

HYACINTH SPENCE, LMSW

Clinical Assistant Professor/Field Education Coordinator/SIFI Coordinator

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EDUCATION

1992 Fordham University, MSW Program

1990 College for Human Services, BS, Human Services

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

Stony Brook University, School of Social Welfare, Stony Brook, NY

- 2013 - Present **Clinical Assistant Professor/Field Education Coordinator**
- *Field Faculty:*
 - Assign, monitor, evaluate, and develop graduate and undergraduate student field placements.
 - Plan and coordinate field training for incoming social work students.
 - Coordinate three sections of the SIFI course per academic year for all new field instructors.
 - *Field Liaison:*
 - Act as Field Liaison for 20-25 undergraduate and graduate students each year.
 - Provide guidance and mentorship to students and field instructors throughout the academic year.
 - *Field Instructor*
 - Act as the field instructor for students placed at the Stony Brook Home, and other community agencies during and after the pandemic
 - *Clinical Assistant Professor:*
 - HWC505: Integrating Seminar 2021
 - SIFI Course 2013 - present

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2005 - 2020 **Residential Housing Counselor, Catholic Charities Residential Services, Amityville, NY**

2012 - 2015 **Psychotherapist, Jewish Board of Family and Children's Services, Central Islip, NY**

- 2004 - 2013 ***PROS Program Assistant Director, F.E.G.S. – Federation Employment Guidance Services, Copiague, NY***
- 2004 - 2013 ***Assistant Director, F.E.G.S. - Federation Employment Guidance Services, Federal Child and Adult Care Food Program, Copaigue, NY***
- 2004 - 2013 ***Psychiatric Hotline Coverage:Night Coverage, F.E.G.S. - Federation Employment Guidance Services, Copiague, NY***
- 2005 - 2007 ***Program Manager, Respite Weekend Programs, F.E.G.S. - Federation Employment Guidance Services, Brentwood, NY***
- 1994 - 2007 ***Program Manager, Clubhouse Program, F.E.G.S. - Federation Employment Guidance Services, West Babylon, NY***
- 1991 - 1994 ***Social Worker & Program Supervisor, Rockwell Continuing Day Treatment Program, F.E.G.S. - Federation Employment Guidance Services, Brooklyn, NY***

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND SERVICES

- ***Committee Service:***
 - SIFI Subcommittee, New York State, 2018 - Present
 - International Association of Social Work Committee, IASWG 2014 - Present
 - BSW Programming Committee, School of Social Welfare, 2013 - Present
 - Field Education Committee, School of Social Welfare, 2013 - Present
 - Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Committee - School of Social Welfare, 2016 - 2017
- ***Faculty/Staff Search Committee(s);***
 - Clinical Assistant Professor, 2023
 - Clerical Assistant, 2022
 - Field Education Coordinator/Lecturer, 2020
 - Field Education Coordinator/Clinical Assistant Professor, 2019
 - Director for Field Education/Clinical Assistant Professor, 2017
 - Assistant Director for Field Education/Clinical Assistant Professor, 2017
 - Coordinator of Admissions, 2020
 - Student Services Advisor, 2018
 - Director of Admissions, 2018

- Clerical Assistant, 2016

COMMUNITY AFFILIATIONS

1998 - 2004 **Suffolk County Multicultural Committee Member**

2004 - 2008 **Suffolk Multicultural Co-Chair**

2008 - 2017 **Multicultural Chair**

2008 - 2015 **Member New York State Office of Mental Hygiene**

2000 - 2006 **“The Walk for Mental Health”**

PROFESSIONAL STATE LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATIONS

- Licensed Master Social Worker - New York (active)
- Certificate Dialectical Behavioral Treatment
- SIFI Certification
- Certificate in Staff Supervision
- Practical Nursing Certification

AWARDS

- New York State Office of Mental Hygiene, Certificate of Appreciation
- F.E.G.S. Richard Blyer Award for Outstanding Services
- Social Work Scholarship - Fordham University
- New York City Mayor’s Scholarship - Undergraduate Program
- IASWG International Association for Social Work Groups

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- Licensed Master Social Worker - New York (active)
- Certificate Dialectical Behavioral Treatment
- SIFI Certification - Wurzweiler - School of Social Work
- Certificate in Staff Supervision - Hunter College
- Practical Nursing Certification - Jamaica W.I.