CURRICULUM VITAE

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PERSONAL INFORMATION:

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Place of Birth:	Ridgewood, New Jersey

EDUCATION:

Undergraduate Education

<u>The University of Notre Dame</u>, South Bend, Indiana Bachelor of Arts in Government, 1996

<u>The Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing</u>, Baltimore, Maryland Bachelor of Science in Nursing, 1998

Graduate Education <u>The Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing</u>, Baltimore, Maryland Master of Science in Nursing (Adult Nurse Practitioner), 2000

Continuing Education <u>Vickie Milazzo Institute</u>, Houston, Texas Certified Legal Nurse Consultant (CLNC), 2003 - 2010

Sexual Assault Forensic Examiner Course, Escondido, California Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner, 2007

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

San Diego Cardiovascular Associates, Encinitas, California

<u>Nurse Practitioner</u>, 2012 - Present Participate in the outpatient and inpatient care of adult cardiology patients. Supervise exercise and pharmacological stress tests.

Vera Juris: A Medical-Legal Consulting Firm, San Diego, California

<u>Partner</u>, 2011 - Present Leads the firm's legal nurse consulting activities and is responsible for managing all client casework. Testifying expert for cases involving nurse practitioners and registered nurses. Legal nurse consulting practice includes both plaintiff and defense cases for medical malpractice, personal injury and product liability litigation.

Scripps Clinic, Division of Cardiology, La Jolla, California

<u>Nurse Practitioner</u>, 2004 – 2012 Participated in the outpatient and inpatient care of adult cardiology patients. Precepted physician assistant student.

Nutricula Juris: A Legal Nurse Consulting Firm, San Diego, California

Legal Nurse Consultant, 2007- 2010 Provided legal nurse consulting and expert testimony for plaintiff and defense cases.

Monmouth University, West Long Branch, New Jersey

<u>Clinical Adjunct Faculty</u>, 2003 - 2004 Precepted adult nurse practitioner student in the outpatient cardiology setting.

Cardiology Associates of New Brunswick, East Brunswick, New Jersey

Nurse Practitioner, 2001 - 2004 Participated in the outpatient and inpatient care of adult cardiology patients. Supervised 6-8 nuclear stress tests daily.

Phoenix Health Care, Englewood Cliffs, New Jersey

<u>Registered Nurse</u>, 2001 Per-diem agency nurse for various emergency departments in northern New Jersey.

Critical Care Nurses, Inc., Laurel, Maryland

<u>Registered Nurse</u>, 2000 Per-diem agency nurse for various emergency departments in the Baltimore area.

The Johns Hopkins Hospital, **Department of Emergency Medicine**, Baltimore, Maryland

<u>Registered Nurse</u>, 1998 - 2000

Worked as part of a multi-disciplinary team in a Level-1 Trauma Center to provide and coordinate direct care to emergency department patients.

The Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Maryland

Clinical Nursing Intern, 1997 - 1998

Assisted with total patient care on a medical unit that specialized in the treatment of individuals with AIDS-defining illnesses.

HONORS:

- Certificate of Appreciation: Recognized commitment to nursing education, 2004
- Ruth Dale Ogilby Award: Recognized outstanding academic performance, 2001
- Mary and Grainger Marburg Award: Recognized outstanding clinical expertise, 1998
- Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing, 1998

LICENSES:

- California Registered Nurse License, # 638337
- California Nurse Practitioner License and Furnishing Number, # 14902
- Drug Enforcement Agency, # MB0693134

CERTIFICATIONS:

- Board Certified Adult Nurse Practitioner by the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC)
- Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS)
- Basic Life Support (BLS/CPR)

INVITED LECTURES:

"Highlights of American College of Cardiology," March 2006. Presented synopsis of current research from the American College of Cardiology national conference to an audience of health care professionals.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES:

- *"Cardiology 2008,"* Del Mar Community Connections lecture, February 2008.
- *"Hot Topics in Cardiology: Questions and Answers for the Young and Young at Heart,"* Community lectures in August 2007 and October 2007.
- D.C. Rape Crisis Center Volunteer, 1996-1999.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

- American Association of Legal Nurse Consultants (AALNC)
 - o Board Member, San Diego Chapter, 2009-2014
- American Association of Nurse Practitioners (AANP)
- American College of Cardiology (ACC)