centered communication and satisfaction. Paper presented at the annual conference of the National Communication Assoc., New Orleans.

Booth-Butterfield, M. (2002). What should be the role of regional communication associations? Other than to be a mini-NCA? Paper presented at the annual conference of the National Communication Assoc., New Orleans.

Booth-Butterfield, M. (2002). Sustaining Funded Programs: Building and Coordinating Health Communication Programs Across Disciplines and Distance. Paper presented at the annual conference of the National Communication Assoc., New Orleans.

Booth-Butterfield, M., & Patterson, B. (2002). The Capstone Sequence: Focusing our Communication Majors. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Comm. Assoc., New York..

Booth-Butterfield, M. (2002). Building from the ground up: Development of Health Communication programs. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Communication Assoc., New York.

Booth-Butterfield, M. (2002). Integrating health communication pedagogy, social science, and health intervention. Paper presented at the Kentucky Conference on Health Communication. Lexington, KY.

Booth-Butterfield, M. (2002). The role of Embedded Behaviors in Communication. Paper presented at the Conference on Health Communication and Cancer Across the Lifespan.

George Mason Univ.

Wrench, J., & Booth-Butterfield, M. (2001). Physician communication: Interrelationship of Humor Orientation, Patient Satisfaction and Compliance. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Communication Assoc., Washington, DC.

Booth-Butterfield, M. (2001). Out of the Ivory Tower II: Taking Communication Concepts to the Streets. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Communication Association, Portland.

Toale, M., Thweatt, K., Booth-Butterfield, M. (2001). Interethnic personal relationships and relational maintenance strategy usage. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Assoc., Portland, ME.

Booth-Butterfield, M., Hinkle, S. & Booth-Butterfield, S. (2000). Affective Orientation and Relational Satisfaction. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Seattle.

Booth-Butterfield, S. & Booth-Butterfield, M. (2000). Affective Orientation and the Big 5 Personality Structure. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Communication Association, Acapulco.

Noguchi, T. & Booth-Butterfield, M. (2000). Perceptions of teacher immediacy: Comparison of U.S. versus International students. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Communication Association, Pittsburgh.

Booth-Butterfield, M. (2000). New directions in Humor Orientation. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Communication Association, Pittsburgh.

Rizzo, B., Wanzer, M., Booth-Butterfield, M., & Booth-Butterfield, S. (1998). Individual differences in managers' use of humor: Subordinate perceptions of managers' humor orientation, effectiveness, and humor behaviors. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Assoc., NYC.

Booth-Butterfield, M., Myer, M., Toborg, M., (1998) Content analysis of tobacco prevention materials in Appalachia. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Assoc., NYC.

Thweat, K., & Booth-Butterfield, M. (1998) Vocalic comparison of verbal aggression and argumentative messages. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Communication Assoc., Saratoga Springs, NY.

Booth-Butterfield, M. (1998). Health communication applications. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Communication Assoc., Saratoga Springs, NY.

Booth-Butterfield, M., Anderson, R., & Williams, K. (1997). "If you're smoking you don't have to talk" Interpersonal Applications of Tobacco Use Among Adolescents. Paper presented

at the annual conference of the National Communication Association, Chicago.

Wanzer, M., Booth-Butterfield, M., & Booth-Butterfield, S. (1997). If We Didn't Use Humor We'd Cry: Humor as coping in the health care facility. Paper presented at the annual conference of the National Communication Association, Chicago.

Booth-Butterfield, M., Anderson, R., & Williams, K. (1997). Tobacco use in adolescents: A qualitative approach. Paper presented at the annual conference of the Eastern Communication Association, Baltimore.

Booth-Butterfield, M., & Allen, G. (1997). Communication patterns of never-married adults. Paper presented at the annual conference of the International Communication Association, Montreal.

Sidelinger, R., & Booth-Butterfield, M. (1997). Communication patterns of parents and children: Affective orientation, and social issues. Paper presented at the annual conference of the International Communication Association, Montreal.

Anderson, R., Booth-Butterfield, M., Williams, K., Hobbs, G. (Nov., 1996). Race and gender differences in teen tobacco use. Paper presentation for the American Public Health Association, New York City.

Booth-Butterfield, M. (1996). Ethical considerations in conducting research on sexual harassment. Paper presented at the annual conference of the Speech Communication Association, San Diego.

Wanzer, M., Booth-Butterfield, M., & Booth-Butterfield, S. (1996). Humor and coping in the health care facility. Paper presented at the annual conference of the Speech Communication Association, San Diego.

Booth-Butterfield, M. (1996). Touch as sexual harassment in the classroom. Paper presented at the annual conference of the Speech Communication Association, San Diego.

Booth-Butterfield, M. (1995). Creating materials for teaching the large lecture class. Short course on Teaching the Large Lecture Class [with V. Richmond and S. Booth-Butterfield] at the annual conference of the Speech Communication Association, San Antonio.

Booth-Butterfield, M., & Booth-Butterfield, S. (1995). Disability and Anxiety as variables in communication. Paper presented at the annual convention of the Speech Communication Association, San Antonio.

Booth-Butterfield, M. (1995). Out of the Ivory Tower. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Communication Assoc., Pittsburgh.

Wanzer, M., Booth-Butterfield, M., & Booth-Butterfield, S. (1995). Are Funny People More Popular? The Relationships Among Humor Orientation, Loneliness, and Attraction.

Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Speech Communication Assoc., San Antonio.

TEACHING – (Teaching evaluations available on request.) Course load 3 classes per semester.

Graduate seminars in interpersonal communication, nonverbal, instructional, health, communication apprehension, anxiety, and avoidance, communication theory. These have been taught both with traditional graduate students on-campus and fully-employed adults away from campus. Direction of graduate theses and independent studies, as well as advising of non-thesis option graduate students.

Undergraduate courses in interpersonal communication, health communication, nonverbal, senior Communication Capstone course, family communication, communication applied to contemporary social issues.

Students have encompassed traditional undergraduates, honors students, and at-risk students. Settings have included traditional classrooms, extended learning sites, workshops, and satellite courses.

Most of these ventures have involved original curriculum development and delivery.

University Service since 1995

Head of Committee to develop multidisciplinary Health Communication graduate program.

Campus Ministry Committee. 2005-2009.

Advisory Board of the West Virginia University Press, 1999-2006.

Numerous Staff Development Training Seminars/Workshops on Interpersonal and Conflict Issues.

Eberly College of Arts & Sciences Homecoming Speaker. Adolescent Tobacco Use and Communication in Appalachia. 2000.

Administer Communication Summer Transitional Education Program (STEP) for Office of Student Retention, 1998.

STEP program Awards Ceremony, Keynote Speaker. 1998, 1999.

Workshop for Graduate Teaching Assistants on Instructional Communication, 1998

Speaker: Faculty Showcase. WVU Parent-Student Orientation, Summer 1995; 1999

Chair of University Graduate Council, 1995 (membership and Associate Chair previously).

Member of Committee to select Outstanding Researcher; Eberly College of Arts and Sciences, 1994-95

Faculty Development Series: Creating a Classroom Environment Supportive of Cultural Diversity, 1995; Teaching Freshmen, 1996.

Service to the Communication Profession since 1995

Editor; *Communication Education*- national professional journal

Paper Reviewer, Health Communication. National Communication Association & International Communication Assoc.

Federal Grant Application Reviewer. NCI Study Section on Health Care Quality. Spring 2000 and Fall 2000.

Invited Participant in STRETCH program, sponsored by the National Cancer Institute/NIH. Strategic Educational Tactics for Communication and Health. Summer 2000

Interim Editor, *Communication Quarterly*, 1997-1998.

Chair, ECA Committee to select Everett L. Hunt award for scholarship. 1998-99.

Chair, ECA Committee to Investigate Web-based dissemination of journals. 1998-99

President, Eastern Communication Association. 1997-98.

Vice-President, Eastern Communication Association. 1996-97.

Publications Board, Eastern Communication Association. 1994-98.

Executive Council, Eastern Communication Association. 1994-99.

Committee member for selection of Outstanding Research Article, SCA Communication Anxiety and Avoidance Commission, 1996.

Member of over 10 editorial review boards (e.g., *Communication Monographs, Communication Quarterly, Communication Education*) for our professional journals since 1995, as well as external reviewer for several others.

Service to the State

Exhibitor at the WV State Fair, Lewisburg, WV, August, 2007.

Workshop for Nutrition Outreach Instructors on “Using communication to improve learning and instructional success. Fall, 2002.

Team taught Communication in Contemporary Society for "Bridging the Gap" - Satellite course. Fall 1998.

Group discussion facilitator for adolescent tobacco-use groups in Tucker County, Bridgeport, Lost Creek, and Sabraton, WV.

Member of the West Virginia Board of Trustees Graduate and Professional Program Review Board, 1994-1996.

Attended Task Force on Adolescent Risk Behaviors' annual conference, October, 1995.

Presentation of research and video on anxiety's effects on signing among the deaf, to Morgantown Community Education signing class.

Workshop on effective communication for the First Presbyterian Church; Elder in First Presbyterian Church, Morgantown.

Workshop on communicating effectively with uncooperative people. Preston County school secretaries.

Workshop on assertive professional communication for Tucker County clerical employees.

RESEARCH GRANTS

Under final review by Fetzer Institute, ultimately not funded. Multidisciplinary research on relational maintenance, mortality salience, loneliness, equity, spirituality, and life satisfaction among cancer patients and their friends/family. Fall, 2003.

WVU Health Sciences & Eberly College of Arts & Sciences Grant to investigate marketability of an interdisciplinary health communication graduate program, 2001.

Eberly College of Arts and Sciences Grant to Develop Capstone Sequence in Communication Studies, 1999/2000.

Consulting Associate on National Cancer Institute grant ($75,000) entitled "Development of a Community Kit for Tobacco Prevention in Appalachia. " 1999,2000.

Curriculum Development grant ($1000) to upgrade technology in Communication Studies 122 and develop instructors' manuals and materials for multiple sections. 1997

Consulting Associate on NCI grant to analyze tobacco prevention materials distributed in Appalachia. 1997.

Co-Principal Investigator on Centers for Disease Control and Prevention grant, "Analysis of the Functional Value of Tobacco Use for Youth". ($83,000) 1995.

Communication consultant on 5-year, $1,000,000 Appalachian Leadership Initiative grant from

National Cancer Institute awarded to Mary Babb Randolph Cancer Center, WVU.

AWARDS AND HONORS

Named Editor-Elect of *Communication Education*, national professional journal on instructional communication. 2007.

Named the Peggy Rardin McConnell Chair in Speech Communication. 2006-2009.

Research Fellow, Eastern Communication Association. 2005.

Teaching Fellow, Eastern Communication Association. 2005.

Named to the list of "Top 100 Communication Researchers" in the Hickson, et al., C*ommunication Monographs* compilation of research publications, 1999.

Eckroyd Award for Excellence in Teaching Recipient, Eastern Communication Association, 1997.

Elected Vice President-Elect of Eastern Communication Assoc., 1994. Position leads to Vice President in 1996-97 and President of ECA in 1997-98.

Finalist for Outstanding Teacher, Eberly College of Arts and Sciences, 1995-1996.

Past Presidents' Award for Professional Excellence, Eastern Communication Assoc. 1992.

Finalist - Outstanding Teacher for the College of Arts and Sciences, WVU: 1991-92.

Inducted as faculty into Phi Kappa Phi, academic honorary organization: 1990.

Central States Speech Association Outstanding Young Teacher nominee: 1984.

Gregory Fellow. Graduate fellowship, University of Missouri, 1982-1983.