

Jami E. Flick, PhD, OTR/L  
Curriculum Vitae

**Education**

Ph.D., 2022, Nova Southeastern University (Health Science)  
Dissertation: Resiliency Lived – Experts’ Assets and Resources in the Anti-Trafficking Movement. Faculty mentor: Dr. Brianna Black Kent

MS, 2007, University of South Alabama (Occupational Therapy)

BS, 2006, University of South Alabama (Pre-Professional Health Science)

**Professional Licensure and Certification**

2021-2024	Washington Licensure for Occupational Therapist (OT 61196355)
2008-2024	Tennessee Licensure for Occupational Therapist (OT 3838)
2008-2026	National Board Certification of Occupational Therapy (OTR 237851)
2019-present	Community Action Poverty Simulation (CAPS) Facilitator Certification
2018-2024	Mental Health First Aid USA Certification
2018-present	DIRFloortime® Basic Certification
2018-present	Therapeutic Listening Certification
2016-present	Fieldwork Educator Certification, American Occupational Therapy Association
2014-present	Nurturing Parenting Program Facilitator Certification
2014-present	Sequential-Oral-Sensory (SOS) Feeding, Level 1 Provider

**Professional Experience**

2021-	Director of Clinical Education and Associate Professor, School of Occupational Therapy, Pacific Northwest School of Health Sciences, Yakima, WA
2020-2021	Appointed Faculty, UTHSC Center for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities (UCEDD) and Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and Related Disabilities (LEND) program
2015-2021	Assistant Professor and Academic Fieldwork Coordinator, Department of Occupational Therapy, College of Health Professions (COHP), The University of Tennessee Health Science Center (UTHSC), Memphis, TN
2014-2020	Clinical Education Developer and Academic Advisory Committee Member, Faculté de Science de Réhabilitation de Léogâne, Episcopal University of Léogâne, Haiti
2013-2015	Clinical Assistant Professor and Interim Academic Fieldwork Coordinator, Department of Occupational Therapy, COHP, UTHSC, Memphis, TN

## **Teaching and training**

### Pacific Northwest University

- 2023 Instructor, OTH 520 Professional Seminar (Fall) (NP)
- 2023 Instructor, OTH 545 Level IA Fieldwork Pediatrics (Spring) (NP)
- 2023 Instructor, OTH 560 Level IB Fieldwork Adults (Summer) (NP)
- 2023 Instructor, OTH 625 Level IC Fieldwork Non-Traditional (Fall) (NP)
- 2023 Instructor, OTH 630 Level ID Fieldwork Mental Health (Fall) (NP)
- 2023 Instructor, OTH 635 Level II Fieldwork A (Spring) (NP)
- 2023 Instructor, OTH 640 Level II Fieldwork B (Summer) (NP)

### University of Tennessee Health Science Center

- 2013-2021 Instructor, OT 440 Level I Fieldwork A
- 2013-2021 Instructor, OT 540 Level I Fieldwork B
- 2013-2021 Instructor, OT 640 Level I Fieldwork C
- 2013-2021 Instructor, OT 731 Level II Fieldwork A
- 2013-2021 Instructor, OT 732 Level II Fieldwork B
- 2014-2018 Instructor, OT 733 Level II Fieldwork C, course discontinued 2019
- 2013-2015 Instructor, OT 425 Foundations of Occupation-Centered Practice
- 2013-2018 Instructor, OT 630 Leadership Development II
- 2017-2021 Guest lecturer/co-instructor, OT 431 Leadership Development I
- 2013-2021 Guest lecturer/lab instructor, OT 437 Perspectives of Early Development
- 2020-2021 Auxiliary Instructor, College of Medicine, Department of Family Medicine
- 2019 Acute Care Simulation Reviewer, OT 641 Perspectives of Aging
- 2015-2016 Auxiliary Instructor, College of Medicine, Department of Neurology
- 2013, 2019 Guest lecturer, OT 533 Occupation-Centered Practice in Pediatrics
- 2013-2017 Lab instructor, OT 531 Occupation-Centered Practice in Community Mental Health
- 2016 Lab instructor, OT 538, Perspectives of Adult Development
- 2016 Research mentor, OT 636 Research Project Implementation
- 2015 Lab instructor, OT 535 Occupation-Centered Practice in Adulthood
- 2015 Lab instructor, OT 537 Neurological Aspects of Occupational Performance
- 2013 Guest lecturer, OT 639 Administration, Organization, and Health Policy Management

## **Clinical Experience**

- 2016-2021 Faculty PRN occupational therapist, Rachel Kay Stevens Therapy Center, Memphis, TN
- 2010-2015 Staff occupational therapist, Level I and II Fieldwork Educator, Methodist South Hospital, Memphis, TN
- 2008-2011 Staff occupational therapist, Level I and II Fieldwork Educator, The Regional Medical Center at Memphis (The MED), Memphis, TN

## Research Areas

- Anti-exploitation and human trafficking
- Capacity building
- Health equity
- Marginalized populations
- Trauma-informed practice and research

## Honors

2018	Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, Nova Southeastern University-Graduate
2016	Alpha Eta Honor Society, University of Tennessee Health Science Center Faculty
2013	Bloomsbury International Honor Society, University of Memphis-Graduate
2006-	Pi Theta Epsilon Academic Honor Society, Lifetime member, Past President, University of South Alabama (USA)-Graduate
2005	Mortar Board Honor Society, USA-Graduate
2005	Omicron Delta Kappa Honor Society, USA-Graduate

## Peer-Reviewed Publications

1. Zachry, A. H., Jones, T., **Flick, J.**, & Richey, P. (2021). The Early STEPS Pilot Study: The impact of a brief consultation session on self-reported parenting satisfaction. *Maternal and Child Health Journal*, 25, 923–1929.
2. Williamson, T. W., Hughes, S., **Flick, J. E.**, Burnett, K., Bradford, J. L., & Ross, L. L. (2018). Clinical experiences: Navigating the intricacies of student placement requirements. *Journal of Allied Health*, 47(4), 237-242.

## Book Chapters

1. **Flick, J. E.** & Scaffa, M. E. Emotional regulation. (2023). In G. Gillen & T. Brown (Eds.), *Willard and Spackman's Occupational Therapy* (14<sup>th</sup> ed.), AOTA Press.
2. Scaffa, M. E. & **Flick, J. E.** (2022). Health promotion and wellness for the client and practitioner. In A. Mahle & A. L. Ward (Eds)., *Adult Physical Conditions: Intervention Strategies for the Occupational Therapy Assistant* (2nd ed.), F.A. Davis.
3. **Flick, J. E.** & Scaffa, M. E. (2021). Occupational therapy's role in trauma-informed population health. In A. Lynch, R. Ashcraft, & L. Tekell (Eds)., *Promoting Healing through Meaningful Occupation: A Trauma Informed Care Manual for the Occupational Therapy Practitioner*, AOTA Press.
4. **Flick, J. E.** (2016). Integrating health promotion, culture, and occupational therapy. In S. A. Wells, R. M. Black, & J. Gupta (Eds)., *Culture & Occupation:*

*Effectiveness for Occupational Therapy Practice, Education, and Research* (3<sup>rd</sup> ed.), AOTA Press.

### **Manuscripts Currently Under Review**

1. Napier, B. & **Flick, J. E.** (2024). Occupational therapy fieldwork survival guide: A student planner (3<sup>rd</sup> ed.), AOTA Press.

### **Book Chapters Currently Under Review**

1. **Flick, J. E.** & Scaffa, M. E. Psychological and Behavioral Approaches. In J. Wolske & G. Fisher (Eds.), *Re-envisioning Kielhofner's Conceptual Foundations of Occupational Therapy Practice: A Multi-Model Approach* (5<sup>th</sup> ed.). Submitted Jan. 2023.

### **Non-Peer Reviewed Scholarly Products**

**Flick, J. E.** (2022). *Resiliency lived – experts' assets and resources in the anti-trafficking movement* (29390191). [Doctoral dissertation, Nova Southeastern University]. ProQuest Dissertations Publishing.

<https://www.proquest.com/openview/302368303ab13bd838ca6d5af5b8be7b/1?pq-origsite=gscholar&cbl=18750&diss=y>

Thompson, T., **Flick, J. E.**, & Thinnes, A. (2020). *Occupational injustice and human trafficking: Occupational therapy's role* (CE article). Bethesda, MD: American Occupational Therapy Association.

Zachry, A., & **Flick, J.** (2015, January 19). *Occupational therapists: Everyday leaders*. OT Practice, 19-20.

Tekell, L., & **Flick, J.** (2013, September). Living life to its fullest: Capacity building in a developing nation. *Mental Health Special Interest Section Quarterly*, 36(3), 1–4.

### **Professional Presentations**

2023      **Flick, J. E.** (2022). *Resiliency lived – experts' assets and resources in the anti-trafficking movement*. The International Human Trafficking and Social Justice Conference, Virtual. Presented Sept. 2023.

2023      **Flick, J. E.**, Black Kent, B., & Clark-Locascio, J. *Socially just qualitative research with lived experience experts in the anti-trafficking movement*. The Qualitative Report (TQR) 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Virtual. Presented Feb. 2023.

- 2023 **Flick, J. E.** *Using a multi-tiered public health approach to prevent and respond to human trafficking.* Simucase Informational Video. Presented Jan. 2023.
- 2022 Cutbush, S., Charm, S., Kwon, E. S., Cullison, B., & **Flick, J. E.** *Outcomes for Human Trafficking Survivors* [Expert Panel Participant]. Point Loma Nazarene University, Center for Justice & Reconciliation, HT-RADAR Research Advisory (San Diego Human Trafficking Research and Data Advisory Roundtable). Presented Dec. 2022.
- 2022 Flick, J. E. *Resiliency Lived -- Experts' Assets and Resources in Anti-Trafficking Movement.* Invited speaker, The University of Tennessee Health Science University, Qualitative Research Interest Group. Presented Dec. 2022.
- 2022 Barrett, K., & **Flick, J. E.** *Global rehabilitative approaches and programs for women survivors of sex trafficking: A systematic literature review.* Oral presentation, 18th International Congress of the World Federation of Occupational Therapists, Paris, France. Presented Oct. 2022.
- 2022 Cerny, S., **Flick, J. E.**, Thinnes, A., Kohl, K., Argabrite Grove, R., Suh Kwon, E., Gorman, K. *Human trafficking, sexual exploitation, and occupational injustice: A call to action.* AOTA INSPIRE 2022, San Antonio, TX. Presented April 2022.
- 2022 **Flick, J. E.** *Challenges with qualitative research in the human trafficking movement.* Invited oral presentation, CREATE, Nova Southeastern University, Ft. Lauderdale, FL. Presented January 2022.
- 2018-2022 **Flick, J. E.** *The role of occupational therapy in the anti-human trafficking movement.* Invited Speaker, OT 911 Social Policy and Disability, online Post-Professional OTD program, Boston University, Boston, MA. Presented July 2018-2022.
- 2018-2020 Lancaster, S., & **Flick, J.** *Ethics and jurisprudence.* Invited CE oral presentation, Tennessee Occupational Therapy Association. Presented Fall 2018-2020.
- 2018 Moliner, C., O'Flynn, J., **Flick, J.**, & Booth, J. *Overcoming challenges of international fieldwork partnerships through collaborative leadership culture.* Oral presentation, Canadian Association of Occupational Therapy, Vancouver, Canada. Presented June 2018.
- 2018 Moliner, C., **Flick, J.**, O'Flynn, J., & Duboc, S. *Challenges of international fieldwork partnerships and utilization of collaborative leadership.* Poster session, 17th International Congress of the World

Federation of Occupational Therapists, Cape Town, South Africa.  
Presented May 2018.

- 2018 **Flick, J. E.** *Human trafficking and the emerging role of occupational therapy.* Poster session, 17th International Congress of the World Federation of Occupational Therapists, Cape Town, South Africa. Presented May 2018.
- 2018 Cruz, E., Olmstead, J., **Flick, J.**, Gannon, S., Hunter, S., Cobble, B., & Johns, H. *Mental health promotion through community development: How to employ community-campus partnerships to integrate practice, education, and research.* Workshop, American Occupational Therapy Association Conference: Salt Lake City, UT. Presented April 2018.
- 2018 Zachry, A. & **Flick, J.** *OT in Pediatric Primary Care.* Short course, American Occupational Therapy Association Conference: Salt Lake City, UT. Presented April 2018.
- 2017 Coker-Bolt, P., O'Flynn, J., Barrett, K., & **Flick, J.** *The educational impact of global partnerships: The development of an OT educational program in Haiti.* Platform, American Occupational Therapy Association Education Summit: Fort Worth, TX. Presented Oct. 2018.
- 2017 Booth, J., O'Flynn, J., **Flick, J.**, Coker-Bolt, P., & Barrett, K. *Developing occupational and physical therapy in Haiti: Inter-professional and international collaborations.* Oral presentation, Collaborating Across Borders VI: Banff, Canada. Presented Oct. 2018.
- 2017 Coker-Bolt, P., O'Flynn, J., Barrett, K., **Flick, J. E.**, & Honorat, D. *The development of an OT educational program in Haiti: The impact of global partnerships.* Short course, American Occupational Therapy Association: Philadelphia, PA. Presented April 2017.
- 2016 **Flick, J. E.** *Human trafficking for sexual exploitation in Europe.* Poster presentation, American Public Health Association Conference: Denver, CO. Presented Nov. 2016.
- 2016 **Flick, J. E.**, Barnfield, L., Childers, S., Drake, R., Moore, H., & Whitfield, B. *A needs assessment on the insurance status of children with special health care needs in Shelby County.* Poster presentation, Tennessee Occupational Therapy Association Conference: Nashville, TN. Presented Sept. 2016.
- 2016 **Flick, J.**, Lancaster, S., & Zachry, A. *Tune up your teaching toolbox!* Poster presentation, American Occupational Therapy Association Conference: Chicago, IL. Presented April 2016.

- 2014 **Flick, J.** *Pi Theta Epsilon: A story of Delta Zeta Chapter's commitment to excellence.* Invited Speaker, Annual Pi Theta Epsilon Faculty Advisor Meeting, American Occupational Therapy Association Annual Conference: Baltimore, MD. Presented April 2014.
- 2013 **Flick, J.,** Davidson, M., & Wilson-Tucker, L. *Developmental approach to feeding and positioning.* Methodist South Hospital, Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU), Nursing Education Series: Memphis, TN. Presented Feb. 2013.
- 2012 Davidson, M., Wilson-Tucker, L., & **Flick, J.** *The NICU rehab team: Who we are and what we do.* Methodist South Hospital, NICU, Nursing Education Series: Memphis, TN. Presented Dec. 2012.
- 2012 **Flick, J.** *An occupational therapy experience with Haiti Medical Missions of Memphis.* Invited Speaker, Alabama Occupational Therapy Association and University of South Alabama, Department of Occupational Therapy: Mobile, AL. Presented March 2012.
- 2011 **Flick, J.** *Rehab experience with Haiti Medical Mission of Memphis.* Methodist South Outpatient Rehab: Memphis, TN. Presented Dec. 2011.
- 2010 Tekell, L., & **Flick, J.** *A community empowerment program: A pilot project in the Dominican Republic.* American Occupational Therapy Association Annual Conference: Orlando, FL. Presented April 2010.

### **Media Appearances**

- 2018 Interview, On The air Podcast, Challenging One's Mindset: Debriefing after WFOT Congress (Aug. 2018)

### **Completed Research Support (previous five years)**

The Gertrude E. Skelly Charitable Foundation Grant

Role: Co-I 12/01/2016-12/01/2018 \$20,000

Goal: To build capacity for sustaining a pediatric pro-bono therapy clinic in Memphis, TN through staff support and resources.

UTHSC iRISE (Institute for Research Innovation, Synergy and Health Equity) Pilot Projects Grant

Role: Co-I 01/01/2015-01/01/2018 \$10,000

Goal: Early STEPs (Screening for Therapy and Empowering Parents) Pilot Study to evaluate the impact of a brief consultation session on self-reported parental satisfaction

and to assess the feasibility and effectiveness of incorporating OT providers into an urban pediatric primary care setting to conduct developmental screenings.

## **Service**

### *University Service*

#### Pacific Northwest University of Health Sciences

- 2023- Faculty Senate Chair
- 2023- PNWU and Multicare Steering Committee
- 2023- Member, AI/ChatGPT Working Group
- 2022- Service and Social Engagement Committee
- 2022- Research Symposium, Reviewer, Judge, and Advisor (2023)
- 2022-2023 Search Chair, School of Occupational Therapy
- 2022-2023 Search Committees – Library and Student Affairs
- 2021-2023 Faculty Senate Work Group
- 2021-2022 Population Health Community of Practice
- 2021-2022 Yakima Valley Interprofessional Practice and Education Council Curriculum Committee (YVIPEC)

#### University of Tennessee Health Science Center

- 2015-2021 Faculty Advisor, Rachel K. Stevens Student-Run Pro Bono Pediatric Therapy Clinic
- 2013-2021 Faculty Advisor, Pi Theta Epsilon Occupational Therapy Honor Society, Delta Zeta Chapter
- 2018-2020 Member, Leadership Implementation Committee, and Interprofessional Education Committee for the Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP) – Community Engaged Care: Social Determinants of Health
- 2019-2020 Member, Doctor of Health Science (DHSc) Working Group/Ad Hoc Committee, College of Health Professions



- 2016-2019 Faculty Senator; Secretary & Treasurer-Executive Leadership Council (2018-2019); Subcommittee Non-Tenure Track Faculty (2018-2019); and Budget and Benefits Committee
- 2015-2017 Chair, Search Committee, College of Health Professions
- 2014-2017 Member, Appeals Committee, College of Health Professions

*Professional Service*

*Advisory Positions and Membership in Organizations and Committees*

- 2022- Dissertation Committee Member, Health Sciences, Nova Southeastern University
- 2022- Washington Occupational Therapy Association, Legislative Committee
- 2022- Developing Scholar, Global Association of Human Trafficking Scholars (GAHTS), Member of the Translational Workgroup
- 2022-2023 Elevate Ministries Collaborative, CPAR Advisor
- 2018-2021 Chair, Tennessee Fieldwork Consortium, American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA)
- 2018- Member, National Human Trafficking & Disability Working Group
- 2016- Member, Education and Research Working Groups, HEAL Trafficking
- 2010-2013 Alternate Delegate for TN, Representative Assembly, AOTA

*Professional membership*

- 2023- Member, Coalition of Occupational Therapy Advocates for Diversity (COTAD)
- 2021- Member, Washington Occupational Therapy Association
- 2018- Member, Haiti Association of Occupational Therapy
- 2013- Member, American Public Health Association
- 2010- Member, World Federation of Occupational Therapy
- 2008-2021 Member, Tennessee Occupational Therapy Association
- 2005- Member, American Occupational Therapy Association
- 2005-2008 Member, Alabama Occupational Therapy Association

*Community Service*

- 2024- Member, Rotary Club of Yakima Southwest, Yakima, WA
- 2022- Member, Yakima Valley Homeless Coalition, Yakima, WA
- 2018-2020 Volunteer Intake Interviewer, Lives Worth Saving, Restore Corps, Memphis, TN
- 2015-2017 Member, Health Services Advisory Committee, Porter Leath, Memphis, TN
- 2011-2014 Committee Co-Captain, Methodist South Hospital, 5k Fundraiser and Healthy Community Day, Memphis, TN
- 2011 Post-Earthquake Volunteer Occupational Therapist, Clinique E'sprit, Croix Des Bouquet, Haiti, Sept - Oct 2011
- 2010-2015 Member, Advisor for Whitehaven High School Key Club, Youth Priority One Committee, Webmaster, and 2012 Delegate for the Kiwanis International Convention, New Orleans, LA, Kiwanis Club of Whitehaven
- 2010-2013 Methodist South Hospital and Whitehaven Community Health Fairs
- 2009 Volunteer Occupational Therapist, Foundation for Peace, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic