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***CAREER OBJECTIVE***

**To instruct in a college or university with responsibilities to include the formulation and implementation of innovative courses and Developmental Psychology**.

***EDUCATION***

**STANFORD UNIVERSITY, STANFORD, CALIFORNIA**

Ph.D. degree in Psychological Studies and Developmental Psychology, 1998

**STANFORD UNIVERSITY, STANFORD CALIFORNIA**

M.A. degree in Psychological Studies and Developmental Psychology, 1976

**CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, SAN JOSE**

M.A. degree in Experimental Psychology, 1975

**CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, SAN JOSE**

B.A. degree in Psychology, 1971

***CREDENTIALS***

Community College instructor Credential, 1974-LIFE

Child Development Program Teaching Credential, 1976-LIFE

***PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND AWARDS***

American Association of University Professors

Child Development Consortium, Washington, D.C.

Distinguished Lecturer Award 1997/98, University of San Francisco

Distinguished Lecture Award 2012 University of San Francisco

Sister Vickie Sui Award for outstanding Service 2013, University of San Francisco

Keynote Speaker Oxman College Graduation 2009

Outstanding Instructor 1986/87, San Jose City College

Hall of Fame 1987, San Jose City College

National Science Foundation, Stanford Fellow

Phi Delta Kappa, Stanford Fellow

College Service Award 2001, University of San Francisco

***PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT***

**1991-PRESENT**: **UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO, SAN FRANCISCO, CA**

*Adjunct and Full Term professor*:  Teach courses in Child Development, Lifespan Development, Adulthood and Aging, General Psychology, Theories of Personality.

2011 to 2016 **2011-2016 Policy Board for PTFA – University of San Francisco, San Francisco, CA.**

**Served on the Policy Board for a 5 year period work on development of Policy and contract negotiations**

2009 -2013

**Oxman College School of Nursing. Taught Lifespan Development from a patient care perspective.**

**1974-1992 SAN JOSE CITY COLLEGE, SAN JOSE, CA**

*Instructor*:  Psychology and Family Life Science programs.  Have taught courses in Child Development, Child Psychology, Adolescent Psychology, and General Psychology.

**1976-1990 WEST VALLEY COLLEGE, SARATOGA, CA**

*Instructor:*  General Psychology, Marriage & The Family, Human Relations, Abnormal Psychology, Child Development, Developmental Parent Education, and Substance Abuse.

**1975-1976 STANFORD UNIVERSITY, STANFORD, CA**

*Teaching & Research Assistant:*  Taught courses in curriculum and current practices in Teacher Education, coordinated Ph.D. students on their research projects.

**1974-1975 BING NURSERY SCHOOL, STANFORD UNIVERSITY, CA**

*Consultant:*  Prepared community-based curriculum and consulted with Dr. Mahn and Dr. Dowley on pre-school program development.

*PUBLICATIONS*

**Authored:** Ciena, M.  Parental Attitude/Behavior:  Student Workbook for Discussion Groups, San Jose City College Press, 1984.

Ciena, M.  A Glossary of Development and Overview of Developmental States and Theories.  California Publishing Co., 1980

**Helped Edit:** Bee, H. The Development Child, 3rd Edition.  Harper and Row Publishers, 1980

Bee, H.  Lifespan Development, 2nd  Edition, Harper/Collins, 1996

**PBS TV 36:** “Naked in Yankee Stadium”.  Produced, edited and starred in national T.V. broadcast on coping with life threatening illness.  This video is used at various medical centers and The American Cancer Society for training doctors, nurses, and newly diagnosed cancer patients.

*PUBLICATIONS IN PROGRESS*

**Text Book**: Ciena, M.  Lifespan Development, Conception Through Old Age.  Target date:  September, 2020

**Screen Play:** Ciena, M.  “Black Slacks”.  The life of a young boy who moves to New York City from Montana.  Target date: December, 2020

**In Progress: Developing a course on Music and the Brain.**