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EDUCATION

- 2008 – 2012 **NEW YORK UNIVERSITY** - New York, New York
Doctor of Philosophy
- 2003 – 2005 **NEW YORK UNIVERSITY** - New York, New York
Masters of Social Work
- 1998 – 2000 **PACE UNIVERSITY** - New York, New York
Post-Baccalaureate Studies
Major: Medical Science
- 1990 – 2000 **OPERATIC VOCAL INSTRUCTION**, New York, New York
Maestro Aldo DiTullio
- 1988 – 1992 **NEW YORK UNIVERSITY** - New York, New York
Bachelor of Arts
Major: International Policy

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- September 2016 – present **NEW YORK UNIVERSITY**
SILVER SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK - New York, New York
Clinical Assistant Professor
- September 2016 – May 2017 **NEW YORK UNIVERSITY**
GALLATIN SCHOOL OF INDIVIDUALIZED STUDY - New York, New York
Clinical Consultant
- Conduct assessment and provide clinical support to students with mental health issues.
- December 2013 – Aug. 2016 **NEW YORK UNIVERSITY**
GALLATIN SCHOOL OF INDIVIDUALIZED STUDY - New York, New York
Associate Director of Student Affairs
- Conduct assessment and provide clinical support to students with mental health issues.
 - Generate wellness related prevention programs and protocols.
 - Administrate over the academic review process, leaves of absence, and withdrawals.
 - Field Work Instructor for Silver School of Social Work

May 2010 – Nov. 2013

**VETERANS ADMINISTRATION NY HARBOR HEALTHCARE SYSTEMS
NEW YORK UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE - New York, New York**
Counselor, Health Science Specialist, Program Manager

Delivered Motivational Interviewing and Cognitive Behavioral therapies and short-term interventions to patients and veterans with mental illness as part of various research studies.

- Devised treatment plans and goal oriented exercises.
- Assisted supervisor in clinical supervision of counseling staff.

Identified gaps in areas of research in regard to tobacco cessation quit rates amongst the mentally ill.

- Conducted research reviews for various populations with mental illness to assess for tobacco addiction.
- Identified funding opportunities and assist with preparing research and grant proposals.
- Assisted with the drafting and submission of IRBs and grant proposals.
- Reviewed and revised research protocols regarding counseling and NRT distribution to patients.
- Actively assisted in writing research articles to disseminate study research findings.

January 2007 –
January 2012

**MOUNT SINAI SCHOOL OF MEDICINE
EATING AND WEIGHT DISORDERS PROGRAM - New York, New York**
Research Assistant/Student Intern

- Synthesized existing literature regarding male eating disorders and body image satisfaction within minority populations.
- Initiated, developed and conducted research review of 20,000 body images depicted in various magazine genres to assess and evaluate the media's depiction of male and female physiques.
- Initiated, developed and conducted study on gay male attractiveness examining the body genotypes gay men prefer in relation to their own physique and partnership status.
- Assembled and conducted questionnaire surveys and selected existing psychometric measures to assess body image.
- Assisted with the finalizing of grant and research proposals for submission to NIH and various Institutional Review Boards.

January 2010 –
November 2010

GAY MEN'S HEALTH CRISIS - New York, New York
Volunteer Counselor and Researcher

- Delivered psychodynamic psychotherapy to HIV+ men as part of intervention to assess efficacy of body image/nutrition group.
- Conducted questionnaire surveys and selected existing psychometrically appropriate measures to assess changes in body image of patients during the course of treatment/intervention.
- Assisted staff dietician in integrating nutritional counseling with therapeutic treatment.

- Contributed to the development of conceptual frameworks when conducting intervention.

November 2008 –
April 2010

MARYMOUNT MANHATTAN COLLEGE - New York, New York
Research Assistant for Connie Rizzo, MD, Ph.D.

- Identified venues to target demographic groups for nutrition and dietary information.
- Assisted in the development of questionnaire and in compiling psychometric instruments to assess diet and body image.
- Synthesized literature and identified gaps in body image and nutrition as related to gay men.

January 2006 – June 2009

INSTITUTE FOR CONTEMPORARY PSYCHOTHERAPY - New York, New York
**Center for the Study of Anorexia and Bulimia
Gay and Lesbian Affirmative Psychotherapy**
Research Assistant, Volunteer Administrator and Student

- Synthesized existing literature on anorexia and bulimia as related to cognitive behavioral therapy and psychoanalytic psychotherapies.
- Developed concise tables and reports to present data obtained from reviewing all current and past patients and diagnoses.
- Attended, participated and assisted presentations of classes and seminars on disordered eating behaviors.
- Assisted with developing and expanding client resource database.
- Participated in clinical supervision where eating behaviors and body image of patients were assessed and discussed.

September 2004 –
May 2005

INSTITUTE FOR COLLABORATIVE EDUCATION - New York, New York
Therapist – Student Extern

- Conducted individual and family psychotherapeutic sessions.
- Assessed children and adolescents using a psychosocial perspective.
- Used cognitive and behavioral modalities to address body image issues amongst adolescent females.
- Devised treatment plans and goal oriented exercises.

September 2003 –
May 2004

WOODHULL HOSPITAL - Brooklyn, New York
Therapist – Student Extern

- Conducted individual psychotherapeutic sessions.
- Assessed children and adolescents using a psychosocial perspective and APA diagnostic criteria.
- Used behavior therapy to address nutrition deficiencies with adolescents and parents.
- Devised treatment plans and goal oriented exercises.

OTHER EXPERIENCE

- January 2003 – Dec. 2012 **CLEARY GOTTLIEB STEEN & HAMILTON LLP** - New York, New York
Professional Development Specialist/Social Worker
- Assisted with the synthesizing, reviewing and implementation of professional evaluations.
 - Worked closely with managing partners to assess employment, educational and morale issues that effected lawyers and staff.
 - Conducted qualitative and quantitative analyses of firm life and work-life balance amongst lawyers and staff.
 - Coordinated with Employee Assistance Programs to effectively address employee personal issues.
 - Presented evaluation summaries to firm partnership and Associate Committees.
- July 1992 – December 2002 *Assistant to Litigation Director*
- Conducted interviews of potential paralegal candidates and played an integral role in the recruitment and hiring process.
 - Trained paralegals in citation and Bluebook formatting.
 - Reviewed paralegal work in policies, procedures, duties, and their responsibilities.
 - Performed background and legal research for memoranda, articles, speeches and letter briefs.
 - Extensively used LEXIS/NEXIS and Westlaw to cite check and shepardize case law.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

New York University, Silver School of Social Work, New York, NY
Course: Human Behavior in the Social Environment I

New York University, Silver School of Social Work, New York, NY
Course: Human Behavior in the Social Environment I – Online

New York University, Silver School of Social Work, New York, NY
Course: Human Behavior in the Social Environment II

New York University, Silver School of Social Work, New York, NY
Course: Human Behavior in the Social Environment II – Online
[Creation and Development]

New York University, Silver School of Social Work, New York, NY
Course: Practice – Hybrid/Blended
[Development]

New York University, Silver School of Social Work, New York, NY
Course: Seminar for Field Instruction

GRANTS

Teaching and Learning with Technology Research Grant – 2018/2019
Virtual Reality Project – Lower East Side
Amount: \$10,000

Career Development Challenge Fund – 2018
OSCE Implementation in Practice and Field Integrated Curriculum
Amount: \$3,200.00

Career Development Challenge Fund – 2017
Virtual Simulation: An Integrative Approach to Skills Development in
Social Work Practice and Field Learning
Amount: \$4,800.00

PRESENTATIONS

NYU Health Tech Symposium 2018
Lightening Round Presenter and Demonstration

New Realities in Learning: Innovations in Physical & Virtual
Educational Space (April 2018)
Panelist and Presenter

NYU – Teaching & Learning Governance Committee – Spring
Technology Enhanced Education

TorchTech Share Fair (March 2018)
Poster Presentation and Demonstration

Silver School of Social Work
Common Day (February 2018)
Presenter of *Understanding Community via Virtual Simulation*

NY Ed Tech Week (December 2017)
VR & Education – Pioneering Next-Gen Learning
Panelist- *The Lower East Side - A simulation exercise for social work students.*

NYC Media Lab: Exploring Future Realities (December 2017). *The Lower East Side - A simulation exercise for social work students.*
Presented in part by Wonda VR.

Lanzieri, N., & Cook, B. (2013). *Examination of Muscularity, Body Fat, and Skin Exposure Depictions in Magazines that Target Heterosexual and Gay Men.* International Academy of Eating Disorders. Montreal, Quebec, CA.

Lanzieri, N., & Arevalo, E. (2012). *Does Severity of mental health symptoms affect quit rates in smoking cessation telephone counseling?* Society of General Internal Medicine, SGIM Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL

Lanzieri, N. (2009). *Body Image and magazine content review.* International Academy of Eating Disorders. Cancun, Mexico.

Lanzieri, N. (2009). *Eating disorders in men.* Marymount Manhattan College, New York, NY.

TECHNOLOGY PRODUCTION

Virtual Engagement Utility and Augmented Reality
Production: Fall 2018 - Present

Virtual Reality Simulation – Lower East Side
Production: Fall 2017/Spring 2018

PUBLICATIONS

Lanzieri, N., & Hildebrandt, T. (2016). Using objectification theory to examine the effects of media on gay male body image. *Clinical Social Work Journal*, 44, 105-113.

Yu, J., Hildebrandt, T., & Lanzieri, N. (2015). Healthcare professionals' stigmatization of men with anabolic androgenic steroid use and eating disorders. *Body Image*, 15, 49-53.

Varangis, E., Lanzieri, N., Hildebrandt, T., & Feldman, M. (2012). Gay male attraction toward muscular men: Does mating context matter? *Body Image* 9(2), 270-278.

Lanzieri, N., & Hildebrandt, T. (2011). Using hegemonic masculinity to explain gay men's attraction to muscular and athletic men. *Journal of Homosexuality*, 58(2), 275-293.

Lanzieri, N., & Cook, B. (2013). Examination of Muscularity, Body Fat, and Skin Exposure Depictions in Magazines that Target Heterosexual and Gay Men. *Body Image*, 10, 251-254.

Lanzieri, N. (2005). Carcinoma. In *Magill's Medical Guide* (Vol. 1, p. 402). Pasadena, CA: Salem Press, Inc.

Lanzieri, N. (2005). Hashimoto's Thyroiditis. In *Magill's Medical Guide* (Vol. 2, pp. 1151-1152). Pasadena, CA: Salem Press, Inc.

Lanzieri, N. (2005). Heimlich Maneuver. In *Magill's Medical Guide* (Vol. 2, pp. 1206-1207). Pasadena, CA: Salem Press, Inc.

Lanzieri, N. (2005). Styes. In *Magill's Medical Guide* (Vol. 4, pp. 2479-2480). Pasadena, CA: Salem Press, Inc.

Publication Reviewer

Body Image
Clinical Social Work Journal
Journal of Homosexuality

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS, LICENSURES & AWARDS

2016	NYU Distinguished Administrator Award
2015	Seminar in Field Instruction (SIFI) Certification
2015	Post- Masters Certification Program in Advanced Clinical Practice
2012	Clinical Social Work Licensure, New York Jurisdiction
2007	International Academy of Eating Disorders (AED)
2006	Masters ASWB Licensure, New York Jurisdiction
2004	National Association of Social Workers (NASW)

LANGUAGES

Italian	Spoken proficiency and reading proficiency
Spanish	Understanding at conversational level