

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION	DEGREE	DATE	MAJOR
Florida International University Miami, FL	PhD	2007	Social Welfare
Florida International University Miami, FL	MSW	1997	Children & Family Services
University of Florida Gainesville, FL	B.S.	1994	Psychology

PROFESSIONAL ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

<i>Position</i>	<i>Organization</i>	<i>Dates</i>
Assistant Professor	Barry University, Miami, FL	2009-Present
Visiting Professor	Barry University, Miami, FL	2008-2009
Adjunct Professor	Florida International University Miami, FL	2007-2008

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

<i>Position</i>	<i>Organization</i>	<i>Dates</i>
Postdoctoral Fellow Program Coordinator	Community-Based Intervention Research Group Miami, FL	2007-2008
Social Work Clinician	Community-Based Intervention Research Group Miami, FL	2002-2006
Social Work Clinician	Psychsolutions Miami, FL	2002-2002
Social Work Clinician	Learning Assistance Center, San Diego, CA	2000-2002
Social Work Clinician	Parents and Children Together Tucson, AZ	1997-2000

SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES

Publications/Writing

Peer-Reviewed

- Austin, A., Craig, S. L. & Dentato, M. (Under Review). Transphobic microaggressions in schools of social work: Strategies for creating a gender inclusive educational climate, *The Journal of Ethnic & Cultural Diversity in Social Work*.
- Austin, A., Craig, S. L. & McInroy, L. (In Press). Toward transgender affirmative social work education. *Journal of Social Work Education*.
- Austin, A. & Craig, S. L. (2015). Adapting empirically supported interventions for sexual and gender minority youth: A stakeholder driven model. *Journal of Evidence Informed Social Work* DOI: 10.1080/15433714.2014.884958.
- Austin, A. & Craig, S. L. (2015). Transgender affirmative cognitive behavioral therapy: Clinical considerations and applications. *Professional Psychology: Research and Practice*, 46(1), 21-29.
- McInroy, L., Craig, S. L., & Austin, A. (2014). The perceived scarcity of gender identity content in Canadian social work programs. *Canadian Social Work Review*, 31(1), 5-21.
- Austin, A. & Craig, S. L. (2013). Support, discrimination and alcohol use among racially/ethnically diverse sexual minority youth. *Journal of Gay & Lesbian Social Services*, 25, 420-442.
- Craig, S.L., Austin, A. & McInroy, L. (2013). School-based groups to support multiethnic sexual minority youth resiliency: Preliminary effectiveness. *Child & Adolescent Social Work Journal* DOI: 10.1007/s10560-013-0311-7.
- Collazo, A., Austin, A., & Craig, S. L. (2013). Facilitating transition among transgender clients: Components of effective clinical practice. *Clinical Social Work Journal*, 41(3), DOI:10.1007/s10615-013-0436-3
- Craig, S. L. Austin, A. & Alessi, E. (2012). Gay affirmative cognitive behavioral therapy for sexual minority youth: A clinical adaptation and approach. *Clinical Social Work Journal*. DOI:10.1007/s10615-012-0427-9
- Craig, S. L, McInroy, L., Austin, A., Smith, M., & Engle, B. E. (2012). Promoting self-efficacy and self-esteem for multiethnic sexual minority youth: An evidence-informed intervention. *Journal of Social Service Research* 1-11. DOI: 10.1080/01488376.2012.718194

- Austin, A., Hospital, M., Wagner, E. F., & Leon-Morris, S. (2010). Motivation for substance use among minority youth: Targets for intervention. *Journal of Substance Abuse Treatment*, 39(4), 399-407.
- Austin, A. & Wagner, E. F. (2010). Treatment Attrition among Racial/Ethnic Minority Youth. *The Journal of Social Work Practice in the Addictions*, 10 (1), 63-88.
- Austin, A. M. & Wagner, E. F. (2006). Correlates of treatment retention among multiethnic youth with substance use problems: Initial examination of ethnic group differences. *Journal of Child and Adolescent Substance Abuse*, 15(3), 105-128.
- Austin, A. M., Macgowan, M. J., & Wagner, E. F. (2005). Effective Family-Based Interventions for Adolescents with Substance Use Problems: A systematic review. *Journal of Research on Social Work Practice*, 15(2), 67-83.

Book Chapters

- Austin, A. & Engle, B. (2012). Motivation: Implications for intervening with adolescent substance abusers in *Psychology of Motivation: New Research*, Nova Science Publishers, Hauppauge, NY.
- Kaplan, S. G., Engle, B., Austin, A., & Wagner, E. (2010). Applications in Schools. In M. Suarez and S. Naar-King (Eds.). *Motivational Interviewing with Adolescents and Families*. California: Guilford Press.
- Wagner, E. & Austin, A. (2009). Problem Solving and Social Skills Training. In D. Springer & A. Rubin (Eds). *Substance Abuse Treatment for Youths and Adults, Clinician's Guide to Evidence-Based Practice Series*. New York: John Wiley & Sons (pp. 57-107).
- Austin, A. M., Macgowan, M. J. & Wagner, E. F. (2005). Effective family-based interventions for adolescents with substance use problems: A systematic review. *Research on Social Work Practice*, 15, 67-83. (Selected to be reprinted in M. G. Vaughn, M. Howard & B. Thyer (Eds.), *Readings in evidence-based social work: Synthesis of the intervention knowledge base* [pp. 55-84], 2009, Thousand Oaks, CA Sage).
- Wagner, E. F. & Austin, A. M. (2007). Substance use disorders in M. Hersen (Series Ed.) & D. Reitman (Volume Ed.) *Handbook of Assessment, Conceptualization, and Treatment (HACT): Vol. 2. Children and Adolescents* (pp. 348-365). New York: Wiley & Sons.
- Wagner, E. F. & Austin, A. M. (2006). Substance use disorders. R. T. Ammerman (Vol. Ed.), *Comprehensive handbook of personality and psychopathology: Vol. 4 Child psychopathology* (348-366). New Jersey: Wiley.

Presentations

Peer-Reviewed

- Austin, A., Craig, S. L., & Elrod, A. Striving for legitimacy and value: A qualitative inquiry of transgender young adults navigating identity. *Society for Social Work Research 19th Annual Conference*, New Orleans, LA, January 14-18, 2015.
- Craig, S. L., Austin, A., & Alessi, E. The mental health of multiethnic sexual minority girls: The role of risks, stress and self-efficacy. *Society for Social Work Research 19th Annual Conference*, New Orleans, LA, January 14-18, 2015.
- Austin, A. & Craig, S. L. Preparing social workers for trans-affirmative practice. *Council of Social Work Education Annual Program Conference*, Dallas, Texas in October, 2013.
- Austin, A., Craig, S. L. Dentato, M., & Messinger, L. Toward transgender inclusive social work education, *Council of Social Work Education Annual Program Conference*, Dallas, Texas, October, 2013.
- Austin, A. & Baker, C. Interrupting the culture of violence toward the transgender community through social justice oriented action. *Barry University Reclaiming Communities Miniconference*, October, 2013.
- Austin, A., Craig, S. L., Collazo, A., & Silva, C. Advancing social work research with transgender clients through innovative collaborations: Engaging stakeholder assets. *The Society for Social Work Research 17th Annual Conference*, San Diego, CA January 16-20, 2013.
- Craig, S. L. & Austin, A. M. Can group interventions enhance the resiliency of sexual minority youth? Evidence from a Pilot Study" *The Society for Social Work Research 17th Annual Conference*, San Diego, CA January 16-20, 2013.
- Graziano, J. N., Hospital, M. M., Austin, A. Morris, S. L. & Wagner, E. F. The association between discrimination and alcohol dependence and externalizing behaviors among minority teens: the mediating role of alienation. *The 35th Annual Research Society on Alcoholism Scientific Meeting*, San Francisco, Ca, June 23-27, 2012.
- Ellis, M. & Austin, A. Features of Clinical Assessment and Practice for Deliberate Self-Harm in Adolescents. *NASW-FL Social Work Matters Conference*, Fort Lauderdale, FL, June 14-16, 2012.
- Austin, A. & Craig, S. Intervening with Substance Using Sexual Minority Youth: The Role of Discrimination and Support. *Joint Meeting on Adolescent Treatment Effectiveness*, Washington DC, April 11, 2012.
- Engle, B. & Austin, A. & Wagner, E. F. Developing Competency in Motivational Interviewing. *Florida International University School of Social Work 2nd Annual Alumni and Friends Conference*, Miami, FL December 2, 2011.

- Austin, A. & Craig, S. L. Implementing Evidence Based Clinical Interventions in Real World Social Work Practice Settings: Why and How? *NASW-FL Social Workers Change Futures Conference*, Tampa, FL June 9-11, 2011.
- Austin, A. Substance use among multiethnic sexual minority youth. *Reaching Out Conference on LGBTQ Domestic Violence*, Miami FL, April 13-15, 2011.
- Austin, A., Craig, S., Engle, B. & Smith, M. Exploring substance use among multiethnic sexual minority youth: The influence of support and discrimination. *Society for Social Work Research 15th Annual Conference*, Tampa, FL, January 11-13, 2011.
- Engle, B., Craig, S., Austin, A., & Smith, M. Motivational interviewing implementation and practitioner skill acquisition in an agency serving sexual minority youth. *Society for Social Work Research 15th Annual Conference*, Tampa, FL, January 11-13, 2011.
- Craig, S., Austin, A., Smith, M. & Engle, B. The impact of a school-based care coordination program on the self-esteem of multi-ethnic sexual minority youth. *Society for Social Work Research 15th Annual Conference*, January 11-13, 2011.
- Austin, A. & Wagner, E. F. Evidenced-based interventions for racial/ethnic minority substance abusing juvenile offenders: The challenge of treatment dropout. *Society for Social Work and Research 14th Annual Conference*, San Francisco, CA, January 14-17, 2010.
- Austin, A., & Engle, B. Motivational Interviewing: An Innovative Approach to Changing School Culture. *Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting*. San Antonio, Texas November 3-6, 2009.
- Austin, A. & Wagner E. F. Treatment attrition among ethnic minority youth. Paper presentation for the *2008 Joint Meeting on Adolescent Treatment Effectiveness (JMATE)*, Washington D. C., March 25-27.
- Austin, A. M. Treatment attrition among ethnic minority youth: The influence of individual, social, cultural, and treatment factors. Poster presentation for the *30th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism*, Chicago, IL, July 7-12, 2007.
- Austin, A. M. Evidence-based interventions for adolescents with substance use problems. Presentation for *The Society for Social Work and Research*, Eighth Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA, January 15-18, 2004.
- Austin, A. M. Correlates of Treatment Retention among Multiethnic Youth with Substance Use Problems. Presentation for the *Fourth International Conference on Social Work in Health and Mental Health*, Quebec, Canada, May 23-27, 2004.
- Austin, A. M. The influence of pretreatment and treatment factors on treatment retention among ethnically diverse adolescents with substance use problems. Presentation for the *Tenth*

Annual Conference on Behavior, Clinical Neuroscience, Substance Abuse, and Culture, Los Angeles, CA, October 21-24, 2004.

Not Peer-Reviewed

Austin, A. Elrod, A., Alouidor, A. & Hurtes, D. Promoting diverse, safe and inclusive schools for LGBTQ students. *South Florida Diversity Alliance's Diversity Summit*, Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, FL, November 14, 2014

Austin, A. Elrod, A., Alouidor, A., Hurtes, D., Dominquez, D., Craan, V., & Mirabel, R. Creating a safe and supportive campus for LGBTQ/T students, staff, and visitors. *Barry University 2nd Annual Peace-In*, Miami, FL September 16, 2014

Austin, A. Guided adolescent problem solving for adolescent substance use and other high risk behaviors. *Miami Dade County Public Schools' Workshop: Strategies and Interventions for working with Students with Emotional and Behavioral Disabilities*, Miami, FL, January 28, 2011.

Austin, A. & Wagner, E. F. The challenge of treatment dropout among racial/ethnic minority youth. *Center for Research on US Latino HIV/AIDS and Drug Use 2010 Brown Bag Lunch Presentation Series*, Miami, FL May 21, 2010.

Austin, A. Guided Adolescent Problem Solving (GAPS) for adolescent behavior problems. *New Horizons Community Mental Health Workshop*, Miami, FL September 30, 2010.

Engle, B., Austin, A. Motivational Interviewing in Schools. *Miami-Dade County School Social Workers Conference*, Miami, FL, May 2009.

Engle, B., Austin, A. Brief Motivational Screening and Intervention with Older Adults. *The Miami Area Geriatric Education Center*. Miami Shores, FL, April 24, 2009.

Awards or Grants

Austin, A. (PI). *The Ware Foundation* (\$1,500). Bridging Efforts to Enhance Safety and Support for the Transgender Community (2014).

Craig, S.L. (PI), **Austin, A.**, Lawless, M., Brennan, D. & Flicker, S. *Canadian Institute of Health Research* (\$32,981). Community-Based Affirmative Coping Skills Training to Reduce HIV/AIDS Risk for Sexual Minority Youth: An Open Pilot Feasibility Study (2013-2015).

Craig, S.L & **Austin, A.** *Faculty of Social Work Research Grant Competition. S.S.H.R.C. Institutional Grant Program (SIG)*. The development of a cognitive behavioural group intervention curriculum to enhance coping and reduce depression in multi-ethnic sexual minority youth (2013-2014).

Austin, A. *Faculty Incentive Grant, Barry University* (\$3,800): Developing an affirmative intervention for sexual minority youth: A participatory research approach (2012).

Austin, A. *Creative Activity Grant, GLS, Barry University: Experiences of Gender Non-Conforming Young Adults: In Their Words* (2012).

Austin, A. *Dissertation Year Fellowship*, University Graduate School, Florida International University (2006).

INSTRUCTIONAL ACTIVITIES

Teaching Responsibilities

List all courses taught at Barry

<i>Course Number</i>	<i>Course Title</i>
SW 771	<i>Seminar in Dissertation Development II</i>
SW 735	<i>Seminar in Dissertation Development I</i>
SW 611	<i>Clinical Social Work Practice with Individuals</i>
SW 685	<i>Evaluation of Clinical Practice</i>
SW 327	<i>Ways of Knowing (BSW)</i>
SW427	<i>Social Work Practice 3</i>
SW682	<i>Advanced Social Work Research</i>
SW 581	<i>Social Work Research Methods</i>
SW 481	<i>Social Work Research Methods (BSW)</i>
SW 521	<i>Social Work Practice I</i>
SW 524	<i>Social Work Practice II</i>
SW 501	<i>Social Work Policy</i>
SW 352	<i>Social Work Policy (BSW)</i>
SW 625	<i>Professional Seminar in Social Work Practice</i>
SW 622	<i>Social Work with Families</i>
SW 572	<i>Social Work Practice with Addictions</i>
SW 617	<i>Social Work Practice with Adolescents</i>

Student Research Advising

Dissertation Committee Member

2nd Reader, Mabel Rodriguez, Defense Date: April, 2014.

Development of New Courses and Programs

2011-2013	Doctoral Program in Social Work	
2012	SW 735	Seminar in Dissertation Development I
2012	SW 771	Seminar in Dissertation Development II
2011	SW 327/519	Ways of Knowing for Social Work Practice
2011	SW563	Models of Intervention in Clinical Social Work Practice
2012	SW 685	Evaluation of Clinical Social Work Practice

UNIVERSITY GOVERNANCE

Barry University

2012-Present	Grants, Leaves & Sabbaticals
2013-Present	Graduate Council
2013-Present	Multicultural Task Force
2008-2012	Communique Committee
2010-2012	Office of Disabilities Advisory Board
2012	Grievance Committee
2009-2011	Undergraduate Council

College/School/Division/Program, Barry University

2009-Present	BSW Committee
2013-present	Doctoral Committee
2012-2013	Co-Chair, Doctoral Program Development Committee
2009-2013	Dean's Advisory Council
2009-2013	Curriculum Committee
2009-2012	Diversity Committee

MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Council Member, Council for Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity and Expression, 2014
Council for Social Work Education, 2009, 2013-Present
National Association of Social Workers, 2008
Society for Social Work Research, 2003

MEMBERSHIPS IN COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

Human Rights Campaign, 2011-present

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Service to Professional Societies

Reviewer *Journal of Gay & Lesbian Mental Health*, 2013
Reviewer *Clinical Social Work Journal*, 2013
Reviewer, *Society for Social Work Research Annual Conference*, 2012
Reviewer, *Journal of Substance Abuse Treatment*, 2011 & 2012, 2013, 2014
Reviewer, *Psychology of Addictive Behaviors*, 2009
Reviewer, *Journal of Child and Adolescent Substance Abuse*, 2006 & 2007

Service to the Community

Celebrating Heroes and She-roes: An educational event and fundraiser for No More Tears, Life of Freedom, and The Spectrum Group at the Alliance for GLBTQ youth, Barry University, Miami, FL, September 16, 2014.

Miami-Dade County Addiction Services Board, 2012-2014

GLBTQ Alliance, 2009-present

Community Presentations

Austin, A. *Toward transgender* affirmative clinical practice*. Banyan Health Systems, Miami, FL October, 16, 2014.

Austin, A. *Toward transgender* affirmative clinical practice*. Citrus Behavioral Health, Miami, FL June 25, 2014

Austin, A. *Motivational Interviewing for Domestic Violence: An Introduction*. Community workshop at Victim Response: The Lodge, Miami, FL March 21, 2013.

Austin, A. *Advocacy for transgender youth and adults*. Community workshop at Life of Freedom Center, Miami, FL March 11, 2013.

Austin, A. *Motivational Interviewing for Domestic Violence: An Introduction*. Community workshop at Victim Response: The Lodge, Miami, FL January 25, 2012.

Austin, A. *Motivational interviewing: An introduction*. Miami Children's Hospital's Doctoral Internship Training Seminar, Miami, FL, March, 2011.

Austin, A. Guided adolescent problem solving. *Miami Dade Public Schools Emotional/Behavioral Disabilities Program*, Miami, FL, January, 2011.

Austin, A. Guided Adolescent Problem Solving for Adolescent Behavior Problems. *New Horizons Community Mental Health Workshop*, Miami, FL September 30, 2010.

CONSULTING ACTIVITIES

The Fontainebleau, Miami, FL. *Transgender Sensitivity in the Workplace: Corporate Training*, June 25, 2013.

HONORS AND AWARDS

2008	Early Career Social Work Research Mentoring Initiative Award	National Institute on Drug Abuse
2004	First place, Student Poster Presentation	10th Annual Conference on Behavior, Clinical Neuroscience, Substance Abuse, and Culture