
College of Arts & Sciences
Lecturer Vitae

Name	Department	Date
Desiree A. Stone	Speech & Hearing Sciences	4.05.18

Educational History:

07/1994 Master of Science Degree in Communication Disorders
Emphasis in Speech-Language Pathology
University of New Mexico, Albuquerque NM 87131

12/1992 Bachelor of Arts Degree in Communication Disorders
Minor Studies: Counseling & Family Studies
University of New Mexico, Albuquerque NM 87131

Certification Status, current:

- Certificate of Clinical Competence/American Speech-Language Hearing Association (ASHA)
- New Mexico Department of Education Level Three (3) K-12 Speech Language Pathologist License (Effective from 07.01.2004 to 06.30.2022)
- State of New Mexico Regulation & Licensing Department , Speech Language Pathology, Audiology and Hearing Aid Dispensing Practices Board – License #1271 (Effective 2.14.1996 to 01.30.2020)
- California State University – Northridge (CSUN) Assistive Technology Practitioner Certification (ATP) – 20 Graduate Credit Hours – May 2007
- Assistive Technology Certification (RIATT) – 12 Graduate Credit Hours w/College of Santa Fe – Albuquerque Location – May 2000-

Supplemental Training:

- Specialized Training in the Coordination of Assistive Technology Evaluations, Intervention, Equipment, and Staff Training – NM Department of Health – Developmental Disability Waiver (DDW) – Effective 1999 – current
- Specialization in Social Language/Thinking and Literacy Skills for School Age and Adolescent Populations – UNM/Center for Development & Disability (CDD) - Effective 2012 – current
- Intervention Related to the Interrelationship and Development of Language & Literacy Skills for Students in Autism Specific Classrooms Exhibiting Emergent/Independent Language Skills – UNM/Center for Development & Disability (CDD) – Effective 2012 – current
- Intervention for High Functioning Students with Autism in a Social Communication Setting – Focus on Communication, Independence in Daily Living, Direct Instruction in Social Skills and Behavior, and Life Skills for Pre-vocation/Vocational Skills – UNM Center for Development & Disability (CDD) – Effective 2012 - current

Employment History:

Lecturer II – January 2017, University of New Mexico Speech & Hearing Sciences, Albuquerque, NM

DD Waiver/Mi Via Waiver Provider, State of NM - 2002 to Present – Provide Speech, Language, & Communication Services to Developmentally Delayed Children and Adults

Assistive Technology Specialist – August 2014 thru December 2016 - Rio Rancho Public Schools, Rio Rancho, NM

Speech Language Pathologist – August 2013 thru June 2014 – Central Region Educational Cooperative

Speech Language Pathologist – August 2012 thru May 2013 – Albuquerque Public Schools (Autism Resource Team) – Albuquerque, NM

Speech Language Pathologist – August 2012 thru May 2013 – Albuquerque, NM (Assistive Technology Unit) – Albuquerque, NM

Speech Language Pathologist – August 2011 thru May 2012 – Central Region Educational Cooperative (CREC) - (Contract AAC Specialist) State of NM, Albuquerque, NM

Speech Language Pathologist – August 1998 thru May 2000 – Moriarty/Edgewood Municipal Schools, Moriarty, NM

Speech Language Pathologist – August 1997 thru May 1998 – Central Regional Educational Cooperative (CREC) – State of NM, Estancia, NM

Speech Language Pathologist – August 1994 thru June 1997 – Moriarty/Edgewood Municipal Schools, Moriarty, NM

Speech Language Pathologist – August 1994 – June 1996 – Lourie Ross-Brennan & Associates, Albuquerque, NM

Professional Recognition, Honors:

- 1992 – 1994 Recipient of Fred M. Christ Scholarship – UNM Master’s Degree/Communication Disorders with an Emphasis on Speech Language Pathology
- 1992 - 1993 President, UNM Chapter of NSSLHA, 1992 – 1993
- 1993 - 1994 Augmentative Communication Grant Award & Stipend Recipient
- October 1993 – April 1994 Selected to Participate in a Supervised Clinical Practicum at Veteran’s Administration Hospital – Albuquerque, NM
Focus “Spinal Cord Unit/Augmentative Communication”

Teaching Achievements:

In Class Presentations:

- February 2017: Primary Progressive Aphasia & Use of Augmentative Communication – UNM School of Medicine Grand Rounds (Co-Presented w/Katherine Blaker MS CCC-SLP)
- March 2017: Special Education Dept. UNM: Severe Disabilities and the Role of Assistive Tech - Master's Level Course.
- April 2017: SHS 500.002 Clinic Lab Class: Diagnostics of the Non-Verbal Client
- May 2017: Training for Comunidad Crecer International UNM SHS Program: Tangible Symbols and Low-Tech Communication Options
- October 2017: Augmentative Communication Simu-Case Study Presentation: UNM-SHS 500.003/004
- November 2017: Special Education Dept. UNM: Severe Disabilities and the Role of Assistive Tech – Master's Level Course
- November 2017: Improving Friendship Based- Outcomes for Individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder - Guest Presentation for SHS 506: UNM-SHS
- March 2018: SHS 500.002 Clinic Lab Class: Diagnostics of the Non-Verbal Client

Service:

Committee Responsibilities Follow: 2017 - Present

- Spring 2017: Comprehensive Examination Committee Member
- Spring 2017: Clinical Supervisor for World Voice Day initiative to provide free voice screenings to the Albuquerque Community
- Spring 2017 to Present: Lead a Young Adult Social Skills Group weekly, which serves teens and young adults on the Autism Spectrum. This group provides SHS graduate students with exposure to therapy models most suited to of benefit to the ASD clients in work, family, and social settings.
- Spring 2018: Graduate Admissions Committee Member
- Spring 2018: Clinical Instructor (CI) Hire Search Committee
- Spring 2018 to Present: Supervise Undergraduate Work-Study Student working in the SHS Materials Library, as well as oversee the day-to-day function of the SHS Materials Library - equipped with books, therapy materials, tests, games, and toys to be utilized in diagnostic and therapeutic settings.