

# AMIE LULINSKI

## Curriculum Vita

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### **EDUCATION**

**Ph.D., Disability Studies** (August 2014), University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL  
Dissertation: Community Capacity to Provide Mental/Behavioral Health Services to People with Developmental Disabilities

**M.S. in Disability and Human Development** (August 2008), University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL  
Thesis: The Impact of Medicaid Drug Policies on People with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities

**B.A. in Psychology** (May 1995), Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, IL. Major courses and research focused on behavior analysis and neuroscience.

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Research and Development Coordinator:** Coleman Institute for Cognitive Disabilities, University of Colorado, September 2017 – present.

Responsibilities: Coordinate and provide leadership on research related activities; contribute to the State of the States of the States in Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Project; Act as State of the States Project liaison with U.S. Territories; Present nationally; Contribute to research on Medicaid and HCBS Waiver services including regular updates to our established HCBS Waiver database; Contribute to the funding portfolio of the Coleman Institute through application and management of federal and other research grants; Assist the Communications Director with branding, targeted information dissemination, and knowledge translation through multiple platforms; Participate in federal legislative advocacy; and Assist in the planning and execution of the annual Coleman Institute for Cognitive Disabilities Annual Conference.

**Adjunct Assistant Research Professor:** Department of Disability and Human Development, University of Illinois at Chicago, January 1, 2015 – present.

**Director of Research and Evaluation:** The Arc of the US, March, 2015 – August 2017  
Responsibilities: Provide technical assistance to all departments on issues related to research, evaluation, and data; Review all requests for study recruitment from outside entities; Collaborate with external partners on proposal development and execution; Spearheaded the creation of an organizational policy for research involving human subjects; PI for FINDS Survey done in partnership with The RTC on Community Living at the Institute on Community Living at the University of Minnesota; Contributed to the development, piloting, fielding, and dissemination of

the 2017 Family and Individual Needs for Disability Supports (FINDS) Survey; Co-PI for Individual and Family Engagement intervention study and Community Rehabilitation Providers: Building Capacity and Supporting Organizational Transformation through RRTC on Employment at UMass-Boston; Contribute to the program at Summer Leadership Institute and Annual Convention; Assist with the coordination of The Arc's biennial review of its Policy and Positions Statements; Coordinate the evaluation of The Arc's national programs (Wings for Autism, Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder Prevention Program, National Center for Criminal Justice and Disability, Autism NOW, The Arc@School, MLK Day, and the Center for Future Planning); Serve as grant officer to The Arc of New Mexico's Down Syndrome Fund; and serve as project support for Corporate, Foundation, and Government team including assistance with proposal development.

**Director, Rights Policy:** The Arc of the US, July 2014 – July 2015.

Responsibilities: For the following disability policy areas employment, LTSS, immigration, rights, and Medicaid managed care: Evaluate and participate in federal legislative, executive, and judicial developments that impact people with IDD and their families; work with Members of Congress, their staff, Committees, Executive Branch agencies, federal officials, the White House, and others to pursue The Arc's public policy agenda; represent The Arc in leadership roles in coalitions, advisory boards, and related activities; work with chapters of The Arc regarding the impact of policy issues on people with I/DD and their families; assist in producing National Policy Matters, Capitol Insider, Action Alerts, Fact Sheets, and other information products for chapters and members of The Arc; assist in producing the Disability Policy Seminar with other national organizations; and assist the Board of Directors' Policy and Positions Committee in development of position statements and the public policy agenda.

**Senior Research Specialist in Developmental Disabilities:** Institute on Disability and Human Development, University of Illinois at Chicago, January 2011 – June 2014.

Responsibilities: Co-PI and lead staff for study of institutional census reduction in the state of Illinois; Co-PI and lead staff in evaluation of Jacksonville and Murray Developmental Centers Closure Evaluations; administer social media (Facebook and Twitter); respond to requests for technical assistance; and Policy and Advocacy Director for the Illinois Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and related Disabilities (LEND) Program.

**Research and Policy Analyst:** State of the States in Developmental Disabilities Project, Department of Psychiatry, School of Medicine, University of Colorado Health Sciences Center and University of Illinois at Chicago, June 2012- January 2014.

Responsibilities: Report writing, presentations, and technical assistance; coordinated information dissemination using social networks (Facebook and Twitter); and lead relationship building efforts with the U.S. Territory UCEDD Directors in an effort to include Territory data on Medicaid spending.

**Disability Policy Leadership Fellow:** Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD), Silver Spring, MD, January 2011 – December 2011.

Responsibilities: Monitored federal level policy related to developmental disabilities; provided policy summaries for *InBrief*, weekly newsletter; regularly updated on-line Health Reform Hub; served on Consortium for Citizens with Disabilities (CCD) Task Forces on Developmental Disabilities, Long Term

Services and Supports and Health; co-chaired task force on Medicaid; served as AUCD representative on Medicaid Coalition; served as AUCD representative on Friday Morning Collaborative; assisted with overall coordination and facilitation of Allies in Self-Advocacy Summits funded by the Administration on Developmental Disabilities; provided technical assistance to network.

**Project Coordinator:** Institute on Disability and Human Development, University of Illinois at Chicago, May 2007 – December 2010.

Responsibilities: Coordinate all research aspects of grant funded by Illinois Department of Human Services' Division of Developmental Disabilities which explored longitudinal trends in institutional census reduction in Illinois, including data collection, analysis and writing of final report; worked in the Developmental Disabilities Family Clinics to assist with medical records and intake paperwork; assisted in the coordination of the final report from the interdisciplinary team evaluations; acted as Research Assistant to Director of the Family Clinics; and trained all incoming interns on Illinois abuse and neglect reporting requirements.

**Academic Coordinator:** Illinois LEND, University of Illinois at Chicago, May 2009 – December 2010.

Responsibilities: Assisted with all aspects of the LEND training program including: recruitment and coordination of interview process review of potential trainees; management of class syllabus; coordination of didactic schedule including recruiting of speakers, collection of materials and handouts; tracking completion of trainees' required hours and assignments; maintenance of Blackboard for all course materials and assignments; and assistance with all required federal reports.

**Teaching Assistant:** DHD 564: Community Integration in Developmental Disabilities, Department of Disability and Human Development, University of Illinois at Chicago, Fall 2009.

Responsibilities: Co-taught course with Mary Kay Rizzolo, PhD

**Project Coordinator:** Association for University Centers on Disability and Social Security Administration Pediatric Medical Unit project, University of Illinois at Chicago, May 2007 – December 2007.

Responsibilities: Coordinated all aspects of the PMU Grant under the direction of the director including receipt of requests for team consultation from Social Security Determination offices.

**Graduate Assistant:** Institute on Disability and Human Development, University of Illinois at Chicago, August 2006 – May 2007.

**Director of Quality Enhancement & Training Services:** Oak-Leyden Developmental Services, Oak Park, IL, January 2004 – May 2007.

Responsibilities: Evaluated compliance of adult programs to applicable DHS and/or IDPH standards including file reviews, environmental survey, and ISP review; coordinated agency process for policy and procedure review; functioned as Liaison to the Office of Inspector General & OIG approved Agency Investigator; HIPAA Privacy Officer; co-chaired Behavior Management Committee & Human Rights Committee, as well as chaired Safety Committee; Created and maintained injury/incident/illness data base; analyzed and co-authored responses to Employee Satisfaction Survey; coordinated and

delivered DSP and QMRP Training; maintained CARF standards and coordinated Outcome Management System.

**Program Coordinator:** New Hope Center, Inc., Dolton, IL, November 2000 – January 2004.

Responsibilities: provided administrative leadership, supervised DSPs, and managed operation of 16-person Intermediate Care Facility for persons with DD; assured adherence to all local, state, and federal regulations; served as QMRP and case manager to 16 program participants; served as chairperson of agency Human Rights Committee.

**Individual Service Coordinator:** Suburban Access, Inc., Homewood, IL, November 1999 – October 2000.

Responsibilities: Provided Individual Service Coordination to individuals with IDD in nursing homes, state-operated facilities, Intermediate Care Facilities for adults with Developmental Disabilities (ICF/DD), and community placements; coordinated specialized services and Individual Service Plans; conducted Pre-Admission Screenings to persons interested in receiving Department of Human Services funded services and provided initial service coordination.

**State Quality Assurance/Training Coordinator:** Community Alternatives Missouri, St. Louis, MO, June 1997 – July 1999.

Responsibilities: Developed, standardized, coordinated, and oversaw state-wide New Employee Orientation Training Program; revised New Employee Training Manual, Program Manager Reference Guide, and Guide to Conducting Internal Investigations; provided internal consulting and cooperatively developed Action Plans; assured consistency across four state operations according to Company and State of Missouri regulations by serving as liaison between agency and State Quality Improvement personnel; completed employee/consumer satisfaction surveys twice yearly; coordinated hiring and training of DSPs; co-founded and chaired inter-agency Human Rights Committee, served as member of Program Management Team and Missouri State Certification Survey Team.

**Assistant Program Coordinator:** I.T.E., Inc., St. Louis, MO, June 1996 – June 1997.

Responsibilities: Trained, supervised, and acted as liaison between work and home for 85 adults with developmental disabilities working in a sheltered workshop setting; created and implemented individual behavior and/or training programs.

**Psychiatric Aid:** Hawthorne Children's Psychiatric Hospital, St. Louis, MO, October 1995 – June 1996.

Responsibilities: Emotional, physical, behavioral, and environmental care of adolescents receiving in-patient psychiatric services.

**Teacher's Aide:** Childgarden, The Arc of St. Louis, St. Louis, MO July 1995 – October 1995.

Responsibilities: Assisted with all aspects of operating a classroom for 4-year-olds at an integrated day care.

**Direct Support Professional**, The Arc of McLean County, Bloomington, IL, Summer 1995.

Responsibilities: Supported individuals with IDD in activities of daily living in a residential setting.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

**Lulinski, A.** & Sutcliffe, T. (in press). Coalitions. In *Disability in American Life: An Encyclopedia of Concepts, Policies, and Controversies*. Editors: T. Heller, S. Parker Harris, C. Gill, & R. Gould. ABC-CLIO: Santa Barbara, CA.

**Lulinski, A.** & Ward, J. (in press). Dual Eligibility. In *Disability in American Life: An Encyclopedia of Concepts, Policies, and Controversies*. Editors: T. Heller, S. Parker Harris, C. Gill, & R. Gould. ABC-CLIO: Santa Barbara, CA.

**Lulinski, A.**, Jorwic, N.T., Tanis, E.S., & Braddock, D. (2018). Rebalancing of Long-Term Supports and Services for Individuals with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities in the United States. Data Brief (2). Boulder: States of the States in Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Project, Coleman Institute for Cognitive Disabilities, University of Colorado.

Anderson, L., Hewitt, A., Pettingell, S., **Lulinski, A.**, Taylor, M., & Reagan, J. (2018) Family and Individual Needs for Disability Supports (v.2) Community Report 2017. Minnesota: Research and Training Center on Community Living, Institute on Community Integration, University of Minnesota.

**Lulinski, A.**, Tanis, E.S., & Nelis, T. (2018). Use of state institutions for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities in the United States. *Data Brief (1)*. Boulder: States of the States in Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Project, Coleman Institute for Cognitive Disabilities, University of Colorado.

Braddock, D., Hemp, R., Tanis, E.S., **Lulinski, A.**, & Scotti, S. (2018, January) Public support for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. LegisBrief 26(4). Denver, CO: National Conference of State Legislatures.

Anderson, L.L., Reagan, J., Hewitt, A., **Lulinski, A.**, Arnold, C.K. (2017). Sibling Caregiver Outcomes: Results from The Arc's 2010 FINDS Survey. Research Brief (4), Minneapolis: The University of Minnesota, Institute on Community Integration.

Schallock, R.L. & **Lulinski, A.** (2017). Evidence-based practices: Connecting the dots between research and practice. A Research to Practice Brief. Washington, DC: The Arc of the United States. Available: <http://www.thearc.org/file/research/Research-Brief--Schallock-Lulinski-2017.pdf>.

**Lulinski, A.**, Timmons, J., & Leblois, S. (2017). From sheltered work to competitive integrated employment: Lessons from the field. Bringing Employment First to Scale. Boston, MA: University of Massachusetts Boston, Institute for Community Inclusion. Available: [http://www.thinkwork.org/sites/thinkwork.org/files/files/RRTC\\_brief11\\_F.pdf](http://www.thinkwork.org/sites/thinkwork.org/files/files/RRTC_brief11_F.pdf).

Davis, L.A., & **Lulinski, A.** (2017). Equal Access to Justice for People with Intellectual and

Developmental Disabilities: A Framework for Change. *Impact: Feature Issue on the Justice System and People with Intellectual, Developmental, and Other Disabilities*, 30(1). Minneapolis: The University of Minnesota, Institute on Community Integration.

Anderson, L.L., Hewitt, A., & **Lulinski, A.** (2017). 60% of family caregivers provide more than 40 hours of support per week. Research Brief (2), Minneapolis: The University of Minnesota, Institute on Community Integration.

Timmons, J., **Lulinski, A.**, & Thomas, C. (2016). Organizational transformation: Guiding principles for community providers. *Bringing Employment First to Scale*, Issue 6. Boston, MA: University of Massachusetts Boston, Institute for Community Inclusion.

The Arc (2016). The Arc's caregiver survey on the health status of people with intellectual disability: Technical report. Author: Washington, D.C.

The Arc of the United States (2016). Prognosis: Guarded how health disparities impact the lives of people with intellectual disabilities: A final report from The Arc of the United States. Author: Washington, D.C.

The Arc's Autism Now Center (2015). The Arc's Autism Now Center. Washington, D.C., The Arc of the United States.

Friedman, C., **Lulinski, A.**, & Rizzolo, M. C. (2015). Mental/Behavioral Health Services: Medicaid Home and Community Based Services Waiver Allocation for People with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities. *Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities*, 53(4), pp. 257-270.

The Arc of the United States (2015, June). WIOA: What it means for people with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities. *National Policy Matters*. Available: <http://www.thearc.org/document.doc?id=5183>.

Vasudevan, V., Rizzolo, M.C., Heller, T., & **Lulinski, A.** (2015). An Analysis of Movement from Illinois State-Operated Developmental Centers: FY2010- 2012 Update. Chicago: Institute on Disability and Human Development, University of Illinois at Chicago.

**Lulinski, A.**, Tupuola, T., & Friedman, C. (2015). American Samoa. Services for People with Intellectual and/or Developmental Disabilities in the U.S. Territories. Boulder, CO: Coleman Institute for Cognitive Disabilities, State of the States in Developmental Disabilities Project.

**Lulinski, A.**, Friedman, C., Habtes, Y. & Beady, C. (2015). The U.S. Virgin Islands. Services for People with Intellectual and/or Developmental Disabilities in the U.S. Territories. Boulder, CO: Coleman Institute for Cognitive Disabilities, State of the States in Developmental Disabilities Project.

**Lulinski, A.**, Vasudevan, V., Rizzolo, M.C., Schmidt, A.J., Spassiani, N., Friedman, C., & Heller, T. (2014). An Evaluation of the Jacksonville Developmental Center Closure: Part 1. Chicago: Institute on Disability and Human Development, University of Illinois at Chicago.

Braddock, D., Hemp, R., Rizzolo, M.C., Haffer, L., Tanis, E.S., **Lulinski, A.** & Wu, J. (2013). *State of the States in Developmental Disabilities 2013: The Great Recession and its*

Aftermath. Boulder, CO: University of Colorado, Coleman Institute for Cognitive Disabilities, Department of Psychiatry, and Department of Disability and Human Development, UIC.

Rizzolo, M. C., Friedman, C., **Lulinski-Norris, A.**, & Braddock, D. (2013). Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) Waivers: A nationwide study of the states. *Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities*, 51(1), pp. 1-21.

**Lulinski-Norris, A.**, Rizzolo, M.C. & Heller, T. (October, 2012). An Analysis of Movement from State Operated Developmental Centers in Illinois. Chicago: Institute on Disability and Human Development, University of Illinois at Chicago.

**Lulinski-Norris, A.**, Rizzolo, M. C., & Heller, T. (October, 2012). Post-transition returns to IL SODCs: An analysis. Disability Research Brief, Chicago, IL: The University of Illinois at Chicago.

Sorensen, A., Rizzolo, M. C., **Lulinski-Norris, A.**, & Heller, T. (May 2012). An Evaluation of Howe Developmental Center Closure: Results from a Survey of Family Members and Guardians and Interviews with Individuals Who Lived at Howe. Final Report to the Illinois Department of Public Health. Chicago: The University of Illinois at Chicago, Department of Disability and Human Development.

**Lulinski-Norris, A.**, Rizzolo, M.C. & Heller, T. (April 2012). The Closure of Lincoln Developmental Center: An Analysis of Outcomes. Disability Research Brief. Chicago: The University of Illinois at Chicago, Department of Disability and Human Development.

**Lulinski-Norris, A.**, Rizzolo, M. C., & Heller, T. (October, 2012). Jacksonville Developmental Center: An analysis of transition outcomes. Disability Research Brief, Chicago, IL: The University of Illinois at Chicago.

**Lulinski-Norris, A.**, Rizzolo, M. C., & Heller, T. (October, 2012). Murray Developmental Center: An analysis of transition outcomes. Disability Research Brief, Chicago, IL: The University of Illinois at Chicago.

Rizzolo, M.C., **Lulinski-Norris, A.**, Collins, S., & Heller, T. (2010). An analysis of the Somerset Place nursing facility closure: Insights from key stakeholders. Chicago, IL: The University of Illinois at Chicago.

**Lulinski-Norris, A.**, Rizzolo, M.C. & Heller, T. (2010). An Analysis of Movement from State Operated Developmental Centers in Illinois. Chicago: Institute on Disability and Human Development, University of Illinois at Chicago.

**Lulinski-Norris, A.** (2009). Chassin, Mark R. In Mullner, Ross, Tricia J. Johnson, and Robert F. Rich (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Health Services Research*. Volume 1, pp. 157-58, Los Angeles, CA: Sage.

**Lulinski-Norris, A.** (2009). Davis, Karen. In Mullner, Ross, Tricia J. Johnson, and Robert F. Rich (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Health Services Research*. Volume 1, pp. 286-87, Los Angeles, CA: Sage.

**Lulinski-Norris, A.** (2009). Drummond, Michael. In Mullner, Ross, Tricia J. Johnson, and

Robert F. Rich (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Health Services Research*. Volume 1, pp. 321-22, Los Angeles, CA: Sage.

**Lulinski-Norris, A.** (2009). Evans, Robert G. In Mullner, Ross, Tricia J. Johnson, and Robert F. Rich (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Health Services Research*. Volume 1, pp. 384-85, Los Angeles, CA: Sage.

**Lulinski-Norris, A.** (2009). Lee, Philip R. In Mullner, Ross, Tricia J. Johnson, and Robert F. Rich (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Health Services Research*. Volume 2, pp. 681-82, Los Angeles, CA: Sage.

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**Lulinski-Norris, A.** (2009). Wilensky, Gail R. In Mullner, Ross, Tricia J. Johnson, and Robert F. Rich (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Health Services Research*. Volume 2, pp. 1184-86, Los Angeles, CA: Sage.

## **PRESENTATIONS**

**Lulinski, A.,** Felty, W.P., Braddock, D., Tanis, E.S., & Hemp, R. (2018, April 24). Building your advocacy case with data. Concurrent session at Disability Policy Seminar, Washington, DC.

**Lulinski, A.,** Braddock, D., Tanis, E.S., & Hemp, R. (2018, April 17). State of the States in Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities. Plenary session at ANCOR, New Orleans, LA.

**Lulinski, A.,** Braddock, D., Tanis, E.S., & Hemp, R. (2018, April 16). State of the States in Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Project Data. Concurrent session at ANCOR, New Orleans, LA.

Tanis, E.S., **Lulinski, A.,** & Willis, K. (2018, January 18). The Coleman Conference: From space to home. Webinar: Administration on Community Living, Washington, DC.

**Lulinski, A.,** Larson, S., Bonardi, A., Butterworth, J. (2018, January 11). How to make the most of national data. Webinar: National Association of State Directors of Developmental Disabilities Services, Alexandria, VA.

**Lulinski, A.,** Braddock, D., Hemp, R., & Tanis, E.S. (2017). The state of the states in intellectual and developmental disabilities: 2017. Data briefing for the Administration for Community Living, Washington, D.C.

**Lulinski, A. &** Tanis, E.S. (2017) The state of the states in intellectual and developmental disabilities: 2017. Participation in poster symposium: Inclusive Community Living and Supports. Association of University Centers on Disabilities 2017 Conference, Washington, DC.



**Lulinski, A.,** Cornett, J., Ladau, E., & Patterson, R. (2017) What's Happening in Washington. Plenary panel at Coleman Institute Conference on Cognitive Disability and Technology, Westminster, CO.

**Lulinski, A.,** & Hemp, R., (2017). The state of the states in intellectual and developmental disabilities: 2017. Concurrent presented at 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Coleman Institute Conference on Cognitive Disability and Technology, Broomfield, CO.

**Lulinski, A.** (2017). The state of the states in intellectual and developmental disabilities: 2017. Guest lecture, DHD 301, University of Illinois at Chicago, October 26, 2017.

Hewitt, A. & **Lulinski, A.** (2017). F.I.N.D.S. 2017: A preliminary look at supports and services in the US through the caregiver perspective. Plenary given at National Conference of Executives of The Arc's Summer Leadership Institute, St. Louis, MO.

Butterworth, J., Timmons, J., & **Lulinski, A.** (2017). State of the science on advancing employment outcomes: The Arc's NCE Summer Leadership Institute listening session. Concurrent given at National Conference of Executives of The Arc's Summer Leadership Institute, St. Louis, MO.

Butterworth, J., **Lulinski, A.,** Sulewski, J., Guzman, T., & Vallins, A. (2017). Organizational transformation to integrated employment & community life engagement: A holistic approach to a meaningful day. Concurrent presented at the American Association on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities 141<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting, Hartford, CT.

Butterworth, J., Kramer, J., & **Lulinski, A.** (2017). Bringing employment first to scale: State of the science listening session. American Association on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities 141<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting, Hartford, CT.

Griffin, A., **Lulinski, A.,** & Haworth, S. (2017). *Including people with disabilities: Public health workforce competencies.* Webinar, AUCD, January 24, 2017.

**Lulinski, A.,** Nitsch, C., & Jorwic, N. (2016). Using data in evaluation, grant proposals, and advocacy efforts. Invited panel, Maryland Conference of Executives of The Arc, Baltimore, MD.

Kramer, J. & **Lulinski, A.** (2016). *Engaging individuals and families in conversations around employment.* Concurrent given at 2016 National Convention and International Forum, Palm Springs, CA.

**Lulinski, A.,** Nitsch, C., & Jorwic, N. (2016). Using data in evaluation, grant proposals, and advocacy efforts. Concurrent panel, National Conference of Executives of The Arc, Palm Springs, CA.

Hall, A., **Lulinski, A.,** & Burke, D. (2016). *Organizational transformation in integrated employment.* Concurrent given at The 2016 National Council of Executives of The Arc Summer Leadership Institute, Palm Springs, CA.

Hall, A., Barrows, M., Nye-Lengerman, K., **Lulinski, A.,** Winsor, J., Thomas, C. (2015).

Bringing Employment First to scale: Integrating the evidence for a comprehensive model for change. Concurrent conducted at The 2015 AUCD Conference, Washington, D.C.

“Findings of the National Goals in Research, Practice, and Policy Working Meeting,” Co-presenter, Coleman Institute Conference on Cognitive Disability and Technology, Broomfield, CO, October 15, 2015.

“National Goals in Research, Practice, and Policy Working Meeting,” Co-presenter, The Arc National Convention, Indianapolis, IN, October 4, 2015.

“Community Capacity to Provide Mental and Behavioral Health Services to People with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities,” Webinar, NADD, June 8, 2015.

“Federal Updates on HCBS Settings Rule, WIOA, and Medicaid”, Invited speaker, The Arc of New Jersey Council of Executives, Cape May, NJ, May 15, 2015.

“The Policy Cycle,” Invited guest lecturer, LEND, Department of Disability and Human Development, University of Illinois at Chicago, December 5, 2014.

Vasudevan, V., Spassiani, N., Rizzolo, M., Heller, T., & **Lulinski, A.** (November, 2014). “A Comparison of Health and Behavioral Outcomes of Individuals with Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities (IDD) who Moved to a Community Integrated Living Arrangement or Remained at a State Operated Developmental Center,” Poster, American Public Health Association Annual Meeting and Exposition, 142nd Annual Meeting and Exposition New Orleans, LA.

“Community Response to Individuals with IDD Who Are Experiencing Behavioral Crisis”, Panelist, Association of University Centers on Disability, Washington, D.C., November 11, 2014.

“Expect. Employ. Empower. National Disability Employment Awareness Month Panel,” Invited panelist, United States Government Accountability Office, Washington, D.C., October 28, 2014.

“The NADD Sponsored Health Care Position Strategic Planning Forum: A Multi Stakeholder Response,” Invited panelist, NADD, Bethesda, MD, October 20, 2014.

“Washington Update,” Panelist, The Arc of the US National Convention, New Orleans, LA, October 1, 2014.

“Medicaid Managed LTSS for People with I/DD,” National Council of Executives of The Arc, Chicago, IL, July 23, 2014.

“Mental Health, Intellectual Disability, and Services Across the Lifespan: A Call to Action for Systems Improvement,” Panelist, AAIDD, Orlando, FL, June 25, 2014.

“Community Capacity to Provide Behavioral/Mental Health Services to Adults with IDD in Illinois,” The Arc of Illinois Annual Conference, Lisle, IL, April, 23, 2014.

“*Olmstead*,” Guest Lecture, LEND, Department of Disability and Human Development,

University of Illinois at Chicago, February 27, 2014.

“The Policy Cycle in Five Acts: A Case Study of the Combating Autism Reauthorization Act of 2011,” Guest Lecture, LEND, Department of Disability and Human Development, University of Illinois at Chicago, December 5, 2013.

“Neuroscience + Learning Psychology + Education Technology = Education 3.0.” Invited panelist, Association of University Centers on Disabilities, Training Symposium, November 18, 2013, Washington, D.C.

“Trainee Networking Session,” Invited Panelist, Association of University Centers on Disabilities, Training Symposium, November 17, 2013, Washington, D.C.

“The Politics of Disability Policy,” Guest Lecture, DHD 501, Chicago, IL, October 30, 2013.

“Community Supports for Persons with Disabilities in the US,” Guest Lecture, LEND, Chicago, IL, October 31, 2013.

“Long Term Services and Supports for People with IDD in Virginia,” Guest Lecture, doctoral seminar on disability policy, Virginia Commonwealth University, October 9, 2013.

“The Role of UCEDD Research in Illinois’ Rebalancing Initiative,” Guest Speaker, Advocates United, Homewood, IL, September 10, 2013.

“Using State of the States in Developmental Disabilities Data in Advocacy and Planning.” Guest Speaker, Arizona DD Council, Phoenix, AZ, August 2, 2013.

“Services and Supports for People with Intellectual and/or Developmental Disabilities in Illinois: An Introduction.” Invited speaker, Illinois Health Care Association, Chicago, IL, June 12, 2013.

“Projects of National Significance and the U.S. Territories: What Does It Mean?” Workshop, Pacific Rim International Conference on Disability & Diversity, Honolulu, HI, April 29, 2013.

“Making Data Work for You: Using Data in your Advocacy Efforts,” Presenter, The Arc of Illinois Annual Conference, Lisle, IL, April 24, 2013.

“Deinstitutionalization: The Role of UCEDD Research in the Rebalancing Initiative,” Invited Speaker, Japanese delegation, Chicago, IL, April 22, 2013.

“Making Data Work for You: Using State of the States in Developmental Disabilities Data in Advocacy and Federal Reporting.” Keynote Address, National Association of Developmental Disabilities Council Executive Director’s Retreat, Rosemont IL, November 28, 2012.

“Advocacy Matters! Achieving the Combating Autism Reauthorization Act,” Presenter, Arc of Illinois and The Autism Program Annual Convention, Lisle, IL, April 2012.

“Medicaid 101,” Guest Lecture, IL LEND, Department of Disability and Human Development, University of Illinois at Chicago, February 2012.

“Celebrating Ten Years of Leadership in Disability Policy,” Panelist, Association of University

Centers on Disabilities' Annual Conference, Washington, DC, November 2011.

"Policy Behind the Scenes: A Case Study of the Combating Autism Reauthorization Act,"  
Guest Lecture, IL LEND, Department of Disability and Human Development, University of  
Illinois at Chicago, November 2011.

"Deinstitutionalization in Illinois," Guest Lecture, Department of Disability and Human  
Development, University of Illinois at Chicago, January 2010.

"Medicaid & Developmental Disabilities," Guest Lecture, LEND, Department of Disability and  
Human Development, University of Illinois at Chicago, April 2009.

"Medicaid in Illinois," Invited Speaker at Keshet Day School, March 2009.

"Obama/Biden Disability Policy Agenda," Guest Lecture via video conference, MSc  
Programme in Rehabilitation and Disability Studies, University of Dublin, January 2009.

"Healthcare Policy in the United States," Guest Lecture, Department of Disability and Human  
Development, University of Illinois at Chicago, November 2008.

"The Impact of Medicaid Drug Policies on People with Intellectual and Developmental  
Disabilities," Poster presentation, Association of University Centers on Disability,  
Washington, D.C., November 2008.

"Strengthening Our Supports: Building Opportunities for Education, Growth, and  
Development," Panelist, The Arc of Illinois Annual Convention, Lisle, IL April 2006.

"Direct Support Professional Workforce Initiative," Panelist, AAMR of Illinois Annual  
Convention, Naperville, IL, March 2006.

"The Role of Stimulant Dependent Component Duration on Within-Session Responding,"  
Poster, Association for Behavioral Analysis, Georgia, May 1994

"The Role of Stimulant Dependent Component Duration on Within-Session Responding,"  
Poster, Student Research Conference, Illinois Wesleyan University in Bloomington, IL, April  
1994.

## **LEADERSHIP AND COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Member, Research Special Interest Group, American Association on Intellectual and  
Developmental Disabilities (June 2015 – present).

Co-chair, Scholarship Committee, Student and Early Career Professionals Special Interest  
Group, American Association on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities, November  
2015 – June 2017).

Member, Planning Committee, National Goals in Research, Practice and Policy Conference,  
April 2015 – December 2015.

Member, Technical Expert Panel, Adaption of the CARE Tool: A Component of the  
Demonstration Grant for Testing Experience and Functional Assessment Tools (TEFT) in

Community-Based Long Term Services and Support (CB-LTSS), RTI International, August, 2014 – July 2015.

Member, Disability and Aging Collaborative, July 2014 – July 2015.

Member, Medicaid Coalition, Families USA. July 2014 – July 2015.

Member, Long Term Services and Supports, Rights, International, Employment and Training Task Forces, Consortium for Citizens with Disabilities, July 2014 – July 2015.

Member, NADD US Public Policy Committee, June 2013 – July 2015.

Chair, Combating Autism Act Workgroup, Legislative Affairs Committee, Association of University Centers on Disabilities, July 2013 – June 2014.

Member, Legislative Affairs Committee, Association of University Centers on Disabilities, January 2010 – June 2014.

Secretary, Board of Directors, The Arc of Illinois, July 2013-June 2014.

Chair, Managed Care Task Force, The Arc of Illinois, November 2012 – June 2014.  
Board Member, The Arc of Illinois, July 2012 - June 2014.

Member, Public Policy Committee, The Arc of Illinois, December 2011 - June 2014

Member, Human and Social Services Committee, Legislative Advisory Council to Rep. Chris Nybo (R, IL, 41<sup>st</sup>), 2012.

Member, Allies in Self-Advocacy Summit Planning Committee, January 2011 - April 2012

Member, Howe Closure Advisory Committee, October 2009 – September 2010.

Member, Illinois DSP Comprehensive Workforce Initiative, 2004 – 2006.

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