

# **CURRICULUM VITA**

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## **EDUCATION:**

## **ADDITIONAL TRAINING:**

**Clinic Responsibilities** Oversee clinical practicum courses, oversee development of the Houston campus therapy clinic. Liaison to Internship-Off site training for third year student therapists; provide guidance for second year students who will be working at internship sites next fall.

**Interim Program Director** while Dr. Zepeda was on family leave *January 2022-April 2022*  
Manage program meetings with all faculty and students. Coordinate with OLLU-Houston staff for needs of MFT program (space, technology, complaints, accreditation compliance, information gathering). Organize committee for admissions/interviews of prospective candidates. Advise degree candidates about graduation, course selection, and about giving feedback. Evaluate third

**Job Title: Adjunct Professor**

*August 2010-August 2021*

Specific Duties: Teach practicum team (settings-Houston Galveston Institute, distance (online) learning, Houston Area Campuses-Oversee clinical work of master level therapists with clients in a reflecting team setting; supervise and assess students learning systemic family therapy and postmodern frameworks such as solution focused therapy, narrative therapy, collaborative-dialogic therapy, and Mental Research Institute (MRI). Report to OLLU graduate program director in psychology department, conduct internship site visits, provide evaluations of students, and assign grades based on performance. Practicum courses taught: 8390, 8391, 8392, & 8393 (Monolingual English and Bilingual, Spanish-speaking Teams); in the Psychological Services for Spanish Speaking Populations program at OLLU-Houston; assisted with SPAN 5377 Professional/Technical Spanish to support Houston cohorts.

**Job Title: Graduate Assistant to Dr. Harlene Anderson August 2004 - August 2005**

Specific Duties: Coordinated Practicum Training program of students enrolled in the Master of Science in Psychology with focus on Family Therapy. Organized, promoted, and attended PHHWLQJV UHODWHG WR VWXGHQWV¶ , QWHUQVKS 6LWH corresponding agencies for on-site training in family and individual therapy. Conducted practicum DQG LQWHUQVKLS VLWH KRXU DXGLWV 6XEPLWWHG JUDG Assisted with gathering and verifying sensitive information, including grades and class enrollment for up to 45 students.

**PRIVATE PRACTICE**

*April 2023-Present*

Specific Duties: Maintain a caseload of clients and supervisees to continue contributing to the practice of marriage and family therapy. Clients seen are self-referred and seen along with interns or associates who are working towards their graduation or associate license requirements.

**HOUSTON GALVESTON INSTITUTE (HGI Counseling)**

*June 2004 - Present*

**Title: Trainer and Supervisor, & Co-'LUHFWRU RI +\* ,¶V ,QWHUQDWLRQD Collaborative-Dialogic Practices (ICCP).**

**Job Title: Associate Director**

*May 2021-December 2021*

Specific Duties: Coordinate staffing needs of the institute across departments. Oversee Training and Clinical departments to ensure quality of presentations and service delivery. Maintain and establish partnerships in community mental health initiatives. Participate in executive team decisions and planning. Coordinate leadership and management teams. Advise executive team on technology and planning needs for the organization. Collaborate in grant design and actively search for funding opportunities. Connect with private funders and assist with fundraising efforts.





delegate projects, update progress of ongoing cases, and to review financial documents and state of client accounts.

### **PRESENTATIONS AND LECTURES:**

- King, C. & Gil-Wilkerson, A. (2023a). International Certificate in Collaborative-Dialogic Practices (ICCP) Consultation and Supervision: Working with Vulnerable Communities. ICCP Program Cohort VI at Houston Galveston Institute, Houston, TX.
- Gil-Wilkerson, A. & King, C. (2023b). Working with Vulnerable Communities. International Certificate in Collaborative Practices (ICCP) Cohort VI. Houston Galveston Institute, Houston, TX.
- Gil-Wilkerson, A. & King, C. (2023a). International Certificate in Collaborative-Dialogic Practices (ICCP) Consultation and Supervision: Engaging Families in Dialogue. ICCP Program Cohort VI at Houston Galveston Institute, Houston, TX.
- Menchaca, B., Gil-Wilkerson, A., Salazar, Y., Boyd, N., Lopez, D. (2023). Dos Rosas y Una Espina: The Art of Language in Collaborative-Dialogic Relationships With Immigrants. Life Changing Conversations Conference, Houston, TX
- Gil-Wilkerson, A. & Zepeda, S. (2023). Ethics Update 2023. Life Changing Conversations Conference, Houston, TX
- Burch, E., Gil-Wilkerson, A., & King, C. (2023). Living the Reflecting Team Dream. Life Changing Conversations Conference, Houston, TX
- Gil-Wilkerson, A. (2023). International Certificate in Collaborative-Dialogic Practices (ICCP) Consultation and Supervision: Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion. ICCP Program Cohort VI at Houston Galveston Institute, Houston, TX.
- Ramos, C., Gil-Wilkerson, A. (2022). Reading Don Quixote in Class: The uses of the novelistic imagination and multiple voices in bilingual therapy. National Latinx Psychological Association Conference-*Celebrating 20 years* Dynamic Latinx Healthcare: Integrative wellness through the lens of culture and community. Denver, CO.
- Gil-Wilkerson, A., Runaas, C., Edinger, S., & Zepeda, S. (2022). Ethics Update: A Conversational Panel of Recent Ethical and Legal Updates. Life Changing Conversations Conference, Houston, TX
- Gil-Wilkerson, A. & King, C. (2022). Postmodern Supervisors Attending to Bilingual

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Academy Staff In-Service. (2018). By Special Invitation.
- 3 &ROODERUDWLYH SUDFWLFW L-Presented through the International  
Certificate in Collaborative Practices at Houston Galveston Institute. (2018).
- 3 Collaborative therapy- IURP KRWW WR JXHVW DQG -Presented at Texas  
Association of Marriage and Family Therapists Annual Conference. (2018).
- 3 ([SDQG \RXU SUDFWLFW SURYLGLQJ WHEKQRORRQ DVVLV  
Association for Marriage and Family Therapists. (2018). By Special Invitation.
- 3 &ROODERUDWLYH SUDFWLFW IRU :DOGRUI WHDFKHUV '  
Service. (2017). By Special Invitation.
- 3 3RVWPRGHUQ IRUHQLVLF HYDOXDWLRQ &ROODERUDWLYH  
LPPLJUDWLRQ V\VVHP ' \*XHVW OHFWXUHU DW .DQQDQL  
and Dialogical Practices, (2017). Online.
- 3 5HIOHFWLQJ -SUDFWLFW U&ROHFWLYH SURFH VPHVZLWK W  
through the International Certificate in Collaborative Practices at Houston Galveston  
Institute. (2017).
- 3 6HDDUH DQG VWDII GHYHORSRPHQW ' 3UH-VHQW (2016). DW %DA  
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- 3 ([SDQG \RXU SUDFWLFW 3URYLGLQJ WHEKQRORRQ DVVLV  
Galveston Institute. (2017).
- 3 &ROODERUDWLYH SUDFWLFW IRU ;DYLHU H-Ex-Field  
Xavier Educational Academy Staff In-Service. (2017). By Special Invitation.
- 3 &ROODERUDWLYH SUDFWLFW -Presented at Communities in Schools  
Service Day. (2017). By Special Invitation.
- 3 ([SDQG \RXU SUDFWLFW 3URYLGLQJ WHEKQRORRQ DVVLV  
Galveston Institute. (2017).
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- 3 : D O M D Q G V L Q J O H V H V V L R Q - P r e s e n t e d t h r o u g h t h e M e d n a t i o n a l W K H U D S \ ' & Certificate in Collaborative Practices at Houston Galveston Institute. (2016)
- 3 9 L F D U L R X V W U D X P D V H F R Q G D U \ W U D X P D - P r e s e n t e d a t T e x a s F R P S D V V L R Q I D V South College of Law through the Houston Immigration Legal Services Collaborative. Houston, TX (2016)
- 3 + H O S L Q J S H R S O H Z L W K P H Q W D O K H D O W K - P r e s e n t e d a t L V V X H V Z L W K L Q Justice for Our Neighbors through the Houston Immigration Legal Services Collaborative. Houston, TX (2016)
- 3 \$ V V H V V L Q J I R U P H Q W D O K H D O W K Q H H G V Z L W K L Q - P r e s e n t e d a t M K I n d e e L P P L J U D V Center through the Houston Immigration Legal Services Collaborative. Houston, TX (2016)
- 3 : K D W D U H W K H H W K L F V L Q I F O X Q V R I Q E S H O W C D & R D O N Moment 2: Reaching New Heights in Single Session Therapy and Walk-In Services. Alberta, Canada (2015).
- 3 % L O L Q J X D O V L Q J O H V H V V L R Q V Z L W K D U H I O H F W L Q J W H D P W K H U D S L V W D Q G V X S H C Y - P r e s e n t e d a t C a p t u r i n g t h e M o m e n t & R : R e a c h i n g N e w Heights in Single Session Therapy and Walk-In Services. Alberta, Canada (2015).
- 3 : D O n a c r o s s b o r d e r s : C o l l a b o r a t i o n , m e n t o r s h i p , a n d d e v e l o p m e n t o f w a l k - i n s e r v i c e s i n + R X V W R Q O H [ L F R & L W \ ' 3 U H V H Q W H G D W & D S W X U L Q J in Single Session Therapy and Walk-In Services. Alberta, Canada (2015).
- 3 6 W U H V V P D Q D J H P H Q W - P r e s e n t e d a t A V A N C E I N S O D ( 2 0 1 5 ) S p e c i a l Invitation.
- 3 7 H D P E X L O G L Q J Z R U N V K R S I R F X - P r e s e n t e d a t A V A N C E I N S O D H o u s t o n P D Q D J H P H (2015) Special Invitation.
- 3 Single-session and walk- L Q F R X Q V - P r e s e n t e d a t H o u s t o n G a l v e s t o n I n s t i t u t e . ( 2 0 1 5 ) .
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- <sup>3</sup> & FOHDG HU LQ V P D O O J U R X S Z R U N V K R S V ' , Q W H U Q D W L R Q Mexico. (2012). Special invitation.
- <sup>3</sup> & R Q V W U X F W L Q J D E H W W H U O L I H Z K L O H ' O S L O Q L Q D O Z L R V K H G T H V S Health Conference of Houston. (2011). Special invitation.
- <sup>3</sup> \$ Q J H U P D Q D J H P H Q W D V D F R O O D E R U I D W O L Y H S U I R F H V V ' & R Externship Series. (2007).
- <sup>3</sup> ' L V D V W H U U H O L H I D Q G U H V S R Q V H I R U P H Q W D O K H D O W K S U Lake 8 Q L Y H U V L W \ ' U 6 D O L K D % D Y D \ V J U D G X D W H S V \ F K R ( Presented at the Houston Galveston Institute Externship Series. (2006).
- <sup>3</sup> , W S D \ V W R S O D \ \$ E U L H I L Q W L R G X E W L R O W R S O D \ W K H U Presented at the Houston Galveston Institute Externship Series. (2006).
- <sup>3</sup> ( Y R O Y L Q J / H D U Q L Q J Y R L F H V , Q W H U Q V K S V at the Texas Association of Marriage and Family Therapists Annual Conference. (2005).

### **PUBLICATIONS:**

- Gil-Wilkerson, A. E., Conversations about supervision with Spanish-speaking, bilingual therapists trained in collaborative-dialogic practices. Dissertation for Doctor of Philosophy (Counselor Education), May, 2021 Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, Texas.
- Gil-Wilkerson, A. & Levin, S. B., (2016). Collaborative therapy. In N. Coady & P. Lehmann (eds.) Theoretical perspectives for direct social work practice: A generalist eclectic approach, pp. 417-433. New York, NY: Springer Publishing Company.
- Gil-Wilkerson, A. & King, C. (in progress, exp. 2023). Topic: The Reflecting Team in Action Throughout Different Contexts. In The Routledge International Handbook of Postmodern Therapies to be edited by Olga Smoliak, Eleftheria Tseliou, Tom Strong, Peter Muntigl, and Saliha Bava
- Levin, S. B. & Gil-Wilkerson, A. (2017). Collaborative dialogic therapy with couples and families. In J. L. Lebow, A. L. Chambers, & D. Breunlin (Eds.) *The Encyclopedia of Couple and Family Therapy*, section 6.
- Levin, S. B., Gil-Wilkerson, A., & Rapini, S. (2018). Single-session walk-ins as a collaborative learning community at the Houston Galveston Institute. In M.F. Hoyt, M. Bobele, A. Slive, J. Young, & M. Talmon (Eds.) *Single-session therapy by walk-in or appointment: Administrative, clinical, and supervisory aspects of one-at-a-time services*. New York: Routledge.

### **PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:**

- <sup>TM</sup> Houston Galveston Institute ±Clinical Faculty Member and Trainer
- <sup>TM</sup> TAOS Institute- Associate
- <sup>TM</sup> Our Lady of the Lake University ±Assistant Professor and Clinic Director
- <sup>TM</sup> University of Houston Clear Lake ±Former Adjunct Faculty Member
- <sup>TM</sup> International Certificate in Collaborative Practices- Faculty Member and Co-Director of Houston Program/Faculty Member
- <sup>TM</sup> American Association of Marriage and Family Therapists- Clinical Fellow/AAMFT Approved Supervisor
- <sup>TM</sup> Texas Association of Marriage and Family Therapists- Founding Member



**THE WALK FOR MENTAL HEALTH****January 2016 ±2020**

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the Walk for Mental Health.

**FIRST UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH****August 2017--Present**

™ Conference planning committee member collaborating with the international community in Collaborative-Dialogic practices to develop and support international conferences hosted by the ICCP.

**BAYOU VILLAGE SCHOOL****August 2013 ±May 2019**

™ Staff Development and Training with facilitation sessions on enhancing and improving staff relationships in the workplace.  
™ General support to the school as an advocate for Waldorf Education, attend and assist during festivals and parent resource events.

**INTERNATIONAL SUMMER INSTITUTE****June 2008-Present**

™ Planning committee and support to conference organizers.  
™ Member of language interpretation team since (2011)- provide sequential interpretation at workshops during the conferences.  
™ Facilitator leadership team- organized and coordinated up to 15 discussion groups active during each of the conference days.

**HOUSTON GALVESTON INSTITUTE****August 2002 ±2015**

™ Program Review Board Committee- Participated in reviewing each program for viability, budget, and community outreach. Chair of this committee (2012-2013)  
™ Volunteer coordinator for various fundraising activities for the benefit of the Houston Galveston Institute (2002-2013).  
™ Workshop and events volunteer- participated in organization of these events with different responsibilities from registration, set-up, break

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™ Hotline advocate - responded to Domestic Violence and Sexual Abuse hotline phone calls, made necessary arrangements for callers who needed emergency placement in shelters or safe houses.

**COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS**

**October 2001**

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**GIRLS INCORPORATED OF GREATER HOUSTON**

**October 2001**

™ 3 7 D N L Q J & K D U J H : R U N n e e k R S a d i R a t o r a t L a U e n p o w e r m e n t w o r k s h o p for teenage girls. Discussions included themes such as coping with peer pressure, understanding oneself and the impact we have on others, personal problem solving, decision-making, and promoting education and social empowerment.

**PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION AND AWARDS**

International Certificate in Collaborative Practices (2012)- AfterGW\*n7ou912 0 612.SfterGW\*n7oC9(i)7(m)7(IC