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**Curriculum Vitae**

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**EDUCATION**

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Institution/Location</b>	<b>Degree/Field of Study</b>
Aug. 2014 – May 2017	University of Kentucky College of Nursing Lexington, KY	PhD, Nursing
Aug. 2010 – May 2013	University of Kentucky College of Nursing Lexington, KY	BSN, Nursing
Aug. 1991 – Dec. 1994	Western Michigan University College of Engineering, Kalamazoo, MI	BSME, Mechanical Engineering

**LICENSURES AND CERTIFICATIONS**

June 2013 – present	Nurse Registration, KY 1135989, Kentucky Board of Nursing
June 2010 – present	CPR/AED Certification, American Heart Association
Jan. 2020 – present	Certified Healthcare Simulation Educator, Society for Simulation in Healthcare
Dec. 2020 – Dec. 2020	Applying the QM Rubric, Quality Matters
Aug. 2010 – May 2017	Graduate Certificate of Teaching and Learning, University of Kentucky Graduate School Lexington, KY

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Academic**

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Institution and Location</b>	<b>Title</b>
Aug. 2017 – present	University of Kentucky College of Nursing Lexington, KY	Simulation Instructor

Jan. 2018 – present	University of Kentucky College of Nursing Lexington, KY	Lecturer
Aug. 2016 – Dec. 2016	University of Kentucky College of Nursing, Lexington, KY	Teaching Practicum, NUR 101
Aug. 2015 – Dec. 2016	University of Kentucky College of Nursing, Lexington, KY	Research Assistant, Rich Heart
Aug. 2015 – Dec. 2016	University of Kentucky College of Nursing, Lexington, KY	Teaching Assistant

### **Clinical/Other**

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Institution and Location</b>	<b>Title</b>
Aug. 2016 – June 2016	University of Kentucky College of Nursing, Lexington, KY	Clinical Instructor
July 2013 – Dec. 2015	UK HealthCare Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington, KY	Intensive Care Nurse

### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

May 2017	University of Kentucky College of Nursing Alumni, Alumni Award
Aug. 2016 – June 2018	Jonas Philanthropies, Jonas Scholars
May 2016	Sigma Theta Tau, Delta Psi Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau Award
May 2015, 2016	Karen Hall Sexton, Karen Hall Sexton Scholarship Award
Dec. 2012	UK HealthCare, UK HealthCare Nursing Educational Award
April 2012	UK CON Student Scholarship Showcase Poster, First Place

### **RESEARCH GRANTS FUNDED**

Jan. 2020 – June 2022	Community Partnerships for Tobacco Use Prevention, Co-investigator, KY Department of Public Health
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### **OTHER GRANTS FUNDED**

Aug. 2018 – June 2019

Safety Training for University of Kentucky Students, Principal Investigator, Student Center Challenge Grant, University of Kentucky, \$9280

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Journal Articles**

#### **Peer-Reviewed**

Kehler, S., Rayens, M. K., & Ashford, K. (2019). Determining Whether Hypertensive Status and Stress Level Are Associated With Inflammatory Markers. *Biological research for nursing, 21*(3), 245-252.

Kehler, S., Ashford, K., Cho, M., & Dekker, R. L. (2016). Experience of preeclampsia and bed rest: Mental health implications. *Issues in mental health nursing, 37*(9), 674-681.

Kehler, S., & Hahn, E. J. (2016). A policy analysis of smoke-free legislation in Kentucky. *Policy, Politics, & Nursing Practice, 17*(2), 66-75.

### **Published Abstracts**

Ashford, K., Barnett, J., McCubbin, A., Kehler, S., Westneat, S. (2013). Prenatal systemic immune response in smoking and nonsmoking women. 2013 AWHONN Annual Convention. Nashville, TN

### **Other Scholarly Work**

## **PRESENTATIONS**

Kehler, S., & Dent, J. (2018). Moving forward using simulation pedagogy. 14th Annual Nursing Faculty Development Workshop (presentation)

Kehler, S., Wiggins, A., McCubbin, A., Barnett, J., Ashford, K. (2017). The Association of maternal stress and immune response with development of a hypertensive disorder during pregnancy. Southern Nursing Research Society (poster)

Kehler, S., Wiggins, A., McCubbin, A., Barnett, J., Ashford, K. (2016). Impact of prenatal tobacco use and immune response in the development of hypertensive disorders. Southern Nursing Research Society (poster)

Anane, A., Kehler, S., Morgan, M., Norkus, K., Slone, S., Troyer, C., Zavalza-Neeson, L. (2014). Nurse awareness of blood glucose and insulin management. BSN Residency (presentation)

Kehler, S., Ashford, K., McCubbin, A., & Westneat, S. (2012). Examining the impact of prenatal stress and anxiety in women experiencing unplanned pregnancies. Student Scholarship Showcase (poster)

Kehler, S., Ashford, K., McCubbin, A., & Westneat, S. (2012). Examining the impact of prenatal stress in women experiencing unplanned pregnancies. Southern Nursing Research Society (poster)

## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

Aug. 2017 – present	Kentucky Simulation Alliance
Aug. 2017 – present	International Nursing Association for Clinical Simulation and Learning
Aug. 2017 – present	Society for Simulation in Healthcare
Aug. 2016 – 2019	American Nurses Association
Feb. 2013 – present	Sigma Theta Tau, Delta Psi Chapter

### **Professional**

#### *Sigma Theta Tau International*

2018 - 2020 Member, Leadership Succession Committee  
Delta Psi at-Large Chapter

#### *UK HealthCare*

20014-2015 Co-Chair, Critical Care Council  
UK HealthCare Chandler Hospital

### **Editorial Activities**

#### **Manuscript Reviewer:**

2018 – Present Pregnancy Hypertension: An International Journal of Women’s  
Cardiovascular Health

### **College**

Jan. 2021 – present	Member, CON Course Review Workforce
Aug. 2020 – present	Member, Council for Practice Readiness
March 2020 – May 2021	Member, Instructional Design Innovation Council
March 2019 – March 2020	Chair, Information/Communications and Instruction Technology Committee
Jan. 2018 – present	Facilitator, iCATS
Aug. 2018 – present	Faculty Advisor, Undergraduate Nursing Activities and Advisory Council
Aug. 2017 – present	Member, Faculty Development Workshop
Oct. 2014 – May 2017	Member, Graduate Nursing Activities and Advisory Council

Sept. 2014 – May 2015      Student Representative, PhD Committee

**Public/Community**

Spring 2021      Volunteer, COVID vaccine clinic, UK HealthCare, Lexington, KY

*June 21, 2021*