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Education

1975 M.A., Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio
1974 B.A., Suma Cum Laude, SUNY College at Cortland, Cortland, NY

Experience at Ithaca College

9/04-present SLP/A Assistant Chair and SLP Director
9/94-5/04 SLP Clinic Director/Clinical Assistant Professor, Dept. Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology, Ithaca College, Ithaca, NY 14850
9/91-6/94 Professional Staff/ Clinic and Student Teaching Coordinator

Administration (.42 FTE/semester)

Administration of the clinical Speech-Language Pathology programs of the Sir Alexander Ewing-Ithaca College Speech and Hearing Clinic, including on campus programming and eight off-campus programs; scheduling of diagnostic evaluations and screenings; assignment of supervisory responsibilities to faculty; coordination of all fulltime externship experiences and student teaching for graduate students; establishment and maintenance of positive professional affiliations with community agencies; coordination of undergraduate student teaching from 9/91-9/6.

Teaching (.25 FTE/semester)

620-472 Undergraduate Clinical Practicum (F, S), 9/93-present
621-661 Graduate Clinical Practicum I (F) since, 9/91-present
620-421 Programming Services in Speech-Language Pathology (F, S)
9/91-5/93

Course Coordination (component of administrative load)

621-662 Graduate Clinical Practicum II (S or SSI), 1/92-present
621-663 Graduate Externship I in Speech-Language Pathology (SSII),
6/92-present
621-665 Graduate Externship II in Speech-Language Pathology (F),
10/92-present

Supervision (.33 FTE/semester)

Supervision of 8-14 assignments/semester, including undergraduate and graduate students at off-campus programs or within the Ewing Clinic for diagnostic and therapy sessions and student teaching supervision

Other Professional Experience

7/87-7/91

Department Chairperson, Speech-Language Pathology Dept., Special Children's Center, Ithaca, NY 14850

Supervision of 17 department members from early intervention, itinerant and adult outreach programs; liaison between department and upper administration; annual performance appraisals; coordination of caseloads and staff development; interviewing and orienting SLP staff

7/83-7/91

Speech-Language Pathologist, Special Children's Center, Cortland, NY

Evaluation and treatment of special needs infants-5 yr. Old children; supported educational programming; conducted staff in-service training; participated in interdisciplinary planning and collaboration with parents; supervised graduate externs and undergraduate student teachers from Ithaca College and SUNY College at Cortland and Clinical Fellowship candidates

9/81-6/83

Speech-Language Pathologist, Head Start Program of Cortland Co., Cortland, NY

Implementation of first fulltime program for remediation of communication disorders; supervised 5-10 undergraduate students from SUNY College at Cortland per semester; provided extensive in-service training and demonstration therapy for staff; completed CPSE referrals

1/82-5/82

Adjunct Supervisor, SUNY College at Cortland, Cortland, NY

Supervision of six undergraduate clinicians in the McDonald Speech and Hearing Clinic in conjunction with Clinical Practicum Course SHH 479

1/81-7/83

Private Practitioner in Speech-Language Pathology

Completion of contractual agreements for diagnostic and therapy services at Groton Residential Care Facility, Head Start Program of Cortland County and E. John Gavras Center

- 1/81-5/81** Adjunct Instructor, SUNY College at Cortland, NY
Course instruction, SSH 280 Phonetics
- 9/75-10/80** Speech-Language Pathologist, E. John Gavras Center, Auburn, NY
Evaluation and treatment of communication disorders preschool-adult;
supervision of clinical fellowship candidates and Ithaca College student
interns; coordination of speech department activities
- 8/74-8/75** Graduate Assistant, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green,
Ohio
Teaching and administrative assistant to faculty;
Course instruction, SpC 102 Speech Communication

Professional Memberships and Licenses

American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA), 1975-present
New York State Permanent Certificate Teacher of the Speech and Hearing Handicapped,
1975-present
ASHA Certificate of Clinical Competence, 1976-present
New York State License # 000844 Speech-Language Pathology, 1976- present
Southern Tier Area Speech-Language Hearing Association, 1981-present
New York State Speech-Language-Hearing Association, 2001-present
ASHA Special Interest Division #1, Language and Literacy, 2003-present
ASHA Special Interest Division #12, Issues in Higher Education, 2002
ASHA Special Interest Division #11, Administration and Supervision, 1996-2001

Publications

- Cecconi, C. P.** (2004). *A prevention and enhancement model for at-risk preschoolers: three classroom contexts*. SpeechPathology.com, featured invited article, 6/1/04.
- Cecconi, C. P. and Begley, E.** (1996). *From Clinic to Classroom: Preparing Students for Collaborative Intervention*, Proceedings of the 1996 Conference on Clinical Supervision: Partnerships in Supervision: Innovative and Effective Practices
- Cecconi, C. P. and Rothenberg, S. P.** (1980). *Model Instructional Program for Mainstreaming Handicapped Children*, Phys. Ther., 60, 1022-1025.
- Cecconi, C. P. and Hood, S. B.** (1977) . *Influence of Reading Level Difficulty on the Disfluencies of Normal Children*, J. Speech Hearing Res., 20, 475-484.

Refereed Conference Presentations

Cecconi, C. P. (2004). *Profiling prevention: Assessment information on rural, at-risk preschoolers*, poster presentation at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Philadelphia, PA, 11/18/04.

Cecconi, C. P. (2004). *Documenting acquisition of knowledge and skills: Clinical reasoning case conferences*, poster presentation at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Philadelphia, PA, 11/18/04.

Cecconi, C. P. (2003). *Communication intervention for at-risk preschoolers: Three classroom contexts*, poster presentation at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Chicago, IL, 11/14/03.

Begley, E., and Cecconi, C. P. (2003). *Multimedia case studies: Using instructional technology for clinical reasoning*, mini-seminar at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Chicago, IL, 11/14/03.

***featured cover article in Advance for Speech-Language Pathologists
on 3/22/04 based on presentation

Cecconi, C. P. (2003). *Understanding children's communication behaviors: Making sense of assessment information*, breakout session at Spring Conference of New York State Even Start Family Literacy, Saratoga Springs, NY, 2/11/03.

Cecconi, C. P., Katz, R., and Brown, D. (2003). *Collaborating on communication: A partnership for enhancing children's communication development*, breakout session at Spring Conference of New York State Even Start Family Literacy, Saratoga Springs, NY, 2/13/03.

Cecconi, C. P., (2001) *Students Practicing Outside the Box: A Clinical Practicum Model*, poster presentation at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, New Orleans, LA.

Cecconi, C. P. and Dennis, C., (2001) *Interdisciplinary Clinical Education within a Family-Centered Prevention Model*, poster presentation at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, New Orleans, LA.

Begley, E., Lockwood, K and Cecconi, C. P., (2000) *It's a Dot Com World: Computer Competencies for SLP Graduate Students*, poster presentation at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Washington, D. C..

Cecconi, C. P., (1999) *Classroom Language Facilitation Across the Continuum of Intrusiveness*, poster presentation at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, San Francisco, CA.

Cecconi, C. P. and Begley, E., (1998) *Training for Teaming: Application of Social Styles to Workplace Interactions*, mini-seminar at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, San Antonio, TX.

Cecconi, C. P., (1997) *Preparing the Next Generation of Clinicians for Family-Focused Intervention*, poster presentation at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Boston, MA.

Begley, E. and Cecconi, C. P., (1997) *Technology Today: A Survey of Computer use in the workplace*, poster presentation at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Boston, MA.

Cecconi, C. P., (1996) *Language, Literacy and Phonological Awareness: Comprehensive Programming for Preschoolers*, poster presentation at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Seattle, WA.

Begley, E. and Cecconi, C. P., (1996) *From Backpack to Briefcase: Preparing Student Clinicians for Teaching Certification*, poster presentation at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Seattle, WA.

Cecconi, C. P. and Begley, E., (1996) *From Clinic to Classroom: Preparing Students for Collaborative Intervention*, mini-seminar at the Council of Supervisors in Speech-Language Pathology/Audiology (CSSPA) Conference, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Cecconi, C. P., (1995) *The Clinical Portfolio: A Valuable Tool for Students and Supervisors*, poster presentation at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Orlando, FL.

Sanford, M., Cecconi, C. P., Durnford, S and Begley, E. (1994) *Clinical Intervention Across Diverse Contexts*, mini-seminar at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, New Orleans, LA.

Cecconi, C. P. (1994) *Preparing Students for Diversity: Integrating Strategic Planning into Intervention*, poster presentation at the Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, New Orleans, LA.

Invited Presentations

Cecconi, C. P. *Understanding and facilitating communication in preschoolers.* Key note address at 2004 Technical Assistance Meeting New York State Even Start Family Literacy, Saratoga Springs, NY, 9/30/04.

Cecconi, C. P. *Understanding and facilitating communication in preschoolers: Follow-up.* Breakout session at 2004 Technical Assistance Meeting New York State Even Start Family Literacy, Saratoga Springs, NY, 9/30/04.

Long, D., Schlough, K. and Cecconi, C., Enhancing Clinical Reasoning Skills, Breakout session at the Third Interdisciplinary Conference on Clinical Education, Ithaca College, 6/7/02.

Cecconi, C. P., Communication Development in Young Children, Seminar presentation at the Yates-Seneca-Ontario Counties Early Intervention Conference, Seneca Fall, NY, 6/8/01.

Cecconi, C. P., A Family-Centered Playgroup, presentation at the Even Start Regional Staff Development Conference, College of Human Ecology, Cornell University, 11/20/00.

Begley, E. and Cecconi, C. P., Negotiating the Workplace: How Your Social Style Works for You, breakout session at Professional Skills for the Changing health Care Environment, Ithaca College, 6/9/00.

Cecconi, C. P., and Begley, E., Negotiating the Workplace: How Your Social Style Works for You, fall conference of the Southern Tier Area Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Ithaca, NY, 10/17/98.

Cecconi, C. P., Assessment of Infants and Toddlers, in-service at Tompkins County Health Department Children with Special Care Needs Program, five county representatives, 1/13/97.

Cecconi, C. P., An Overview of Normal Speech and Language Development, in-service presentation to the Down Syndrome Parent Support Group, Special Children's Center, 11/95.

Cecconi, C. P., Oral-Motor Intervention and Student Teaching Supervision: Roles, Responsibilities and Expectations, two break-out sessions presented at the B-D-T BOCES staff development day, 4/95.

Awards and Grants

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| 9/03 | \$4,000.00 expansion grant from Tompkins County Even Start to provide consultation and evaluation services |
| 4/01 | Dean's Merit Award, 2000-2001 academic year, co-recipient with other member of the Interdisciplinary Internship Coordinator's Committee, for exemplary interdisciplinary work |
| 1/01 | Super Duper Publications, University Partnership Program, over \$1,000.00 complimentary materials for the Ewing Clinic |

- 3/01 American Guidance Service University Partnership Program: over \$500.00 complimentary diagnostic materials for the Ewing Clinic
- 9/99 Super Duper Publications, University Partnership Program, over \$1,000.00 complimentary materials for the Ewing Clinic
- 4/98 Faculty Opportunity Award, \$3,000.00, discretionary award by President Peggy Williams for “especially strong record of accomplishment and service”.
- 3/98 Psychological Corporation: Speech Viewer III donation, valued at \$13000.00 to Ewing Clinic
- 11/95 Awarded New York State Dept. of Health Approved Provider Status for the Ewing Clinic to provide early intervention and preschool related speech and language services

Service Activities at Ithaca College

- College-Wide** All College Teacher Education Committee, 2004-present
 Parking/Traffic Policy Committee, 1996-2002
 Chair, 2001-02
 Recording Secretary, 2000-1; 99-00; 97-98
 Search Committee, Vice President for Student Affairs and Campus Life, Spring 2001
 Quality of Student Life Task Force, College-Wide Planning and Priorities Initiative, 1999-2000
 Partnership in Teaching Program, 98-99
 Center for Teacher Education Advisory Board, 1995-96
- School HSHP** Marketing and Recruitment Committee, 2004-05
 Ad Hoc Committee on Salary Adjustments, 2003-present
 Personnel Committee, 2001-02; 1998-99; 1997-98; 1996-97
 Interdisciplinary Internship Coordinator’s Committee, 1996 - present
 Center for Life Skills Planning Committee, 1999-2000
 HSHP Steering Committee, 1996-99
 HSHP Merit Committee, Spring 98
 School Ad Hoc Committees on Governance & Recruitment, 1995-96
 Open Houses, yearly since 1995
- Dept. SLP/A** Undergraduate and Graduate Curriculum Committees, 2001-02, 2000-1
 Clinic Committee, 1994-present
 Teacher Education Curriculum Committee, 1998-99
 Capital Equipment Committee, 1995-00
 75th Anniversary Committee, 1996-97

Community Service Activities

5/03-present Zonta of Cortland (women's service organizations)
9/04-present Coffee Hour Coordinator, St. Margaret's Church, Homer, NY
9/99-present Loaves and Fishes Volunteer, Cortland, NY
F01, F00 Homer Sr. Hi. Athletic Booster Club Concession Volunteer
1/95-6/98 Homer Sr. Hi. Site Based/Shared Decision Making Committee
9/96-6/98 Coffee Hour Coordinator, St. Margaret's Church, Homer, NY
2/96-10/97 Religious Educ. Teacher, St. Margaret's Church, Homer, NY

Continuing Education since 1995

Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, New, LA,
11/15-11/18/01:

Short Course, *SCERTS: A Transactional-Developmental Intervention Model for Autism Spectrum Disorders*; Mini-seminars, presentations on Nature-Nurture and Literary, Developmental Language Disorders and Language Intervention, Phonological Awareness and Reading, Graduate Education

Intervention for Autistic Spectrum Disorders by A. Weatherby, Syracuse-Area Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Syracuse, NY, 5/11/01.

Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Washington, D. C; 11/17/00-11/21/00:

Mini-seminars, presentations on Professional Affairs, Phonology, Developmental Language Disorders and Language Intervention, Apraxia, Aphasia and Clinical Supervision

Introduction to File Maker Pro, ACCS Workshop, Ithaca College, 10/16/00

Clinical Phonology: Where Are We Now? by J. Bernthal, NSSLHA Spring Conference, SUNY College at Cortland, 3/25/00

Internet issues, Faculty Development Conference; Ithaca College; 1/12/00.

Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, San Francisco, CA; 11/18/99-11/23/99:

Two microcomputer labs – *SALT (Systematic Analysis of Language Transcripts)*; *Internet resources for teaching*; Mini-seminars, presentations on Professional Affairs, Phonology, Language Disorders and Language Intervention

Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, San Antonio, TX; 11/19/98-11/23/98:

Two microcomputer labs – *Technology for classroom*; *Internet resources*; Mini-seminars, presentations on Professional Affairs, Phonology, and Language Development and Disorders

Creating Supervisory Relationships that Foster Mutual Growth, Interdisciplinary conference at Ithaca College sponsored School of HS&HP, 6/12/98.

Identification and Management of Central Auditory processing Disorders in Children, Southern Tier Area Speech-Language-Hearing Association, SUC Cortland and Ithaca College NSSLHA Spring Conference, Cortland, NY, 3/27/98.

Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association; Boston, MA; 11/20-11/24/97:

Short Course, *Supervision Across the Professional Continuum*;
Mini-seminars, presentations in Professional Affairs, Clinical Education,
Language and Phonology, Technology

Spring Faculty Development Conference; Ithaca College, 5/13/97.

Sensory Integration in Infants and Young Children, HCA, Binghamton, NY, 5/3/97.

Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association; Seattle, WA; 11/20-11/24/96:

Mini-seminars, presentations on Clinical Supervision, Service Delivery, Web Sites for SLPs, Best Bets for Phonetic Context, Narrative Analysis, What's New in Pragmatics

1996 Council of Supervisors in SLP/A International Conference on Supervision, *Partnerships in Supervision: Innovative and Effective Practices*, Cincinnati, Ohio, 6/6-6/8/96; Mini-seminars on Clinical Education, Consumer Expectations, Interactive Supervision System, Computer Systems for Self-Supervision, Social Power Bases of Supervisors, and Partnership Programs.

Spring Faculty Development Conference; Ithaca College, 5/14/96.

Introduction to Windows I, II, III, SUNY College at Cortland Continuing Education Workshops, 3/20 and 3/27/96.

Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association; Orlando, FL; 12/7-12/10/95:

Mini-seminars, presentations on Phonological Awareness, Efficacy Research, The language of Intervention, Learning Styles, Narrative Analysis and Language Intervention

Spring Faculty Development Conference; Ithaca College, 5/16/95.