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CURRICULUM VITAE

EDUCATION

Ph.D. University of Washington, Social Welfare Program, School of Social Work, 1988.
M.S.W. University of Washington, School of Social Work, 1987.
M.P.A. University of Montana, 1984.
B.A. University of Wisconsin, Education and Sociology, 1976.

FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS, AND AWARDS

Fellow, Society for Social Work and Research, 2013.
Fellow, Roundtable on Science in Social Work, Society for Social Work and Research, 2012, 2013.
Fellow, American Academy of Social Work and Social Welfare, 2011.
Aaron Rosen Distinguished Scholar and Lecturer, Society for Social Work and Research, 2009.
Excellence in Research Award, Society for Social Work and Research, 2009.
Social Policy Award for Best Edited Book, Society for Research on Adolescence, 2008.
University Lecturer, University of Denver, 2007.
Philip D. and Eleanor G. Winn Endowed Professor for Children and Youth, Graduate School of Social Work, University of Denver, 2007-present.
Distinguished Scholar Award, University of Denver, 2003.
Lowell Bennion Distinguished Public Service Professor Award, University of Utah, 1994.

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

2007-present Philip D. and Eleanor G. Winn Endowed Professor for Children and Youth.
Graduate School of Social Work, University of Denver.
2008-2014 Associate Dean for Research. Graduate School of Social Work, University of Denver.
2005-2008 Director, Ph.D. Program. Graduate School of Social Work, University of Denver.
2002-2007 Bridge Professor of Children, Youth, and Families. Graduate School of Social Work, University of Denver.
2002-2003 Visiting Professor. George Warren Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis.

- 1997-1998 Director of Research. School of Social Work, University of Iowa.
- 1995-1996 Associate Director and Graduate Coordinator. School of Social Work, University of Iowa.
- 1995-1998 Associate Professor. School of Social Work, University of Iowa.
- 1994-1995 Lowell Bennion Public Service Professor. Graduate School of Social Work, University of Utah.
- 1993-1995 Director, Doctoral Program. Graduate School of Social Work, University of Utah.
- 1992-1995 Associate Professor. Graduate School of Social Work, University of Utah.
- 1992-1994 Director, Criminal and Juvenile Justice Training Program, Graduate School of Social Work, University of Utah.
- 1988-1992 Assistant Professor. Graduate School of Social Work, University of Utah.

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

- Etiology and prevention of child and adolescent behavior health problems
- Prevention science, policy, and practice
- Aggression, bullying, and peer victimization
- Evidence-based practice and translational research
- Social work education (research training and doctoral education)

SELECTED EXTRAMURAL RESEARCH GRANTS

1. *Evidence-Based Practices and Programs: A Framework for Implementation*. Colorado Department of Public Safety, 2015-2017. \$92,000. Co-Principal Investigator (with Erin Ingoldsby).
2. *Protective Factors among Children and Youth in the Child Welfare System*. Administration on Children, Youth, and Families (ACYF), U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 2010-2013. \$300,000. Co-Principal Investigator (with Mark Edberg).
3. *Empowering Disadvantaged and High-Risk Youth: A Community-University Partnership in Public Housing Communities*. Office of Minority Health, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 2006-2009. \$693,000. Principal Investigator.
4. *The Effects of the Youth Matters Curriculum on Risk and Protective Factors and Antisocial Behavior of Elementary School Children*. Comprehensive Health Education Foundation, Seattle, Washington and Discovery Education, Chicago, Illinois, 2003-2007. \$625,000. Principal Investigator.
5. *Mental Health and Substance Abuse Problems of Incarcerated Juvenile Offenders: A Longitudinal Evaluation of the Colorado Initiative to Treat Mental Health Problems and Substance Abuse among Youth in the Juvenile Justice System*. Colorado State Division of Youth Corrections, 1998-2002. \$350,000. Co-Principal Investigator (with Cathryn Potter).
6. *Risk-Focused Delinquency Prevention: An Evaluation of Eight Iowa Projects*. Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, National Institute of Justice, 1996-1997. \$75,000. Principal Investigator.

7. *Racial Disparities in the Utah Juvenile Justice System*. Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, National Institute of Justice, 1994-1995. \$90,000. Principal Investigator.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Refereed Journal Articles (selected from 75)

1. Bayless, S.D., **Jenson, J.M.**, Richmond, M.K., Pampel, F.C., Cook, M., & Calhoun, M. (2018). Effects of an afterschool early literacy intervention on the reading skills of children in public housing communities. *Child and Youth Care Forum, 47*, 537-561.
2. **Jenson, J.M.**, Veeh, C., Anyon, Y., St. Mary, J., Calhoun, M., Tejada, J., & Lechuga-Pena, S. (2018). Effects of an afterschool program on the academic outcomes of children and youth residing in public housing neighborhoods: A quasi-experimental study. *Children and Youth Services Review, 88*, 211-217. doi.org/10.1016/j.childyouth.2018.03.104
3. Hawkins, J.D., **Jenson, J.M.**, Catalano, R.F., Fraser, M.W., Botvin, G.J., Shapiro, V., . . . Stone, S. (2016). Unleashing the power of prevention. *American Journal of Medical Research, 3*, 39-74. doi:10.22381/AJMR3120162 .
4. Anyon, Y., Gregory, A., Stone, S., Farrar, J., **Jenson, J.M.**, McQueen, J., Downing, B., Greer, E., & Simmons, J. (2016). Restorative interventions and school discipline sanctions in a large urban school district. *American Educational Research Journal, 53*, 1663-1697.
5. Williford, A., Boulton, A. J., Forrest-Bank, S. S., Bender, K. A., Dieterich, W. A., & **Jenson, J. M.** (2016). The effect of bullying and victimization on cognitive empathy during the transition to middle school. *Child and Youth Care Forum, 45*, 525-541.
6. Lopez, A., Yoder, J. R., Brisson, D., Lechuga-Pena, S., & **Jenson, J.M.** (2015). Development and validation of a positive youth development measure: The Bridge-Positive Youth Development. *Research on Social Work Practice, 25*, 726-738.
7. **Jenson, J.M.** (2014). Science, social work, and intervention research: The case of Critical Time Intervention. *Research on Social Work Practice, 24*, 564-570.
8. Forrest-Bank, S.S., Nicotera, N., Anthony, E.K., Gonzales, B., & **Jenson, J.M.** (2014). Risk, protection, and resilience among youth residing in public housing neighborhoods. *Child and Adolescent Social Work Journal, 31*, 295-314.
9. Williford, A., Boulton, A.J., & **Jenson, J.M.** (2014). Transitions between subclasses of bullying and victimization when entering middle school. *Aggressive Behavior, 40*, 24-41.
10. **Jenson, J.M.**, Brisson, D., Bender, K.A., & Williford, A., (2013). Effects of the Youth Matters prevention program on patterns of bullying and victimization in elementary and middle school. *Social Work Research, 37*, 361-374.
11. Bender, K.A., Brisson, D., **Jenson, J.M.**, Forrest-Bank, S.S., Lopez, A., & Yoder, J. (2011). Challenges and strategies for conducting program-based research in after-school settings. *Child and Adolescent Social Work Journal, 28*, 319-334.
12. Williford, A.P., Brisson, D., Bender, K.A., **Jenson, J.M.**, & Forrest-Bank, S.S. (2011). Patterns of aggressive behavior and peer victimization from childhood to early adolescence: A latent class analysis. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence, 40*, 644-655.

13. **Jenson, J.M.** (2010). Advances in preventing childhood and adolescent problem behavior. *Research on Social Work Practice, 20*, 701-713.
14. **Jenson, J.M.**, Dieterich, W.A., Brisson, D., Bender, K.A., & Powell, A. (2010). Preventing childhood bullying: Findings and lessons from the Denver Public Schools Trial. *Research on Social Work Practice, 20*, 509-517.
15. **Jenson, J.M.**, & Dieterich, W.A. (2007). Effects of a skills-based prevention program on bullying and bully victimization among elementary school children. *Prevention Science, 8*, 285-296.

Books (selected from 7)

1. **Jenson, J.M.**, & Fraser, M.W. (2016). *Social policy for children and families: A risk and resilience perspective, 3rd edition*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
2. **Jenson, J.M.**, & Bender, K.A. *Preventing child and adolescent problem behavior. Evidence-based strategies in schools, families, and communities.* (2014). New York: Oxford University Press.
3. **Jenson, J.M.**, Alter, C.F., Nicotera, N., Anthony, E.K., & Forrest-Bank, S.S. (2013). *Risk, resilience, and positive youth development: Developing effective community programs for high-risk youth. Lessons from the Denver Bridge Project*. New York: Oxford University Press.
4. Herrenkohl, T.I., Aisenberg, E., Williams, J.H., & **Jenson, J.M.** (2011). *Violence in context: Current evidence on risk, protection, and prevention*. New York: Oxford University Press.

SELECTED EDITORIAL BOARDS

Editor-in-Chief, *Journal of the Society for Social Work and Research*, 2016-present.
 Editor-in-Chief, *Social Work Research*, 2005-2009.
 Consulting Editor, *Social Work Research*, 1998-2003.
 Member, Editorial Board, *Research on Social Work Practice*, 2000-2005.
 Consulting Editor, Editorial Board, *Journal of Social Work Education*, 1995-2001.

REGIONAL, STATE, AND LOCAL SERVICE

Member, Statewide Needs Assessment of Primary Prevention for Substance Abuse Advisory Group, Colorado Health Institute. Denver, Colorado, 2017-present.
 Member, Colorado Cross University Partnership on Prevention (University of Denver, CO State University, and CU-Boulder), 2018-present.
 Consultant, Colorado Department of Behavioral Health. Denver, Colorado, 2016-present.
 Member, Colorado Social and Emotional Learning Network. Denver, Colorado, 2015-present.
 Member, Colorado Implementation Collaborative. Denver, Colorado, 2012-2015.
 Consultant, Office of Prevention and Early Intervention Initiatives, Denver Public Schools. Denver, Colorado, 2003-2010.
 Consultant, Colorado State Division of Youth Corrections. Denver, Colorado, 2001-2004.