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EDUCATION

2023- present	Education Specialist, School Psychology University of Nebraska- Lincoln Lincoln, NE Advisor: Dr. Scott Napolitano	GPA: 4.0
2019- 2023	Bachelor of Science, Psychology Emporia State University Emporia, KS <i>Magna Cum Laude</i> <i>High Honors</i>	GPA: 3.89 Major GPA: 4.0

WORK EXPERIENCE

2023- present	Graduate Research Assistant , Test Reviews & Information Buros Center for Testing Lincoln, NE <ul style="list-style-type: none">Writes test descriptions for various Buros publications.Conducts fact-checking of test reviews.Coordinates continuing education credit certificates for webinar attendees.Creates and designs various marketing materials for Buros events.
2022- 2023	Student Body Vice President , Associated Student Government Emporia State University Emporia, KS <ul style="list-style-type: none">Lead and supported a Student Senate of 24 students as they navigated the responsibilities of a position in campus leadership.Engaged in weekly staff meetings, lead Senator 1:1 meetings, and met with university students to discuss student needs.Created and launched new programs and initiatives, at the request of students, to excel student voice and leadership.
2020- 2022	Resident Assistant , Residence Life Emporia State University Emporia, KS <ul style="list-style-type: none">Created and supported a living-learning community of 30+ residents that focused on academic development and personal growth.Engaged in weekly staff meetings to discuss student needs and establish/review goals that aim to improve the student experience.
2019-2022	Para Substitute (On-call basis) Reno County Education Cooperative Hutchinson, KS <ul style="list-style-type: none">Organized instructional material and facilitated activities that support students' physical, emotional, and social growth.Provided teacher support with curriculum delivery and student behavior management.Documented student progress, obstacles, and academic milestones for parents and educational staff.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Kisner, H. (2023, May 4). *College students' decisions about consequences when evaluating white or black children's behavior* [Poster presentation]. Emporia State University Psychology Mix & Mingle, Emporia, KS.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE & PRESENTATIONS

2023 **School Psychology Undergraduate Internship**

Dr. Andrea Garritano, Flint Hills Special Education Cooperative | Emporia, KS

- Shadowed the daily tasks, meetings, and activities of a practicing school psychologist.
- Observed student IEP meetings, administration of assessments, and parent and staff consultations.

2022 **Spring into STREAM Workshop, Co-Teacher**

Funded by the Kathrine K. White Incentive Grant | Emporia State University

Advisor: Dr. Melissa Reed

- Worked with a pre-service science teacher to prepare a lesson and activity to teach and expose upper elementary students to concepts of STREAM.

2021 **Make progress on your passions: Leadership starts with you, Co-Presenter**

Hailey Kisner, DJ Whetter, & Katy Weidner | Kansas Leadership Center

Presented at Kansas Youth Community Change Conference in July 2021.

- Worked with staff from the Kansas Leadership Center to pinpoint two leadership competencies to present to high school students about adaptive leadership. Presented via Zoom.

Prevention in the age of Vape, Co-Presenter

Hailey Kisner & Jordan Roberts, KDHE Resist Program Coordinator | Resist Youth Program

Presented at Kansas Youth Community Change Conference in July 2021.

- Presented on ways the e-cigarette industry has changed tobacco prevention outreach and cessation services and how youth can be a gamechanger in prevention efforts. Presented to middle and high school students via Zoom.

What to Know: Transitioning from Middle School to High School or HS to College, Co-Presenter

Hailey Kisner & Baylee Parsons

Presented at Kansas Youth Community Change Conference in July 2021.

- Presented to middle and high school students about the myths surrounding transitioning grade levels/schools and helpful tips to consider when starting something new.

Connections Over Compliance: Pre-Service Teacher Book Study, Facilitator

Honors Contract Project | Emporia State University

- Worked 1:1 with my professor to host a book study discussing the book, *Connections Over Compliance* by Dr. Lori Desautels.
- Prepared weekly discussion materials, questions, and activities. Attendees ranged from education majors to current teachers, professors, and a college dean.

How We Teach This Podcast, Facilitator

How the Brain Impacts Emotion & Learning, Lori Desautels, PhD- [Season 3, Ep. 4](#)

The Need for Neuroscience in Education, Dustin Springer, PhD- [Season 3, Ep. 5](#)

Impacting Struggling Students, Michael McKnight, EdS- [Season 3, Ep. 7](#)

- Filmed three podcasts for the ESU Teachers College Podcast for their series on “Neuroscience in the Classroom.”

2020 **E-Cigarettes: The Myths & Mysteries of Big Tobacco and Vape, Presenter**

Hailey Kisner, Resist Youth Council Advisor | Resist Youth Program

Presented to Emporia High School in February 2020.

- Gave presentation to 1,500 9-12 graders about the facts of vaping and dangers of prolonged e-cigarette usage.

Starting, Navigating, & Progressing Your Resist Chapter, Presenter

Hailey Kisner, Resist Youth Council Advisor | Resist Youth Council Workshop (Virtual)

- Provided guidance, tips, and information for new Resist Chapters in Kansas to recruit students and be successful in tobacco prevention initiatives.

2019 **William Allen White Award Book Club, Facilitator**

Emporia Middle School | Emporia, KS

- Worked in small groups with 4-6 middle school students to read and discuss the 2019 WAW Book Award Winner: *Pax* by Sara Pennypacker.
- Created and planned lessons and facilitated discussion with students.

2019 American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network Kansas Cancer Policy Forum, Moderator
Kansas Health Institute | Topeka, KS

- A premier event bringing together key leaders and decision makers in business, education, medical research, cancer care, government, and health policy to unite those in Kansas who are fighting to end cancer.
- This forum focused on the topic of youth tobacco use in Kansas and best practices regarding policy interventions.
- I served as moderator for the forum and guided the event around the panelists remarks, professional opinions, and audience inquiries. The panelists featured were:
 - Dr. Roy A. Jensen, Director of the University of Kansas Cancer Center
 - Dr. Dena Hubbard, Neonatologist at Children’s Mercy Hospital KC
 - Dr. Thuylinh Pham, Pediatric Urgent Care at Children’s Mercy Hospital KC East

Back to School Campaign: Keeping Juuls Out of Schools, Presenter

Hailey Kisner, Resist Youth Council Advisor | Resist Youth Program

- Created a campaign to address and combat the popular electronic cigarette, JUUL.
- Spoke to 45 school districts and over 275 superintendents, principals, teachers, and students across Kansas.
- Helped change a districts’ tobacco and nicotine policy in Reno County, KS.

Resist Youth Council, Youth Advisor (2 years)

Resist Youth Program | Kansas Department of Health & Environment

- Provided school and community presentations, advocated at the KS Capitol, created and published marketing materials, coordinated the promotion of grant opportunities, and provided support and leadership for the Resist Youth Council, a group of 10-12 middle and high school students passionate about making a difference in tobacco usage across KS.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- 2023 **Assess for Success: Supporting Children with ADHD Across their Educational Careers**
Dr. Matthew Gormley, University of Nebraska- Lincoln
- Great Plains Students' Psychology Convention**
Emporia State University
- Breaking Barriers: Women in Leadership Conference**
Emporia State University
- The Power of Story and the Dangers of Absence**, Bonner & Bonner Diversity Lecture
Dr. Ferial Pearson, University of Nebraska- Omaha
- 2022 **Kansas Honors Connections Conference**
Emporia State University
- Becoming Equitable Educators**, High Impact 6-Week Course
Dr. Heather Caswell & Dr. Melissa Reed, Emporia State University
- Youth Advancing Social Justice: How to be a Changemaker**, Bonner & Bonner Diversity Lecture
Autumn Rose Miskweminanocsqua (Raspberry Star Woman) Williams
Shinnecock Reservation
- 47th Annual Art Therapy Discovery Day**
Emporia State University
- 2021 **ESSDACK Workshop Series**, High Impact 8- Week Course
Emporia State University
- Early Childhood & Brain Development
 - Trauma-Informed Restorative Practices
 - Incorporating SEL into the Language Arts Curriculum
 - STEM/Science- Trauma-Informed and SEL Integration
 - Social Studies- Recipe Cards for Success
 - Math- Integration of SEL and Cognitive Guided Instruction
 - Positive Behavior Management- Interventions and Trauma-Informed Behavior Plans
 - Diversity, Families, & Culturally Responsive Practice in the Classroom
- Building Circles & Community Around Picture Books**, Virtual Workshop
Carmen Zeisler, ESSDACK
- 2020 **Preservice Teacher Workshop**, 12 Principles of A Dandelion Teacher
Jennifer Holt & Dr. Heather Caswell, Emporia State University
- Fostering Diversity & Inclusivity in the Classroom**, KNEA-AE Workshop
Dr. Heather Caswell & Dr. Melissa Reed, Emporia State University

Your Leadership Edge, Adaptive Leadership Training
Kansas Leadership Center

2019 **Why are we here? Developing a professional identity through self-care and civil engagement**,
High Impact 15-Week Course
Dr. Heather Caswell & Dr. Melissa Reed, Emporia State University

Resist Youth Advocacy Conference
Resist Youth Council, Kansas Department of Health & Environment

Kick Butts Day at the Capitol
Resist Youth Council & Kansas Cancer Action Network

CIVIC ENGAGEMENT & SERVICE

2023 **Honors Community Engagement Project: We Sting Green Campaign**

- A two-year project aimed at creating a campus-wide recycling program on the campus of Emporia State University.
- Worked with various campus stakeholders, departments, and student organizations to develop a student fee proposal to fund two student sustainability positions as well as the materials needed to execute the program.
- Directly created marketing materials, designed t-shirts, planned sustainability kick-off event, and recruited/trained student volunteers.
- Fee proposal was approved by Student Governance and outdoor recycling was rolled out in April 2023. The Kansas Board of Regents approved fee proposal in Summer of 2023, solidifying yearly funding for the program.

Honors College Service Experience in Washington D.C., Creator

- Worked with the Dean of the Honors College to propose and plan a first of its kind, high impact cultural and service experience for students in the Honors College.
- Students toured various Washington D.C. museums, monuments, the White House, visited with Kansas Senator Jerry Moran, and completed a service project at a local food bank.
- Trip was made possible by fundraising efforts of students, ESU Foundation crowdfunding, the Kala Stroup Scholarship Fund, and ESU Honors College support.

2022 **Kansas Association of Teachers of Mathematics**, Student Volunteer
Emporia State University

2021 **Kansas Beats the Virus Campaign**, Student Facilitator

- Created and lead the KS Beats the Virus Campaign with the Honors College at Emporia State by packaging care packages for local senior citizens that were shut in by the COVID-19 Pandemic.

HONORS, AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

2023 **Burns-Johnson Educational Psychology Student Fellowship**
Newberg Scholar, *Outstanding Senior Award Nominee*
Outstanding Undergraduate Student in Psychology Award

- Teachers College Honor Student**
Emporia State University Traditions Keeper
Emporia State University Honors College Medallion Recipient (4)
- 2022 **Emporia State University Homecoming Candidate**
John & Carolyn Webb Leadership Scholarship
- 2021 **Shepherd Scholar**
Clay Anderson Memorial Award
Solutioneer Award
Richard F. Reicherter Blue Key Scholarship
- 2020 **First Year Student Scholar**
- 2019 **University Honor Roll & Dean's List (4 years)**
Emporia State University Honors College Scholarship (4 years)
Emporia State University Presidential Scholarship (4 years)

CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT

- 2023- present **Pediatric School Psychology Interest Group**, Student Member
University of Nebraska- Lincoln
- 2023- present **Student Affiliates in School Psychology**, Student Member
University of Nebraska- Lincoln
- 2022-2023 **ESU President's Leadership Team**, Shared Governance Representative
Emporia State University
 - Serve on behalf of the ESU Student Body on the Leadership Team for Emporia State University.
 - Collaborated with College Dean's, professors, and University administration on a weekly basis.
- 2022- 2023 **Psychology Student Ambassador**
Emporia State University
- 2022- 2023 **Great Plains Students' Psychology Convention**, Student Planning Committee
Emporia State University
- 2022- 2023 **Associated Student Government**, Vice President
Emporia State University
 - Encouraged connections and communication between ESU Administration, Associated Student Government, and University students through the promotion of events and initiatives.
- 2021- 2023 **Blue Key Honor Society**, Banquet Chair
Emporia State University
 - A premiere honor society that recognizes college students at senior institutions of higher education for balanced and all-around excellence in scholarship, leadership, and service.
- 2021- 2023 **Student Honors College Council**, Social Chair

Emporia State University

- Planned, prepared, and implemented social and community events for Honors College students at Emporia State that focused on self-care, recharging, and fellowship.
- Events ranged from a hike at the Tallgrass Prairie National Park to a cultural one-day excursion to Kansas City, MO and an alternative Spring Break trip to Washington, D.C.
- Attended Hornet Connection admission events to recruit new students to the Honors College.

2021- 2022

Associated Student Government, Senate Operations Chair + Senator
Emporia State University

2020- 2021

Student Honors College Council, Service Chair
Emporia State University

- Created the 2021 Honors College T-shirt
- Lead and coordinated the KS Beats the Virus Campaign activities for the Honors College.
- Planned and coordinated an Earth Day Clean Up event where HC students went around campus cleaning up trash and waste.
- Hosted a letter writing event for HC students to write letters to their favorite professors as a form of encouragement during the COVID-19 Pandemic.

2019- 2022

Emporia State University Ambassador, Marketing & Traditions Chair
Emporia State University

- Relunched and expanded the Emporia State University Traditions Keeper Program that honors students that go above and beyond in areas of academic success, campus pride, campus involvement, and civic engagement.
- Planned, prepped, and implemented the inaugural Spirit of Excellence Awards Ceremony to honor Tradition Keeper honorees.
- Increased followers across all social media platforms by 120%.
- Created marketing materials, graphics, and videos for all events, programs, and initiatives.

2019- 2022

Council for Teacher Education, Student Representative
Emporia State University

2019- 2021

Kansas National Education Association- Aspiring Educators, President
Emporia State University

- Developed and solidified KNEA-AE as a student organization that increased in overall membership by 75% in one year.

2019- 2020

Associated Student Government, Senate Operations Vice Chair + Senator
Emporia State University

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

2023- present Student Member of **National Association of School Psychologists** (NASP)
2023- present Student Member of the **Nebraska School Psychologist Association** (NSPA)
2021- present Lifetime Member of the **Blue Key National Honor Society**

REFERENCES

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