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curriculum vita

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# **EDUCATION**

Utah State University		Logan, UT
Ph.D.	Doctor of Philosophy in Disability Disciplines	May 2018
	Advisor: Karen Muñoz, Ed.D.	
	Dissertation: "Counseling Competencies in Audiology: Important Knowledge, Skills, and Attitudes"	
Au.D.	Doctor of Audiology Pediatric Emphasis, Listening Spoken Language Graduate Training Program	May 2018
B.S.	Communicative Disorders and Deaf Education (COMDDE), Music minor	May 2013

# **CERTIFICATION & LICENSURE**

Ohio Speech and Hearing Professionals Board - Licensed Audiologist #A.02166	Aug 2018 – present
ASHA Certificate of Clinical Competence in Audiology (CCC-A)	Aug 2018 – present
Utah Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Licensing Board - Licensed Audiologist #10877150-4101	Jun 2018 – present
Utah State University   CEHS & COMDDE - Listening and Spoken Language (LSL) Certificate of Competence	ies May 2016

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

The University of Akron, School of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology (SSLPA)	Akron, OH
Assistant Professor	Aug 2018 – present
Kent State University, School of Health Sciences - Speech Pathology & Audiology Program (SPA)	Kent, OH
Term Instructor	Jun 2020 – Jul 2020
Adjunct Assistant Professor	Aug 2018 – present
Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Head and Neck Institute - Hearing Implant Program (HIP)	Cleveland, OH
Visiting Researcher	Jun 2019 – present
Utah State University, Department of Communicative Disorders and Deaf Education (COMDDE)	Logan, UT
Audiologist	Jun 2018 – Jul 2018
Instructor	Aug 2015 – Dec 2017
Lab Manager, Spoken Language Processing Lab, Director: Brittan Barker, Ph.D.	Aug 2015 – Apr 2016
Graduate Assistant, Listening Spoken Language Lab, Director: Karen Muñoz, Ed.D.	May 2014 – Aug 2015
Teaching Assistant, Instructors: Heather Jensen, AuD; Sonia Manuel-Dupont, Ph.D.	Aug 2012 – Dec 2015
Technical Assistant (Summer Seminars), Directors: Dee Child, M.S.; Chad Bingham, M.S.	Jun 2012 – Jun 2018
Utah State University, National Center for Hearing Assessment & Management (NCHAM)	Logan, UT
Research Assistant, Directors: Karl White, Ph.D.; Karen Muñoz, Ed.D.	May 2016 – Jul 2018
Snow College, Horne School of Music	Ephraim, UT
Jazz Assistant, Instructors: Vance Larsen, Ph.D.; James Burton III, M.M.	Aug 2009 – May 2011

\*indicates UA graduate student collaborator; †indicates UA undergraduate student collaborator

#### **Refereed Journal Articles**

- Muñoz, K., Baughman, K., **Meibos, A.**, Ong, C., & Twohig, M. (2020) Psychosocial Well-being of Adults Who Are Deaf or Hard of Hearing. Manuscript submitted for publication.
- Meibos, A., Muñoz, K., & Twohig, M. (2019). Counseling competencies in audiology: A modified Delphi study. *American Journal of Audiology, 28*(2), 285–299. https://doi.org/10.1044/2018\_AJA-18-0141
- Caballero, A., Muñoz, K.F., Schultz, J.C., Graham, L., **Meibos, A**. (2018). Hispanic parents' beliefs, attitudes, and perceptions toward pediatric hearing loss: A comprehensive review. *Journal of Early Hearing Detection and Intervention*. *3*(2), 30-36, <a href="https://doi.org/10.26077/h0tf-ve32">https://doi.org/10.26077/h0tf-ve32</a>
- Meibos, A., Muñoz, K., Schultz, J., Price, T., Whicker, J. J., Caballero, A., & Graham, L. (2017). Counselling users of hearing technology: a comprehensive literature review. *International Journal of Audiology, 56*(12), 903-908. https://doi.org/10.1080/14992027.2017.1347291
- Meibos, A., Muñoz, K., White, K., Preston, E., Pitt, C., & Twohig, M. (2016). Audiologist Practices: Parent Hearing Aid Education and Support. *Journal of the American Academy of Audiology*, 27(4), 324–332. https://doi.org/10.3766/jaaa.15007

#### **Refereed Posters and Presentations**

- <sup>†</sup>Bonezzi, J., **Meibos, A.**, Houston, K.T., & Reif, A.E. (2020, April). *PP1114: Cochlear Implants and Executive Function in Children: A Review of Current Literature* [Virtual Poster Hall]. ePoster presented virtually for the Annual Conference of the American Academy of Audiology: AAA 2020 + HearTECH Expo, New Orleans, LA.
- **Meibos, A.,** Muñoz, K., Ong, C., & Whicker, J. (2019, November). *Hearing Loss & Well-Being in Adults: Results from a Cross-Sectional Online Survey.* Paper presented at the Annual American Speech-Language-Hearing Association Convention, Orlando, FL.
- Meibos, A. (2019, July). Musical Participation Among School-Age Children with Cochlear Implants: An Analysis of Web-Based Content. Poster presented at the American Cochlear Implant Alliance's CI2019 Pediatric Symposium, Hollywood, FL.
- **Meibos, A.** (2019, March). *RP305: Audiologic Counseling Competencies : Results from a Modified Delphi Study.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the American Academy of Audiology, Columbus, OH.
- **Meibos, A.**, & Muñoz, K. (2017, November). *Evidence of Counseling Practices in Audiology.* Poster presented at the Annual American Speech-Language-Hearing Association Convention, Los Angeles, CA.
- **Meibos, A.**, Whicker, J.J., & Holbrook, S. (2017, November). *Clinical Supervision Practices in Graduate SLP/AuD Training: More Evidence Needed.* Poster presented at the Annual American Speech-Language-Hearing Association Convention, Los Angeles, CA.
- **Meibos, A.**, & Larsen, J.B. (2017, October). *University-Based Adult Group Aural Rehabilitation: Clinical Insights.* Poster presented at the Intermountain Area Speech and Hearing Convention, Boise, ID.
- **Meibos, A.**, & Muñoz, K. (2014, November). *Audiologist Practices: Parent Hearing Aid Education & Support.* Paper presented at the Annual American Speech-Language-Hearing Association Convention, Orlando, FL.

# **Invited Presentations and Workshops**

- Meibos, A. (2018, March). Hear to Learn: An Online Resource for Parents of Young Children with Hearing Loss and Professionals. Invited lecture for the Annual Utah Speech-Language-Hearing Association Conference, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Meibos, A. (2018, March). *Motivational Interviewing in Audiology: An Approach to Increase Patient Adherence.* Invited lecture for the Annual Utah Speech-Language-Hearing Association Conference, Salt Lake City, UT.

Meibos, A., & Muñoz, K (2015, September). National and State Information from Audiologist Practices: Parent Hearing Aid Education & Support [New Jersey EHDI Program, Pediatric Hearing Health Care Webinar]. Invited Webinar Presentation.

Meibos, A. (2015, April). Pediatric Audiologist Practices: Providing Parent Hearing Aid Education & Support. Poster presented at the Regional Audiology Student Poster Symposium, Primary Children's Hospital, Salt Lake City, UT.

## **Grant Activity**

Graduate Studies Consortium in Listening & Spoken Language

Submitted Jul 2019

Principal Investigator: K. Todd Houston, Ph.D.

Agency: U.S. Department of Education's Office of Special Education Programs

Requested Amount: \$1,249,995

Role: Co-Investigator Funding Status: *Not Funded* 

#### **CLINICAL EXPERIENCE**

Licensed

The Audiology and Speech Center, The University of Akron (Clinician and Supervisor)

Aug 2018 - present
Utah State University Adult Hearing & Balance, Pediatric Hearing, & Cochlear Implant Clinics (Clinician)

Jun – Jul 2018

Pre-Professional

Bridgerland Audiology, L.L.C., Logan May 2015 – Aug 2015, Jan 2018 – May 2018

The House of Hearing, Logan

Logan Regional Hospital, Budge Clinic, Ear, Nose, & Throat & Audiology Department

Peak Ear Nose & Throat Associates, Hearing & Balance Institute of Utah, Provo

Logan Regional Hospital, Newborn Nursery

Sep 2016 – Jan 2017

Aug 2016 – Dec 2016

May 2015 – Aug 2015

Sep 2014 – Dec 2014

Utah State University Adult Hearing & Balance, Pediatric Hearing, & Cochlear Implant Clinics Aug 2013 – Jun 2018

# **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

## **Courses Taught**

Northeast Ohio AuD Consortium (NOAC)

The University of Akron

7700:754 - Internship I (1 credit)

7700:715 - Central Auditory Processing: Evaluation and Management (2 credits)

7700:725 - Medical Management of Auditory Disorders (2 credits)

7700:756 - Internship III (3 credits)

7700:719 - Counseling in Audiology (3 credits)

7700:755 - Internship II (3 credits)

7700:755 - Internship II (3 credits)

7700:759 - Audiologic Treatment Across the Lifespan (4 credits)

Summer 2019, 2020

Spring 2018, 2019

Fall 2018, 2019

Fall 2018, 2019

7700:759 - Audiologic Treatment Across the Lifespan (4 credits) Kent State University

SPA 70710 - Industry & Community Noise (3 credits)

Summer 2020

**Utah State University** 

COMD 7340 - Pediatric Audiology (2-3 credits) Fall 2017

COMD 5610 - Introduction to Education of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing, Co-Instructor (3 credits) Fall 2015, 2016

# **Teaching Assistance**

**Utah State University** 

COMD 7200 - Introduction to Clinical Practice in Audiology (1-4 credits)

COMD 3700 - Basic Audiology (Online – Fall, Spring, & Summer) (3 credits)

COMD 3600 - Language Science (Online – Fall, Spring, & Summer) (3 credits)

COMD 2500 - Language, Speech, and Hearing Development (3 credits)

Fall 2013 – Summer 2014

Summer 2012 – Spring 2014

Aug 2012 – Dec 2012

**Snow College** 

MUSC 1130 Sight Singing/Ear Training I (2 credits)

MUSC 1140 Sight Singing/Ear Training II (1 credit)

MUSC 1030 Introduction to Jazz and Popular Music (3 credits)

Fall 2009, 2010; Spring 2010, 2011

MUSC 1032 Rap and Hip Hop, and the Ascendance of Black Culture in America (3 credits)

Spring 2010, 2011

#### **Mentoring and Student Supervision**

The John R. and Margaret Wade Chenot Endowed Research Fund, Graduate Assistant Faculty Mentor
Elizabeth Grieggs, AuD., expected May 2023, The University of Akron, NOAC
Fall 20

Fall 2019 - present

Undergraduate Williams Honors College Project Sponsor

Leanne Bunnell, B.A., expected May 2021, The University of Akron, SSLPA

Fall 2019 - present

Jessica Bonezzi, B.A., May 2020, The University of Akron, SSLPA

Fall 2018 - Spring 2020

## **Teaching and Professional Advancement**

The University of Akron

2019 NEXT Conference Spring 2019
New Faculty Learning Community Fall 2018 – Spring 2019

**Utah State University** 

ETE: Empowering Teaching Excellence, Foundations of USU Teaching Workshops Fall 2016, 2017

#### PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

## National/International

**Editorial Board Member** 

ASHA Special Interest Group (SIG) 9 Perspectives Editorial Board

Ad Hoc Reviewer

International Journal of Audiology; American Journal of Audiology; Journal of the American Academy of Audiology

#### University

Assistant Marshal, Fall 2019 Commencement

Dec 2019

# College

Member, College of Health Professions Interprofessional Education Committee

Oct 2019 – present

Apr 2020 – present

# **Department/School**

Chair, Student Admissions Committee, NOAC

Member, Search Committee, Speech-Language Pathology Faculty Position

Member, SSLPA Faculty Raise and Market Compression Ad Hoc Committee

Oct 2019

Website Manager, SSLPA - https://www.uakron.edu/sslpa/

Website Manager, NOAC - https://noaudc.org/

Aug 2018 - present

Aug 2018 - present

# Community

Volunteer Clinician and Supervisor, Wayside Health Fair, Hearing Screenings, Akron, OH
Invited Guest Speaker, Topic: Listening & Hearing Loss, Golden Hearts Senior Group, Akron, OH
Invited Guest Speaker, Topic: Hearing & Noise Protection, The University of Akron Trumpet Studio
Co-Facilitator and Faculty Advisor, HearNoFear Support Group for Adults with Hearing Loss
Sep 2018 — present

## **Pre-professional**

Student Liaison Board Member, Utah Speech-Language Hearing Association (USHA)	Jan 2015 – March 2018
Student State Officer (SSO), National Student Speech-Language Hearing Association	Oct 2016 – Aug 2017
Student Clinician Volunteer, Starkey Hearing Foundation (SHF), Nairobi, Kenya	May 2016
Student Clinician Volunteer, USU Humanitarian Mission from the hEARt, Costa Rica	May 2015
Student Clinician Volunteer, USU Humanitarian Mission from the hEARt, El Salvador	May 2014
Officer, Public Relations & Media Specialist, USU Chapter, Student Academy of Audio	ology Jan 2014 – May 2016

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Co-President, USU Chapter, National Student Speech-Language Hearing Association May 2012 – May 2013

# **Professional Memberships**

American Speech-Language Hearing Association

American Academy of Audiology

American Auditory Society

American Cochlear Implant Alliance

Student Academy of Audiology

National Student Speech-Language-Hearing Association

Aug 2018 – present

Jun 2018 – present

October 2015 – December 2019

July 2015 – December 2019

Sep 2013 – Jun 2018

September 2011 – Jul 2018

# **Academic Honors & Awards**

Utah State University COMDDE Graduate Student Instructor of the Year

Audiology LSL Assistantship (Training Grant Recipient)

May 2014 – Apr 2016