

Tonya Herring, EdD, RN, CNE
Curriculum Vitae

Education

2023	Doctorate of Education (EdD)	Nursing Education	University of West Georgia, Carrollton, GA
2006	MSN	Nursing Education	Gardner-Webb University, Boiling Springs, NC
1997	BSN	Nursing	Columbus State University, Columbus, GA

Licensure and Certification

1997 - Present	Registered Professional Nurse RN135263, State of Georgia with expanded licensure compact
2023	Certified Nurse Educator (CNE®), National League for Nursing
1995 - Present	Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers (CPR and AED), American Heart Association

Professional Experience

2017 – Present	Assistant Professor, Nursing	Columbus State University, Columbus, GA
2014 – 2017	Nursing Unit Educator of Peri-Operative Services and Staff RN for Endoscopy, PACU, and Outpatient Care Center	St. Francis Hospital, Columbus, GA
2009 - 2011	Faculty, Associate Degree Nursing	Queens University of Charlotte - Presbyterian School of Nursing, Charlotte, NC
2006 – 2008	Faculty, Associate Degree Nursing	Rowan-Cabarrus Community College, Salisbury, NC
2004 – 2006	Clinical Nursing Instructor, Associate Degree Nursing	Cabarrus College of Health Sciences, Concord, NC
2004 – Spring Semester (Temporary Position)	Clinical Nursing Instructor, Baccalaureate Degree Nursing	East Carolina University, Greenville, NC

2003 – 2004, 2000 – 2001	Staff RN, Women’s Center (Labor & Delivery, Post- partum, and Women’s Surgery	Nash General Hospital, Rocky Mount, NC
2001 – 2002	Staff RN, Labor & Delivery and Post-partum	Halifax Regional Medical Center, Roanoke Rapids, NC
1997 – 2000	Staff RN, Medical-Surgical Floor	St. Francis Hospital, Columbus, GA

Teaching Responsibilities

Columbus State University, School of Nursing

- 2017 – Present
- Junior Level Coordinator, 2020-2021
 - NURS 4175: Evidence-Based Practice, Course Coordinator
 - NURS 4280: Professional Clinical Nursing III, Didactic & Clinical
 - NURS 4112: Professional Development Practices IV, Course Coordinator
 - NURS 4377: Senior Preceptorship
 - NURS 3175: Pharmacology in Nursing, Course Coordinator
 - NURS 3279: Pathophysiology, Course Coordinator
 - NURS 3276: Introduction to Health Assessment, Course Coordinator
 - NURS 3112: Professional Development Perspectives II
 - NURS 3277: Professional Clinical Nursing II, Didactic & Clinical
 - NURS 3275: Professional Clinical Nursing I, Didactic & Clinical

Queens University of Charlotte – Presbyterian School of Nursing

- 2009 – 2011
- NURS 192: Maternal-Child Nursing, Course Coordinator
 - NURS 496: The Art & Science of Nursing V (Medical-Surgical & Preceptor Program)

Rowan-Cabarrus Community College

- 2006 – 2008
- NURS 212: Health Systems Concepts (Medical-Surgical)
 - NURS 113: Family Health Concepts (Maternal-Child)
 - NURS 213: Complex Health Concepts (Medical-Surgical & Preceptor Program)

Cabarrus College of Health Sciences

- 2004 – 2006
- NSG 212: Foundations in Nursing – Family Health (Maternal-Child), Clinical Instructor
 - NSG 241: Foundations in Nursing – Acute Illness (Medical-Surgical), Clinical Instructor

Publications

Scholarship of Teaching/Learning Research

Derico, S., Hawkins, A., Grissette, B., Mathis, E., **Herring, T.**, et al. (2020). We solve it! Immersing the quality enhancement plan in a traditional and online baccalaureate nursing program. *Nursing Education Perspectives*, 41(4), 258-259.
doi:10.1097/01.NEP.0000000000000679

Herring, T. (2023). Prelicensure Academic Nurse Educators' Use of Exam and Item Analysis. [ProQuest Dissertations, University of West Georgia, 30692690]

Grants and Funding

Herring, T. (2008). Simulation in Associate Degree and Licensed Practical Nursing Programs. (\$50,000). Cheerwine® Family Grant to Rowan-Cabarrus Community College.

Presentations

Refereed: State

Hawkins, A., Grissette, B., Mathis, E., & **Herring, T.** (2020). We solve it! Immersing the quality enhancement plan in a traditional and online baccalaureate nursing program. Georgia Association for Nursing Education Conference, Jekyll Island, GA.

Scholarships, Honors and Awards

2023 National League for Nursing (NLN) Foundation Nursing Education Scholarship
Funded by the Jayne Nye Working Scholarship

2023 University of West Georgia Lettie Pate Whitehead Scholarship

2007 Rowan-Cabarrus Community College Educator of the Year Nominee

Professional Affiliations

2020 – Present Georgia Association for Nursing Education (GANE)

2021 – Present National League for Nursing

2006 – Present Sigma Theta Tau International Nursing Honor Society, University of West Georgia Pi Nu Chapter

2023 - Present Southern Nursing Research Society

Institutional Service

School of Nursing, Columbus State University
Curriculum

2018 – Present
Chair (2023) Curriculum Committee

2023, Summer New Curriculum Implementation Committee for BSN Program

2022, Summer New Curriculum Implementation Committee for BSN Programs

Accreditation

2023 American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN) Essentials Champion for BSN Program

Study Abroad

2020 – Present International Nursing Committee, Chair (2023)

2023, Spring Break Course Coordinator for NURS 3555: Study Abroad in Ireland

Search Committees

2018-2019 Nursing Instructor Position Search Committee Chair

2023-2024 Nursing Instructor Position Search Committee Member

Columbus State University

2020 – 2021 LEAD CSU Program, Leadership Development Program, Graduated 2021

Professional Growth and Development

American Association of Colleges of Nursing Essentials Conference
Baltimore, Maryland September 2023

Georgia Association for Nursing Education Conference, Brasstown Bald,
GA March 2023

National Council State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN) Next Generation
NCLEX-RN November 2022

Next Generation NCLEX-RN, NurseTim, Atlanta, GA October 2022

Georgia Association for Nursing Education Conference, Jekyll Island, GA February 2020

Test Blueprinting Workshop by NurseTim at Columbus State University August 2019

Columbus State University's Accessible Course Design workshops, Supportive Inclusive Practices (SIP), and Developing Inclusive Practices (DIP)	May 2019
Nuts & Bolts Workshop for New Nursing Faculty by NurseTim, Orlando, FL	October 2018
Audience Response, Clicking, Polling and Voting by NurseTim	February 2018
Faculty Shortage: Action Plans for Today by NurseTim	February 2018
Creating Engaging and Meaningful Online Discussion by NurseTim	February 2018
Ethics: Emphasis Across the Curriculum by NurseTim	February 2018
Test Item Writing: From Knowledge to Analysis by NurseTim	January 2018