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EDUCATION

June 2011 Speech Language Pathology Doctoral, Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, FL.

Dissertation: **Benefits of the Fiber Optic versus the Electret Microphone in Voice Amplification**

May 2001 Master of Science, Communication Disorders, University of the District of Columbia, Washington, DC.

May 1997 Bachelors of Arts with distinction in Linguistics and French, Brock University, St. Catharines, Ontario.

CURRENT RESEARCH

1. Immediate Effects of Altered Auditory Feedback on the Associated Motor Movements of People who Stutter
2. Risk Factors for Voice Disorders in University Professors in Cyprus

PUBLICATIONS

1. Kyriakou, K., Petinou, K., & Phinikettos, I. (2017). Risk Factors for Voice Disorders in University Professors in Cyprus. Manuscript submitted.
2. Kyriakou, K., & Fisher, H. (2013). Benefits of the fiber optic versus the electret microphone in voice amplification. *International Journal of Language and Communication Disorders* 48(1), 115-126.

PRESENTATIONS

1. Kyriakou, K. (2016, Oct.). *Evaluation and treatment of feeding in infants with cleft palate and cleft lip*. Guest speaker presentation at Cyprus University of Technology, Craniofacial Anomalies, Limassol, Cyprus.
2. Kyriakou, K., & Fisher, H. (2010, Nov. 18). *Benefits of the fiber optic versus the electret microphone in voice amplification*. Poster presentation at the American-Speech-Language-Hearing Association Annual Convention, Philadelphia, PA.
3. Kyriakou, K., & Fisher, H. (2010, Aug. 26). *Benefits of the fiber optic versus the electret microphone in voice amplification*. Presentation at the 28th World Congress of International Association of Logopedics and Phoniatrics. Athens, Greece.
4. Kyriakou, K. (2009, July). *Shaker Exercise*. Presentation at Nova Southeastern University, SLPD 7220 Advanced Seminar in Voice and Swallowing, Orlando, FL.
5. Kyriakou, K. (2009, July). *Vocal Fold Augmentation*. Presentation at Nova Southeastern University, SLPD 7220 Advanced Seminar in Voice and Swallowing, Orlando, FL.
6. Kyriakou, K. (2009, July). *Unilateral Vocal Fold Paralysis*. Presentation at Nova Southeastern University, SLPD 7220 Advanced Seminar in Voice and Swallowing, Orlando, FL.
7. Kyriakou, K. (2009, July). *Voice Therapy Technique: Head Positioning*. Presentation at Nova Southeastern University, SLPD 7220 Advanced Seminar in Voice and Swallowing, Orlando, FL.
8. Kyriakou, K. (2009, April). *Alternative Augmentative Communication Intervention (i.e. Microphones) for Parkinson's Disease*. Presentation at Inova VNA, Springfield, VA.
9. Kyriakou, K. (2008, December). *Alternative Augmentative Communication for Aphasia*. Presentation at Nova Southeastern University, SLPD 7250 Augmentative and Alternative Communication.
10. Kyriakou, K. (2008, October). *Triptans and Swallowing/Cognitive Impairment*. Presentation at Nova Southeastern University, SLPD 7070 Pharmacology.
11. Aldrich, P., Hughes, E., Kyriakou, K., & Regnell, M. (2008, February). *Traumatic Brain Injury: A Speech Therapy Perspective*. Presentation at Inova VNA, Springfield, VA.

TEACHING

1. Cyprus University of Technology, Dept. of Rehabilitation Sciences, Limassol, Cyprus

Spring 2017: Adjunct Professor, SLP 270: Dysphagia

Spring 2016: Adjunct Professor, SLP 270: Dysphagia

2. Nova Southeastern University, Programs in Speech, Language and Communication Disorders, Fort Lauderdale, FL

Winter 2017: Adjunct Professor, SLP 6040: Fluency Disorders

Fall 2016: Adjunct Professor, SLP 6040: Fluency Disorders

Summer 2016: Adjunct Professor, SLP 6040: Fluency Disorders

Winter 2016: Adjunct Professor, SLP 6040: Fluency Disorders

Fall 2015: Adjunct Professor, SLP 6040: Fluency Disorders

Winter 2015: Adjunct Professor, SLP 6040: Fluency Disorders

Fall 2014: Adjunct Professor, SLP 6040: Fluency Disorders

Summer 2014: Adjunct Professor, SLP 6040: Fluency Disorders

Fall 2013: Adjunct Professor, SLP 6040: Fluency Disorders

Winter 2013: Adjunct Professor, SLP 6040: Fluency Disorders

3. Gallaudet University, Dept. of Hearing, Speech and Language Sciences, Washington, DC

Spring 2014: Adjunct Professor, HSL 751: Stuttering

Spring 2013: Adjunct Professor, HSL 751: Stuttering

Spring 2012: Adjunct Professor, HSL 751: Stuttering

4. University of the District of Columbia, Dept. of Communication Disorders, Washington, DC

Summer 2011: Adjunct Professor, Course #1109-510-01: Survey of Linguistic Theory

RESEARCH GRANTS

1. Kyriakou, K. (Principle Investigator). Risk Factors for Voice Disorders in University Professors in Cyprus.

Agency: **Thera Lab, Dept. of Rehabilitation Sciences, Cyprus University of Technology.**

2. Kyriakou, K. (Principle Investigator). Immediate Effects of Altered Auditory Feedback on Associated Motor Movements of People who Stutter.

Agency: **Gallaudet Research Institute, Gallaudet University.** Funded for \$2,971.

3. Kyriakou, K. (Principle Investigator). Benefits of the Fiber Optic versus the Electret Microphone in Voice Amplification.

Agency: **Inova Health System.** Funded for \$1,840.

ASSESSMENT PROTOCOLS

Kyriakou, K & Petinou, K. (2014). *Voice Evaluation Protocol (VEP)*. Thera Lab, Cyprus University of Technology.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Inova VNA Home Health, Springfield, VA, 2005-2011

As a licensed speech-language pathologist I provided diagnostic and therapeutic services to adults in a home setting. I evaluated and treated adults with dysphagia, aphasia, dysarthria, voice disorders, and cognitive deficits. I participated in multi-disciplinary staff meetings and collaborated with professionals such as physicians, nurses, physical therapists and occupational therapists.

Sylvan Education Solutions, Meadow Hall Elementary School, Rockville, MD and Cedar Lane Elementary School, Ashburn, VA, 2003-2007

As a licensed speech-language pathologist I provided diagnostic and therapeutic services in a school based setting. I treated preschool and school-aged children with language disorders, articulation disorders, phonological disorders, language learning disabilities and fluency disorders. I developed Comprehensive Evaluation Reports and Individualized Education Plans and I participated in Re-evaluation, Eligibility and IEP meetings. I also implemented augmentative communication programs for children with autism.

Adventist Healthcare-Shady Grove Nursing and Rehab Center, Rockville, MD, 2003-2005

As a licensed speech-language pathologist I provided diagnostic and therapeutic services in a rehab adult setting. I evaluated and treated adult inpatients with various disorders such as dysphagia, aphasia, cognitive deficits, apraxia, dysarthria and voice disorders. I formulated evaluation reports, treatment plans and progress notes for patients, implemented augmentative communication programs and provided family and staff education on speech and language disorders.

Select Medical Rehab, Inc., Annandale, VA, Summer 2002

As a licensed speech-language pathologist I provided diagnostic and therapeutic services in a rehab geriatric setting. I evaluated and treated adult inpatients with a variety of disorders such as aphasia, dysphagia and cognitive deficits. I performed clinical bedside swallowing examinations, implemented augmentative communication programs for severely aphasic individuals and provided family education to inpatients.

Rehab Care, Inc., DunnLoring, VA, Summer 2002 and Summer of 2003

As a licensed speech-language pathologist I provided diagnostic and therapeutic services in pediatric and geriatric rehab settings. I evaluated and treated inpatient infants and toddlers, preschool children and school-aged children with various conditions such as expressive and receptive language disorders, cerebral palsy, Down syndrome and feeding problems. I also evaluated and treated adult inpatients with a variety of disorders such as aphasia, dysphagia and dementia.

The Chesapeake Center, Inc., Springfield, VA, 2001-2002

As a clinical fellow speech-language pathologist I provided diagnostic and therapeutic services in home and clinical settings. I evaluated and treated infants and toddlers, preschool children, school-aged children and adults with various communication disorders including expressive and receptive language disorders, articulation delays, cerebral palsy, fluency disorders, voice disorders, autism and feeding problems. I implemented augmentative communication programs for children with cerebral palsy, prepared diagnostic reports and made recommendations regarding further assessment or implementation of therapy, developed Individualized Family Service Plans and provided family education.

Greater Southeast Community Hospital, Washington, DC, Spring 2001

As a graduate clinician I provided diagnostic and therapeutic services in rehab inpatient and outpatient settings. I evaluated and treated inpatients and outpatients with a variety of disorders such as aphasia, dysarthria, anarthria, dysphagia and dementia. I assisted in the preparation and performance of Modified Barium Swallow studies and performed clinical bedside swallow evaluations. I implemented augmentative communication programs for severely aphasic individuals when appropriate and participated in medical staff education.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- National Stuttering Association Annual Conference, Washington DC, 2014
- American Speech and Hearing Association Convention, Philadelphia, 2010
- 28th World Congress of the International Association of Logopedics and Phoniatrics, Greece, 2010
- Global Leadership, Learning, and Research Conference, Orlando, 2009
- Applied Behavior Analysis, Seminar, 2006
- District of Columbia Speech-Language-Hearing Association Annual Workshop, 2005
- Evaluation and Treatment of Dysphagia Patient Seminar, 2005
- Issues and Advances in Dysphagia Seminar, 2005
- Dysphagia Grand Rounds, 2005
- Maryland Speech-Language-Hearing Association Annual Convention, 2004
- Memory and Behavioral Disorder Interventions Seminar, 2003
- Fluency Weekend Workshop, NY, 1998
- American Speech and Hearing Association Annual Convention, Boston, 1997

CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE

- DC License in Speech-Language Pathology, 2012-2016
- Virginia License in Speech-Language Pathology, 2001, 2005-2012
- Maryland License in Speech-Language Pathology, 2002-2006
- Certificate of Clinical Competence, American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, 2001

PROFESIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA)
- Cypriot Association of Registered Speech-Language Pathologists and Speech Therapists
- National Stuttering Association (NSA)

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Doctor of Speech-Language Pathology Student of the Year Award, Nova Southeastern University, 2011
- Award for Academic Achievement, M.S., University of the District of Columbia, 2001
- Deans' Honors List Recognition, B.A., Brock University, 1997