

## Curriculum Vitae

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### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- 2014 Licensed Certified Social Worker-Clinical  
MD (LCSW-C) 16394, DC (LICSW) LC50080231, Hawaii (LCSW) 3971
- 2016 Certified Gottman Therapist (CGT) by the Gottman Institute ([www.gottman.com/](http://www.gottman.com/))
- 2015 Certified Sex Therapist by the American Association of Sexuality Educators,  
Counselors and Therapists ([www.aasect.org/](http://www.aasect.org/))
- 2015 Certified Imago Therapist by Imago Relationships International  
([www.imagorelationships.org/](http://www.imagorelationships.org/))

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### EDUCATION

- 2010** MSW, University of Maryland, School of Social Work
- 1984** BSW, College of Social Issues, Germany

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### OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

- 2014** Sexual Health Postgraduate Certificate Program, University of Michigan
- 2012** Trauma Stress Studies Certificate Program, Justice Resource Institute (JRI)
- 2010** Basic and Divorce Mediation Training, Conflict Resolution Center, Frederick, MD
- 1990** Montessori Teaching Diploma, Germany

Languages: German (mother tongue), English (fluent), French (proficient)

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### EMPLOYMENT: PRESENT and PAST

- since 2017** Therapist at Kentlands Psychotherapy, Gaithersburg, MD
- since 2016** Therapist in Private Practice in Germantown, MD
- since 2015** Couples Therapist at CouplesTherapyInc
  
- 2014 - 2016** Therapist at Guttman \$ Pearl Associates, Rockville, MD and Washington, DC
- 2012 - 2015** Therapist at Vesta Mental Health Outpatient Health Clinics, Germantown, MD
- 2010 - 2012** Mediator at the Frederick Conflict Resolution Center in Frederick, MD
- 2009 - 2010** Inter-Country Case Manager at International Social Services, Baltimore, MD
- 2008 - 2009** Case Manager at the Pre-Release Center, Rockville, MD
- 2005 - 2014** Assistant to the Police Attaché at the Embassy of Switzerland, Wash. DC
- 2004 - 2005** Substitute Elementary School Teacher at the German School, Potomac, MD
- 1998 - 2004** Principal of the Children's House Montessori School in Beijing, China
- 1992 - 1998** Montessori Teacher at the Manor Montessori School, Potomac, MD
- 1989 - 1992** Stay-at-home Mom
- 1987 - 1989** Special Education Teacher at the Franz Schubert School, Germany
- 1985 - 1987** German Language Instructor in West Samoa
- 1984 - 1985** Principal of a day care facility for children with special needs in Germany