

Melissa Fryer MA, CCC-SLP

Curriculum Vitae 2023

Clinical Assistant Professor, Communication Sciences and Disorders

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EDUCATION:

Master of Arts, Speech and Hearing Sciences, Portland State University, June 2006

Bachelor of Arts, History, Oregon State University, June 2002. Cum Laude.

EXPERIENCE:

Academic

2017-Present Clinical Assistant Professor, Communication Sciences and Disorders,
Pacific University

2015-2017 Adjunct Clinical Faculty, Communication Sciences and Disorders, Pacific
University

Other Professional

2016-2017 Speech Language Pathologist/Founder, Greater Language

2006-2016 Speech Language Pathologist, Infinity Rehabilitation

2016-2016 Speech Language Pathologist, Consonus Rehabilitation

PUBLICATIONS:

Stead, A., Vinson, M., **Fryer, M.**, Henry, S. Simulating End of Life Care Using Standardized Patients: Examining Student's Professional Communication. *Perspectives of the ASHA Special Interest Groups*, December 2022 (peer reviewed)

Fryer, M., Eveson, T. Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology: Interprofessional Partners. *Audiology Today*, May/June 2021 (peer reviewed)

Fryer, Melissa. Telepractice – Ready or Not, Here We Go! *OSHA Communicator*, Volume 2, Summer 2020 (invited)

Stead, A., Lemoncello, R., Fitzgerald, M., **Fryer, M.**, Frost, M., & Palmer, R. Clinical Simulations in Academic Courses: Four Case Studies Across the Medical SLP Graduate Curriculum. *Teaching and Learning in Communication Sciences and Disorders*, 2020 (peer reviewed)

Stead, A., Dirks, K., **Fryer, M.**, & Wong, S. Training Future Clinicians for Work in Palliative Care. *Topics in Language Disorders*, 2020 (peer reviewed)

Fryer, Melissa. The Hearing Loss Guide - A Review for the SLP. *SIG 15 Perspectives on Gerontology*, Vol. 20, 47-48, May 2015 (peer-reviewed)

Fryer, Melissa. Medicare - A Lot of Updates. *OSHA Communicator*, Volume IV, 8-9, September 2015 (invited)

CONFERENCE ACTIVITY:

Presentations:

Fryer, M., Mandulak, K., Arck, P. (2022, November). Transparent Supervision – Creating Successful Clinical Experiences Utilizing a Transparent Teaching Framework. Accepted for 1-hour in-person oral seminar at the American Speech Language and Hearing Association Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA. (peer-reviewed).

Tinsley, J., **Fryer, M.,** Fitzgerald, C., & Mitchell, M. (2022, October). Navigating Bumps in the Road: Overcoming Challenges in Clinical Education. Accepted for 2-hour supervision special focus oral presentation at the Oregon Speech-Language Hearing Association Fall Conference, (virtual), Oregon. (peer reviewed).

Stead, A., Vinson, M., Fitzgerald, C., **Fryer, M.,** Henry, S. (2022, April) *Simulating End of Life Care Using Standardized Patients*. Council of Academic Programs in Communication Sciences and Disorders Annual Conference, Oregon. (peer-reviewed)

Corvus, T., **Fryer, M.,** Bell, K., Saultz, A., (2022, March) *Using Interprofessional Collaborative Practice Core Competencies to Teach Equity, Inclusion, and Justice*. National Association for Multicultural Education, (virtual), California. (peer-reviewed)

Fryer, M., Brunader, M., Peltier, E. (2021, October). *Components of Professional Advocacy*. Oral presentation at the Oregon Speech-Language and Hearing Association Annual Conference (virtual conference), Oregon. (peer-reviewed)

Tinsley, J., Bonilla, R., **Fryer, M.,** and Stead, A. (2021, October) *Adapting Aphasia Programming in the Age of COVID-19*. Poster presented at the Oregon Speech-Language Hearing Association Fall Conference (virtual conference), Oregon. (peer reviewed)

Fryer, M., Martinez, F. (2020, October). *Telesupervision: Strategies for the Remote Supervisor*. Poster presentation at the Oregon Speech-Language and Hearing Association Annual Conference (virtual conference), Oregon. (peer-reviewed)

Fryer, M., Willis, A. (2019, October). *An Interprofessional Learning Model: Courses, Conferences, and Clinics*. Poster presentation at the Interprofessional Education Collaborative (IPEC) Fall Institute, Portland, OR. (peer-reviewed)

DeWitt, N., McIlwain, A., **Fryer, M.,** Bell, K. (2019, June). *Learning the Fundamentals of Interprofessionalism: Helping Students Understand Patient Needs*. Poster presentation at the Association of University Programs in Healthcare Administration (AUPHA) Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA. (peer-reviewed)

Fryer, M., Willis, A., Nguyen, N.; Bravo, M. (2018, November). *An Interprofessional Learning Model: Connecting the Psychology and Speech Language Pathology Communities at Pacific University*. Poster presentation at the American Speech Language and Hearing Association Annual Convention. Boston, MA. (peer-reviewed)

Willis, A., **Fryer, M.**, Nguyen, N. (2018, October). *Connecting Psychology and Speech Language Pathology Graduate Programs in a Community Based Research Project at Pacific University*. Poster presentation at Oregon Speech Language and Hearing Association Annual Conference. Salem, OR. (peer-reviewed)

Nguyen, N., Tran, M., Jean-Bart, R., Willis Pattison, A., **Fryer, M.** (2018, May). *Implementing Program Evaluation Methodology to Evaluate Outcomes in a Community Support Group*. Poster presented at the Oregon Psychological Association (OPA) annual conference, Portland, OR. (peer-reviewed)

Fryer, M. (2016, October) *Medicare 101: Enlightened and Unfrightened*. Presentation at the Oregon Speech and Hearing Association Annual Conference, Salem, Oregon. (peer-reviewed)

Fryer, M., Lulei, R., (March, 2016) – *Medicare in University Clinics*. Webinar presentation to State Advocate for Medicare Policy (StAMP) group of the American Speech-Language and Hearing Association. (invited)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

Clinical Assistant Professor

Clinical Practicum (CSD 530 Fall 2017, Summer 2017, Fall 2018, Summer 2018, Fall 2019, Fall 2020, Fall 2021, Fall 2022, Fall 2023)

Clinical Externship (CSD 534 Spring 2018, Spring 2019, Spring 2020, Spring 2021, Spring 2022, Fall 2023)

Practicum Seminar II (CSD 527 Summer 2017 co-taught, Summer 2018, Summer 2019, Summer 2020, Summer 2021, Summer 2022, Summer 2023)

Practicum Seminar III (CSD 528 Fall 2020, Fall 2021, Fall 2022, Fall 2023)

Professional Orientation (CSD 301 Spring 2018, Spring 2019, Fall 2019, Fall 2020, Fall 2021, Fall 2022, Fall 2023)

Introduction to Communication Sciences and Disorders (CSD 200 Fall 2018, Fall 2019)

Interprofessional Competence Course (CHP 415-515 Fall 2017, Fall 2018, Spring 2020, Spring 2021)

Foundations in Interprofessional Practice, Equity, and Inclusion (CHP 450/550 Spring 2022, Spring 2023)

Adjunct Clinical Educator

Clinical Practicum (CSD 530 Fall 2015, Summer 2016, Fall 2016)

Clinical Externship (CSD 534 Spring 2016, Spring 2017)

Guest Lecturer

SLP and Audiology Interprofessional Collaboration (AUD 565, recorded lecture, January 2023)
Auditory Processing Disorders (AUD 514, virtual lecture, September 2020; August 2022) “SLP & Interprofessional Perspective in Auditory Processing Disorders
Auditory Processing Disorders (AUD 514, September 11th, 2019) “SLP & Interprofessional Perspective in Auditory Processing Disorders
Vocational Rehabilitation – Central Eastside Portland, Oregon (April 22nd, 2019)
“Communication Skills in the Workplace”
Interprofessional Case Conference Series (September 26th, 2018) “Working with Clients who are Transgender”
Auditory Processing Disorders (AUD 514, September 12th, 2018) “SLP & Interprofessional Perspective in Auditory Processing Disorders”

Invited Presentations

Brain Injury Connections NW – Monthly Support Group (virtual) “What is Dysarthria?” (December 3, 2022)
Brain Injury Connections NW – Monthly Support Group (virtual), “What is Speech-Language Pathology” (December 4, 2021)
Aphasia Zoomcast – Monthly Meeting (virtual), “What Do You Want SLP Students To Know About You” (August 3rd, 2021)
Northwest Regional Education Service District – Supervisor training (virtual), “E-Supervision” (January, 14, 2021)
Brain Injury Connections NW – Monthly Support Group (virtual), “Role of SLP in Cognition” (June 20, 2020)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE:

University Service

2018-Present	Pacific University Health Care Operations and Compliance Committee Chair, 2019-2023
2023	College of Education Faculty Chair-Elect
2017-Present	College of Education Technology Committee Chair, 2019-2022
2018-Present	College of Education Continuing Education Committee
2018-Present	Co-Coordinator – Interprofessional Competence Course (CHP 415-515), new course/title in 2021-2022: Foundations in Interprofessional Practice, Equity & Inclusion (CHP 450/550)
2021	College of Health Professions Interprofessional Education and Practice Ad-Hoc Committee, member
2020	Clinical Education and Operations Task Force (April 2020-July 2020)

Extracurricular University Service

August 22 nd , 2019	Invited panel member, Pacific University Psychology and Comprehensive Health Clinic, New Cohort Interprofessional Practice Discussion
November 15, 2017	Invited panel member, Chronic Illness & Disability Group Discussion

August 17, 2017 Invited panel member, Pacific University Interprofessional Practice Discussion

State Service

2020-Present Oregon Speech and Hearing Association, Chair Racial Equity and Social Justice Committee (Co-Chair in 2020)
2020-Present Aphasia Network, Vice Chair
2019-2021 Oregon Speech and Hearing Association, Chair, Communications Committee
2019 State of Oregon, Department of Health and Human Services, Aging and People with Disabilities, Brain Injury Expert Workgroup
2018 Aphasia Network, Program Development Committee
2016-2018 Oregon Speech and Hearing Association, Co-Chair, Communications Committee
2016-2018 Alzheimer's Association – Oregon Chapter, Walk to End Alzheimer's Co-Captain
2016-2017 OHSU Brain Institute, Event Volunteer
2015-2018 Oregon Speech and Hearing Association, State Advocate for Medicare Policy (StAMP) Representative

National Service

2019 Council of Academic Programs in Communication Sciences and Disorders (CAPCSD), Online Education Reviewer
2016 ASHA Student To Empowered Professional (STEP) Mentor
2014-2016 ASHA SIG 15 Gerontology Editorial Review Board
2014-2015 ASHA SIG 15 Perspectives on Gerontology Assistant Editor

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:

2006-Present American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) Member
2015-Present Oregon Speech-Language Hearing Association Member
2018-Present ASHA Special Interest Group 11 – Administration and Supervision
2018-2021 ASHA Special Interest Group 10 – Issues in Higher Education
2012-2021 ASHA Special Interest Group 15 – Gerontology
2014-2016 American Association of Nurse Assessment Coordinators Member

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION/LICENSURE:

2020-Present Washington State Department of Health Speech-Language Pathology License
2006-Present Oregon Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology License
2006-Present American Speech Language-Hearing Association Certification
2014-2017 Resident Assessment Coordinator Certification

AWARDS & GRANTS:

- 2022 Oregon Speech Language Hearing Association Professional Advocacy Award
- 2020 American Speech Language and Hearing Association Student Advocacy Grant (in collaboration with OSHA)
- 2019 Parkinson Voice Project. SPEAK OUT and LOUD Crowd Training Grant
- 2017 American Speech-Language Hearing Association Award for Continuing Education (ACE)