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## **EDUCATION**

Utah State Universit	Ph.D. Special Education, Disability Disciplines 2017 Dissertation: Parent Perspectives on Preparing Students with Intellectual Disabilities for Participation in Inclusive Postsecondary Education Programs
University of Utah	Master of Social Work 2002 Summa Cum Laude
Utah State Universit	y Bachelor of Science, Sociology/Social Work Minor 1999 Summa Cum Laude
EMPLOYMENT	
2017 – Present	Associate Director of Research and Training Division, Center for Persons with Disabilities, Utah State University, Logan UT
2002 – 2017	Program Director, Center for Persons with Disabilities, Utah State University, Logan, UT
2011 – Present	Adjunct Instructor, Department of Sociology, Social Work, and Anthropology, Utah State University, Logan, UT
2007 – Present	Adjunct Instructor, Department of Psychology- School Counseling Program, Utah State University, Logan, UT
2003 – Present	Adjunct Instructor, Department of Special Education and Rehabilitation Counseling, Utah State University, Logan, UT
2001 – 2002	Second Year MSW Macro Practicum: Center for Persons with Disabilities, Utah State University, Logan, UT (Paid)
Summer 2001	Optional MSW Administrative Practicum: Utah Department of Workforce Services, Salt Lake City, UT (Paid)

**2000 – 2001** First Year MSW Clinical Practicum: Utah Department of Workforce

Services, Taylorsville, UT (Paid)

## **ACADEMIC INSTRUCTION & STUDENT MENTORING**

MSW Courses		
SW 6000	Principles and Philosophy of Social Work – <i>In-person</i> (Fall 2018)	
SW 6650	Advanced Research Methods – In-person (Fall 2013)	
<b>BSW Courses</b>		
SW 1010	Introduction to Social Welfare – <i>In-person</i> (Fall 2011)	
SW 4100	Social Work Research – Online (Fall 2019)	
SW 4150	Practice II – Groups - <i>Hybrid</i> (Scheduled for Spring 2020)	
Special Education / Rehabilitation Courses		
SPED 5520	Curricula for Students with Significant Disabilities II - <i>Hybrid</i> [Co-Instructor] (Spring 2017, 2018)	
SPED 5790	Transition to Adulthood for Secondary-Level Students with Mild/Moderate Disabilities – <i>In-person</i> (Summer 2017, 2018)	
SPED 6500	Interdisciplinary and Disability Service Learning – <i>In-person</i> (Fall 2003 – 2008)	
SPED 6530	Transition to Postsecondary Education - <i>Distance</i> [Co-Instructor] (Spring 2015)	
SPED 7820	Social and Legal Context of Disability – <i>In-person</i> [Co-Instructor] (Fall 2014)	
REH 6100	Introduction to the Rehabilitation Profession – <i>Distance &amp; Online</i> (Fall 2016, 2018)	
REH 6130	Skill Development in Rehabilitation Counseling [Graduate Teaching Assistant] (Summer 2015)	
<b>Psychology Courses</b>		
PSY 6810	Grant Writing - Online (Summer 2007 – 2017)	
PSY 6530	Developmental Psychology – <i>Distance</i> [Graduate Teaching Assistant]	

(Fall 2011)

## **Graduate Student Committees**

### **Masters Students**

Graduated – 2019 Telia West, MS Special Education: Creative Project "A Survey of College

Students with Learning Disabilities and Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder to Identify Their Relationship and Use of College Disability

Resource Centers"

**Doctoral Students** 

Current Kayla Currier-Kipping, Special Education: Disability Disciplines-

Rehabilitation Counseling

Current Brenda Smith, Special Education: Disability Disciplines- Disability Studies

## **MSW Macro-Practice Practicum Students**

Current Hadis Duley

2018 – 2019 Teresa Larsen, CSW

2017 – 2018 Evelyn Hernandez, MSW

## **EXTERNAL FUNDING**

## **Current Grant Funded Projects**

Research Team Member A Socio-Ecologic Framework Supporting Individuals with

**Disabilities' Community Living and Participation** 

Contributing Author

Funding Agency National Institute on Disability, Independent Living and

Rehabilitation Research (NIDILRR)

Funding Level \$2,500,000

Duration October 1, 2019 – September 30, 2024

Co-Principal Investigator Transition Programs for Students with Intellectual Disability

(TPSID) Model Demonstration Grant- Utah Postsecondary

**Education Programs (Aggies Elevated)** 

**Contributing Author** 

Funding Agency U.S. Department of Education- Office of Postsecondary Education

Funding Level \$1,030,000

Duration October 1, 2015 – September 30, 2020

Project Coordinator Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities- National Training

Center

**Contributing Author** 

Funding Agency Administration on Community Living

Funding Level \$906,000

Duration September 1, 2018 – August 31, 2021

Project Coordinator Center for Persons with Disabilities (CPD) Core Grant

**Contributing Author** 

Funding Agency Administration on Developmental Disabilities, U.S. Department of

Health and Human Services - CPD Core Grant

Funding Level \$2,500,000

Duration October 1, 2017 – September 30, 2022

(Current competitively awarded external funds= \$6,936,000)

## **Previously Funded Grant Projects**

Principal Investigator: Think College Strategic Planning Grant

Primary Author

Funding Agency Institute for Community Inclusion, UMASS Boston

Funding Level \$15,000

Duration January 1, 2011 - September 30, 2011

Principal Investigator: Interagency Outreach and Training Initiative - Healthy Lifestyles

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**Primary Author** 

Funding Agency State of Utah/Utah State University

Funding Level \$36,000

Duration July 1, 2010 - June 30, 2011

Principal Investigator: Interagency Outreach and Training Initiative - Healthy Lifestyles

Project

Primary Author

Funding Agency State of Utah/Utah State University

Funding Level \$35,000

Duration July 1, 2009 - June 30, 2010

Co-Principal Investigator: Subcontract with Utah SSDI '1 for 2' Benefit Offset Pilot

Demonstration

**Contributing Author** 

Funding Agency Utah Department of Health

Funding Level \$191,304

Duration April 10, 2005 - March 31, 2008

Principal Investigator: Interagency Outreach and Training Initiative - Emergency

**Preparedness for All Utahns** 

**Primary Author** 

Funding Agency

Utah Interagency Outreach and Training Initiative Council

Funding Level

\$40,000

Duration

July 1, 2007 - June 30, 2008

Principal Investigator: Disaster Preparation and Disaster Management Resource Guide

**Primary Author** 

Funding Agency Independent Living Research Utilization/Texas Institute for

Rehabilitation and Research/Baylor University

Funding Level

\$50,000

Duration May 15, 2006 - September 30, 2006

Principal Investigator: Providing On-Line Courses for Independent Living Center Staff

Contributing Author

Funding Agency Independent Living Research Utilization/Texas Institute for

Rehabilitation and Research/Baylor University

Funding Level

\$352,080

Duration

October 1, 2003 - September 30, 2007

Principal Investigator: IL Staff Orientation Module Development

**Contributing Author** 

Funding Agency Independent Living Research Utilization/Texas Institute for

Rehabilitation and Research/Baylor University

Funding Level

\$50,274

Duration

September 1, 2003 - September 30, 2004

Principal Investigator: Developing On-Line Courses for Independent Living Center Staff

Contributing Author

Funding Agency Independent Living Research Utilization/Texas Institute for

Rehabilitation and Research/Baylor University

Funding Level \$43,252

Duration September 1, 2003 - June 30, 2004

Principal Investigator: National Survey of Salaries and Work Experience of IL Directors

Primary Author

Funding Agency Independent Living Research Utilization/Texas Institute for

Rehabilitation and Research/Baylor University

Funding Level \$7,000

Duration July 1, 2002 - March 30, 2003

Principal Investigator: National Survey of Training Needs in State Independent Living

**Councils and Centers for Independent Living** 

Primary Author

Funding Agency Independent Living Research Utilization/Texas Institute for

Rehabilitation and Research/Baylor University

Funding Level \$4,000

Duration January 1, 2002 - April 30, 2002

Project Director: Traumatic Brain Injury - Statewide Planning Grant

**Contributing Author** 

Funding Agency Utah Department of Health, Maternal and Child Health Bureau,

HRSA, DHHS

Funding Level \$34,000

Duration April 1, 2001 - March 31, 2003

Project Director: Utah Work Incentive Initiative Network: Training and Outreach

Contract/Evaluation

**Contributing Author** 

Funding Agency Utah Department of Health, CMS

Funding Level \$430,093

Duration July 1, 2001 - December 31, 2004

Project Coordinator: Utah Disability Health Program

**Contributing Author** 

Funding Agency Utah Department of Health-Bureau of Health Promotions

Funding Level \$19,564

Duration July 1, 2016 – June 30, 2017

Project Coordinator: New Community Opportunities National Training and

Youth Blog/WebinarsTechnical Assistance Project

**Contributing Author** 

Funding Agency ILRU at TIRR, Baylor University

Funding Level \$457,000

Duration October 1, 2011 - September 30, 2015

Project Coordinator: Master of Transition Specialist Program

No Authorship

Funding Agency U.S. Department of Education

Funding Level \$299,998

Duration January 1, 2014 – December 31, 2014

Project Coordinator: CIL NET: A National Training and Technical Assistance Program

for Centers of Independent Living

**Contributing Author** 

Funding Agency ILRU at Memorial Hermann/TIRR

Funding Level \$262,492

Duration October 1, 2012 - September 30, 2014

Project Coordinator: Interagency Outreach and Training Initiative – Utah Supported

**Education Training** 

**Contributing Author** 

Funding Agency Utah Interagency Outreach and Training Initiative Council

Funding Level \$32,737

Duration July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013

Project Coordinator: Coordinated Family Support Program - Medical Home for

**Children with Special Health Care Needs** 

**Contributing Author** 

Funding Agency Administration on Developmental Disabilities, U.S. Department of

Health and Human Services

Funding Level \$270,000

Duration July 1, 2002 - June 30, 2005

Project Coordinator: Becoming Leaders for Tomorrow: Youth Information, Training

and Resource Center
Contributing Author

Funding Agency Administration on Developmental Disabilities, U.S. Department of

Health and Human Services

Funding Level \$300,000

Duration October 1, 2007 - September 29, 2010

Project Evaluator: Interagency Outreach and Training Initiative - Latino Emergency

Preparedness

**Primary Author** 

Funding Agency

State of Utah/Utah State University

Funding Level

\$34,000

Duration

January 1, 2009 - June 30, 2010

Project Evaluator: Utah Traumatic Brain Injury Statewide Implementation

**Contributing Author** 

Funding Agency Utah Division of People with Disabilities/Maternal and Child

Health Bureau, HRSA, DHHS

Funding Level \$316,920

Duration February 1, 2004 - August 31, 2006

Project Evaluator: Beyond Access

No Authorship

Funding Agency Administration on Developmental Disabilities, ACYF

\$402,000

Funding Level Duration

October 1, 2001 - September 30, 2004

Project Evaluator: Bottom-Up Modeling of Mass Pedestrian Flows: Implications for

the Effective Egress of Individuals with Disabilities

No Authorship

Funding Agency

U.S. Department of Education/NIDRR

**Funding Level** 

\$450,000

Duration

November 1, 2003 - October 31, 2006

Project Evaluator: Evaluation of Utah Assistive Technology Foundation and

**Telework** 

No Authorship

Funding Agency

Weber State University/University of Utah Health Science Center

Funding Level

\$6,000

Duration

September 1, 2001 - August 31, 2002

Project Consultant: Interagency Outreach and Training Initiative - Faith Based

**Initiative** 

**Contributing Author** 

Funding Agency

State of Utah/Utah State University

Funding Level

\$40,000

Duration

July 1, 2009 - June 30, 2010

(Previous competitively awarded external funds= \*\$3,021,166)

## **Recently Submitted Grants**

January 2019 Status: Favorably reviewed- **Unfunded**, Funder: Spencer Foundation,

Amount: \$50,000 Contributing Author

August 2019 Status: **Pending**, Funder: Administration on Community Living- Supported

Decision Making Across the Lifespan Planning Grant, Amount: \$75,000

**Contributing Author** 

July 2018 Status: **Unfunded**, Funder: Administration on Community Living-Living

Well-Model Approaches for Enhancing the Quality, Effectiveness and Monitoring of Home and Community Based Services for Individuals with

Developmental Disabilities, Amount: \$2,139,914 Primary Author

<sup>\*</sup>projects with no authorship credit not included in total

## **Externally Contracted Professional Consulting**

**Training Curriculum Development:** Consumer Service Record Training Modules. Independent Living Research Utilization, Houston, TX. April, 2011 - August, 2012.

**External Evaluator:** West Feliciana Family Service Center, Even Start Program. St. Francisville, LA. 2003 - 2011.

**Narrator:** "Keep People Home. Keep People Working" (DVD). Utah Developmental Disabilities Council, SLC, UT. November, 2010.

**Focus Group Facilitator:** Centers for Independent Living Executive Director Focus Group. Independent Living Research Utilization, Houston, TX. January, 2009 - November, 2009.

**Focus Group Facilitator:** Training Needs of Dentists Treating Children with Autism Spectrum Disorders and/or Developmental Disabilities. Utah Department of Health, Salt Lake City, UT. February, 2009.

**Research Assistant:** The Impact of Hurricanes Katrina and Rita on Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities. Research study by the Center on Disability and Development at Texas A&M; ILRU, Houston, TX; and the Center for Persons with Disabilities at Utah State University. 2007 - 2009.

**Professional Course Instructor:** Emergency Preparedness for Centers for Independent Living – 3-week Online Course for professionals in the Independent Living field. Summer 2008

**Group Facilitator:** Utah Integrated Services Project, Young Adult Advisory Committee. 2005 - 2007.

Grant Reviewer: Able to Play project funded by W.K. Kellogg Foundation. 2003.

## **SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES\***

\* I have a demonstrated record of scholarly productivity commensurate with my grant funded, community-based position at the Center for Persons with Disabilities. Further, in anticipation of applying for this position, I have pursued opportunities to engage in more traditional forms of scholarly activity (e.g. preparing and submitting manuscripts to peer reviewed journals and developing and submitting additional research proposals to the IRB). These efforts fall outside of the required responsibilities I have maintained in my current position.

## Peer Reviewed Publications and Dissertation

Aller, T., Russo, R., Sheen, J. & Wappett, M. (September, 2019). Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities National Training Center: Using Acceptance Commitment Training (ACTraining) in UCEDD leadership development. *NADD Bulletin*.

- Sheen, J. (2017). Parent Perspectives on Preparing Students with Intellectual Disabilities for Inclusive Postsecondary Education. *Doctoral dissertation, Utah State University*.
- Holt, J. M., Chambless, C. E., \*Sheen, J.C., & Hammond, M. (2006). Employment personal assistance services (EPAS): A Medicaid work support. *Journal of Vocational Rehabilitation*, 24(3), 165-175. \*Name included on original submission, but erroneously removed at resubmission for publication.

#### **Under Review**

Smith, B., Sheen, J., & Christensen, K. (August, 2019). Activism Among College Students with Disabilities and the Move Beyond Compliance to Full Inclusion. *Review of Disability Studies*.

## **Manuscripts in Preparation**

- Sheen, J. (Anticipated Submission October, 2019). Parent Perspectives on Preparing Students with Intellectual Disabilities for Inclusive Postsecondary Education (Anticipated Journal: *Journal of Inclusive Postsecondary Education*).
- Currier-Kipping, K., Sheen J., & Christensen K. (Anticipated Submission October, 2019). The Individuals with Disabilities Education Act and secondary transition: Implementing evidence-based practices. (Anticipated Journal: *Journal of Inclusive Postsecondary Education*).

## **Current Research Proposals**

#### Submitted to IRB

Title: Development of a Web-based Acceptance and Commitment Therapy Intervention for Parents of Children with Developmental Disabilities.

Collaborators: Elizabeth Fauth- HDFS, Jeff Sheen- CPD, Ty Aller- CPD, Michael Levin- Psychology

Title: Parent Perspectives on Student Development in Inclusive Post-Secondary Education. Collaborators: Jeff Sheen- CPD, Michelle Lizotte- SPER, Teresa Larsen- CPD

### In Preparation

Title: Residential Supports and Barriers for Postsecondary Students with Intellectual Disabilities Collaborators: Jeff Sheen- CPD, Michelle Lizotte- SPER

Title: Professional Perspectives on Preparation of Students with Intellectual Disabilities for Inclusive Post-Secondary Education.

Collaborators: Jeff Sheen- CPD, Michelle Lizotte- SPER, Teresa Larsen- CPD

## **Podcast Host and Co-Producer**

Mental Health Crossroads Podcast: Exploring the intersections of mental health and developmental disabilities. (Launched August, 2019). <a href="https://feed.podbean.com/mhddcenter/feed.xml">https://feed.podbean.com/mhddcenter/feed.xml</a>

## Invited Professional Articles (non-peer reviewed)

- Parent-Johnson, W., Parent-Johnson, R., Sheen, J., Bier, D., MacLean, W., Root-Elledge, S., Olsen, K., & Moras, R. (January, 2014). Statewide strategic planning: Promoting postsecondary education options for individuals with intellectual disabilities. *Insight: A Think College Brief on Policy, Research, & Practice. Issue 23*, 1-6. <a href="https://thinkcollege.net/sites/default/files/files/resources/statewide\_strategic\_planning23">https://thinkcollege.net/sites/default/files/files/resources/statewide\_strategic\_planning23</a>
  <a href="https://thinkcollege.net/sites/default/files/files/resources/statewide\_strategic\_planning23">https://thinkcollege.net/sites/default/files/files/resources/statewide\_strategic\_planning23</a>
- Sheen, J., Morgan, R. L., & Kupferman, S. (March, 2013). The Utah Postsecondary Inclusion Project Strategic Plan. *The Essential Educator*. <a href="http://essentialeducator.org/?p=14280">http://essentialeducator.org/?p=14280</a>
- Morgan, R. L., Kupferman, S., & Sheen, J. (September, 2012). Frequently asked questions about postsecondary education options for young adults with significant disabilities. *The Essential Educator*. <a href="http://essentialeducator.org/?p=13696">http://essentialeducator.org/?p=13696</a>
- Phillips, C., Robertson, A., Sheen, J., Hossain, S., Satterfield, R., & Holt, J. (November, 2010). Communication between Health Care Providers and At-Risk Mothers: Perceptions and Practices. A publication of the Utah Department of Health, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Sheen, J. & Carpenter, J. (2005). *Improving Care Coordination Through Medical Summaries: Utah's CFS Project*. <u>Impact, 18</u> (1). Institute on Community Integration, University of Minnesota.
- Holt, J.M., Sheen, J., Peck, J., Carpenter, J., & Oppermann, L. (2004). *Pioneering Changes in Health Care for Children with Specials Health Care Needs: The Medical Home Project in Cache Valley*. <u>CPD News</u>, <u>27</u> (3&4).

# **Educational Products / Training Curricula** (total= 22)

- Sheen, J. (December, 2015). The Role of Centers for Independent Living in Supporting Youth and Emerging Adults with Mental Health Needs: An Introductory Guide. Rehabilitation Services Administration sub-contract through Independent Living Research Utilization, Houston, TX.
- Golden, T., Sheen, J., Hammond, M., Holt, J., & Notwell, A. (August, 2014). *The Utah Attainment Curriculum for Juvenile Trial Competence Curriculum*. Salt Lake City, UT: Utah Department of Human Services, Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health.

- Holt, J., Hammond, M., & Sheen, J. (March, 2012). *Initial Consumer Interview*. [Computer-based Learning Module]. Rehabilitation Services Administration sub-contract through Independent Living Research Utilization, Houston, TX.
- Holt, J., Hammond, M., & Sheen, J. (December, 2012). *Goal Setting.* [Computer-based Learning Module]. Rehabilitation Services Administration sub-contract through Independent Living Research Utilization, Houston, TX.
- Holt, J., Hammond, M., & Sheen, J. (December, 2011). *Consumer Service Records.* [Computer-based Learning Module]. Rehabilitation Services Administration sub-contract through Independent Living Research Utilization, Houston, TX.
- Stephens, K., Hammond, M., & Sheen, J. (February, 2011). *Inclusion Toolkit: A Guide to Including and Engaging People with Disabilities in Service and Conservation*. [Workbook and DVD]. A Publication of the Utah Conservation Corps, Center for Persons with Disabilities, Utah Commission on Volunteers and Mitsubishi Electric America Foundation, Logan, UT.
- Employment Partnership Subcommittee [including Sheen, J.] (January, 2011). *Utah's Transition Action Guide for Students with Disabilities and Team Members*. Utah Coordinating Council for People with Disabilities (CCPD), Salt Lake City, UT.
- Hammond, M., Pavithran, S., & Sheen, J. (November, 2010). *International Employment Preparation Curriculum*. LDS Humanitarian Services in collaboration with the Center for Persons with Disabilities, Logan, UT.
- Sheen, J. (June, 2010). Young Adults: Healthy Lifestyles (DVD). Utah Interagency Outreach and Training Initiative Healthy Lifestyles Project, Center for Persons with Disabilities, Logan, UT.
- Sheen, J., Holt, J., & Smith, N. (June, 2010). *Introduction to Traumatic Brain Injury* [Training Modules]. Utah Division of Juvenile Justice Services, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Hammond, M., Sheen, J., Holt, J., & Romeo, A. (April, 2009). *Youth Leadership Toolkit*. A Publication of Independent Living Research Utilization, Houston, TX. Developed in Collaboration with Utah State University, Center for Persons with Disabilities, Logan, UT.
- Holt, J. & Sheen, J. (2007). *Respecting the Young Adult Patient* (DVD). Center for Persons with Disabilities, Logan, UT.
- Holt, J.M., Chambless, C., Bender, D., Sheen, J.C., & Christensen, T. (2005). *Social Security, Medicaid and Work Supports for People with Disabilities in Utah* (DVD). Logan, UT.
- Holt, J.M. & Sheen, J. (2003). *E-PAS for Mental Health Consumers: Training Modules for Employers and Employees*. Valley Mental Health, Salt Lake City, UT.

- Holt, J.M., Sheen, J., & Buckley, M. (2003). A Training Curriculum for E-PAS Participants at Valley Mental Health. Utah Department of Health, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Holt, J.M., Warren, C., & Sheen, J. (2003). *Resource DVD for Benefit Planners*. Utah Department of Health, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Holt, J.M. & Sheen, J. (2002). *Gene's Journey: An introduction to SSA and Medicaid Work Incentives in Utah (four versions)*. Utah Department of Health, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Sheen, J. & Salerno, W. (2002). *Utah Voter Accessibility Checklist*. Utah State Office of Elections, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Holt, J.M. & Sheen, J. (2002). *Utah Work Incentives Initiative: What's Happening Now State Agency Training Module*. Utah Department of Health, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Holt, J.M. & Sheen, J. (2002). *Utah Work Incentives Initiative: What's Happening Now Independent Living Center and Private Provider Training Module.* Utah Department of Health, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Holt, J.M. & Sheen, J. (2002). *Utah Work Incentives Initiative: What's Happening Now, State Agency Training Module*. Utah Department of Health, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Holt, J.M. & Sheen, J. (2002). *Utah Work Incentives Initiative: What's Happening Now Independent Living Center and Private Provider Training Module.* Utah Department of Health, Salt Lake City, UT.

# **Selected Project Evaluation and Research Reports** (total= 10)

- Sheen, J. & Larsen, T. (May, 2019). *State Plan for Independent Living: Statewide Needs Assessment*. Utah Statewide Independent Living Council, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Holt, J.M. & Sheen, J. (July, 2010). *Family Service Center's Programs* (Annual Evaluation Reports). West Feliciana Parish School Board, St. Francisville, LA. (Note: A report was submitted each year beginning 2002-2010).
- Julnes, G., McCormick, S., Sheen, J., & Nolan, R. (May, 2006). Experiences and Outcomes of the Utah Medicaid Work Incentive Program: Summary of Findings of the Telephone Survey and In-Person Interviews with UMWI Participants Conducted Between December 2004 and February 2005. Utah Department of Health Workability Project, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Sheen, J., Barkdull, C., & Holt, J. (March, 2005). *Employment Personal Assistance Services* (EPAS): Evaluation Report. Utah Department of Health Workability Project, Salt Lake City, UT.

- Liese, H. & Sheen, J. (October, 2003). *Employment Personal Assistance Services (EPAS): Focus Group Report on Program Awareness and Needs*. Utah Department of Health Workability Project, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Julnes, G., Liese, H., MacLeod, L., McCormick, S., Sheen, J., & Nolan, R. (April, 2003). Self-reported Experiences of Individuals with Disabilities Involved in the Utah Medicaid Work Incentive Program. Utah Department of Health Workability Project, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Holt, J.M., Sheen, J., & Chambless, C. (2003). *Work Incentives and the Transition to Work in Rural Areas.* [In Conference Proceedings] American Council on Rural Special Education National Conference, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Holt, J.M., Blair, M., & Sheen, J. (2003). *Salaries and Work Experience of Centers for Independent Living Directors: National Survey Results.* [Final Report] Independent Living Research Utilization, Houston, TX.
- Holt, J., Harward, R., & Sheen, J. (2002). *Utah Traumatic Brain Injury State Grant Program: Statewide Needs and Resource Assessment.* [Final Report] Utah Department of Health, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Holt, J.M., Sheen, J., & Peck, J. (2002). *National Survey of Training Needs of State Independent Living Councils and Centers for Independent Living*. Independent Living Research Utilization, Houston, TX.

# **National Conference / Professional Meeting Presentations** (total= 37)

- Sheen, J., Aller, T., & Larsen, T. (Scheduled October, 2019). *Developmental disabilities 101*. American Academy of Developmental Medicine and Dentistry (AADMD), Virtual Grand Rounds.
- Hart, D., Sheen, J., Weir, C., & Izzo, M. (November, 2018). *Preparing for Employment through Higher Education: Innovative Practices for Students with Intellectual Disability*. Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Caldwell, J., & Sheen, J. (July, 2017). *Collaborative Leadership to Advance Disability Policy*.

  National Association of Councils on Developmental Disabilities Annual Conference, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Morgan, R., & Sheen, J. (November, 2015). Field-based Learning Experiences of Transition Teachers Working with Students with Disabilities in Postsecondary Education. Council for

- Exceptional Children- Division on Career Development and Transition Annual Conference, Portland, OR.
- Parent-Johnson, W., Parent-Johnson, R., Olson, K., Circo, D., Romero, T., Sheen, J., Bier, D., MacLean, W., Root-Elledge, S., & Moras, R. (November, 2011). *Inclusive Postsecondary Education: Multi-State Responses to Capacity Building through Collaboration and Strategic Planning*. Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Stough, L., Ducy, E., Sharp, A., Holt, J., & Sheen, J. (November, 2011). The Impact of Disaster on Individuals with Disabilities and Collaborative Approaches to Inclusive Emergency Preparedness. Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Fifield, B. & Sheen, J. (November, 2009). *Development is More Than Raising Money: Strategies for Building a Community of UCEDD Supporters*. Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Stough, L., Petty, R., Holt, J., Sheen, J., Sharp, A., & Resch, A. (November, 2009). *Disasters and Emergencies and Children and Adults with Disabilities/Special Health Care Needs: Research and Implications for Practice.* Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Clark, L., Pett, M., Chambless, C., Sheen, J., Rothwell, E., & Johnson, S. (August, 2009). *Obesity Reduction and Healthy Lifestyle Awareness for Young Adults with Intellectual Disabilities*. Health in Transition: Researching for the Future, 4<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Community Health Nursing Research, Adelaide, South Australia.
- Clark, L., Pett, M., Chambless, C., Sheen, J., Rothwell, E., & Johnson, S. (March, 2009). *Obesity Reduction and Healthy Lifestyle Awareness for Young Adults with Intellectual Disabilities*. University of Utah Disability Studies Forum, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Romeo, A., Sheen, J., & Solomon, K. (March, 2009). *Establishing Partnerships to Develop Sustainability*. Youth Information, Training & Resource Centers 2009 Administration on Developmental Disabilities Technical Assistance Institute, Washington D.C.
- Sheen, J. & Petty, R. (April, 2009). *Emergency Recovery Part I: Assisting Individuals After a Disaster. A Two-Part National Teleconference and Webcast.* Sponsored by Independent Living Research Utilization and the National Council on Independent Living.
- Sheen, J. & Petty, R. (April, 2009). *Emergency Recovery Part II: Assisting Individuals After a Disaster. A Two-Part National Teleconference and Webcast*. Sponsored by Independent Living Research Utilization and the National Council on Independent Living.

- Sheen, J. & Petty, R. (June, 2008). Part I: Assisting Individuals to Prepare for an Emergency. A Two-Part National Teleconference and Webcast. Sponsored by Independent Living Research Utilization and the National Council on Independent Living.
- Sheen, J. & Petty, R. (June, 2008). Part II: Preparing Your Organization for an Emergency. A Two-Part National Teleconference and Webcast. Sponsored by Independent Living Research Utilization and the National Council on Independent Living.
- Sheen, J. (April, 2008). *The Disability Policy Framework. Olmstead and Community.* National Training Seminar Sponsored by Independent Living Research Utilization and the National Council on Independent Living, Seattle, WA.
- Sheen, J., Vazquez, J.C., Dodds, B., & Thomas, A. (November, 2007). *Young Adult Perspectives on Effective Health Care Transitions: Pediatrics, Young Adults, and Adult Care Working Together*. Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Sheen, J. & Collins, S. (March, 2007). *Traumatic Brain Injury*. 2007 Pacific Rim Conference on Disabilities, Honolulu, HI.
- Sheen, J. & Collins, S. (March, 2007). *Utah's Employment Related Personal Assistance Program:* Enhancing Quality of Life Through Work. 2007 Pacific Rim Conference on Disabilities, Honolulu, HI.
- Morrissey, P., Carlin, R., Cahill, T., Holt, J., Sheen, J., & Stough, L. (October, 2006). *Developing an Action Agenda to Improve Services to People with Disabilities Before, During, and After Emergencies: Lessons from the Gulf States.* [Skill Workshop] Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Training Symposium: Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Sheen, J. & Burgess, A. (October, 2006). *Utah's Caregiving Guide: Supporting Caregivers and Individuals in the Community.* 2006 Southwest Conference on Disability, Albuquerque, NM.
- Sheen, J. & Holt, J. (September, 2006). *Olmstead and Community Train the Trainers*. National Council on Independent Living, Boston, MA.
- Sheen, J. & Richins, G. (September, 2005). *Utah's Employment Related Personal Assistance Program: Enhancing Quality of Life Through Work*. 2005 Southwest Conference on Disability, Albuquerque, NM.
- Sheen, J. & Richins, G. (September, 2005). *Olmstead Implementation for Advocates: Getting and Keeping People with Disabilities in the Community*. 2005 Southwest Conference on Disability, Albuquerque, NM.
- Holt, J. & Sheen, J. (August, 2005). Using IL NET's Olmstead Curriculum to Advocate for Change

- in Your Community. Workshop conducted at the PACER and IL NET: National Conference, Oklahoma City, OK.
- Sheen, J. (March, 2005). *Olmstead Implementation for Advocates*. Pacific Rim Conference on Disabilities: Annual Conference, Honolulu, HI.
- Holt, J.M., Sheen, J., Olsen, S., & Peck, J. (November, 2004). *Using Participatory Action Research with Interdisciplinary Trainees to Improve Clinical and Community Services Diversity*. Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Training Symposium: Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Holt, J.M. & Sheen, J. (November, 2004). *Employment Personal Assistance Services (EPAS): An Innovative Program to Support Employment and Full Participation in the Community*. Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Holt, J. & Sheen, J. (2004). *Confidentiality, HIPAA, and Informed Consent*. Training for Transition Navigators. Independent Living Research Utilization, Houston, TX.
- Sheen, J., & Carpenter, J. (June, 2004). *Medical Home: Lessons Learned at the Budge Clinic*. Summer Institute in Maternal and Child Health: Rocky Mountain Public Health Education Consortium, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Cooley, W.C., McAllister, J.W., Kohrt, A., Sheen, J., & Carpenter, J. (2004). *The Medical Home Learning Collaborative: Building Medical Homes for Children with Special Health Care Needs*. National Initiative for Children's Healthcare Quality (NICHQ): Annual Forum, San Diego, CA.
- Holt, J.M. & Sheen, J. (November, 2003). *Participatory Action Research, Diversity, and the Utah Work Incentive Initiative*. Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Sheen, J. & Carpenter, J. (November, 2003). *Coordinated Family Supports: A Rural Medical Home Project*. Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Sheen, J., Carpenter, J., & Baugh, G. (2003). *Intermountain Healthcare Budge Clinic Pediatrics:*Pioneering Change in Healthcare for Children with Special Health Care Needs. National Initiative for Children's Healthcare Quality: Medical Home Learning Collaborative, Columbus, OH.
- Holt, J.M., Sheen, J., & Chambless, C. (2003). *Work Incentives and the Transition to Work in Rural Areas*. American Council on Rural Special Education National Conference, Salt Lake City, UT.

Holt, J.M. & Sheen, J. (2003). *Consumer Direction in Quality Management: Changing Employment Supports*. Administration on Developmental Disabilities Commissioner's Forum, Washington D.C.

## **National Poster Presentations**

(total=7)

- Eisenbaum, E., Sheen, J., & Singleton, P. (Scheduled October, 2019). *Looking Forward: Improving Practice for Individuals with Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities and Mental Illness.* Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) Annual Conference, Denver, CO.
- Hammond, M., Pavithran, S., & Sheen, J. (November, 2010). *International Employment Preparation Curriculum*. [Poster Session] Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Romeo, A., Sheen, J., Holt, J., & Hammond, M. (November, 2009). *Youth Leadership Toolkit*. [Poster Session] Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Hammond, M., Pavithran, S., & Sheen, J. (November, 2009). Faith Based Organizational Training About How to be More Welcoming and Accessible to People with Disabilities. [Poster Session] Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Rule, S., Done, K., & Sheen, J. (November, 2009). *Project PEER (Postsecondary Education, Employment, & Research: A Change in Postsecondary Options)*. [Poster Session] Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Sheen, J. (November, 2008). *Emergency Preparedness for All Utahns: Preparing Yourself, Your Family, or Your Agency.* [Poster Session] Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Holt, J., Burgess, A., & Sheen, J. (October, 2006). *Utah's Caregiving Toolkit: Forging New Partnerships and Supporting Caregivers and Individuals with Disabilities in the Community.* [Poster Session] Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Training Symposium: Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
- Holt, J., Burgess, A., & Sheen, J. (October, 2006). Utah's Caregiving Toolkit: Forging New Partnerships and Supporting Caregivers and Individuals with Disabilities in the Community [Poster Session]. Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) Training Symposium: Annual Conference, Washington D.C.

## State Presentations and Training Workshops

- (total= 38)
- Aller, T., Larsen, T., & Sheen, J., (Scheduled October, 2019). *Diagnosis in Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities*. CEU presentation with Utah NASW Chapter, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Sheen, J. & Reeves, S. (October, 2018). *Aggies Elevated: Neurodiversity meets opportunity at Utah State University.* Inclusive Excellence Symposium, Logan, UT.
- Sheen, J. (April, 2018). Youth Resource Panel: Aggies Elevated and other Postsecondary Education Opportunities for Students with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities in Utah. Utah Annual Independent Living Conference, St. George, UT.
- Morgan, R. & Sheen, J. (February, 2018). Why Consider College for Youth with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities. Utah Council for Exceptional Children, Murray, UT.
- Morgan, R. & Sheen, J. (January, 2018). Why Consider College for Youth with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities. Utah State Board of Education, Transition Institute, Provo, UT.
- Sheen, J. (June, 2017). Parent Perspectives on Preparing Students with Intellectual Disabilities for Inclusive Postsecondary Education. Utah Multi-Tiered System of Supports Annual Conference, Provo, UT.
- Sheen, J., & Smith, L. (June, 2017). Supporting Parents to Facilitate Transition to Adult Life. Utah Multi-Tiered System of Supports Transition Pre-Conference, Provo, UT.
- Sheen, J., & Smith, L. (June, 2016). Setting High Expectations for Postsecondary Education: The Family's Perspective. Utah Multi-Tiered System of Supports Annual Conference, Layton, UT.
- Bodily, S., & Sheen, J. (June, 2016). *Aggies Elevated Student Graduate Panel: How College Changed Our Lives.* Utah Multi-Tiered System of Supports Annual Conference, Layton, UT.
- Morgan, R., Sheen, J., Bodily, S., McLean, A., Lewis, S., Morrison, P., & Bowen, L. (June 2015). *Utah's Postsecondary Education Programs for Young Adults with Disabilities: A Spectrum of Options.* Utah Multi-Tiered System of Supports Annual Conference, Layton, UT.
- Morgan, R., Sheen, J., & Bodily, S. (June, 2015). "You Won't Believe What I Did!" Reflections on a College Experience of Students in the Utah State University Aggies Elevated Program. Utah Multi-Tiered System of Supports Annual Conference, Layton, UT.
- Sheen, J., Morgan, R., & Schultz, J. (June, 2014). *Inclusive Postsecondary Education for Students with Intellectual Disabilities*. Utah Multi-Tiered System of Supports Annual Conference, Layton, UT.

- Sheen, J., Hafen, M., Whitmer, D., Anaya, V., & Lefevor, M. (August, 2012). *Involving youth in Centers for Independent Living and the IL movement.* Association for Independent Living Centers of Utah, Provo, UT.
- Sheen, J. & Lancaster, N. (April, 2010). *An Apple A Day: Healthy Food Choices for Self-Advocates*. Family Links Southeast 2010: Utah's Annual Conference for Families of Children and Youth with Disabilities, Montezuma Creek, UT: Utah Parent Center.
- Sheen, J. & Lancaster, N. (April, 2010). Shake, Rattle, and Roll: Physical Activity as Part of a Healthy Lifestyle for Self-Advocates. Family Links Southeast 2010: Utah's Annual Conference for Families of Children and Youth with Disabilities, Montezuma Creek, UT: Utah Parent Center.
- Romeo, A., Sheen, J., Pitts, A., & Olson, J. (March, 2010). *Growing Independence for Young Adults*. Family Links 2010: Utah's Annual Conference for Families of Children and Youth with Disabilities, Salt Lake City, UT: Utah Parent Center.
- Sheen, J., Pavithran, S., & Lancaster, N. (March, 2010). *Including People with Disabilities in Worship: Training for Faith Based Leaders*. Family Links 2010: Utah's Annual Conference for Families of Children and Youth with Disabilities, Salt Lake City, UT: Utah Parent Center.
- Stephens, K., Hammond, M., & Sheen, J. (March, 2010). *Inclusion Toolkit: A Guide to Including and Engaging People with Disabilities in Service and Conservation*. University of Utah Disabilities Studies Forum, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Eldredge, A.E., Clark, L., & Yes We Can Research Team (Burley, J., Cardell, B., Chambless, C., Hiatt, B., Jewitt, J., Pett, M., Rothwell, E., Sheen, J., & Wilcox, B.) (March, 2010). *A Process Evaluation of a Healthy Lifestyle Intervention for Young Adults with Intellectual Disabilities (ID)*. University of Utah Disabilities Studies Forum, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Sheen, J. (May, 2009). *Disability Awareness and Communication Etiquette*. Utah Conservation Corps Annual Training, Logan, UT.
- Sheen, J., Lancaster, N., Pavithran, S., & Jones, M. (April, 2009). *Communicating and Interacting with People with Disabilities*. Utah Interagency Outreach and Training Initiative, Lehi, UT.
- Olson, J., Romeo, A., & Sheen, J. (March, 2009). *Youth Transition (Ages 13-17)*. Family Links 2009: Utah's Annual Conference for Families of Children and Youth with Disabilities, Salt Lake City, UT: Utah Parent Center.
- Olson, J., Romeo, A., & Sheen, J. (March, 2009). *Youth Transition (ages 18-30)*. Family Links 2009: Utah's Annual Conference for Families of Children and Youth with Disabilities, Salt Lake City, UT: Utah Parent Center.

- Sheen, J. & Lancaster, N. (April, 2008). *Emergency Preparedness for All Utahns: Preparing Yourself*. Utah People First Leadership Training, Park City, UT: Utah Developmental Disabilities Council.
- Sheen, J. & Lancaster, N. (March, 2008). *Emergency Preparedness for All Utahns: Preparing Your Family*. Family Links 2008: Utah's Annual Conference for Families of Children and Youth with Disabilities, Salt Lake City, UT: Utah Parent Center.
- Sheen, J. & Lancaster, N. (March, 2008). *Emergency Preparedness for All Utahns: Preparing Your Agency*. Utah Division of Services for People with Disabilities, Central Region Support Coordinator Training, Richfield, UT: Utah Department of Health and Human Services.
- Sheen, J. (June, 2007). *Ecomaps and Family Centered Care: Appreciating the Big Picture*. Utah Integrated Service Project Learning Session IV, Lehi, UT: Utah Department of Health.
- Christensen, K. & Sheen, J. (April, 2007). *Planning for Independence and Equality; Opportunities for Individuals with Disabilities to be Individuals*. Equality of Life; Realizing Social Justice and Human Dignity Through Design, 2007 Sustainable Landscapes Conference, Logan, UT.
- Sheen, J. (August, 2006). *Emergency Preparedness: Partnering with the Disability Community.* 'Got Preparedness?' The Public Officials Conference, Park City, UT: The Utah Division of Homeland Security.
- Holt, J. & Sheen, J. (August, 2005). *Effectively Communicating and Planning with People with Disabilities*. Countering Bioterrorism 2005: Breaking New Ground, Park City, UT: Utah Department of Health.
- Sheen, J. & Christensen, T. (May, 2005). *The Creation of DWS Core and Enhanced Training.* The Employment Puzzle: Bringing the Pieces Together with the DWS One-Stop Employment System, Salt Lake City, UT: Department of Workforce Services.
- Sheen, J. (2005). *Regional Advocacy Council: Self-Advocacy Training*. Vernal, UT: Active Re-entry Independent Living Center.
- Norlin, C., Sheen, J., & Blackham, P. (August, 2004). *Medical Home: A Team Approach, Commonly Used Resources.* Logan, UT: Utah Maternal and Child Health Bureau.
- Sheen, J. (October, 2004). *Emerging National Issues on Emergency Preparedness for People with Disabilities*. Utah Emergency Preparedness Conference, Park City, UT: Utah Department of Health.
- Holt, J.M., Harward, R., & Sheen, J. (2002). *Utah Traumatic Brain Injury State Grant Program: Statewide Needs and Resource Assessment*. Salt Lake City, UT: Utah TBI Advisory Board, Utah Department of Health.

- Holt, J.M. & Sheen, J. (2002). *Utah Work Incentives Initiative What's Happening; What's Coming*. Salt Lake City, UT: Utah State Office of Rehabilitation.
- Sheen, J. & Salerno, W. (July, 2002). *How to Utilize the Utah Voter Accessibility Checklist*. Salt Lake City, UT: Utah State Office of Elections.
- Sheen, J. (2002). *Utah Work Incentive Initiative: Pilot Training Evaluation Result*. Salt Lake City, UT: Utah Work Incentive Grant Oversight Executive Group Meeting, Utah Department of Health.

#### State Poster Sessions

(total=4)

- Clark, L., Pett, M., Chambless, C., Sheen, J., Rothwell, E., & Johnson, S. (March, 2009). *Obesity Reduction and Healthy Lifestyle Awareness for Young Adults with Intellectual Disabilities*.

  [Poster Session] University of Utah Disability Studies Forum, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Romeo, A. & Sheen, J. (March, 2009). *The Becoming Leaders for Tomorrow Project.* [Poster Session] University of Utah Disability Studies Forum, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Sheen, J. (March, 2009). *Emergency Preparedness for All Utahns: Preparing Yourself, Your Family, or Your Agency*. [Poster Session] University of Utah Disability Studies Forum, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Romeo, A. & Sheen, J. (March, 2009). *Young Adult Advice for Parents*. [Poster Session] Family Links 2009: Utah's Annual Conference for Families of Children and Youth with Disabilities, Salt Lake City, UT: Utah Parent Center.

## PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIPS

National Association of Social Workers (NASW)

Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)

National Council on Rehabilitation Education (NCRE)

#### SERVICE

### University

2018 – Present Faculty Advisor, Club B.L.E.U (Believing, Learning, Educating, Uniting)

2012 – Present Allies on Campus member

## Community

2015 – Present	Developmental Skills Laboratory, Human Rights Committee- Chair
2013 – 2018	Senator Hatch's Advisory Committee on Disability- Chair
2009 – 2019	Utah Statewide Independent Living Council Board – Chair (2018-2019), Vice Chair (2016-2018 & 2011-2012)
2009 - 2018	Legislative Coalition for People with Disabilities, Executive Board
2009 – 2011	Utah Commission on Volunteers Disability Inclusion Council
2007 – 2018	Utah Employment Partnership Consortium
2007 – 2008	State of Utah, Division of Homeland Security's Special Needs Advisory Committee
2005 – 2012	Utah Disability Determination Services Community Advisory Council
2004 – 2006	Northern Utah Hispanic Health Coalition - Leadership Committee Secretary

## **STUDENT HONORS**

2002	National Deans List of Graduate Students
2001	University of Utah, Graduate School of Social Work - Warshaw Scholarship
2000	University of Utah, Graduate School of Social Work - Willey Scholarship
1999	Utah State University Sociology Department's Outstanding Undergraduate Scholar of the Year