

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Ph.D.	2012	The Ohio State University	Major: Human Development and Family Science Specialization: Couples and Family Therapy
M.S.	2008	The Ohio State University	Major: Human Development and Family Science
B.S.	2005	The Ohio State University	Major: Psychology
B.A.	2005	The Ohio State University	Major: Anthropology

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2020 – present	<u>Associate Professor</u> , School of Social Work, University of Akron
2018 - present	<u>Associate Professor</u> , School of Counseling, University of Akron
2013 – 2018	<u>Assistant Professor</u> , School of Counseling, University of Akron
2012 – 2013	<u>Postdoctoral Research Fellow</u> , Substance Abuse Research Center, University of Michigan

ACADEMIC ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

2020 – present	<u>Program Coordinator</u> , Child and Family Development, University of Akron
2017 – 2020	<u>Program Director</u> , MFT Doctoral Track, University of Akron
2018 – 2020	<u>Clinical Training Director</u> , MFT Doctoral Track, University of Akron

LICENSURES AND CERTIFICATIONS

2020	Prepare Enrich Facilitator Certification
2018 – present	Independent Marriage and Family Therapist with Supervision Designation (I-MFT-S; Ohio)

2013 - 2018 Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist (MFT; Ohio)
 2015 - present American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Approved Supervisor

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS (past 5 years)

AWARDED

2020 - Present Principal Investigator, SAMSHA Expansion of Practitioner Education. PI: Rikki Patton (15% FTE). 4/30/2020 – 3/31/2022, \$200,000

2020 – Present Co-investigator, SAMHSA UA LGS Campus Suicide Prevention Grant. PI: John Ellis (5% FTE in-kind). Period: 1/13/20 – 12/31/23, \$255,000

2019 – Present Principal Investigator, SAMSHA-HRSA Opioid Workforce Enhancement Program grant. Grant #: T98HP33419 PI: Rikki Patton (26% FTE). Period: 9/1/19-8/31/22, \$1,309,162

2019 – Present Co-investigator, GWEP: Infusing Interprofessional Geriatric Education into Primary Care Learning Environments. Grant #: UIQHP33037. PI: Margy Sanders (8% FTE). Period: 7/01/19-6/30/24

2019 Principal Investigator, University of Akron Faculty Research Competition, 5/21/19 – 8/31/2019, \$10,000

2019 - 2020 Co-Lead, University of Akron Closing the Loop Assessment Grant, \$500

2017 - 2019 Co-investigator, SAMSHA-HRSA Geriatric Workforce Enhancement Program grant. Geriatric workforce development through interprofessional learning. Grant # U1QHP28707, Steven Radwany PD (5% FTE)

2017 - 2019 Co-Investigator, SAMHSA-HRSA Nurse Education Practice Quality and Retention (NEPQR) grant. Interprofessional collaborative practice in a falls risk reduction clinic, Grant #UD7HP28539 Sue Hazlett, PD (5% FTE)

2016 Instructor, MEDTAPP Expansion Grant (covered teaching load for course)

2015 Friends of the Library Grant, University of Akron, *Teaching Grant*, \$1000

PROFESSIONAL PUBLICATIONS (past 5 years)

Peer-reviewed Journal articles (students underlined)

1. **Patton, R.**, Tadros, E., & Finney, N. (Accepted). Exploring alcohol use and social connection among older Latinos: A brief report. *The Family Journal*.
2. **Patton, R.** & Weigold, I. K. (2020). Examining Hazardous Alcohol Use and Relational Ethics in a College Student Sample. *Journal of American College Health*.

3. **Patton, R.**, Katafiasz, H., Finney, N., & Tadros, E. (2020). Cisgender teen dating violence: Differential associations with various substances used. *Journal of Family Violence*.
4. Katafiasz, K., **Patton, R.**, Georke, J., Dragomir, R., & Fye, J. (2019). A dyadic examination of individual and couple dynamics within the context of IPV: A brief report. *Contemporary Family Therapy*.
5. Kaur, L., Tadros, E., & **Patton, R.** (2019). The Role of Family in Youth Opioid Misuse: A systematic review of the literature. *The Family Journal*.
6. **Patton, R.**, Goerke, J., Fye, J., & Katafiasz, H. (2019). Does hazardous alcohol use impact individual and relational functioning among couples seeking couples therapy? *The Family Journal*.
7. **Patton, R.** & Katafiasz, H. (2018). Exploring alcohol use and IPV among couples presenting to couple therapy: A brief note. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0886260518807220>
8. Brown, D., Fosnight, S., Whitford, M., Hazlett, S., McQuown, C., Drost, J. C., Kropp, D. J., Hovland, C. A., Niederriter, J. E., **Patton, R.**, Morgan, A., Fleming, E., Steiner, R. P., & Scott, E. D. (2018). An Interprofessional Education Model for Geriatric Falls Risk Assessment and Prevention. *BMJ Open Quality*. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/bmjopen-2018-000417>
9. **Patton, R.** & Fisher, U. (2018). Examining couple functioning and alcohol use among Latino couples: A dyadic data analysis. *Substance Use & Misuse*, 53, 484-489.
10. Bartle-Haring, S. Shannon, S., Holowacz, E., **Patton, R.**, & Lotspeich-Youngkin, F. (2018). Is there a “sweet spot” for age at marriage and positive marital outcomes. *Journal of Family Issues*, 39, 1085-1107.
11. Pennington, M., **Patton, R.**, Fensler, A., & Katafiasz, H. (2017). A brief report on the ethical and legal guides for technology use in marriage and family therapy. *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy*, 43, 733-742.
12. **Patton, R.**, Chappelle, N., Fisher, U., McDowell-Burns, M., Pennington, M., Smith, S., & Vitek, M. (2016). Teaching General Systems Theory through Open Space Technology: Reflections from Practice. *Journal of Systemic Therapies*, 35, 1-10.
13. **Patton, R.**, Lau, C. H., Blow, F. C., Ranney, M., Cunningham, R. M. & Walton, M. A. (2016). Prevalence and correlates of depression and drinking behaviors among adolescents and emerging adults in a suburban emergency department. *Substance Use & Misuse*, 51, 34-40.
14. **Patton, R.**, Cunningham, R. M., Carter, P. M., & Walton, A. M. (2015). Comparing Substance Use And Violence Among Adolescents Recruited From an Urban Emergency Department: Does Parenting Status Matter. *Journal of Alcoholism and Drug Dependence*, 3(209), 2. [open access]

Book Chapters

1. **Patton, R., Goerke, J., & Katafiasz, H.** (2020). Systemic Approaches to Adolescent Substance Abuse. *Handbook of Couple, Marital, and Family Therapy*. Wiley. (invited)
2. **Pennington, M., Patton, R., & Katafiasz, H.** (Accepted). Cybersupervision in Marriage and Family Therapy. In H. Weinberg & A. Rolnick (Eds) *Internet-Delivered Therapy and consultancy for Groups, Families, and Organizations* Routledge: Abingdon, UK. (invited)
3. **Patton, R.** (2015). Training the Contextual Therapist. In K. Jordan (Ed). *Couple, Marriage and Family Therapy Supervision*. Springer Publishing. (invited).

Invited Book Reviews/Edited Books/Volumes/Encyclopedia Entries

1. Katafiasz, H., Tefteller, D., & **Patton, R.** (2020). *Transgenerational Family Therapy*. Encyclopedia of Couple and Family Therapy. Springer Publishing.
2. **Patton, R.** (2016). Substance abuse and the family. New York, NY: Routledge, 274 pp., \$54.95. [Review of the book *Substance abuse and the family*, by Reiter, M. D.]. *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy*.
3. American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy (2016). *Family Therapy Glossary, 4th edition*. Landers, A. L., **Patton, R.**, & Reynolds, M. (eds). Alexandria, VA: AAMFT.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS (past 5 years)

National Presentations

1. **Patton, R.,** Chou, J. L., Katafiasz, H., Zaarur, A., Dang, Y., & Jordal, C. (Anticipated October, 2020). *Introducing OWEP-ITI: An Interdisciplinary Training Program for helping youth and families impacted by Opioids*. Podcast presentation at the 2020 Conference for the Collaborative Family Healthcare Association. Virtual Presentation.
2. Katafiasz, H., **Patton, R.**, Chou, J. L., Gonzalez-Kruger, G., & Lynch, L. (Anticipated October, 2020). *Reflections on Integrating Marriage and Family Therapists and Mental Health Counselors into A Primary Healthcare Practice*. Webinar presentation at the 2020 Conference for the Collaborative Family Healthcare Association. Virtual Presentation.
3. Katafiasz, H. & **Patton, R.** (June, 2020). *Sliding into Leadership*. Workshop presentation at the 2020 American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy Leadership Symposium, Phoenix, AZ. Virtual Presentation.
4. Katafiasz, H. & **Patton, R.** (August, 2019). *Trauma-informed Marriage and Family Therapy Supervision*. Institute Presentation at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference, Austin, TX.
5. Ray, A., Tadros, E., & **Patton, R.** (August, 2019). *Assessing Children and Adolescents for Suicide*. Forum Presentation at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference, Austin, TX.
6. **Patton, R., Tadros, E., & Kaup, L.** (August, 2019). *The Role of Family in Youth Opioid Use: A Systematic Literature Review*. Poster Presentation at the American Association for Marriage

and Family Therapy Annual Conference, Austin, TX.

7. Blower, S., Drost, J., Hazelett, S., Kropp, D., & **Patton, R.** (May, 2019). *Chaplain Role in Healthcare Interprofessional Teams: A Pilot Study*. Poster Presentation at the American Geriatric Society, 2019 Scientific Meeting, Portland, OR.
8. **Patton, R.** & Katafiasz, H. (March, 2019). *Trauma-informed Substance Use Assessment and Treatment Approaches when working with youth experiencing substance use disorders*. Webinar Presentation for the AAMFT Minority Fellowship Program.
9. **Patton R.** & Katafiasz, H. (March, 2019). *The Process of Becoming: Exploring the multi-systemic layers of leadership*. Workshop presentation at the 2019 American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy Leadership Symposium, Arlington, VA.
10. **Patton, R.** Goerke, J., & Fye, J. (November, 2018). *Exploring Alcohol Use Among Couples Seeking Couples Therapy*. Poster presentation at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy National Conference, Louisville, KY.
11. Brown, D. K., Hazelett, S., Niederriter, J. E., Hovland-Scafe, C., Whitford, M., Kropp, D., Drost, J., Morgan, A., **Patton, R.**, Boltz, M., Harris, N., & Wissmar, C. (May, 2018). *Interprofessional Education for Geriatric Falls Risk Reduction*. Poster presentation at the American Geriatric Society 2018 Scientific Meeting, Orlando, FL.
12. **Patton, R.** (May, 2018). *Roundtable: Professional Development and Research*. Invited Oral Presentation for the AAMFT Minority Fellowship Program Training Institute.
13. Katafiasz, H. & **Patton, R.** (March, 2018). *Finding the Fit*. Workshop presentation at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy Leadership Symposium, Seattle, WA.
14. **Patton, R.** & Ray, A. (October, 2017). *Examining relatedness and alcohol use among older Latinas*. Poster presentation at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy National Conference, Atlanta, GA.
15. Pennington, R., Dawson, R., Davis, J., Fensler, A., Molla, E. & **Patton, R.** (October, 2017). *Help-seeking for online vs. in-person teen dating violence*. Poster presentation at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy National Conference, Atlanta, GA.
16. **Patton, R.** (May 2017). *Roundtable: Professional Development and Research*. Oral Presentation for the AAMFT Minority Fellowship Program Training Institute (Invited).
17. Fisher, U., & **Patton, R.** (September, 2015). *Structural Theory and substance use among Hispanic dyads*. Poster presentation at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy National Conference, Austin, TX.
18. Jordan, K., Boyle, R., **Patton, R.**, Katafiasz, H., Tefteller, D., Fisher, U., & Meyers, S. (September, 2015). *Technology: Ethical Challenges for Today's Supervisor*. Workshop presented at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy National Conference, Austin, TX.

19. Pennington, M., Patton, R., Fensler, A., & Katafiasz, H. (September, 2015). *A qualitative exploration of MFT Ethics and Technology*. Poster presentation at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy National Conference, Austin, TX.
20. Vitek, M., Patton, R., & Katafiasz, H. (September, 2015). *Drug use, relationships, and gender among a military sample*. Poster presentation at the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy National Conference, Austin, TX.

Local, State, and Regional Presentations

1. **Patton, R.** (August, 2020). *Depression among Older Adults: The impacts of Social Isolation during COVID*. NEOMED Geriatric Resource Ohio Workgroup (GROW) ECHO. Virtual Presentation.
2. **Patton, R.** (November, 2019). *Examining Mental Health Issues among Older Adults*. The Benjamin Rose Institute on Aging Annual Caregiving Conference: Supporting Families Impacted by Dementia. Cleveland, OH.
3. **Patton, R.** & Dang, Y. (April, 2019). *Exploring the Intersectional Supervisor: Going Beyond Multicultural Competence*. Presentation for 2019 Spring Workshop for the University of Akron School of Counseling, Akron, OH.
4. Drost, J., Moore, P., Sisak, C. & **Patton, R.** (April, 2018). *Assessing and Managing Pain in Older Adults*. NEOMED Discussion Panel (Invited). Rootstown, Ohio.
5. **Patton, R.** (June, 2017). *Motivational Interviewing*. Two-part presentation for Summa Health Physicians, Akron, OH.
6. Pennington, M., Dawson, R., Davis, J., Fensler, A., Molla, E., & **Patton, R.** (March, 2017). *Help-seeking for online vs. in-person dating violence: Implications for practice*. Poster presentation at the Ohio Association of Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference, Mansfield, OH.
7. Jordan, K., Boyle, R., **Patton, R.**, Katafiasz, H., & Tefteller, D. (April, 2016). *Technology: Today's Supervisor's Ethical and Professional Challenges*. Poster presentation at the Ohio Association of Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference, Columbus, OH.
8. Pennington, M., Patton, R., Fensler, A. & Katafiasz, H. (April, 2016). *Using technology without a clear 'roadmap': A qualitative exploration of Ethical and Legal Guides for Technology Use in Marriage and Family Therapy: A content analysis*. Poster presentation at the Ohio Association of Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference, Columbus, OH.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Courses Taught

- Addictions Counseling
- Advanced Practicum in Marriage and Family Therapy

- Advanced Systems Theory
- Assessment in Marriage and Family Therapy
- Doctoral Seminar
- DSM
- Human Behavior and Social Environments: Small Systems
- Individual and Family Development
- Issues in Sexuality
- Marital Therapy
- Medical Family Therapy
- MFT Doctoral Internship
- MFT Field Experience/Pre-practicum
- MFT Masters Internship
- MFT Masters Practicum
- Motivational Interviewing
- Outcomes Research in Marriage and Family Therapy
- Qualitative Research/Research Design II
- Research and Program Evaluation
- Theories and Techniques in Marriage and Family Therapy

SERVICE TO THE MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPY PROFESSION

State Service

2019 – present	Co-leader, Ohio Family TEAM
2018 - present	Member, The Ohio Interest Network (formally OAMFT)
2014 - 2018	Member, OAMFT Conference sub-committee
2016 – 2018	Chair, OAMFT Legislative Committee

National Service

2019 – present	Mentor, AAMFT Leadership Certificate Program
2019 – present	Member, AAMFT CEC Committee
2018 – present	Site Visitor, COAMFTE
2016 – 2019	Member, MFP Advisory Committee, AAMFT Research & Education Foundation
2014 – 2016	Mentor, AAMFT Minority Fellowship Program, AAMFT Research & Education Foundation