

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 2021

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:

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

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

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

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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.
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
September, 2017

Kelly, C.
Neuroplasticity: Application to neurologic populations.

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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:

Research Activity:

Current dissertation: Leadership Development in Physical Therapy Education: A Case Study
Anticipated completion: May 2021

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

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May – August 2018

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

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

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 101: Introduction to Physical Therapy
- PT 542 Lab: Neurobiology II
- PT 554: Clinical Research Sequence
- PT 600: Neuromuscular Problem Solving
- PT 606/L: Spinal Cord Injury Rehabilitation

Spring

- PT 541 Lab: Neurobiology I
- PT 545/L: Neuromuscular Rehab II
- PT 551: Integrative Seminar in Physical Therapy IV
- PT 553: Clinical Research I
- PT 566: Clinical Exposure IV