

Curriculum Vitae Part I

PERSONAL DATA

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EDUCATION

Year	Degree	Institution	Location
2019	PhD	Howard University	Washington DC
2013	MSW	Florida State University	Tallahassee, FL
2010	BS	University of Florida	Gainesville, FL

CURRENT LICENSE AND CERTIFICATION

Year	Source	Type
2021	State of Maryland, Department of Health	Certified Social Worker-Clinical (LCSW-C),
2018	Government of the District of Columbia	Licensed Independent Clinical Social Worker
2022	TF-CBT National Therapist Certification	TF-CBT therapist certification

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Year	Position	Institution	Location
2023-2021	Post-doctoral Fellow (NIH T32 Training Program- Interdisciplinary Training in Trauma and Violence)	Johns Hopkins University	Baltimore, MD
2021-2019	Post-doctoral Fellow (NIH T32 Training Program-Autism Research Training Program)	University of California MIND Institute	Sacramento, CA

HONORS AND AWARDS

2023	Best Conference Paper, Society for Emerging Adulthood Conference.
2023	Society for Prevention Research Travel Award.
2022	Best Conference Presentation of mentored student, ABRCMS conference.
2021	INSAR Cultural Diversity Travel Award.
2020	UC Davis MIND Institute Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Research Award.
2019	Yale Bouchet Honor Society Inductee, Yale University.
2019	Outstanding Doctoral Student Recognition, Howard University School of Social Worker

RESEARCH

Sponsored Projects

2022	Barriers to Inclusion: Quantifying Disability-Related Out-of-Pocket Costs and Unmet Needs for People with Disabilities with a Focus on Underserved Communities, Co-investigator, NIDILRR; \$592,000.
2020	Interactions of race and disability identities and intersectional experiences of Black young adults with autism, ages 18-26, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Research Award, Principal Investigator, UC Davis MIND Institute, \$1,000.
2016	Medical home adequacy of youth receiving SSI, Dissertation Research Fellow Award, Disability Research Consortium (cooperative agreement of Mathematica Center for Studying Disability Policy and the Social Security Administration), Principal Investigator, \$28,000.
2015	Age-18 SSI redetermination process and impact, Disability Determination Small Grant, Social Security Administration, Principal Investigator, \$10,000.

Un-sponsored Research Projects

2020	Impact of the medical home on outcomes of African American minority youth (ages 16-22 years) with Autism Spectrum and their families during the transition to adulthood, NIH Loan Repayment Program, unfunded.
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PRACTICE

Practice

2021-2023	TF-CBT clinician trainee, Kennedy Krieger Institute
2019-2018	Mental health therapist, Preventive Measures, Inc.
2018-2015	Mental health therapist, Contemporary Family Services, Inc.

SCHOLARSHIP

Publications

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles (*data-based)

1. *Davis, A.M., Van Eck, K., Copeland-Linder, N., Phuong, K., & Belcher, H. M. (2023). Hospitalization and Mortality for Insured Patients in the United States with COVID-19 with and without Autism Spectrum Disorder. *Journal of Autism and Developmental Disorders*, 1-8.
2. *Davis, A.M. & Gourdine, R. (2022). Intersectionality and Social Security age-18 redetermination: reducing the stress and trauma of transition for Black transition-age youth with disabilities. *Child and Adolescent Social Work Journal*, 1-11.
3. *Davis, A.M., Solomon, M. & Belcher, H. (2022). Examination of Race and Autism Intersectionality Among African American/Black Young Adults. *Autism in Adulthood*, 4(4), 306-314.
4. *Davis, A.M., Smith, E., Yang, X. (2023). Exploring racial discrimination, disability discrimination, and perception of the future among autistic and non-autistic racialized Black young adults. *Journal of Child and Adolescent Trauma*. [under review].
5. *Davis, A.M., Burks-Abbot, G., Merencias, O., Swenor, B. (2023). Autism interventions designed or adapted for the Black/African American population: A systematic review. *Autism*. [under review].
6. *Davis, A.M., Linder, N., Van Eck, K., Phuong, K., Belcher, H. (2023). Individuals with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities: Analysis of Hospitalization and Mortality Outcomes of Insured COVID- Positive Individuals. *Disability and Health Journal*. [under review].
7. *Gourdine, R. M., Davis, A. M., & Howard, H. (2020). The Legacy Of The Founding Social Work Programs At HBCUs. *Phylon (1960-)*, 57(2), 71-82.
8. *Algood, C., & Davis, A. M. (2019). Inequities in Family Quality of Life for African American Families Raising Children with Disabilities. *Social work in public health*, 34(1), 102-11.

Non-Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

1. Davis, A. (2020). COVID-19 Disparities and Black Despair: A Life Course Look at Black Adolescence and Black Adulthood. *The Black Perspective Monograph 3: Addressing the COVID-19 Pandemic through an Examination of Mental Health and Health Disparities in the Black Community*, 75.
2. Scott, T., Kramer, M., Wollman, N., Davis, A. (2017). A Multi-Issue Prevention Model for Benefiting Society While Reducing Government Spending. National Prevention Science Coalition to Improve Lives. Retrieved from http://media.wix.com/ugd/773dc1_15b83464f2fa40e98d85714do175da65.pdf

3. Davis, A. (July 2016). *Legacy of the War on Poverty: Hunger/food insecurity alleviation programs and HIV collision in the 21st century* [Monograph]. Howard University Frazier Center War on Poverty Special Publication.
4. Davis, A. (2015). Global social work perspective: Disability and current South Africa struggles. Social dialogue: Magazine of the international association of schools of social work, *Social Work Without Borders* edition, 11, 10-13.
5. Davis, A. (2015). *War on Poverty and turning the tide of HIV among African Americans: Addressing food insecurity*. Extended abstract proceedings, 2014 Minority Health & Health Disparities Grantees' Conference. Proceeding of NIMHD, National Harbor, MD.

Conference Meetings/Presentations

National

- 2023 **Davis, A.**, Smith, E. & Yang, X. (June 2023). Exploring racial discrimination, disability discrimination, and perception of the future among autistic and non-autistic racialized Black young adults: A Qualitative Study. Society for the Study of Emerging Adulthood Conference, San Diego, CA [Oral]
- 2023 Conklin, Q., Pokorny, J., VandenBos, S., King, B., Dewan, P., Limberis, A., Patterson, C., Skwara, A., **Davis, A.**, Fernandez, J., Gill, H., Majied, K., & Saron, C. Visualizing data from the Contemplative Coping during COVID-19 project. Inaugural Conference of the International Society for Contemplative Research, San Diego, CA [Oral]
- 2023 Badhan, M., **Davis, A.**, & Yang, X. (November 2022). Health-Related Factors that Correlate with the General Health of Autistic Youth. Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minoritized Scientists (ABRCMS), Anaheim, CA [Poster]
- 2022 **Davis, A.** & Belcher, H. (May 2022). *Do Insured Adults with Autism Experience Increased Odds of Hospitalizations and Mortality in the U.S. after a COVID-19 Diagnosis?* Invited panel at International Society of Autism Research, Austin, TX [Oral]
- 2020 Dalloul, N., **Davis, A.**, Cho, An-Chuen, Botello, R., Niendam, T., Solomon, M. Measuring Social and Role Functioning in Adolescents & Young Adults with ASD. International Society of Autism Research (virtual) [Oral]

Local

- 2023 **Davis, A.** Intersectionality as a risk factor for Black (African American) autistic young adults. Wendy Klag Center for Autism and Developmental Disabilities, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, Baltimore, MD [Lecture]
- 2023 **Davis, A.** Intersectionality and Black autistic young adults. Kennedy Krieger Institute Center for Autism and Related Disorders African American Family Advisory Board, Baltimore, MD [Oral]

American Society for Cell Biology 2021- present	Member, Chair, Accomplishing Career Transitions (ACT) Health Disparities Working Group
The Society for Prevention Research 2023- present	Member
Society for Social Work and Research 2020- present	Member
International Society for Autism Research 2020- present	Member
National Association of Social Insurance 2015- present	Associate Member
National Prevention Science Coalition 2016- present	Member

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EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES

Classroom Instruction (Teaching)

2023	Seminar Lecture: Stony Brook University LEND program, Intersectionality as a risk factor for Black autistic young adults
2021	Seminar Lecture: UC Davis Psychiatry Residents program, Life Course Perspectives on Adolescence and Race
2020	Seminar Lecture: UC Davis MIND Institute, Trauma, Risk, & Resiliency Series: Poverty
2020	Seminar Co-Lecture: UC Davis MIND Institute, Autism Research Training Program, Neurochemistry

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Committees and Task Forces

2022	Member, Kennedy Krieger Institute Biennial Trauma Conference Planning Committee
2021-2020	Member, UC Davis Antiracist Working Group
2021	Member, UC Davis MIND Institute DEI Ally Committee

Community Service

2023- present Lectures, LEND faculty at Stony Brook University, NY

2022- present Lectures, Kennedy Krieger Institute, MD

MENTORING AND ADVISEMENT

Mentoring

2022 CDC MCH-LEARN Scholar, Undergrad student. Project: Health-Related Factors that Correlate with the General Health of Autistic Youth

2022 CDC Ferguson RISE graduate scholar, medical student. Project: HIV Testing Disparities: Ways to Improve Testing Rates Among Black and Hispanic Men That Have Sex With Men