

## CURRICULUM VITAE

Christina Kelly, PT, DPT, NCS  
Daemen College

### Education:

Doctorate of Education: Ed.D  
Liberty University, Lynchburg, Virginia  
August 2018 – Present  
Curriculum Development & Instruction  
Degree anticipated May 2022

Doctorate of Physical Therapy  
Daemen College, Amherst, New York  
September 2010 - May, 2013  
Physical Therapy

Master of Arts in Christian Ministry  
Liberty University, Lynchburg, Virginia  
May 2015 – August 2018  
Christian ministry: Leadership

Bachelor of Science in Natural Science  
Daemen College, Amherst, New York  
September 2008 - May, 2011

### Licensure Information/Registration Number:

New York State Physical Therapy License  
License number: 036715

Tennessee State Physical Therapy License  
License number: 10970 - expired

### Certifications:

American Physical Therapy Association  
Board Certified Specialist in Neurologic Physical Therapy  
2018  
American Board of Physical Therapy Specialties

American Physical Therapy Association  
Credentialed Clinical Instructor  
December 2016

LSVT GLOBAL®  
LSVT BIG® certified  
2016 – present

American Heart Association

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Basic Life Support for Health Care Professionals and First Aid Certified  
Present

Employment and Positions Held:

Clinical Assistant Professor – Part Time  
Daemen College Physical Therapy Department  
Amherst, NY  
2021 – Present

Assistant Professor  
Daemen College Physical Therapy Department  
Amherst, NY  
2018 – 2021

Per Diem Physical Therapist  
Kenmore Mercy Hospital: Medical Rehabilitation Unit  
Kenmore, NY  
2020 – Present

Part Time Physical Therapist  
Buffalo Home Therapy  
Buffalo, NY  
2020 - Present

Consultant  
UBMD Pediatric and General Neurology Clinic  
Huntington's Disease Interdisciplinary Clinic  
Williamsville, NY  
2019 - Present

Full time Physical Therapist; Per diem Physical Therapist  
Beechwood Continuing Care  
Amherst, New York  
2015 – 2016; 2019 - Present

Physical Therapist II  
Vanderbilt University Medical Center – Pi Beta Phi Rehabilitation Institute  
Nashville, Tennessee  
August 2017 – August 2018

Physical Therapist I – Neurologic PT Resident  
Vanderbilt University Medical Center – Pi Beta Phi Rehabilitation Institute  
Nashville, Tennessee  
August 2016 – August 2017

Adjunct professor and guest lecturer  
Neurologic Physical Therapy Resident  
Belmont University  
Nashville, Tennessee  
2016 – 2017

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Adjunct professor and guest lecturer  
Daemen College  
Amherst, New York  
2014 - 2016

Full time Physical Therapist  
Diversified Rehabilitation Services  
Buffalo, New York  
2013 – 2015

Part-time/Temporary Orthopedic Physical Therapist  
Sportsfocus Physical Therapy  
Buffalo, New York  
05/2013 – 08/2013

Peer Reviewed Publications:

**Kelly C**, Meyer J, Hanks V, Barefield C. Neurorehabilitation for an individual with bilateral thalamic stroke and preexisting visual impairment presenting with impaired use of sensory cues: a case report. *Physiother Theory Prac.* doi: 10.1080/09593985.2019.1683920

Hahn T, **Kelly C**, Murphy E, Whissel P, Brown M, Schenk R. Clinical decision-making in the management of cervical spine derangement: a case study survey using a patient vignette. *Clinical Decision Making in the Management of Cervical Spine Derangement: A Case Study Survey. J Man and Manip.* 2014;22:115-121.

Published Abstracts of Peer Reviewed Presentations:

Peer Reviewed Scientific and Professional Presentations (those not previously cited above under abstracts):

**Kelly, C.** Bogulski, J., Kashino, C.  
Effect of a Six Week Licensure Preparation Course  
The American Physical Therapy Association Educational Leadership Conference, Virtual  
October, 2020  
*Nominated for the Physical Therapy Leader and Innovator Award*

**Kelly, C.**, Bogulski, J., Dailey, S., Sivak, B.  
The Effect of Whole Body Vibration and Exercise on Balance and Function in a Patient with Charcot Marie Tooth  
American Physical Therapy Association Combined Sections Meeting, Denver, CO  
February, 2020

**Kelly, C.**  
Screening tool development for increasing physical therapy referrals for patients with Huntington's Disease  
American Physical Therapy Association Combined Sections Meeting, Washington, D.C.  
February 2019

**Kelly, C.**

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Compliance with AFO use in the neurologic population  
American Physical Therapy Association Combined Sections Meeting, New Orleans, LA  
February 2018

Abstracts (that were not presented):

Non-Peer Reviewed Publications:

Non-Peer Reviewed Presentations:

**Kelly, C.**, McDonough, S., Lauricella, A., O'Connor, M.  
Exercise for Huntington's Disease.  
Huntington's Disease Support Group.  
Buffalo, NY.  
October, 2020

**Kelly, C.**, Goodman, J., Raetz, E., Schweinfurth, K.  
Physical Therapy for Individuals with Huntington's Disease  
Huntington's Disease Support Group  
Buffalo, NY  
May, 2019

Boggs, R., **Kelly, C.**, Policella, M., Ross, M.  
Vestibular Rehabilitation Examination and treatment  
Daemen College Continuing Education Course  
Buffalo, NY  
April, 2019

**Kelly, C**  
Physical therapy for Huntington's Disease  
Huntington's Disease Educational Day, 2018  
Amherst, NY  
December, 2018

**Kelly, C**  
How to Actively Manage Huntington's Disease  
Huntington's Disease Patient and Family Forum:  
Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, TN  
August, 2018

**Kelly, C.**  
Functional Movement Disorders  
Pi Beta Phi Rehabilitation Institute, Vanderbilt University Medical Center Inservice  
Nashville, TN  
February, 2018

**Kelly, C.**, de Riesthal, M.  
What can I gain from rehabilitation services?  
Huntington's Disease Patient and family forum  
Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, TN

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September, 2017

**Kelly, C.**

Neuroplasticity: Application to neurologic populations.  
Rehab Lecture Series: Vanderbilt University Medical Center  
Nashville, TN.  
July, 2017

**Kelly, C.**

Balance, gait and prevention of falls  
Franklin Parkinson's Disease Support Group meeting  
Franklin, TN  
May, 2017

**Kelly, C.**

The Importance of Early Physical Therapy and Exercise.  
National Parkinson's Foundation - Nashville Parkinson's Disease Support Group meeting  
Nashville, TN  
March, 2017

**Kelly, C.**

Neuroplasticity and Constraint Induced Movement Therapy.  
Neuromuscular Physical Therapy I course, Belmont University DPT Program  
Nashville, TN.  
February, 2017

**Kelly, C.**

Functional Electrical Stimulation vs. AFO  
Pi Beta Phi Rehabilitation Institute, Vanderbilt University Medical Center Inservice  
Nashville, TN.  
November, 2016

**Kelly, C.**

Clinical Management of an Aging Population  
Neuromuscular Physical Therapy II Course  
Daemen College DPT Program, Amherst, N Y  
February, 2016

**Kelly C., Roberts, S., Whissel, P., Siejack, A. (December 2012).**  
Physical Therapist Management of Cervical Spine Derangement  
Doctoral Thesis at Daemen  
College's Research Symposium, Amherst, NY  
December, 2012

Funded/In Review Grant Activity:

Other Scholarly Products:

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Research Activity:

Current dissertation: Leadership Development in Physical Therapy Education: A Case Study  
Anticipated completion: May 2022

Leadership development in physical therapy education  
Fall 2020 - current

Influence of group exercise dosage on self-efficacy and intrinsic motivation in individuals with  
Parkinson's disease  
Spring 2019 – Fall 2020

Continuing Education Workshops Organized:

Membership in Scientific/Professional Organizations:

American Physical Therapy Association  
Member 2010 – Present  
Neurology section member  
Education section member

NYPTA Western District Chapter Member  
2010 – 2013

Health Volunteers Overseas  
2016 – Present

American Physical Therapy Association Credentialed Clinical Instructor  
Credentialed December 2016

Consultative and Advisory Positions Held:

Manuscript reviewer  
Physiotherapy theory and practice (2019 – current)  
Physical Therapy Reviews (2020)

Patient Advocacy Committee  
Pi Beta Phi Rehabilitation Institute, Vanderbilt University Medical Center  
Nashville, TN  
August 2017 – August 2018

DBS Conference – consulting physical therapist  
Vanderbilt University Medical Center  
September – December 2017

Community Service:

Collaboration in development of Nutrition Seminars for neurorehabilitation clinic  
Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Pi Beta Phi Rehabilitation Center  
Nashville, TN  
May – August 2018

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Consulting Physical therapist  
Shade Tree Clinic – Vanderbilt University Medical Center  
Nashville, TN  
09/30/2017

Neurologic Clinical Residency at Vanderbilt Pi Beta Phi Rehabilitation Institute and Belmont University  
August 2016 - 2017  
Nashville, Tennessee

Services to the University/College/School on Committees/Councils/Commissions:

Fall 2019 - Present  
StEP Committee

Departmental:

September 2018 – Present  
Comprehensive Exam Committee

September 2018 – Present  
Academic Standards Committee

September 2018 – Present  
Student Physical Therapy Association – Community Service Chair

Honors and Awards:

Neurological Clinical Residency graduate  
Vanderbilt University Medical Center and Belmont University  
August, 2017

Continuing Education Attended:

APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Virtual, February-March, 2021

APTA Educational Leadership Conference, Virtual, October 16-18, 2020

APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Denver, CO, February 13-15, 2020

APTA Combined Sections Meeting, Washington D.C., January 24-26, 2019

LSVT BIG® Recertification Workshop. Online, October 2018

APTA Combined Sections Meeting, New Orleans, LA, February 21-24, 2018

Neurologic Clinical Residency, Vanderbilt Pi Beta Phi Rehabilitation Institute and Belmont University, Nashville, Tennessee, August 2016 - 2017

Huntington's Disease Society of America/APTA Webinar series: Recorded Webinars. July, 2017

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APTA Clinical Instructor Credentialing Program, Nashville, TN. December, 2016

Neurologic PT Professional Education Consortium Webinar Series, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, June – December 2016

Neurologic PT Professional Education Consortium Module II, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, November, 2016

Neurologic PT Professional Education Consortium Module I, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, August, 2016

LSVT BIG® Training and Certification Workshop. Online, May, 2016.

Current Teaching Responsibilities in the Entry-level Physical Therapy Program (in sequence, by quarter or semester):

Fall

PT 542 Lecture/Lab: Neurobiology II  
PT 600: Neuromuscular Problem Solving  
PT 606/L: Spinal Cord Injury Rehabilitation

Spring

PT 541 Lab: Neurobiology I  
PT 545/L: Neuromuscular Rehab II