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Work Experience

- ◆ Wisconsin Council on Children and Families, Adolescent Development Specialist [Madison, WI].
- ◆ Wisconsin Department of Corrections: Program & Planning Analyst-Advanced, Division of Juvenile Corrections [Madison, WI]; Crisis Intervention Worker, Taycheedah Correctional Institution [Fond du lac, WI]; Program & Policy Analyst / Evaluator, Bureau of Offender Programs [Madison, WI].
- ◆ National Resource Center on Domestic Violence, Public Education Specialist [Harrisburg, PA].
- ◆ Janet C. Anderson Resource Center, Idaho State University, Director [Pocatello, ID].
- ◆ Wisconsin Department of Justice: Project Director, Community Oriented Policing Strategies (COPS) Grant, Division of Law Enforcement Services, Training and Standards Bureau [Madison, WI]; Project Coordinator, Office of Crime Victim Services [Madison, WI].

It's not work when you love what you are doing.

Awards, Honors and Recognitions

- ◆ Recognized for Outstanding Contribution to the Implementation of the Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) for the Wisconsin Department of Corrections, Secretary Rick Raemisch, December, 2007
- ◆ *Phi Upsilon Omicron*, graduated with Honors, Master of Science, University of WI – Madison, August 1998.
- ◆ *Civilian Community Service Award*, Appleton Police Department, 1997.
- ◆ *Who's Who Among Students in American Universities & Colleges*, St. Norbert College, 1992-1993.

The real honor is being told that what I said will help them do their jobs better and that they want to learn more.

Curriculum Development

- ◆ *Unlocking the Mysteries: Adolescent Brain Development Under the Influence of Alcohol and Drugs*. United States Department of Defense, Garmisch, Germany and Kaua'i, Hawaii.
- ◆ *Unlocking the Mysteries: Adolescent Brain Development*. Wisconsin Council on Children and Families.
- ◆ *Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) Staff Training*. Wisconsin Department of Corrections.
- ◆ *Taking It to the Streets...Preventing Domestic Abuse through Integrated Community Oriented Policing Strategies*. Wisconsin Department of Justice (DOJ).
- ◆ *Courts & Communities Part II: Coordinated Community Response (CCR) Team Development Training*. WI DOJ
- ◆ *Community Response to Sexual Assault Training Guide: The Development and Implementation of Community Specific Sexual Assault Protocols*. WI DOJ.

Formal Education

- ◆ University of WI-Madison, Master of Science, School of Human Ecology, Department of Child and Family Studies.
- ◆ St. Norbert College, Bachelor of Arts, Philosophy.

The best thing I ever did for myself was assume that I could learn anything...anytime...any day of the week.

Life Long Learning

- ◆ Member of *Learning & the Brain Society*
- ◆ Participant at state and national conferences
- ◆ Contributor to professional networks on line
- ◆ Colleague to local and state brain trainers and researchers
- ◆ Seeker of the newest research and resource



The secret to a good training... laughter and color-coded folders.

What's the BUZZ about REVOY

- ◆ *"MaryAdele was a great presenter. She was funny and shared very important information. All teachers should see this presentation. This might impact the way we deliver curriculum."*
WI High School Teacher
- ◆ *"I really appreciate her positive outlook. We know the problems but we need positive and useful information that gives us the tools we need to really think about what the adolescent needs and focus on creative solutions. This was really outstanding! Thanks for keeping us educated, informed and encouraged."* - Wrap-around Milwaukee Care Coordinator
- ◆ *"I liked that there were practical applications of the material. I like that it went beyond the brain information to include ways of working with/helping adolescents."* - WI DOC, Division of Juvenile Corrections staff member
- ◆ *"AWESOME! Should be a keynote speaker! Could listen to her for hours."* - WI High School Administrator
- ◆ *"I wish you could give this training to all the faculty at WCTC [Waukesha County Technical College]. It would really improve the interaction between students & faculty as WCTC is getting more & more students in the 18-25 age group."*
- WCTC instructor
- ◆ *"Please bring this trainer back to north east WI! She is one of the best, most dynamic trainers I've seen."* - social worker from Green Bay



2008-2009 Trainings and Presentations

"Why all the Hype around Adolescent Brain Development?." Wisconsin Restorative Justice Conference, Wisconsin Dells, WI, May 2009.

"Unlocking the Mysteries: Adolescent Brain Development under the Influence of Alcohol and Drugs." United States Department of Defense, Garmisch Germany (Jan 28 & 29, 2009) and Kauai Hawaii (February 18 & 19, 2009).

"Unlocking the Mysteries: Adolescent Brain Development." NEW Partnership, University of Green Bay, Green Bay, WI (February 2 & 3, 2009) and Wausau, WI (April 22 & 23, 2009).

"Remembering their Brains in Adolescent Development." Department of Public Instruction Annual Conference, Madison, WI, November 2008.

"What Teens Need to Know about Adolescent Brain Development." Search Institute National Conference, Minneapolis, MN, November 2008.

"Watch Me Grow: Baby Brains Developing into Adolescent Brains." Family Enhancement, Madison, WI, October 2008.

"Using Adolescent Brain Development in Court." Wisconsin Council on Children and Families Attorney Training, Madison, WI, October 2008.

"The Science of Juvenile Brain Development and Using it in Court." Wisconsin State Public Defenders Annual Conference, Milwaukee, WI, September 2008.

"Understanding the Millennium Employee – Five Part Series on Adolescent Development." Jefferson County Prevention Council, Fort Atkinson, WI, August-December 2008.

"Progress: Using what we know about adolescents to make smarter choices in the justice system." Wisconsin Professional Society on the Abuse of Children (WIPSAC), Milwaukee County Juvenile Detention Center – Lunch & Learn Program, May, April 22, 2008.

"Unlocking the Mysteries: Research on Adolescent Brain Development and Trends in Programming." Wisconsin Council on Children and Families Bi-annual Juvenile Justice Conference, April 2008.

"Adolescent Brain Development: Decision making ability and the drive for excitement." Wisconsin School District CESA #1, February 20, 2008.

I think I would have to try to be boring...it doesn't come natural to me.

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