

# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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School: Allied Health Professions

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Initial Appointment at LSUHSC Date: October 1, 2018

**Current Academic Rank: Assistant Professor of Clinical Communication** 

**Disorders** 

Date of Appointment to Current Rank: October 1, 2018

Education:

5/19/2001 Bachelor of Science, Biology

Loyola University New Orleans

New Orleans, LA

5/2010-6/2011 Audiology Doctoral Externship

Southeast Louisiana Veterans Health Care System

New Orleans, LA

5/19/2011 Doctor of Audiology

Louisiana State University Health and Sciences Center

New Orleans, LA

Certification:

05/2011-present Fellow of the American Academy of Audiology (F-AAA),

#41018315

06/2018-present Certificate of Clinical Competence in Audiology, American

Speech Language-Hearing Association (CCC-A),

#14304130

06/2013-06/2015 Certified in Vestibular Assessment & Management (AIB-

VAM), American Institute of Balance

# Licensure:

05/2011-present Licensed Audiologist, Louisiana Board of Examiners for Speech Language and Hearing (LBESPA), #6465

**Academic, Professional, and Research Appointments:** 

06/2001-08/2005 Research Assistant

Department of Pulmonary Diseases Tulane University School of Medicine

New Orleans, Louisiana

08/2005-07/2007 Research Associate

Department of Pharmacology and Experimental

Therapeutics

Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center

New Orleans, Louisiana

08/2011-11/2011 Clinical Audiologist

Department or Rehabilitation Department of Otolaryngology North Oaks Health System Hammond, Louisiana

01/2013-05/2017 Adjunct Professor

Department of Communication Disorders

Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center

New Orleans, Louisiana

08/2015-12/2018 Adjunct Professor

Department of Speech Pathology Xavier University of Louisiana New Orleans, Louisiana

12/2011-09/2018 Clinical Audiologist

Vestibular Program Director

Southeast Louisiana Veterans Health Care System

New Orleans, Louisiana

10/2018-present Assistant Professor of Clinical Communication Disorders

Department of Communication Disorders

Section of Audiology

Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center

New Orleans, Louisiana

#### **Awards and Honors:**

NIH T35 Student Research Traineeship Award (2009)

# **Teaching Awards:**

Allen A. Copping Excellence in Teaching Award, School of Allied Health Professions, LSUHSC (2023)

# Advanced Training and Leadership Preparation:

Leadership Scholars Academy Graduate, School of Nursing, LSUHSC (2024) Tough Talks Part I & II, Leadership Series, LSUHSC (2024) Courage in Leadership, Leadership Series, LSUHSC (2024)

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Most of my time is dedicated to teaching in the classroom or clinic. In classroom teaching, I believe in building a strong foundation of basic scientific knowledge to support ethical and evidence-based practice. I incorporate clinical experience throughout the learning process and strive to foster critical thinking that supports sound clinical decision making. I currently teach Medical Audiology I and Basic Vestibular Assessment and Management in the fall semester, Medical Audiology II and Advanced Vestibular Assessment in the spring semester, and Issues in Audiology in the summer semester. I truly enjoy my time in the classroom and clinic teaching students, and I have consistently shown a willingness to add courses, patients, and clinic time to my schedule based on need in the department. Building on my foundational approach to teaching and my expertise in complex vestibular and audiologic cases, I am dedicated to imparting specialized knowledge and skills to students through my courses in medical audiology and vestibular assessment.

# Creation of Enduring Teaching Materials:

AUD/OT IPE Mobility and Fall Risk Training and Competency Program In collaboration with Ms. Rebecca Callais in Occupational Therapy (OT) and Dr. Dania Rashiq, I worked to create an innovative interdisciplinary training program on proper mobility transfers and fall risk assessment. The initial goal of this project was program improvement, and we hoped to educate students on the importance of proper safety and body mechanics of mobility transfers and on the CDC's call for health professionals to reduce falls through appropriate fall risk screening and assessment. Most audiologists work with older adults daily, many of whom require mobility assistance when transferring in and out of sound booths. It is well known that older adults are at an increased risk of falls. The idea of providing training in mobility transfers and fall risk assessment resulted in the development of and multi-session education and hands-on training program. Our team was granted IRB approval to report the data which we will present on and share the training and competency materials at the American Academy of Audiology's Annual Conference in March 2025.

#### Case study rubric presented at AAA

At the annual meeting of the American Academy of Audiology, I delivered an oral presentation titled "Critical Thinking Skills for Doctor of Audiology Students," where I outlined detailed instructions and a rubric for case presentations to foster critical thinking skills. This assignment requires students to present a case in which they have direct experience, utilizing a unique format that has evolved over time. This activity serves as a prime example of where theory and practice converge, facilitating true critical thinking. The content and rubric were distributed as supplemental materials to conference attendees, and I have subsequently shared these resources with others who have reached out regarding the case presentation format. While the materials have not yet undergone peer review, the manuscript is currently in process.

#### Formal Course Responsibilities

# Xavier University of Louisiana, Department of Speech Pathology:

Adjunct Appointment

SPTH 3335 Audiology (3 credits), 2015-2018

SPTH 3340 Aural Rehabilitation (3 credits), 2015-2018

SPTH 2510 Speech Science (3 credits), 2015-2018

# **LSU Health New Orleans, Doctor of Audiology Program:**

Adjunct Appointment

SPTHAUD 6247 Hearing Conservation (3 credits), 2013, 2014, 2015

SPTHAUD 7211 Basic Vestibular Testing & Rehabilitation (3 credits), 2016, 2017

### LSU Health New Orleans, Doctor of Audiology Program:

#### Previous course taught:

SPTHAUD 7331 Tinnitus (1 credit), 2018-2023

SPTHAUD 6205 Auditory Evoked Potentials, lab only (1 credit), 2020-2022

SPTHAUD 7239 Geriatric Audiology (2 credits), 2022

SPTHAUD 6499 Billing and Coding (1 credit), 2021

SPTHAUD 6221 Advanced Hearing Aids (3 credits), 2021

SPTHAUD 6247 Hearing Conservation (3 credits), 2013, 2014, 2015, 2019

SPTHAUD 5499 Issues in Audiology (1 credit) 2018- present

TeamUP Course Director (Year 2), 2018-present

#### Courses taught prior year (2023):

SPTHAUD 5499 Issues in Audiology (1 credit), Summer

SPTHAUD 7211 Basic Vestibular Testing and Rehabilitation (3 credits), Fall

SPTHAUD 6227 Medical Audiology (3 credits), Fall

SPTHAUD 6229 Medical Audiology II (3 credits), Spring

SPTHAUD 7323 Advanced Vestibular Testing and Rehabilitation (3 credits),

Spring

SPTHAUD 7215 Aural Rehabilitation (3 credits), Summer

TeamUP Course Director (Year 2), Spring

# Courses taught current year (2024):

SPTHAUD 5499 Issues in Audiology (1 credit), Summer

SPTHAUD 7211 Basic Vestibular Testing & Rehabilitation (3 credits), Fall

SPTHAUD 6227 Medical Audiology (3 credits), Fall

SPTHAUD 6229 Medical Audiology II (3 credits), Spring

SPTHAUD 7323 Advanced Vestibular Testing & Rehabilitation (3 credits),

Spring

TeamUP Course Director (Year 2), Spring 2024

# **Departmental/Interdisciplinary Teaching Conferences**:

Lecture: Introduction to Clinical Audiology. Monthly Didactic Training in Audiology for Pediatric Residents. Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center. New Orleans. LA.

Date: monthly, 2018-present Program: School of Medicine

Primary Instructor: Megan Majoue, Au.D.

Lecture: Quality Communication with Older Adults

Date: April 24, 2024

Program: Occupational Therapy

Course: OCCT 6620 Occupational Therapy with the Older Adult

Primary Instructor: Rebecca Callais, OT

Lecture: Hearing Loss & Cognitive Decline

Date: April 29, 2025

Program: Occupational Therapy

Course: OCCT 6620 Occupational Therapy with the Older Adult

Primary Instructor: Jessica Allemand, OT

Lecture: Vestibular Assessment and Management

Date: April 30, 2024 and April 26, 2023

Program: LSU A&M, Department of Communication Sciences & Disorders

Course: COMD 4190 Introduction to Audiology Primary Instructor: Whitney Sutherland, Au.D.

Lecture: Hearing Health for Musicians

Date: December 3, 2024

Program: School of Music & Theater Professions, Loyola University New Orleans

Course: MUIN M245 Artist Health & Wellness Primary Instructor: Stephen Garofano, M.S.

# Undergraduate, Medical, or Graduate Student Research Projects:

Huber, R., Skidmore, E. & Gardner, B., **Majoue, M.** (2020) Cervical and Ocular Vestibular Evoked Myogenic Potential with Air and Bone Conducted Stimuli: A Study to Establish Normative Data on a Population of Young Adult Women. Research Laboratory Experience. Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, New Orleans, LA.

Barbier, C., Rabin, V., Wilbert, M., **Majoue, M.** (2021) Normative Data for High Frequency Narrow Band CE-Chirp Stimuli in Adult Females with Normal Hearing. Research Laboratory Experience. Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, New Orleans, LA.

Arnoult, J., Faucheux., Marino, R., **Majoue, M.** (2023) Normative Data for High Frequency Narrow Band CE-Chirp Stimuli. Research Laboratory Experience. Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, New Orleans, LA.

Anders, K., Buisson, A., Pitts, C., **Majoue, M.** (2024) The Effects of Smoking on the Hearing and Balance Systems. Research Laboratory Experience. Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, New Orleans, LA.

#### Formal Mentoring and Advisor:

Audiology Comprehensive Exam Remediation, Fall 2024: Aniya Johnson. Reinstruction, study materials review of content areas in which competency was not demonstrated, and creation of oral examination and rubric. Met monthly in preparation for oral reexamination of identified deficiencies.

#### **Clinical Doctoral Projects:**

#### **Externs Trained:**

Kelly Anders, Audiology Extern, LSUHSC, June 2024-May 2025. 8-12 hours per week of supervision in vestibular and audiologic assessment.

#### RESEARCH AND SCHOLARSHIP

My scholarly contributions have three distinct extensions. The first topic area is clinical education and critical thinking, the second is unique clinical case reports, and the third is clinical vestibular assessment outcomes. Some overlap exists between the educational and vestibular pieces, in that I enjoy searching for better ways to educate our students in vestibular science. Because critical thinking is integral to the practice of audiology, my courses, and clinical supervision, I became interested in assessing the critical thinking skills of our cohorts

#### **Grants and Contracts:**

#### **Funded**

Critical Thinking: A Program Review of Allied Health Students. Principle Investigators: Megan Guidry, Au.D. and **Megan Majoue, Au.D. Role: co-Pl.** LSUHSC School of Allied Health Dean's Intramural Grants Program. Funded. \$10,000.

#### **Pending**

Hearing Aid Effects on Gait and Postural Kinematics. Principle Investigator: Dr. Dania Rishiq. **Role: faculty participant.** Board of Regents Support Fund Research and Development Program. Notice of Intent submitted August 2024. Pending.

#### **Major Area of Research Interest:**

Clinical Education and Critical Thinking
Interprofessional Practice and Education
Clinical Education in Vestibular Assessment and Mangement
Video Head Impulse Test (vHIT) findings in Vestibular Disorders

# Journal Publications:

#### Refereed

#### Published:

Hurley, A., Guidry, M., **Majoue, M.,** Hebert, G. (2023). Critical Thinking: A Program Review of Doctor of Audiology Students. *American Journal of Audiology.*, *51*(2), 345-352. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1044/2023\_AJA-23-00084">https://doi.org/10.1044/2023\_AJA-23-00084</a> Impact

Impact Factor: 1.6Downloads: 292

#### Submitted:

**Majoue, M.,** Abedhi, M., Hurley, A. (2024). The Audiologist's Role in Determining Cochlear Function After Gunshot Injury to the Temporal Bone. *American Journal of Audiology*.

• Impact Factor: 1.6

## Scientific Presentations/Published Abstracts/Oral Sessions and Posters:

# Published Abstracts/Proceedings

**Scientific Presentations** 

# Oral Sessions, Local:

**Majoue, M.** (2019, April 3) Tinnitus Today: Hearing Aids, Sound Therapy, Smart Phone Applications and Counseling. Oral platform. Mississippi Speech and Hearing Association Conference. Biloxi, Mississippi.

**Majoue, M.** (2019, June). Differential Diagnosis and Management of Vestibular Migraine versus Meniere's Disease. Invited Speaker. Academy of Neurologic Physical Therapy.

**Majoue, M.** (2020, April 6-8) BPPV (Benign Paroxysmal Positional Vertigo). Oral platform. Virtual conference due to pandemic. Mississippi Speech and Hearing Association Conference. Biloxi, Mississippi.

**Majoue. M.**, & M. Guidry. (2024, April 8) Critical Thinking Skills for Doctor of Audiology Students. Oral platform. School of Allied Health Research Symposium. LSUHSC. <a href="https://mediasite-ent.lsuhsc.edu/Mediasite/Play/1b52d39e169a4c488130d29253e6eba21d">https://mediasite/Play/1b52d39e169a4c488130d29253e6eba21d</a>

**Majoue, M.** and E. Cardosi. (2024, June 7) Navigating Clinical Trends in Supervision of Communication Disorders Students. Oral Platform. Louisiana Speech and hearing Association Annual Conference. Baton Rouge, LA.

Anders, K., Buisson, A., Pitts, C., **Majoue, M.** (2024, September 20) The Effects of Smoking on the Hearing and Balance Systems. Oral. Platform. Louisiana Academy of Audiology Annual Conference. New Orleans, LA.

**Majoue. M.**, (2024, September 21) What's New in Vestibular Assessment: What you Can Do Without Pricey Equipment, and Why You Should Be Assessing Fall Risk. Oral Platform. Louisiana Academy of Audiology Annual Conference. New Orleans, LA.

#### **Oral Sessions, National:**

**Majoue, M.** (2020, April 1-4) Hearing Aid Grand Rounds: Fitting and follow-up during COVID-19. Oral platform. Virtual conference due to pandemic. American Academy of Audiology. <a href="https://eaudiology.audiology.org/products/grand-rounds-amplification">https://eaudiology.audiology.org/products/grand-rounds-amplification</a>

**Majoue. M.**, & M. Guidry. (2024, April 18) Critical Thinking Skills for Doctor of Audiology Students. Oral platform. American Academy of Audiology Annual Conference. Atlanta, GA.

Anders, K., Buisson, A., Pitts, C., **Majoue, M**. (2024, July 11) The Effects of Smoking on the Hearing and Balance Systems. Empowering People and Community Series live webcast for the Louisiana Public Health Institute. <a href="https://tobaccofreeliving.org/empower/lsu-audiology-presents-on-smoking-hearing-balance">https://tobaccofreeliving.org/empower/lsu-audiology-presents-on-smoking-hearing-balance</a>

Callais, R., **Majoue, M.**, Bevrotte, A., & Rashiq, D. (2025, March 26) Inter-Professional Fall Risk Assessment Training for Audiologists and Student Clinicians. Oral Platform. American Academy of Audiology Conference. New Orleans, LA.

#### Posters, Local:

Abedhi, M., **Majoue, M.**, and Hurley, A. (2022, April 8) The Audiologist's Role in Determining Cochlear Function After Gunshot Injury to the Temporal Bone. Poster presented at the Annual Research Symposium, School of Allied Health Professions, Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, New Orleans, LA. HTTPS://MEDIASITE-

ENT.LSUHSC.EDU/MEDIASITE/PLAY/BF53163A369F439BB0BB305B6D28C4 B21D

**Majoue, M.,** Callais, R., Bevrotte, A. and Rishiq, D. (2024, September 20) Fall Risk Assessment and Mobility Training for Doctor of Audiology Students. Poster presented at the Louisiana Academy of Audiology Annual Conference. New Orleans, LA.

**Majoue, M.** Sarcar, A., E. Cardosi. (2024, September 20) Navigating Clinical Trends in Supervision of Communication Disorders Students. Poster presented at the Louisiana Academy of Audiology Annual Conference. New Orleans, LA.

#### Posters, National:

Urdaneta-Jaimes, J., Hoyle, G.W, **M. Pollman,** Lasky, J., Parada, N.A. (2005) IL-16 C-Terminal Peptide Expression In Vivo Decreases IL-4 and Endothelial VCAM-1 Expression in a Murine Model of Asthma. Poster presented at the American Thoracic Society International Conference.

Parada, N.A., **M. Pollman,** Lasky, J., Friedman, M., Hoyle, G.W. (2005) IL-16 C-Terminal Peptide Expression In Vivo Decreases Inflammation, IL-4, and Mucus Production in a Murine Model of Asthma. Poster presented at the American Academy of Allergy, Asthma and Immunology 61st Annual Meeting.

Parada, N.A., **Pollman, M.**, Urdaneta-Jaimes, J., Griffin, S., Lasky, J., Friedman, M., Hoyle, G.W. (2004) IL-16 C-Terminal Peptide Expression In Vivo Decreases Inflammation and Mucus Production in a Murine Model of Asthma. Poster presented at the American Journal of Respiratory and Critical Care Medicine. American Thoracic Society International Conference.

Shenouda, S., Lord, K., McIlwain, E., **Pollman, M.,** Reed, R. Lucchesi, P., Varner, K. (2007) Metabolites of 3,4-Methylenedioxymethamphetamine (MDMA) produce apoptosis in adult rat ventricular myocytes (ALVM). Dept. of Pharmacology & Dept. of Cardiopulmonary Science, LSUHSC, New Orleans, LA. Poster presented at the Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology Journal. FASEB Annual Conference.

**Pollman, M.,** L. Hood, and B. Hornsby. (March 2010) Efferent Effects of Speech in Noise. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Audiological Society. Scottsdale, AZ.

**Majoue, M.** (2019, June 13-16) Vestibular Interprofessional Education. Poster presented at the Audiology Teaching Conference, University of Pittsburgh, Pitsburgh, PA.

**Majoue, M.** (2019, June 13-16) Art and Learning the Physiology of a Functioning VOR. Poster presented at the Audiology Teaching Conference, University of Pittsburgh, PA.

Abedhi, M., **Majoue, M.**, Hurley, A. (2022, November 17) The Audiologist's Role in Determining Cochlear Function After Gunshot Injury to the Temporal Bone. Poster presented at the American Speech and Hearing Association Convention, New Orleans, LA.

Abedhi, M., **Majoue, M.**, Lopez, L.C., and Hurley, A. (2022, November 18) Interprofessional Management of a Pediatric Patient with Vascular Compression of the Cochleovestibular Nerve: A Case Report. Poster presented at the American Speech and Hearing Association Convention, New Orleans, LA.

Abedhi, M., **Majoue, M.**, and Hurley, A. (2023, April 21) The Audiologist's Role in Determining Cochlear Function After Gunshot Injury to the Temporal Bone. Poster presented at the American Academy of Audiology Convention, Seattle, WA.

# **Invited Presentations:**

**Majoue, M.** (March 2013-March 2018) Rotational Chair testing and Assessment of the VOR. Invited annual lecture. School of Allied Health Professions, Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, New Orleans, LA.

**Majoue, M.** (2016, February) Hearing Conservation for Musicians: NIHL and Prevention. Invited lecture. School of Music, Loyola University New Orleans, New Orleans, LA.

**Majoue, M.** (2018, February) Hearing Protection Devices for Musicians. Invited lecture. School of Music, Loyola University New Orleans, New Orleans, LA.

**Majoue, M.** (2019, February) Hearing Health and Noise Induced Hearing Loss for Musicians. Invited lecture. School of Music, Loyola University New Orleans, New Orleans, LA.

**Majoue**, **M.** (2020, April 1-4) Hands on Pavillion VERIFICATION STATION. Invited subject matter expert. American Academy of Audiology, New Orleans, LA.

**Majoue, M**. (2020, April 28). Hearing Health and Noise Induced Hearing Loss for Musicians. Invited lecture. School of Music, Loyola University New Orleans, New Orleans, LA.

**Majoue, M.** (2020, March 12) Audiologic and Vestibular Assessment and Management in Concussion. Invited Lecture and Learning Lab. Course

NSCI4130 Sport Related Brain Injury. Department of Neurosciences, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA.

**Majoue, M.** (April 2022-present) An Introduction to Vestibular Assessment and Management. Invited annual lecture. Department of Communication Disorders. Louisian State University, Baton Rouge, LA.

Anders, K., Buisson, A., Pitts, C., **Majoue, M.** (2024, March 23) The Effects of Smoking on the Hearing and Balance Systems. Invited Lecture. Tobacco Free Louisiana. Louisisana Public Health Institute.

**Majoue, M.** (2024, April 22) Older Adults, Hearing Loss, and Cognitive Decline: Breaking Barriers to Quality Communication. Invited Lecture. Department of Occupational Therapy. School of Allied Health Professions. LSUHSC, New Orleans, LA.

**Majoue, M.** (2024, July 18) From Cadavers to Clinic: Clinical Correlates of A&P in Hearing and Vestibular Science. Invited Lecture. Anatomy and Physiology Course. School of Allied Health Professions. LSUHSC, New Orleans, LA.

**Majoue, M.** (2024, December 3) Hearing Conservation for Musicians: NIHL and Prevention. Invited lecture with hearing screenings offered. School of Music, Loyola University New Orleans, New Orleans, LA.

Callais, R., **Majoue, M.**, Rashiq, D., Walters, H. & Bevrotte, A. (2025, January 17) The CDC's STEADI initiative and the Role of Allied Health Professions in Fall Risk Assessment. Invited lecture and interactive training session. Partner Day, School of Allied Health Professions. LSUHSC, New Orleans, LA.

\* I worked collaboratively in the design and implementation of this project but did not present due to bereavement.

#### <u>Videos, Electronic Media, and Multimedia:</u>

"Tinnitus Management and Treatment Options." Live interview with Liz Reyes. Fox 8 News Morning Edition. March 25, 2019.

"Artificial Intelligence in Hearing Aids." Live interview with John Snell. Fox 8 News Morning Edition. May 10, 2023.

"Hearing Damage, Hearing Loss, and Hearing Aids." Live interview with Tommy Tucker. The Tommy Tucker Show. WWL 870AM News/Talk Radio. August 8, 2023. <a href="https://omny.fm/shows/wwl-first-news-with-tommy-tucker/megan-majoue-845am">https://omny.fm/shows/wwl-first-news-with-tommy-tucker/megan-majoue-845am</a>

Anders, K., Buisson, A., Pitts, C., **Majoue, M.** The Effects of Smoking on the Hearing and Balance Systems. Empowering People and Community Series live webcast for the Louisiana Public Health Institute. July 11, 2024. DOI: GMT20240711-140026\_Recording\_1920x1080.mp4 (sharepoint.com)

**Majoue, M.** Quoted in U.S. News & World Report. (2024, February 16). How do hearing aids work? Retrieved from <a href="https://www.usnews.com/360-reviews/services/hearing-aids/how-do-hearing-aids-work">https://www.usnews.com/360-reviews/services/hearing-aids/how-do-hearing-aids-work</a>

# SERVICE AND ADMINISTRATION

I have an extensive history of service with multiple national and state professional organizations. I have been deeply involved in programming for annual AAA meetings and serving on multiple subcommittees for several conferences. At the state level, I am a past board member of the Louisiana Academy of Audiology (LAAA) and am currently the Director of Audiological Services for the Louisiana Speech and Language Association (LSHA). At the Health Science Center level, I have served as an active member of the Faculty Senate and Faculty Handbook Committee. I have served as Faculty Assembly President for the SAHP and currently serve on the executive board a Past-President. I am the Chair-Elect of the Honors Committee. I serve on multiple committees at the departmental level and serve the community through organizations such as the Louisiana Lighthouse.

# **University/Institutional Service:**

# LSUHSC (campus) committees

School of Medicine Pediatric Resident Didactic Education, 2018-present Faculty Senator, 2023-present Faculty Handbook Committee, 2024-present

#### **School committees**

Faculty Assembly

Delegate, 2021-present

Faculty Awards Committee, 2022-2023

Vice President, 2022-2023

Chair of the Bylaws & Constitution Committee, 2022-2023

President, 2023-2024

Faculty Awards Committee Chair, 2023-2024

Past-President, 2024-2025

Honors Committee, Chair-elect 2024-2025

Member, 2018-present

Grants & Research & Committee, 2021-2023

Zoo To Do for Kids Volunteer. Audubon Zoo. 2022

Graduate Studies & SAHP Collaboration Committee, 2022-present

Student Affairs Committee, 2022-2023

Recruitment Committee, 2022-2023

Promotion & Remediation Policies & Procedures ad-hoc committee 2022-23

Recruitment Specialist Search Committee, 2023

Staff Awards Commitee, 2023-2024

Administrative Council, 2023-2024

#### **Departmental committees**

Audiology White Coat Ceremony Committee, 2018-present

Admissions Committee, Audiology, 2018-present

Audiology Curriculum Committee, 2018-present

Audiology Orientation Committee, 2018-present

Admissions Committee, Speech Pathology, 2018-2022

Co-wrote the Audiology Clinic COVID Protocol for Reopening, 2020

Recruitment Representative, LSU-Baton Rouge, Baton Rouge, LA, 2022

Strategic Planning Committee, 2022-present

Audiology Comprehensive Examination Committee, 2022-present

National Speech Language and Hearing Month Committee, 2022-present

Audiology Faculty Search Committee, 2022, 2023 Audiology Externship Pilot Program Committee, 2023 Audiology Trainee Committee (ATC), 2023-present

#### State/Regional Service:

Louisiana Academy of Audiology (LAA)'
Board of Directors, 2015-2018
Conference Program Committee, 2015, 2016, 2017
Louisiana Speech and Language Association (LASHA)
Program Committee, 2024-2025
Director for Audiological Services, 2024-2027

#### **National Service:**

# **Professional society committees**

American Academy of Audiology (AAA)

Hear EXPO Volunteer 2019 Conference, Columbus, OH Poster Selection Committee 2024 Conference, Atlanta, GA Hear EXPO Volunteer 2020 Conference, New Orleans, LA (canceled due to covid-19)

Grand Rounds Program Committee 2024 Conference, Atlanta, GA Learning Labs Program Committee 2024 Conference, Atlanta, GA Grand Rounds Program Committee 2025 Conference, New Orleans, LA Poster Selection Committee 2025 Conference, New Orleans, LA

American Speech and Language Association (ASHA)

Curriculum & Practice Analysis (CAPA) Workshop Panelist, subject matter expert in vestibular assessment and management, October 8-9, 2022

Council of Academic Programs in Communication Sciences and Disorders (CAPCSD)

Membership Committee, 2024-2026

#### Clinical Service:

I provide and supervise audiologic screening, evaluation and intervention services for individuals from birth through the entire life course in the SAHP Audiology Hearing and Balance Clinic and University Medical Center's Outpatient Otolaryngology Clinic. I supervise up to six students each semester. My expertise includes evaluating and managing individuals in special populations including autism spectrum disorder and other related disorders and training students in these areas. My other areas of expertise include diagnostic audiologic evaluation, electrophysiologic evaluation, fitting and verification of hearing aids and other assistive listening devices.

I am recognized as a leading expert in the region for the assessment and management of complex vestibular and audiologic cases. My efforts have established LSU Audiologists as go-to professionals for audiological care at the University Medical Center New Orleans (UMCNO) and beyond. I am fortunate to oversee the vestibular program at LSUHSC and collaborate with a variety of referral sources. With the high demand for specialized vestibular assessments in our community, there is a need for more student training in vestibular care. I have developed strong professional relationships with otolaryngology and trauma unit

physicians at UMCNO, otolaryngology teams at CHNOLA and WJGH, and other specialists in the Greater New Orleans Metro area. I have established myself as an expert audiologist for the assessment of medically complex patients.

#### Clinic coverage:

I have a minimum of one and half days of clinic in LSUHSC Hearing & Balance Clinic and one-half day at University Medical Center each week; this means I am in patient-facing clinic for 16 hours per week and spend administrative time outside of these hours preparing students for cases, analyzing results, editing student documentations, and billing and coding.

# **Membership in Professional Organizations:**

2011-present American Academy of Audiology (AAA)
2013-present Louisiana Academy of Audiology (LAA)
2023-present Louisiana Speech and Hearing Association (LASHA)
2018-present American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA)
2021-present American Balance Society
2012-2017 Association of VA Audiologists

# Regulatory Agency/Accrediting Body Service:

Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology (CAA) site visitor applicant 2025 (appointments pending)

# Administrative Responsibilities: LSUHSC

#### School

Faculty Assembly Executive Board (2022 – present): participate in meetings with Dean, Executive Board, and Delegates to promote positive school culture, facilitate communication between faculty and administration, and identify opportunities to enhance faculty practices and experiences.

Member of SAHP Administrative Council and Administrative Huddle who meets regularly to collaborate and disseminate information on school events and programming to the Departments, January 2025-present.

# **Community Service Activities:**

New Orleans Museum of Art Volunteer Committee (NVC), 2021-2022

New Orleans Ballet Theater Volunteer, 2021-present

Holy Name of Jesus School and Parish

Co-chair Gator Fest, 2019, 2021, 2022, 2023

Gatorfest Committee, 2019-present

Parent-Teacher Committee Board Member, 2023-present

Louisiana Lighthouse for the Blind

Board of Directors, 2024-present

Development Committee, 2024-present

# **Continuing Education Courses Attended (since 2020):**

date event CEU 2/29-3/1/24 American Balance Society Meeting 1.2

4/21/2023 Comprehensive Pediatric Vestibular Care: Marion

	Downs Lecture in Pediatric Audiology - Sponsored by	0.15
4/21/2023	Hearing Aids in Review: 2022	0.15
4/20/2023	Development of Protective and Restorative Hearing	
	Therapeutics: DB-020 and DB-OTO	0.15
4/20/2023	Grand Rounds: Adult Diagnostics	0.15
4/19/2023	Vestibular Assessment of Infants and Adolescents:	
	It's as Simple as ABC	0.1
4/19/2023	Fall Risk Management in Audiology and ENT Practice	0.1
6/21/2022	Modern Hearing Aid Technology to Improve Speech	
	Intelligibility in Noise	0.15
6/21/2022	Vanderbilt Audiology Journal Club: 2021 Vestibular	
	Update	0.1
6/17/2022	Sound Approaches to Tinnitus Management	0.1
1/10/2022	Superior Semicircular Canal Dehiscence	0.1
10/19/2021	Linear to WDRC: Compression in the Modern Hearing	
	Aid	0.1
6/22/2021	Grand Rounds: Complex Clinical Cases, presented in	
	partnership with the Ohio State University	0.15
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5/17/2021	General Session/Keynote Address - How Behavioral	
	Economics Can Help People Make Better Decisions	0.05
5/17/2021	Grand Rounds: Tinnitus and Sound Sensitivity	0.1
5/17/2021	Grand Rounds: Vestibular and Balance	0.1
5/17/2021	Audiology Coding & Reimbursement in Review	
	2020-2021	0.1
5/17/2021	Radiology for Audiologists	0.15
4/15/2021	Evolutionary Technology Change in Audiology:	
	Perspectives and Opportunities	0.05
4/15/2021	Benign Paroxysmal Positional Vertigo: Science and	
	Protocols for Successful Treatment	0.1
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	Enhancing the Auditory Experience for Children	0.1
4/15/2021	Signia Delivers Solutions to Enhance Performance	0.05
1/8/2021	Pharmacology and Mechanisms of Ototoxicity for	
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1/5/2021	Preview of the University of Pittsburgh Teaching	
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9/2/2020	Cochlear Implants and Children with Vestibular	
	Impairments, presented in partnership with Seminars	0.4
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