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**Curriculum Vitae**

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**CURRENT POSITION & RESPONSIBILITIES**

**Lecturer and SLP Externship Coordinator, Department of Special Education and Communication Disorders:** Execute placement and supervision of 2<sup>nd</sup> year speech-language pathology master's degree students in off-campus clinical practicum experiences in both medical and educational settings; supervise and advocate for students; serve as a university liaison for off-campus placements; teach graduate coursework; ensure completion of clinical requirements for graduation from the master's degree program; and supervise 1<sup>st</sup>- and 2<sup>nd</sup>-year graduate students on campus as needed.

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

- University of Nebraska; Lincoln, Nebraska 2018-present  
Lecturer and SLP Externship Coordinator
- University Graduate School, Indiana University; Bloomington, Indiana 2017-2018  
Student Academic Appointment, Interprofessional Practice and Education Center
- SpeechCare, Inc.; Lancaster, Pennsylvania 2001-2004  
Pediatric Speech-Language Pathologist
- Penn State Hershey Medical Center; Hershey, Pennsylvania 2001-2002  
Research Assistant
- Capital Area Intermediate Unit; Summerdale, Pennsylvania 2000-2001  
Pediatric Speech-Language Pathologist

**EDUCATION**

- University of Nebraska; Lincoln, Nebraska 2022-present  
Ph.D. student, Educational Studies  
Specialization: Educational Leadership & Higher Education
- Indiana University; Bloomington, Indiana 2013-2020  
Ph.D. Candidate, Speech and Hearing Sciences  
Minor: Inquiry Methodology, School of Education
- Indiana University; Bloomington, Indiana 1997-2000  
M.A., Speech-Language Pathology

Thesis: *Syntax in the conversational discourse of Huntington's and Parkinson's disease patients*

- Lipscomb University; Nashville, Tennessee 1992-1995  
B.A., English, *magna cum laude*

### **PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS**

- Clinical training and supervision in speech-language pathology
- Implementation science in speech-language pathology
- Interprofessional practice & education
- Mentorship in speech-language pathology

### **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

- **Dept. of Special Education and Communication Disorders, University of Nebraska-Lincoln** 2018-present
  - *Mentorship program for speech-language pathology master's degree students* 2020-present  
Co-Investigator: Dr. Adrienne Pitt, UNL
  - *An exploratory study of interprofessional clinical practice for special education and speech-language pathology students* 2019-present  
Co-Investigators: Dr. Sue Kemp and Dr. Kristy Weissling, UNL
  - *The impact of interprofessional education on nursing and speech-language pathology students* 2018-2019  
Co-Investigator: Dr. Kristy Weissling, UNL
- **Adult Cognition and Language Laboratory, Indiana University** 2013-2020  
Advisor: Dr. Laura Murray (2013-2017), Dr. Karen Forrest (2017-2020)
  - *An exploratory study of interprofessional clinical practice for special education and speech-language pathology students* 2019-2020  
Co-Investigators: Dr. Sue Kemp and Dr. Kristy Weissling, UNL  
Dissertation project halted due to COVID-19.
  - *An exploratory study of how professional development affects speech-language pathologists' literacy knowledge, beliefs, and practices* 2015-2016  
Co-Investigator: Dr. Megan Mahowald, Minnesota State University, Mankato  
Second-year doctoral research project, completed.
  - *A survey of treatment in speech sound disorders* 2013-2015  
First-year doctoral research project, completed.

- **Neurology/Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation Unit, Penn State Hershey Medical Center** **2001-2002**  
Advisor: Dr. Anna Barrett
- **Adult Cognition and Language Laboratory, Indiana University** **1997-1999**  
Advisor: Dr. Laura Murray

### HONORS & AWARDS

- Provost's Travel Award for Women in Science, Indiana University 2017
- College of Arts and Sciences Travel Award, Indiana University 2015
- Provost's Travel Award for Women in Science, Indiana University 2015
- Provost's Travel Award for Women in Science, Indiana University 2014
- Dean's Honor Academic Scholarship, Lipscomb University 1992-1995

### PUBLICATIONS

#### **Published Abstracts:**

Barrett, A. M., Zimmerman, E. K., Shaffer, R. A., Benner, L., Crucian, G. P., **Lenz, L.**, & Eslinger, P. J. (2006). Driving risk and cognitive testing in Parkinson disease (PD). *International Neuropsychological Society, 12*(S1), 109.

Murray, L. L., & **Lenz, L. P.** (2001). Productive syntax abilities in Huntington's and Parkinson's diseases. *Brain and Cognition, 46*(1-2), 213-219.

### PRESENTATIONS

#### **Poster Presentations:**

Pitt, A., & **Lenz, L.** (2022, November 17-19). *Supporting speech-language pathology master's degree students with a mentorship program* [Poster session]. Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, New Orleans, LA.

**Lenz, L.**, Arthur, E., Kemp, S., Jeffries, J., & Weissling, K. (2022, October 14-15). *Interprofessional practice & education: Measuring SLP and SPED student attitudes* [Poster session]. Annual Convention of the Nebraska Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Lincoln, NE.

Pitt, A., **Lenz, L.**, & Ford, R. (2021, November 18-20). *Evaluating a mentorship program designed to support students in a speech-language pathology master's program* [Poster session].

Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Washington, D.C.

Tvrdy, M., **Lenz, L.**, Kemp, S., & Weissling, K. (2020, April 14). *A qualitative study of an interprofessional collaborative practicum cohort* [Poster session]. UNL Spring Research Fair, Lincoln, NE.

Tvrdy, M., **Lenz, L.**, Weissling, K., & Nebel, A. (2019, August 1-2). *Improving the interprofessional relationship between nursing and speech-language pathologists: Expansion of a project* [Poster session]. Heartland Interprofessional Education Conference, Omaha, NE.

Mahowald, M.C., **Lenz, L.**, Pyan, G., & Rentmeester Disher, J. (2016, July 8-10). *Efficacy of professional development for speech-language pathologists: Lessons from implementation* [Poster session]. American Speech-Language-Hearing Association's Connect Conference, Minneapolis, MN.

Mahowald, M.C., **Lenz, L.**, Pyan, G., & Rentmeester Disher, J. (2015, November 12-14). *An exploratory study of how professional development affects speech-language pathologists' literacy knowledge, beliefs, & practices* [Poster session]. Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Denver, CO.

**Lenz, L.P.** & Murray, L.L. (2014, November 22-24). *A survey of treatment in speech sound disorders* [Poster session]. Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Orlando, FL.

Murray, L.L. & **Lenz, L.P.** (2000, June 15-17). *Productive syntax abilities in Huntington's and Parkinson's diseases* [Poster session]. Annual Conference on Theoretical and Experimental Neuropsychology (TENNET XI), Montreal, QC, Canada.

**Conference Seminars, Invited Lectures, and Other Presentations:**

**Lenz, L.**, Kemp, S., & Weissling, K. (2022, November 19). *A collaborative practicum design: Interprofessional clinical teams in speech-language pathology and special education* [Conference presentation]. Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, New Orleans, LA.

**Lenz, L.** (2022, October 21). *Clinical supervision and teaching* [Invited presentation]. Lincoln Public Schools, Lincoln, NE.

**Lenz, L.** (2022, June 29). *Clinical Supervision and Teaching* [Invited presentation]. Madonna Rehabilitation Hospital, Lincoln, NE.

**Lenz, L.** (2021, December 17). *Supervision: Six reasons to hang out with grad students* [Invited presentation]. Lincoln Public Schools, Lincoln, NE.

Pritchett, K., **Lenz, L.**, & Scott, C. (2021, November 4). *Ethics* [Webinar presentation]. Nebraska Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Lincoln, NE.

**Lenz, L.**, Pritchett, K., & Scott, C. (2021, October 28). *Supervision* [Webinar presentation]. Nebraska Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Lincoln, NE.

**Lenz, L.P.** (2020, December 19) *Clinical supervision* [Webinar presentation]. University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, NE, United States.

**Lenz, L.P.** (2019, November 25). *The therapeutic alliance* [Clinic faculty presentation]. Department of Special Education and Communication Disorders, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, NE.

Kumke, J., **Lenz, L.**, & Moody, L. (2019, April 22-23). *2020 Accreditation standards and what you need to know* [Invited presentation]. Nebraska Educational Service Unit 3, LaVista, NE.

**Lenz, L.** (2019, March). *Research in clinical practice: Service delivery model and the impact of professional development* [Clinic faculty presentation]. Department of Special Education and Communication Disorders, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, NE. March, 2019.

**Lenz, L.** (2019, March). *Research in Clinical Practice* [Invited presentation]. Lincoln Public Schools, Lincoln, NE.

Farrand, D., Kumke, J., **Lenz, L.**, & Moody, L. (2018, September 27). *Enhancing your clinical toolbox: Clinical supervision of graduate clinicians* [Conference seminar]. Annual Convention of the Nebraska Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Kearney, NE.

**Lenz, L.P.** (2017, March). *Changes in knowledge, beliefs, and practice: Analysis of speech-language pathologists and literacy training* [Colloquium presentation]. Department of Speech and Hearing Sciences, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.

Mahowald, M.C., **Lenz, L.**, Murray, L., Pyan, G., & Rentmeester Disher, J. (2016, November 18). *Efficacy of professional development for speech-language pathologists: Evidence of change in knowledge, beliefs, & practices* [Conference seminar]. Annual Convention of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Philadelphia, PA.

**Lenz, L.P.** (2015, October). *A survey of treatment in speech sound disorders* [Colloquium presentation]. Department of Speech and Hearing Sciences, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

**University of Nebraska:**

- Co-instructor, SLPA 864 Language Disorders: 5-21 2021 - present  
Graduate course for speech-language pathology master's degree students. Spring semesters.
- Instructor, SLPA 897C, Advanced Clinical Practicum 2020 - present  
Graduate clinical course for 2<sup>nd</sup>-year speech-language pathology master's degree students. Practicum placement, supervision, mentoring, clinical instruction, lecturing. Fall, spring, and summer semesters.
- Co-instructor, SLPA 862 Cognition & Language in Adults 2020 - present  
Graduate course for speech-language pathology master's degree students. Fall semesters.
- Co-instructor, SLPA 897B, Advanced Clinical Practicum 2018 - present  
Graduate clinical course for 1<sup>st</sup>-year speech-language pathology master's degree students. Practicum placement, supervision, mentoring, and occasional lecturing. Fall, spring, and summer semesters.
- Instructor, SLPA 897E, Advanced Practicum Medical Externship 2018 - present  
Graduate clinical course for 2<sup>nd</sup> year speech-language pathology master's degree students in medical externship. Externship placement, supervision, mentoring. Fall, spring, and summer semesters.
- Instructor, SLPA 897G, Advanced Practicum in Public Schools 2018 - present  
Graduate clinical course for 2<sup>nd</sup> year speech-language pathology master's degree students in student teaching externship. School placement, supervision, mentoring, lecturing. Fall and spring semesters.
- "Interdisciplinary Collaboration," guest lecture for the MPUP-IP project, Drs. Anne Thomas and Kristy Weissling, directors. 2020 - 2022
- "Interprofessional Practice and Collaboration," guest lecture for SLPA 892, Counseling & Behavior Management, Dr. Cynthia Cress, instructor. 2020 - 2022
- "Interprofessional Practice & Education," guest lecture for SLPA 441, Clinical Methods in Speech-Language Pathology, Dr. Adrienne Pitt, instructor. 2020 - 2022

**Indiana University:**

- Instructor, S307 Cognition and Communication in Aging 2014 - 2015  
Undergraduate course required for major in Speech and Hearing Sciences.
- Associate instructor, C105 Born to Be a Genius Spring 2015  
Undergraduate "Critical Approaches to Arts and Sciences" survey course.

**MENTORSHIP AND DIRECTED RESEARCH**

- Independent Study and Research Other than Thesis
  - SLPA 498, 1 credit, Emma Arthur Spring 2022
  - SLPA 494, 1 credit, Emma Arthur Fall 2021
  - Directed volunteer research assistant, Emma Arthur Summer 2021
  - SLPA 998, 1 credit, Riley Ford Spring/Summer 2021
    - Co-mentor: Dr. Adrienne Pitt
- UCARE 2019-2020
  - Mallory Tvrdy, UNL undergraduate
    - Co-mentor: Dr. Kristy Weissling

**SERVICE**

- UNL CEHS Fellowships Committee 2023-present
- ASHFoundation University Giving Program Ambassador 2021-present
- Nebraska Speech-Language-Hearing Association
  - Continuing Education Committee 2020-present
  - Share Fair Leader Fall 2021
- UNMC IPE Committee 2019-2020

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS, ORGANIZATIONS, AND CREDENTIALS**

**Memberships:**

- American Speech-Language-Hearing Association 2000-present
- Nebraska Speech-Language-Hearing Association 2018-present

**Certification & Licensure:**

- Certificate of Clinical Competence, Speech-Language Pathology
  - American Speech-Language-Hearing Association
  - Supervision qualification
- State license in speech-language pathology
  - Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services