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**San Jose State University**  
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## **EDUCATION**

**August 1997 - May 2002** University of San Francisco, San Francisco, CA  
Doctor of Education - Learning and Instruction

**August 1991 - December 1994** San Jose State University, San Jose, CA  
Master of Science - Nursing Education

**August 1973 - May 1977** Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, IN  
Bachelor of Science - Nursing

## **CREDENTIALS**

California License No. RN 284954  
Critical Care Nurse Certification (1990-1999)  
Basic (1977 – Present) and Advanced Cardiac Life Support Provider (1977 – 2004)

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

### **Faculty Positions**

**08/25/11 – Present** The Valley Foundation School of Nursing at  
San Jose State University  
Assistant Director

**08/22/06 - Present** San Jose State University School of Nursing;  
Professor (Tenured)

**08/21/02 – 08/21/06** Associate Professor  
**(08/01 – 05/02)** Note: One Year Service Credit

**08/24/04 - Present** Curriculum Coordinator

**01/23/02 - Present** Professional Development Coordinator

**01/23/95 - 05/23/02** San Jose State University, Lecturer

**10/02/92 - 1998** Gavilan College, Gilroy, CA, Part-Time Assistant Faculty  
BCLS Instructor, Medical-Surgical Nursing Lecturer

### **Administrative Positions**

**07/01/96 - 08/08/97** San Jose/Good Samaritan Medical Group:  
**09/08/92 - 07/01/96** Patient Education/Staff Development Manager  
Patient Education Coordinator

### **Nursing Positions**

**12/07/00 - 03/15/01** Kaiser Resource Network On-Call RN, San Jose, CA  
**01/16/00 - 03/15/00** Kaiser Flu Queue Advice Call Center, San Jose, CA  
**06/15/98 - 09/07/99** Kaiser Appointment and Advice Call Center, San Jose, CA

On-call Advice RN

- 07/14/86 - 1998:** San Jose/Good Samaritan Medical Group, San Jose, CA  
Staff RN, AcuteCare/Cardiology/Occupational Med/Advice
- 11/14/83 - 09/02/92:** Kaiser Santa Teresa Hospital, San Jose, CA  
Staff RN, Intensive Care Unit/Coronary Care Unit
- 05/04/82 - 07/11/86:** Vita-Cor/J.M. Casey, MD, San Jose, CA  
Staff RN, Cardiac Rehabilitation/Office RN
- 03/28/82 - 09/01/85:** Central YMC Cardiac Therapy, San Jose, CA  
Staff RN, Cardiac Rehabilitation Nurse Supervisor
- 05/11/82 - 02/15/84:** The Good Samaritan Hospital, San Jose, CA  
Staff RN, Critical Care Float (ACU/PAR/ER)
- 02/19/79 - 12/09/81:** O'Connor Hospital, San Jose, CA  
Staff RN, Coronary Care Unit
- 02/01/78 - 02/01/79:** Valley West General Hospital, Los Gatos, CA  
Staff RN, Intensive Care Unit

### EXPERIENCE SUMMARY

- ❖ Performs duties of the Director of School of Nursing in the Director's absence.
- ❖ Coordinates curricula for all School of Nursing academic programs.
- ❖ Responsible for all aspects of the Professional Development Program for the School of Nursing. Includes overseeing University and Foundation accounts□
- ❖ Authored introductory learning strategies module for San Jose State University's beginning nursing students.
- ❖ Teaching skills, process, theory, Beginning and Advanced medical-surgical practicum for baccalaureate nursing students.
- ❖ Lecturing on medical-surgical topics to ADN and BSN students.
- ❖ Teaching graduate courses on curriculum development and teaching/learning theory and practice.
- ❖ Includes all aspects of care of the critically ill adult: ECG monitoring and interpretation of rhythm strips, initiation and maintenance of IV's, assisting with central, pulmonary artery, and arterial line catheter insertions, hemodynamic monitoring, mechanical ventilation, assisting with elective cardioversion and temporary pacemaker insertion.
- ❖ Performing in Assistant Head Nurse Relief, Code Team Member and Leader, and Charge Nurse roles.
- ❖ Taught Basic Cardiac Life Support, Advanced Cardiac Life Support, and Code Team Training classes to health care providers.
- ❖ Taught Basic Cardiac Life Support classes to the public.
- ❖ Supervised monitored/unmonitored patient exercise sessions.
- ❖ Administered and interpreted graded exercise tests.

- ❖ Presented programs on risk factor modification to patients and family members in the cardiac rehab setting.
- ❖ Coordinated and implemented a patient education/health promotion program in an ambulatory care setting.
- ❖ Developed an orientation program for nursing staff and a continuing education program for nursing staff in an ambulatory care setting.

## **PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

**Member:** Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing, Alpha Gamma Chapter; American Heart Association; American Nurses Association; American Nurses Association-California; Valparaiso University Guild. Past member: American Association of Critical Care Nurses; South Bay Chapter of the AACN (1990 – 2009); Association of California Nurse Leaders (2008 – 2009).

### **Elected Positions:**

July 2011 – May 2013	Sigma Theta Tau-Alpha Gamma Chapter, Secretary
July 2002 – July 2005	Sigma Theta Tau-Alpha Gamma Chapter, Faculty Counselor
May 2000 – May 2005	School of Nursing Treasurer
July 1998 – July 2002	Sigma Theta Tau-Alpha Gamma Chapter, Corresponding Secretary

### **Appointed Positions:**

March 2003 – May 2008	School of Nursing Advancement Working Council, Treasurer
July 2005 – July 2006	Sigma Theta Tau-Alpha Gamma Chapter, Archivist

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Journal Articles (Refereed)**

Stuenkel, D., Nelson, D., Malloy, S., & Cohen, J. (2011). Challenges, changes, and collaboration: Evaluation of an accelerated BSN program. *Nurse Educator*, 36(2), 70-83.

Cohen, J., Stuenkel, D.L., & Nguyen, Q. (2009). Providing a healthy work environment for nurses: The influence on retention. *Journal of Nursing Care Quality*, 24(4), 308-315.

Lo, S.L., Stuenkel, D.L., & Rodriguez, L. (2009). The impact of diagnosis-specific discharge instructions on patient satisfaction. *Journal of Perianesthesia Nursing*, 24(3), 156-162.

- Stuenkel, D.L. (2009). Straight from the headlines to the classroom. *Nurse Educator*, 34(3), 99 -100.
- Young, M.E., Stuenkel, D.L., & Bawel-Brinkley, K. (2008). Transitioning to reality: Strategies for easing the role transformation of graduate nurses. *Journal of Staff Development*, 24(3), 105-110.
- Stuenkel, D. L. (2008). The case of the disappearing nurses. *Advance for Nurses*, April 28, 2008 posting at <http://nursing.advanceweb.com/Editorial/Content/>. (Peer reviewed essay accepted for posting as feature article.)
- Stuenkel, D. L., Nguyen, S., & Cohen, J. (2007). Nurses' perceptions of their work environment. *Journal of Nursing Care Quality*, 22(4), 337-342.
- Maxwell, K., Stuenkel, D., & Saylor, C. (2007). Needs of family members of critically ill patients: A comparison of nurse and family perceptions. *Heart & Lung*, 36(5), 367-376.
- Stuenkel, D.L. (2006). At risk students: Do theory grades + standardized examinations = success? *Nurse Educator*, 31(5), 207-212.
- Stuenkel, D.L. (2006). Could your nursing practice use some "Vegas magic"? *ADVANCE for Nurses*, 3(15), 10.
- Edmundson, S., Stuenkel, D.L., & Connolly, P.M. (2005). Upsetting the apple cart: A community anticoagulation clinic survey of life event factors that undermine safe therapy. *Journal of Vascular Nursing*, 23(3), 105-111.
- Stuenkel, D. L., Cohen, J., & de la Cuesta, K. A. (2005). The multigenerational nursing workforce: Essential differences in perception of work environment. *Journal of Nursing Administration*, 35(6), 283-285.
- Hayhurst, A., Saylor, C., & Stuenkel, D. (2005). Work environmental factors and retention of nurses. *Journal of Nursing Care Quality*, 20(3), 283-288.
- Stuenkel, D. L. (2004). Teaching abstract content to ethnically diverse undergraduates. *Nurse Educator*, 29(5), 179-180.
- Staten, D., Mangalindan, M., Saylor, C., & Stuenkel, D. (2003). Staff nurse perceptions of the work environment: A comparison among ethnic backgrounds. *The Journal of Nursing Care Quality*, 18(3), 202-208.
- Stuenkel, D. L. (2002). Creative works. Cross Stitching: Lessons learned (reprinted with permission from the Honor Society of Nursing). *Creative Nursing*, 8(3), 16.

### **Book Chapters/Essays:**

- Stuenkel, D., & N. Cuellar. (2013). Oral presentations. In Mateo, M., and Foreman, 4 of 15

M., *Research for advanced practice nurses: From evidence to practice* (2<sup>nd</sup> ed.). New York: Springer.

Cuellar, N., & Stuenkel, D. (2013). Writing for publication. In Mateo, M., and Foreman, M., *Research for advanced practice nurses: From evidence to practice* (2<sup>nd</sup> ed.). New York: Springer.

Stuenkel, D., & Wong, V. (2013). Stigma. In Lubken, I., and Larsen, P.D., *Chronic illness: Impact and interventions* (8th ed.). Boston: Jones & Bartlett.

Stuenkel, D., & Wong, V. (2009). Stigma. In Lubken, I., and Larsen, P.D., *Chronic illness: Impact and interventions* (7<sup>th</sup> ed.). Boston: Jones & Bartlett.

*A Daybook For Nurse Leaders* (2007). F. Bower (ed.). Contributing author/quotes from "Cross-Stitch: Lessons learned."

*The HeArt of Nursing*, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. (2005). M.C. Wendler (ed.). Contributing author, Cross-Stitch: Lessons learned (p. 159).

Mann, R., & Stuenkel, D. (2005). Stigma. In Lubken, I., and Larsen, P.D., *Chronic illness: Impact and interventions* (6<sup>th</sup> ed.). Boston: Jones & Bartlett (Revised chapter by different authors).

*The HeArt of Nursing* (2002). M. C. Wendler (ed.). Contributing author, Cross-Stitch: Lessons learned (p. 96).

## OTHER SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES

### Unpublished Manuscripts:

**Dissertation:** "Using Entrance Criteria, Achievement Measures, and Nursing Assessment Examinations to Predict Success on the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses", University of San Francisco, May 2002.

**Nursing Orientation Module:** San Jose Medical Group, 1997.

**Patient Education Handouts:** Sinusitis, Gout, Ear Infections, San Jose Medical Group, 1997.

**Introduction to Professional Nursing Module:** San Jose State University, 1995 - Present (updated annually).

**Master's Thesis:** "Staff Nurse Perceptions of Work Environment: A Comparison of Nurses Who Left Their Unit and Those Who Stayed", San Jose State University, 1994.

### Professional Presentations:

Podium Presentations (Peer Reviewed)

- Boroughf, T., Stuenkel, D., & Yoder, M. (October 25, 2013). *Creative Teaching Strategies for Teaching Communication in the End of Life*. UCSF/Stanford Research in Action Days 2013 (San Francisco, CA).
- Stuenkel, D.L., Cohen, J., & Nguyen, Q. (July 3, 2009). *Ensuring a Robust Nursing Workforce: Work Environment Factors and Registered Nurse Retention*. International Council of Nurses Quadrennial Congress (Durban, South Africa).
- Stuenkel, D.L., Cohen, J., & Nguyen, Q. (March 18, 2009). *Assessing the Work Environment: Influencing Professional Nurse Retention*. Pacific Institute of Nursing 2009 Conference (Honolulu, HI).
- Boroughf, T., Yoder, M., Stuenkel, D. (March 27, 2008). *Creative Teaching Strategies for Teaching Communication in the End Of Life*. Rutgers Third Annual Conference of the New Jersey End of Life Nursing Education Consortium. (Atlantic City, NJ).
- Cohen, J., Stuenkel, D., & Connolly, P. (January/February, 2008). *Evidence-Based Recruitment and Retention of Acute Care Staff Nurses*. Paper presented at the 6<sup>th</sup> PNAA International Conference, Manila, Philippines.
- Stuenkel, D.L. (November 3, 2007). *Predictors Of NCLEX-RN Success: Do Results Hold Up?* Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing's 39<sup>th</sup> Biennial Convention (Baltimore, MD).
- Boroughf, T., Stuenkel, D., & Yoder, M. (July 12, 2007). *End-of-life care: A transdisciplinary teaching strategy*. Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing's 18th International Nursing Research Congress (Vienna, Austria).
- Edmundson, S., Stuenkel, D., & Connolly, P. (July 19, 2006). *Upsetting the Apple Cart: A Community Anticoagulation Clinic Survey of Life Event Factors that Undermine Safe Therapy*. Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing's 17th International Nursing Research Congress (Montreal, Canada).
- Stuenkel, D. L., Connolly, P. M., & Cohen, J. (July 14, 2005). *Promoting the Culture of Research for Graduate Students: Supportive Faculty Research*. Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing's 16th International Nursing Research Congress (Kona, HI).
- Stuenkel, D.L., de la Cuesta, K., Cohen, J., Connolly, P., Saylor, C., & Gorenberg, B. (May 26, 2005). *The Global Workforce: Generational Influences on Nurse Retention*. International Council of Nurses, 23<sup>rd</sup> Quadrennial Congress, (Taipei, Taiwan).
- Stuenkel, D., Cohen, J., Connolly., P., Saylor,C., Gorenberg, B., & Atencio, B. (April 29, 2004). *Staff Nurses' Perceptions of their Work Settings: Implications for Nurse*

*Managers*. Kaiser Permanente Research Conference, Mapping the Future Through Research (Oakland, CA).

Stuenkel, D. L. (April 21, 2004). *Using Entrance Criteria, Achievement Measures, and Nursing Assessment Examinations to Predict Success on the NCLEX-RN*. Celebrating the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning, San Jose State University (San Jose, CA).

Stuenkel, D., Connolly, P., Cohen, J., Saylor, C., & Gorenberg, B. (October 30, 2003). *Staff Nurse Work Settings: Factors That May Influence Nurse Retention*. UCSF-Stanford Research In Action Research Day 2003 (San Francisco, CA).

Stuenkel, D., Cohen, J., Saylor, C., Connolly, P., & Gorenberg, B. (June 29, 2003). *Addressing the Nursing Shortage Through Retention*. International Council of Nurses Biannual Conference, Building Excellence Through Evidence (Geneva, Switzerland).

Stuenkel, D. (November 21, 2002). *Identifying Students at Risk of Failing The NCLEX-RN*. Partnerships for The Future: A National Conference on Professional Nursing Education and Development (Chicago, IL).

#### Podium Presentations (Invited Speaker)

Stuenkel, D. (February 28, 2005). *Standardized Achievement Examinations as Predictors of Student Nurse Success on the NCLEX-RN*. Faculty Development Presentation, San Jose State University School of Nursing.

Stuenkel, D. (September 24, 2004). *Quality Issues at End of Life*. National End of Life Nursing Education Consortium Training, San Jose State University.

Stuenkel, D. (March 3, 2003). *Communication at End of Life*. Faculty Development Presentation, San Jose State University School of Nursing.

Stuenkel, D. (September 16, 2002). *Curricular Issues Associated with Identifying Students at Risk*. Faculty Development Presentation, San Jose State University School of Nursing.

#### Poster Presentations (Peer Reviewed)

Stuenkel, D.L., & Tchantchanian, T. (August 2, 2013). *Using Assessment Technologies Institutes (ATI) Standardized Examinations to Predict NCLEX-RN Success*. Nuts and Bolts for Nurse Educators Faculty Success from Fundamentals to NCLEX and Beyond (Minneapolis, MN).

Stuenkel, D., & Cohen, J. (March 28, 2012). *Key to a Successful Accreditation Visit: Essential Preparation of Faculty*. Pacific Institute of Nursing Research Conference (Honolulu, HI).

- Abriam-Yago, K., Malloy, S., O'Leary-Kelley, C., Rodriguez, L., & Stuenkel, D. (July 2, 2011). *Teaching Quality and Safety Initiatives to Nursing Students*. 32<sup>nd</sup> Philippine Nurses Association of America National Conference (San Francisco, CA).
- Malloy, S.E., Abriam-Yago, K., O'Leary-Kelley, C., Rodriguez, L., & Stuenkel, D. (April 1-2, 2011). *Application of Quality and Safety Education for Nurses (QSEN) Objectives as a Framework for Evidence-Based Practice in an Undergraduate Curriculum*. Sigma Theta Tau International Conference (Amsterdam, The Netherlands).
- Stuenkel, D. (November 20, 2010). *Predictors of Student Success: Assessment Technologies Institute Standardized Tests and Nursing Theory Grades*. AACN Baccalaureate Conference (Orlando, FL).
- Stuenkel, D.L., Malloy, S., Cohen, J., Saylor, C., & Nelson, D. (October 30, 2009). *Evaluation of a Collaborative Model to Deliver an Accelerated BSN Program*. 11<sup>th</sup> Annual UCSF & Stanford Center for Nursing Research & Innovation Conference. (San Francisco, CA).
- Stuenkel, D.L., Lo, S.L., & Rodriguez, L. (March 18, 2009). *Diagnosis-Specific Discharge Instructions: The Impact on Patient Satisfaction*. Pacific Institute of Nursing 2009 Conference. (Honolulu, HI).
- Stuenkel, D., Malloy, S., & Von Till, M.E. (October 23, 2008). *Service + Academia: The Impact of Interactive Panel Discussions with "REAL Nurses."* 10<sup>th</sup> Annual UCSF & Stanford Center for Nursing Research & Innovation Conference. (San Francisco, CA).
- Lo, S.L., Stuenkel, D.L., & Rodriguez, L. (October 23, 2008). *The Impact of Diagnosis-Specific Discharge Instructions on Patient Satisfaction*. 10<sup>th</sup> Annual UCSF & Stanford Center for Nursing Research & Innovation Conference. (San Francisco, CA).
- Maxwell, K.E., Stuenkel, D., & Saylor, C. (November 15, 2007). *Needs of Family Members of Critically Ill Patients: A Comparison of Nurse and Family Perceptions*. AACN and Society of Critical Care Medicine's 34th Critical Care Symposium. (Portland, OR).
- Stuenkel, D., & Malloy, S. (October 25, 2007). *Is Faster Better? Evaluation of an Accelerated BSN Program*. 9<sup>th</sup> Annual UCSF & Stanford Center for Research and Innovation in Patient Care Conference (San Francisco, CA).
- Stuenkel, D., Cohen, J., Connolly, P., Saylor, C., Nguyen, S., & Le, D. (October 25, 2007). *Work Environment and Demographic Factors: Keys to Staff Nurse Satisfaction?* 9<sup>th</sup> Annual UCSF & Stanford Center for Research and Innovation in Patient Care Conference (San Francisco, CA).



Stuenkel, D.L. (June 15-16, 2007). *Centralized Clinical Placement Technology: From Beta Testing To Reality*. Rutgers 25<sup>th</sup> Annual International Nursing Computer and Technology Conference (San Francisco, CA).

Stuenkel, D.L., Cohen, J., Connolly, P., Saylor, C., Nguyen, S., & Le, D. (March 23-24, 2007). *Demographic Factors and Work Environment: Keys to Staff Nurse Satisfaction?* 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Pacific Nursing Research Conference (Honolulu, HI).

Edmundson, S., Stuenkel, D., & Connolly, P. (March 30, 2006). *Upsetting the Apple Cart: A Community Anticoagulation Clinic Survey of Life Event Factors that Undermine Safe Therapy*. Thrive with Research and EBP Conference (Oakland, CA).

Stuenkel, D. L. (November 12-15, 2005). *The Guardian*. Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing's International Biennial Convention (Indianapolis, IN).

Stuenkel, D., Edmundson, S., & Connolly, P. (October 27, 2005). *Upsetting the Apple Cart: A Community Anticoagulation Clinic Survey of Life Event Factors That Undermine Safe Therapy*. UCSF-Stanford Research Day in Action 2005 (San Francisco, CA).

Stuenkel, D., Maxwell, K., & Saylor, C. (July 13, 2005). *Meeting Family member's Needs: Strategies for Critical Care Nurses*. Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing's Third International Evidence-Based Nursing Pre-Conference (Kona, HI).

Stuenkel, D., Maxwell, K., & Saylor, C. (October 28, 2004). *Needs of Family Members of Critically Ill Patients: Family and Nurse Perceptions*. UCSF-Stanford Research Day in Action 2004 (San Francisco, CA).

Stuenkel, D. (November 2003, Abstract/artwork accepted, not presented). *Nurses Pray*. Sigma Theta Tau International Biennial Convention (Toronto, Canada).

Stuenkel, D. (November 10-14, 2001). *Cross-Stitch: Lessons Learned*. Sigma Theta Tau International Biennial Convention (Indianapolis, IN).

#### Poster Presentation (Committee Reviewed)

Stuenkel, D.L., Cohen, J., Connolly, P., Saylor, C., Nguyen, S., & Le, D. (May 8-9, 2007). *Demographic Factors and Work Environment: Keys to Staff Nurse Satisfaction?* Institute for Nursing Research and Practice Nurses' Week Poster Presentation Event (San Jose, CA).

Stuenkel, D. (October 16, 2000). *Original Model of "Problem Solving In Nursing"*. Sigma Theta Tau Linda Lee Miller Research Day, (San Jose, CA).

### Courses Taught at San Jose State University:

NURS 53	Semester 1 Skills Lab
NURS 33	Semester 1 Process/Professional Role Development
NURS 24	Semester 2 Theory (Beginning Medical-Surgical)
NURS 44	Semester 2 Clinical (Beginning Medical-Surgical)
NURS 125	Semester 4 Theory (Advanced Medical-Surgical Theory)
NURS 128	Semester 2 Evidence-Based Practice in Nursing
NURS 133	Semester 4 Process/Professional Role Development
NURS 145	Semester 4 Clinical (Advanced Medical-Surgical)
NURS 148A	Semester 6 Capstone Preceptorship
NURS 208	Graduate Course: Special Topics
NURS 212	Graduate Course: Curriculum Development
NURS 214	Graduate Course: Nurse Educator Theory & Practicum I
NURS 216	Graduate Course: Nurse Educator Theory & Practicum II

### Guest Lectures at San Jose State University:

NURS 24	Semester 4 Theory (Beginning Medical-Surgical) "Osteoarthritis and Rheumatoid Arthritis"
NURS 120	NCLEX-RN Review/Prep -- "ECG Interpretation"
NURS 295	Graduate Seminar -- "Quantitative Research Methods"
NURS 297	Graduate Seminar -- "Working As Part of a Research Team"

### Presentations to Nursing Staff:

ACLS, BCLS, Code Team Training, Safety Training, Medication Administration, Nursing Skills Update, Caring for the Elderly Client

### Community Presentations

BCLS, First Aid, Cardiac Risk Factor Modification, Nursing as a Career

	Grants	Amount
<b>2008</b>	HEDS-UP Project financial award to attend Universal Design for Learning Workshop	\$500.00
	Sigma Theta Tau Alpha Gamma Chapter Photo Restoration Project grant	\$500.00
<b>2007</b>	UPC Assessment Grant for Fall Faculty Retreat	\$500.00
<b>2005</b>	Sigma Theta Tau Alpha Gamma Chapter Scholarship Conference Travel	\$200.00
<b>2004</b>	Gordon & Betty Moore Foundation, "BSN Accelerated	\$1,773,760.00

Program” Grant team member.

Gordon & Betty Moore Foundation, “Nursing Educators For Tomorrow: A Teacher/Scholar Model, Grant team member. \$2,636,327.00

Lottery Grant Awarded, San Jose State University, Conference Travel \$1115.00

**2003** College of Applied Sciences and Arts Research Mini-Grant \$500.00

Sigma Theta Tau Alpha Gamma Chapter Scholarship Conference Travel \$200.00

**2001** Lottery Grant Awarded, San Jose State University, Conference Travel \$774.00

**1999** Sigma Theta Tau Alpha Gamma Chapter Scholarship \$200.00

**1998** Lottery Grant, San Jose State University for Creativity in Teaching Course \$800.00

**1992-1994** Professional Nurse Traineeship Awarded for Graduate Studies \$3,000.00

### **Awards/Honors**

**2011** Sigma Theta Tau Alpha gamma Chapter Excellence in Education Award

**2010** Awarded Sabbatical Spring 2010

**2006** *Advance for Nurses* “Best in Initiative.” Awarded to nursing faculty of the SJSU School of Nursing – Co-author of nomination/application for this award.

**2005** Sigma Theta Tau Alpha Gamma Chapter Excellence in Education Recognition Award

**2004** Sigma Theta Tau Alpha Gamma Chapter Service Recognition Award

**2003** School of Nursing Representative to End-of-Life Nursing Care Consortium

**1999, 2000** Certificate of Appreciation, American Heart Association for service on annual Nursing Symposium Steering Committee

**1999** California State University Forgivable Loan (\$30,000)

**1995** Employee of the Year, San Jose/Good Samaritan Medical Group

- 1994-1997** Health Net Wellness Excellence Award for San Jose/Good Samaritan Medical Group's Patient Education Program
- 1988** Congressional Commendation for Outstanding Achievement in serving the needs of the 12th Congressional District (Elementary School Volunteer)

### **Service**

#### **School of Nursing:**

- 2012** Graduate Student Service: Project Advisor (1<sup>st</sup> Reader) For one student.  
Undergraduate Advisor for 20 students each semester.  
Invited Presenter at New Faculty Orientation for SON.
- 2011** Graduate Student Service: Project Advisor (1<sup>st</sup> Reader) for one student, 2<sup>nd</sup> Reader for one student  
Undergraduate advisor for 30 students each semester  
Invited presenter at Faculty Orientation for the SON
- 2010** Undergraduate advisor for 30 students (Fall semester).
- 2009** Graduate Student Service: Project Advisor (1<sup>st</sup> Reader) for four students.
- 2008** Awarded .20 release time to serve as SON Program Planning Coordinator Spring Semester Graduate Student Service: Project Advisor (1<sup>st</sup> Reader) for four graduate students.
- 2007** Fall Semester Graduate Student Service: Project Advisor (1<sup>st</sup> Reader) for one graduate student, 2<sup>nd</sup> Reader for two graduate students.  
  
Spring Semester Graduate Student Service: Project Advisor (1<sup>st</sup> Reader) for two graduate students, 2<sup>nd</sup> Reader for two graduate students.  
Participated in Graduate Student Oral Examinations.
- 2006** Fall Semester Graduate Student Service: Project Advisor (1<sup>st</sup> Reader) for one graduate student 2<sup>nd</sup> Reader for two graduate students.  
  
Spring Semester Graduate Student Service: Project Advisor (1<sup>st</sup> Reader) for two graduate students, 2<sup>nd</sup> Reader for one graduate student.  
Participated in Graduate Student Oral Examinations.
- 2005** Fall Semester Graduate Student Service: Project Advisor (1<sup>st</sup> Reader) for five graduate students, 2<sup>nd</sup> Reader for one graduate student.  
Invited participant/leader of December 2005 School of Nursing Convocation ceremony.  
  
Spring Semester Graduate Student Service: Project Advisor (1<sup>st</sup> Reader)

for two graduate students. Participated in Graduate Student Oral Examinations.

Undergraduate Advisor for 35 nursing students.

**2004** Fall Semester Graduate Student Service: Project Advisor (1<sup>st</sup> Reader) for one graduate student, Participated in Graduate Student Oral Examinations.

Spring Semester Graduate Student Service:  
Project Advisor (1st Reader) for one graduate student, Project Advisor (2nd Reader) for one graduate student, Participated in Graduate Student Oral Examinations.

Undergraduate advisor for 35 nursing students

**2003** Fall Semester Graduate Student Service:  
Project Advisor (1st Reader) for one graduate student, Project Advisor (2nd Reader) for one graduate student, Participated in Graduate Student Oral Examinations.

Undergraduate advisor for 35 nursing students

**2003** Participated in Summer Graduate Student Oral Examinations

**2003** Invited participant/leader of May 2003 School of Nursing Convocation ceremony.

**2002** Invited participant/leader of December School of Nursing Convocation ceremony.

Fall Semester Graduate Student Service:  
Precepted Clinical experience for one graduate student (NURS 214)  
Project Advisor (2nd Reader) for two graduate students  
Participated in December Oral Examinations

**2001- 2003** Faculty Advisor for May 2003 Graduation Committee

**1999 - 2002** Volunteer/Participant on Program Evaluation and Research Committee

**1995 - 2002** Participant in relevant School of Nursing Semester-level Committees

#### **University:**

**2010 - 2011** Elected Chair CASA Curriculum Committee

**2007- 2008** Appointed to the Search Committee for the Dean of CASA

**2006 - 2008** CASA Representative to University's IRB Committee

**2004 - 2013** Member CASA Curriculum Committee

**2002 – 2005** Elected CASA Representative to the CSU Research Funds Committee

**1998** Invited to participate on Cardiovascular Health & Fitness Committee, SJSU

### **Community:**

**2006** Christopher High School Steering Committee, Gilroy Unified School District (COC Representative)

**2004 - 2008** Appointed to Surplus Land Oversight Committee, Gilroy Unified School District

**2003 - 2008** Appointed to Citizens Oversight Committee for Measure I, Gilroy Unified School District

**1999 - 2000** Invited to participate on American Heart Association's Nursing Symposia Steering Committee

**1994** Nurse Volunteer, RotaCare Clinic

### **Research – In Process**

**2012** Collaborative Research: *“Patient Satisfaction with a ‘Quiet Program’ at a County Hospital” (Initial planning stages with Santa Clara County Valley Medical Center)*

**2012** Stuenkel, D. “Using the ATI Standardized Testing Program to Predict NCLEX-RN Success”.

### **Research -- Completed**

**2010** Stuenkel, D. *“Efficacy of the ATI Program in Predicting NCLEX-RN Success.”* Sabbatical project Spring 2010.

Stuenkel, D. *“Using NCLEX-RN Report Data to Guide Curricular Change.”* Sabbatical project Spring 2010.

**2008 - 2009** Stuenkel, D. & Rodriguez, L. *“Preceptor and Student Perceptions of the Capstone Clinical Experience.”*

**2004 – 2009** Saylor, C., Abriam-Yago, K., Cohen, J., Connolly, P, Mann, R. & Stuenkel, D. *“Academic Success, Self-efficacy, and Leadership Outcomes in a Baccalaureate Nursing Program,”* San Jose State University. Funded by a Gordon & Betty Moore Foundation Grant of \$1,773,760.00. Research team member (2004-2008); Project Manager

(2008 - 2009).

- 2001 - 2007** Cohen, J., Stuenkel, D., Connolly, P., Saylor, C., & Gorenberg, B. "Staff Nurse Work Setting Study II," San Jose State University. Funded by a Health Trust Grant of \$20,000. Project Manager and research team member.
- 2003 - 2004** "Standardized Achievement Examinations as Predictors of Success on the NCLEX-RN," mini-grant funded original research, San Jose State University.
- 2001 - 2002** Doctoral Dissertation: "Using Entrance Criteria, Achievement Measures, and Nursing Assessment Examinations to Predict Success on the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses," University of San Francisco.
- 1994** Graduate Assistant/Master's Thesis: "Staff Nurse Perceptions of Their Work Environment: A Comparison of Nurses Who Left Their Unit and Nurses Who Stayed," San Jose State University.

### **Collaborative Global Learning Activities**

- 2012, 2013 Organized 2 student-led events with 4 California Nursing Student Association members for 8 students from Miyazaki Prefecture School of Nursing, Japan, at the request of their faculty host, Junko Linafelter (KIN).
- 2009 Planned and implemented an SON event for 10 students from Miyazaki Prefecture School of Nursing, Japan, at the request of their faculty host, Junko Linafelter (KIN).
- 2007 Supported students in organizing a Continuing Education offering meeting all California Board of Registered Nursing requirements for students participating in the Ireland Study Abroad session.

### **Consulting**

- 2011 - 2010** Peer reviewer for *The Journal of Nursing Care Quality*. Reviewed and revised discharge planning materials for Krames Staywell Patient Education (paid expert nurse consultant).
- 2007 - 2006 - 2007** Editorial Advisor for *Nurse Educator*. Peer reviewer for *Nurse Educator*.
- 2003 - 2009** Professional nurse consultant (paid) for Hospira, Inc., Morgan Hill, California.
- 2004** Professional nurse consultant (paid) for E-Group Learning, San Jose, California.
- 2002 - 2003** Professional nurse consultant (paid) for Abbott Laboratories, Morgan Hill, California.