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EDUCATION

Doctor of Physical Therapy

Tennessee State University - Nashville, TN

Anticipated Graduation Date: May 2017

Bachelor of Science in Microbiology

Auburn University - Auburn, AL

Graduation Date: August 2012

EXPERIENCE

09/2017 - Present

POTUS Fellow – Tennessee State University Physical Therapy Department, Nashville, TN

- Research and present various topics that are relevant to the field of physical therapy
- Attend various seminars and conferences for professional development
- Works closely with department staff to accomplish personal research projects

03/2017 - 04/2017

Georgia Home Health – Atlanta, GA (scheduled)
Rotation: Acute Care

01/2017 - 03/2017

Huntsville Hospital - Huntsville, AL (present)
Rotation: Acute Care

- Performs initial evaluation to determine if patients require therapy services and direct future treatments of supporting personnel
- Treat individuals that have musculoskeletal and/or cardiorespiratory issues.

09/2016 - 12/2016

Arlington Rehabilitation & Healthcare Center - Birmingham, AL
Rotation: Skilled Nursing Facility

- Examined, evaluated, and treated patients that were referred and admitted to the facility in order to restore independence and functional ability
- Requested assistive devices depending on the functional ability of patients
- Gained additional experience through traveling to other sites to perform initial evaluations and treatments

07/2016 – 08/2016

Progress in Motion – White House, TN

Rotation: Outpatient Orthopedics

- Examined, evaluated, diagnosed, and treated outpatient patients with a wide variety of impairments and functional deficits
- Participated in ergonomic improvements at a local production factory
- Performed screenings for employees at a local production factory

05/2015 – 06/2015

NHC Dickson - Dickson, TN

Rotation: Skilled Nursing Facility

- Prepared for the treatment of patients through observation, hands-on treatment, and the incorporation of peer-review materials

PUBLICATIONS/ PANELS

- Raynes, E., Donaldson, M., Flemming, M., Giese, T., Peterson, C., Waller, L. Systematic Review on the Effectiveness of Compression as an Aid to Improve Healing Amongst Runners with Acute Overuse Injuries of the Lower Extremities (Under Review)
- Lehman, D., Boyd, S., Moore, B., Moorehead B., Peterson, C., Waller, L. Enhancing Minority Participation in Rehabilitation Professions (Panel Discussion)
- Charles, D., Lawrence, K., Moore, B., Moorehead, B., Peterson, C. Gross Anatomy in the Technological Age: A Review of Literature of Alternative Cadaver Lab Dissection Methods (Under Review)

POSTER PRESENTATIONS

05/2016- University-wide Research Symposium 2016, Nashville, TN

05/2016- The Experimental Biology Conference 2016, Chicago, IL

06/2016- APTA's 2016 NEXT Conference, Nashville, TN

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

09/17/2016	Hendersonville Half Marathon – Hendersonville, TN
03/29/2016	Fall Prevention Workshop – Fairview, TN
02/12/2016	A Night to Shine – Nashville, TN
04/25/2015	Music City Marathon- Hendersonville, TN
03/2015	Siloam Health – Nashville, TN
10/25/2014	Buddy Walk – Nashville, TN

MEMBERSHIPS, LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATIONS

Member, American Physical Therapy Association
Member, Tennessee Physical Therapy Association
CPR and AED Certification, American Heart Association

REFERENCES

Upon Request