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## **EDUCATION:**

- 1995-1997      **The University of Pennsylvania, Center for the Study of Youth Policy, Philadelphia, PA:**  
Post-Doctoral Fellowship in Teaching and Research  
(Concentration: Children and Youth Policy)
- 1995            **The University of Pennsylvania School of Social Work, Philadelphia PA:**  
Doctor of Social Work (Concentration: Practice Theory)  
Dissertation: "*We are Family: Social Supports and Family Interaction Among Black College Students*"
- 1990            **The University of Michigan:**  
Master of Social Work  
(Concentration: Interpersonal Practice with Families and Groups/Community Organization; Certification in School Social Work)
- 1988            **Clarion University of Pennsylvania:**  
Cum Laude  
Bachelor of Arts Degree in Psychology

## **ACADEMIC HONORS:**

- 2019            Widener University  
Tilelli Faculty Fellowship Award
- 2010            Widener University  
Fitz Dixon Innovation in Teaching Award
- 2010            Project Pericles  
Periclean Faculty Leader Award
- 2005            Academic Service-Learning Faculty Development Program  
Selected to design an academic service learning course for policy practice for Spring 2005.
- 1995            The University of Pennsylvania  
Selected to deliver the Commencement Address

- 1992            The University of Pennsylvania  
 Fontaine Fellowship  
 The Marylyn Smith Award for Meritorious Academic Performance
- 1990            The University of Michigan  
 1989            Selected to deliver the Commencement Address  
 Merit Scholarship
- 1988            Clarion University Pennsylvania  
 Board of Governors Scholarship  
 National Minority Leadership Award
- 1984-1988      Clarion University of Pennsylvania  
 Martin Luther King Jr. Award for Academic Excellence

**SERVICE HONORS**

- 2019            Student Life Fellowship Award. Office of Student Life, Widener University
- 2018            Boys and Girls Club of Chester Humanitarian Award
- 2017            City of Chester Reentry Commission Service Appreciation Award
- 2016            Widener University Faculty Award for Civic Engagement
- 2015            White Rock Baptist Church Women’s Mission Union “Pillar of Strength Award”
- 2013            Chester WorkReady Appreciation Award for Outstanding Commitment to  
 Technical Training of Youth
- 2013            Zeta Phi Beta Pi Tau Chapter Phenomenal Woman Award
- 1993            The University of Pennsylvania  
 Women of Color Award for Outstanding Service to the Community
- 1988            Zeta Phi Beta, Inc. Award for Outstanding Community Service Kappa Omega  
 Zeta Chapter

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

2004 - Present      **Widener University**  
***Center for Social Work Education***  
***Associate Professor, Tenure 2010***

**Courses Taught:**

<b>BSW</b>	<b>MSW</b>	<b>PhD</b>
<b>SW107:</b> Introduction to Social Work and Social Welfare	<b>SW504:</b> Sociocultural Dimensions of Social Work	<b>SW812:</b> Social Welfare Policy

**SW341:** Social Welfare  
History and Policy I

**SW540:** Social and  
Economic Justice I

**SW813:** Facilitating and  
Evaluating Change  
Processes

**SW342:** Social Welfare  
History and Policy II

**SW541:** Social and  
Economic Justice II

**SW440:** Social Work with  
Organizations

**SW636:** Practice with  
Organizations

**SW441:** Social Work with  
Communities

**ED209:** Cultural  
Proficiency & Equity  
Literacy

1997- 2004

**Temple University**

***School of Social Administration***

**Assistant Professor:**

Revised syllabi, integrated the use of technology for each course by developing it for a Blackboard environment, participated in self-study, Chair of the Policy Sequence, member of the Curriculum Committee and Dean's Advisory Committee, and chaired the EPPC sub-committee on Field policies.

**Courses Taught:**

**BSW**

**SW 50:** Introduction to Social Welfare

**SW51:** Helping Professions I

**SW52:** Helping Professions II:  
Community Organization

**SW121:** The History of Social Welfare

**SW122:** Social Welfare Policy in the  
US

**SW280:** Organizational Theory

**MSW**

**SW401:** The History of Social  
Welfare

**SW402:** Social Welfare Policy in the  
US

1994-1997

**The University of Pennsylvania**  
***Afro-American Studies Program***

Adjunct Faculty: Undergraduate Senior Seminar on Black Families

***Graduate School of Social Work***

Adjunct Faculty: Second Year MSW course on Family Policy.

***ADMINISTRATIVE AND STUDENT AFFAIRS EXPERIENCE***

1997-2004  
2003-2004

**Temple University**

**Acting BSW Program Chair, School of Social Administration**

Responsibilities include overseeing curriculum and development, reviewing curriculum for self-study, orienting new faculty, assisting in the selection of adjuncts, managing student grievances, supervising the Director of advising and

undergraduate recruitment, monitoring and evaluating student policies and procedures, collaborating with area community colleges recruit and advise transfer students. Developed and implemented MSW extended orientation program for all incoming MSW students and Implemented first formal SSA Convocation.

2003-2004

**Served as a member of the University Writing Committee**

Appointed by the Director of the University Writing Center to assist in developing policy to incorporate writing across the curriculum in the University.

1999-2003

**Chair of the Policy Sequence, School of Social Administration**

Developed syllabi for foundation MSW and Junior level BSW policy courses. Participated in self-study, mentored junior and adjunct faculty teaching in the sequence, participated in the development of new MSW policy courses in Aging, Child Welfare, and Mental Health concentrations.

2001-2003

**Appointed by the Faculty Senate Chair to Serve on Two Commissions to Revise the University General Education Curriculum**

Reviewed the history of the "core" based on all available reports and data collected over the past fifteen years. Examined the current range of course offerings, including all the current core areas and the courses that count within those areas. Analyzed the relationship between the common core courses and the distribution of courses as they currently exist. Conducted campus-wide focus groups to determine student reaction to proposed changes in the university core.

1991-1995

**The University of Pennsylvania  
Department of Academic Support Programs**

1994-1995

*PENNCAP Tutor Coordinator*

Conducted individual academic counseling with students. Implemented PENNCAP Tutorial component, which includes procedures for developing, assigning, monitoring and reporting the tutorial activities of PENNCAP students. Recruited and hired pool of tutors to work specifically with PENNCAP students. Conducted mid-year and annual evaluation of tutor pool. Managed database for PENNCAP Tutoring in order to produce monthly, semester, and annual reports for PENNCAP funding agencies.

1993-1994

*Mentor Program Coordinator*

Administered programs and activities for over 1000 students, faculty, administrators and staff participants. Developed and implemented training for faculty/staff mentors and student/peer mentors. Implemented Mentor Program Student of Color Orientation Workshop for first year students. Produced bi-semester newsletter for program participants.

1993

*Office of Alcohol and Drug Education*  
Staff Assistant

Coordinated office operations and supervised workers. Organized training manual. Produced communication brochure and newsletter.

1991-1993

*Office of Student Life Programs*  
Graduate Assistant

Organized University-wide Graduate and Professional Student Orientation.

Produced Graduate and Professional Calendar of Events and the Graduate and Professional Handbook, which had a circulation of 4000/year. Assisted in the design and implementation of the first University-wide Graduate and Professional Convocation at the University of Pennsylvania. Assisted in the design and implementation of University multicultural programs. Co-designed leadership retreat for 30 African American undergraduate students. Worked collaboratively to design and implement the University-wide Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Commemorative Program.

## **CONSULTING AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

2005-Present

### **Widener University Center for Social Work Education Social Work Consultation Services**

#### **Chester Weed and Seed**

Consultant for Chester Weed and Seed Revitalization Plan Update. Conducted community focus groups, strategic planning sessions, data analysis, GIS mapping of community resources, and organizational capacity building.

#### ***Eastside Neighborhood Connection***

Providing consultation services to increase organizational capacity. Activities include supervising students, conducting neighborhood analyses, interviewing key decision makers, designing and implementing a strategic planning retreat.

#### ***Chester-Upland School District***

Serving as co-evaluator of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Centers After School Project.

#### ***Chester Community and University Partnership***

Co-supervised students in the design and implementation of the Eastside Neighborhood Summit. The purpose of the summit was to conduct focus groups with community residents, leaders and service providers. Information received from the summit provided the assessment data for use in the Community Organization Partnership Collaboration Grant.

2001-2003

### **The University of Pennsylvania National Center on Fathers and Families**

#### ***“Parental Involvement of Non-Residential Fathers of Children Born to Adolescent Mothers”***

This study analyzed parental involvement of non-residential fathers to ascertain which fathers of children born to adolescent mothers stay connected with their children over time.

2000-2002

### **The University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine**

#### ***“Complementary and Alternative Medicine Use Among African Americans”.***

The aim of this pilot project was to draft a survey instrument and test it for validity and feasibility to study the use of, attitudes toward, understanding of, and need for Collaborative and Alternative Medicine (CAM) in the African American community in Southwest Philadelphia.

2000

### **Department of Human Services**

*“Fathers and Father Figures”*

Co-PI for a grant to determine the level of involvement and commitment of adult males in the lives of children receiving Services to Children in their Own Homes (SCOH) and to determine Department of Human Services staff member’s awareness and attitudes about those men. This study was conducted in conjunction with Dr. Jay Fagan, Temple University SSA, and Mr. Joseph Kuna, Department of Human Services.

1997

**One Day At A Time**

Consultant responsible for proposal writing for a community- based organization to combat AIDS in the Black community.

1997

**Ronald McDonald House of Delaware**

Co-Principal Investigator to conduct a needs assessment of Key Decision Makers (Board members, staff, clients, insurance and hospital administrators) to determine the strategic vision for the Delaware Ronald McDonald House. Designed data collection instrument and conducted a needs assessment to be used for the Ronald McDonald House of Delaware strategic planning session.

1996

**State of Utah Department of Human Services**

Consultant to the Department of Human Services Compliance Assessment  
Designed data verification instrument for Human Services audit.

1995-1996

**Eighth Senatorial District of Pennsylvania**

Co-Principal Investigator contracted by state senator to conducted a needs assessment and demographic study in West Philadelphia for the purpose of developing a neighborhood youth prevention and referral center. Conducted a demographic study to assess community needs. Developed a proposal to establish the Philadelphia Juvenile Center, Inc.: A referral and alternative programming center for West Philadelphia Youth. Developed the Resource Guide for West Philadelphia Teens.

1995-1997

**State of Montana Department of Corrections**

Co-Principal Investigator. Collaborated with Department of Corrections Administrators and Officials to evaluate Juvenile Corrections program effectiveness and outcomes and to suggest possible modifications to improve existing programs. Conducted focus groups with Montana key decision makers (legislators, judges, administrators, probation officers, prosecutors and police) to determine their strategic vision for the Montana Department of Corrections. Developed questionnaire to survey knowledge, attitudes and beliefs of Montana key decision makers about the Juvenile Corrections Division.

1992-1994

**The University of Pennsylvania**

*PENNCAP Program*

Consultant. Developed a questionnaire to measure program effectiveness and student satisfaction for a government research study.

1991-1992

*Pre-Freshman Program*

Consultant. Developed and facilitated a one-week training program for peer advisors involved in a summer pre-college program that included basic counseling skills, Student Development Theory, diversity issues, and wellness.

## **RESEARCH AND SELECTED COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT GRANTS**

- 2020                    **Barnett, M.** 2020-2021 Bonner Community-Engaged Learning Initiative  
Funded: \$7,600
- 2019                    Mielke, G. and **Barnett, M.** 2019-2020 Bonner Community-Engaged Learning  
Initiative  
Funded: \$20,000
- 2017                    **Barnett, M.** and Northern, D. Chester Drug Free Communities  
Funded 5 years: 125,000/year (Total \$625,000)
- Barnett, M.** and Prattis, A. Phase II Splash Pad in Chester Township. PA  
Department of Conservation and Natural Resources Small Community  
Development Grant.  
Funded \$60,000.
- 2016                    **Barnett, M.** Scattergood Foundation Building Evaluation Capacity Initiative  
Selected for 3 year participation for consulting with the Consultation Center at  
Yale University to conduct an evaluation of the Boys and Girls Club of Chester  
Power Hour Program
- 2015                    **Barnett, M.** and Prattis, A. Phase 1 Basketball Courts in Chester Township. PA  
Department of Conservation and Natural Resources Small Community  
Development Grant.  
Funded \$40,000.
- 2014                    **Barnett, M.** and Dennis, L. County Offender Re-entry Planning Grant for the City  
of Chester. Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency.  
Funded \$10,000.
- Barnett, M.** and Rosenzweig, C. Healthy Girls of Chester. Hartford  
Undergraduate Community Research Proposal. Widener University.  
Funded \$1500.
- Leonelli, S., LaCouture, K., Defrancisco, G., and **Barnett, M.** Swimming with  
Pride. Schmutz Student Engagement Mini Grant. Widener University.  
Funded \$1000.
- 2014                    Rosenzweig, C. and **Barnett, M.** Healthy Girls of Chester. Widener University.  
Schmutz Student Engagement Mini Grant. Funded \$1000.  
**Barnett, M.** and Northern, D. Chester Boys and Girls Club Face Forward 2  
Community Grant. Connection Training Services, Philadelphia, PA through the  
U.S. Department of Labor. Status: Funded \$1,416,667.

- 2015                   **Barnett, M.** Borislow Community Engagement Fellowship  
Status: Funded \$6000
- 2012                   **Barnett, M.** Crozer Keysone Medical System Healthy Chester Coalition:  
Healthy Chester Coalition Health Resources Guide and Website. Status:  
Funded \$10,000
- Chad Freed and **Marina Barnett** Delaware Valley Regional Planning  
Commission Delaware County Centerline Project: Chester Centerline Project.  
Status: Funded \$10,000
- Barnett, M. Growth Gospel Fund. Submitted on behalf of Spruce Hill Christian  
School. Status: Funded \$20,000.
- 2010                   **Barnett, M.** Mapping Food Resources in the City of Chester. Project Pericles  
Faculty Leadership Award. Status: Funded \$4000.00
- 2008                   **Barnett, M. & Freed, C.** *Asset Mapping and the Chester Community Project*  
Pericles. Status: Funded \$4000.00
- 2007                   **Barnett, M. & Kauffman, S.** *"It Starts with Me" Abstinence Education Program*  
*Evaluation.* Community Based Abstinence Education 90AE0196.  
Status: Funded \$81,905 (5 year Total Award, \$409,525)
- 2006                   **Barnett, M.** *Human Rights Challenges, United Nations Trip to NYC.* Widener  
University Performance and Lecture Series Mini-grant. Status: Funded \$175
- 2006                   **Barnett, M.** *Academic Service-Learning Faculty Development Award.* Widener  
University. Status: Funded Course Release
- 20050-02007       Kauffman, S., Poulin, J. & **Barnett, M.** (2005-2007). *21<sup>st</sup> Century Learning*  
*Centers Evaluation.* A \$90,000 grant proposal funded by the Chester-Upland  
School District.
- 1999-2003           **Barnett, M.** *"Parental Involvement of Non-Residential Fathers of Children Born*  
*to Adolescent Mothers"*. Temple University Research Incentive Fund  
Status: Funded \$5,000; one year; National Center on Fathers and Families;  
Funded: \$10,000, 2 years.
- 2000                   Fagan, J. and **Barnett, M.** *Fathers and Father Figures: Department of Human*  
*Services Study.* William Penn Foundation Community Development Grant-  
Status: Funded \$15,000, one year.
- 1997-2000           **Barnett, M.** and Purnell, J. *Neighborhood United Against Drugs William Penn*  
*Peacemakers Grant.* William Penn Foundation  
Status: Funded \$250,000/3 years.

## **PUBLICATIONS:**

### **Peer-Reviewed Publications**

Freed, C & **Barnett, M.** (2009) *Geographic Information System in Service Learning.* Academic Exchange Quarterly, 13(3), p. 31-38.



**Barnett, M.**, Silver, P., and Grundy, T. (2009) *Implementing Service-Learning Pedagogy: A Case Example*, Journal of Higher Education Outreach and Engagement, v.13(4), p. 117-134.

Johnson, J., Hayden, T, Thomas, T., Groce-Martin, J., Henry, T., **Barnett, M.**, & Kumanyika, S. (2009) *Building Community Participatory Research Coalitions from the Ground Up: The Philadelphia Area Research Community Coalition (PARCC)*. Progress in Community Health Partnerships: Research, Education, and Action, v. 3(1), p. 61-72.

**Barnett, M.** (2004) *A Qualitative Analysis of Family Support and Interaction among Black College Students at an Ivy League University*. Journal of Negro Education, v. 73(1) p. 53-68.

Fagan, J. and **Barnett, M.** (2003) *The Relationship Between Maternal Gatekeeping, Paternal Competence, Mother's Attitudes about the Father Role, and Father-Child Care Involvement*. Journal of Family Issues, v. 24(8), p. 1020-1043.

Fagan, J. and **Barnett, M.**, Bernd, E., and Whiteman, V. (2003) *Prenatal Involvement of Adolescent Unmarried Fathers*. Fathering, v. 1(3), p. 283-301.

**Barnett, M.**, Cotroneo, M., McKenzie, E., Purnell, J., Martin, D, and Fishman, A. (2003) *Use of CAM in African American Communities: Community Partnered Research*. Journal of the National Medical Association, v. 95(10), p. 943-950.

#### **Peer-Reviewed Book Chapters**

Kauffman, S., & **Barnett, M.** (2018). Mezzo assessment: Organizations and communities. In J. Poulin, S. Matis & H. Witt, *The Social Work Field Placement: A Competency-Based Approach* (pp-259-284). New York: Springer Publishing.

Kauffman, S., & **Barnett, M.** (2018). Mezzo interventions: Organizations and communities. In J. Poulin, S. Matis & H. Witt, *The Social Work Field Placement: A Competency-Based Approach* (pp305-330-). New York: Springer Publishing.

**Barnett, M.** (2009) *General Practice with Communities*. In Poulin, J., Strengths Based Generalist Practice: A Collaborative Approach 3<sup>rd</sup> Ed. p. 322-372. Brooks Cole Publishers, Belmont: CA.

Cotroneo, M., Purnell, J., and **Barnett, M.** (2004) *Community-Academic Partnerships*, in L. Evans & N. Lang (Eds), Academic Nursing Practice: Shaping the Future of Healthcare, p. 219-235. New York: Springer Publishing.

#### **Published Report**

**Barnett, M.** and Fagan, J. (2000) *Fathers and Father Figures: A Report to the Department of Human Services*. The University Community Collaborative of Philadelphia.

#### **Unpublished Reports**

**Barnett, M.** and Kauffman, S. (2009) *Community Based Abstinence Education. Evaluation of the LaSalle University "Sex Can Wait" Abstinence Education Program*.

**Barnett, M.** (2009) *Chester Weed and Seed Community Revitalization Plan*. Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency.

Poulin, J., Kauffman, S., and **Barnett, M.** (2006) Chester Upland School District 21<sup>st</sup> Century After-School Programs Outcome Evaluation Report.

### **CONFERENCE, KEYNOTE, AND PANEL PRESENTATIONS:**

Bushra, J. and **Barnett, M.** (2021) *Teen Drug Use During COVID-19*. Delaware County Christian School, Newtown Square, PA.

**Barnett, M.** (2021) *Pennsylvania Youth Survey Presentation*. NAACP Media Branch. Media, PA.

**Barnett, M.** (2021) *Pennsylvania Youth Survey Presentation*. Communities That Care. Chester, PA

Taylor, M., **Barnett, M.**, Church, S., and Hill, I. (2021) *Health Equity*. Chester Housing Authority. Chester, PA.  
<https://ne-np.facebook.com/chesterhousingauthority/videos/975558466521492/>

**Barnett, M.** (2021) *Unlocking Our Potential Through Strengths-Based Leadership* Widener Women's Conference. Widener University, Chester, PA.

**Barnett, et al.** (2021) *The Divine 9: Building A Legacy That Lasts*. Fraternity and Sorority Life. Widener University, Chester, PA.

**Barnett, et al.** (2021) *360° of Black Love: A Blue Table Talk Discussion*. Widener University, Chester, PA.

Wilkinson, Z. and **Barnett, M.** (2021) *Chisholm '72: Unbought and Unbossed Documentary Screening with Panel Discussion on the legacy of Shirley Chisholm*. Widener University, Chester, PA.

Workman, A., McRae, A., and **Barnett, M.** (2021) *Online Teaching and Learning: An Interactive Panel of Students and Faculty*. Echo Bridge Week Capstone Session. Widener University, Chester, PA.

**Barnett, M.**, Corbo, A., and Lecrone, W. (2020) *Misinformation and Propaganda: A Panel Discussion Sponsored by Wolfgram Library*. Widener University, Chester, PA.

**Barnett, M.** (2020) *"Supporting College Students During COVID."* Homecoming & Reunion Week Parents' Network Virtual Gathering. Widener University, Chester, PA

**Barnett, M.**, Rathsmill, L., Fischer, G. (2020) *Teaching Tools for Keeping the "Community" in Virtual Community Engaged Learning Environment*. Presented at the Bonner 2020 Online Summer Leadership Institute.

Simons, L. and **Barnett, M.** (2020) *A Pilot Assessment of a University Academic Service-Learning Program on Student Learning and Faculty Development*. Lilly Conference Teaching for Active and Engaged Learning. San Diego, CA.

**Barnett, M.** and Campbell, C. (2019) *Restoring the Role of Communities to Heal Themselves*. 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Philadelphia Trauma Conference, Philadelphia, PA.

- McHenry, N., Allen- Pressley, E., Bell-Dixon, Green, L., M., Payne, M. and **Barnett, M.** (2019) A Community of Practice - Working Together toward Cultural Proficiency and Equity Literacy. Summer Institute Community-Engaged Teacher Preparation, Ball State University, Muncie, IN
- Barnett, M.** (2019) Flipping the Script: *Reimagining Chester*. Training for Stetser Elementary School Staff. Chester, PA
- Barnett, M.** (2018) *Finer Womanhood and The Art Of Addressing Microaggressions*. Widener Women's Conference. Widener University, Chester, PA
- Barnett, M.**, Johnson, C., and Montgomery, T. (2018) *Beyond Greek: Lessons and Leadership in National Pan-Hellenic Council Sororities*. Widener Women's Conference. Widener University, Chester, PA.
- Urraca, B., Madigoski, S., **Barnett, M.**, Freed, C., and Vike, J. (2018) *From Chester, Pennsylvania to Poás, Costa Rica: Integrative Learning, Civic Engagement, and Sustainability Education at Widener University*. AAC&U Wagner College Joint Forum: Faculty Leadership for Integrative Learning: Revisiting Evolving Pedagogy, Staten Island, NY.
- Simons,L., **Barnett, M.**, Kucirka, B. and Marshall, S. (2018) *Infusing Academic-based Service-learning Across the University: Teaching Students about Social Justice Issues and Preparing Them to be Culturally Competent Leaders*. National Association for Multicultural Education. Philadelphia, PA.
- Barnett, M.** (2017) *Assessing Community Impact: Moving from Problems to Outcomes*. 90-Minute Training Session at the Coalition of Urban and Metropolitan Universities Annual Conference, Denver, CO.
- Barnett, M.** (2016) *Women's Resources in Delaware County*. Delaware County Women's Commission. Widener University, Chester, PA
- Barnett, M.** (2016) *Flipping the Script: From Problems to Promise*. Coalition of Urban and Metropolitan Universities Annual Conference, Washington, DC.
- Barnett, M.** (2016) *What Does It Mean To Be A Civically Engaged University?* President's Lecture. Chester, PA
- Barnett, M.**, Rosenzweig, C., Leonelli, S., DiFrancisco, G. and LaCouture, K. (2015) *Theory to Practice: Civic Engagement Through Community Development*. Coalition of Urban and Metropolitan Universities Annual Conference, Omaha, NE.
- Barnett, M.**, Davis, M., and Alvare, B. (2014) *Community Based Research*. Academic Service Learning Fellowship Brown Bag Series. Widener University, Chester, PA.
- Barnett, M.** (2014) *Civic Engagement: The Role of Family and Faith*. Wonderfully Made and Highly Valued. Educational Workshops for Students and Parents. Delaware County Christian School, Newtown Square, PA.
- Barnett, M.** and Freed, C. (2014) *Geographic Information Systems*. Academic Service Learning Fellowship Brown Bag Series. Widener University, Chester, PA.

- Liss, J., **Barnett, M.**, Berger, B., Kane, E., Olsen, E. (2013) *Linking Classrooms, Campuses, Communities, and Colleagues via Social and Civic High Engagement Learning*. American Academy of Colleges and Universities, Atlanta, GA
- Barnett, M. (2012)** *Service-Learning as a Tool for Teaching English as a Second Language*. Presentation to visiting Chongqing Technical and Business University Faculty, Chester, PA
- Barnett, M. (2012)** *Hunger in Delaware County, PA: Needs, Resources, and Directions*. Annual Hunger Conference, Chester, PA
- Barnett, M.** (2011) *Watering the Food Desert: Service Learning and Civic Engagement in an Urban Environment*. Council on Social Work Education APM. Atlanta, GA.
- Barnett, M.**, Owens, C., and Woodland, J. (2011) *Back to the Basics: Using Student Teach-Ins to Discuss the Preamble of the Constitution*. American Democracy Project Conference. Orlando, FL.
- Barnett, M.** and Bryant, M. (2011) *Responding to the Call: Community Organization and Social Action in the Age of Apathy*. National Association of Black Social Workers. New Orleans, LA.
- Barnett, M.** (2011) *Community Asset Mapping*. Chinese Technical and Business University Conference. Chongqing, China.
- Barnett, M.** (2011) *Taking it to the Street: Service Learning, Civic Engagement, and Community Based Participatory Research*. President's Lecture. Chester, PA
- Schechner, S., **Barnett, M.** & Simons, L. (2011 and 2012) *Sharing Best Practices: Facilitating Class Discussions on Sensitive Issues Related to Diversity*. Widener University Bridge Week, Chester, PA
- Barnett, M.** (2010) *Mapping Assets of Local Communities*. National Association of Black Social Workers. Philadelphia, PA
- Barnett, M.** and Freed, C. (2010) *Building Coalitions in the University: An Asset Mapping Project*. Crossing the Disciplinary Divide: Innovative Pedagogy and Course Redesign Conference, Fairfield, CT.
- Barnett, M.** and Turner, J. (2009) *Building Sustainable Communities Part I: Developing Meaningful University/Community Collaborations*. Coalition of Urban and Metropolitan Universities. Philadelphia, PA
- Barnett, M.** and Freed, C. (2009) *Building Sustainable Communities Part II: Using GIS Mapping to Create Meaningful Assessments*. Coalition of Urban and Metropolitan Universities. Philadelphia, PA.
- Kauffman, S. and **Barnett, M.** (2009) *Courses on Community Theory and Practice: Model Assignments to Promote Civic Engagement*. Coalition of Urban and Metropolitan Universities. Philadelphia, PA.
- Barnett, M.**, Ashford, J., and Bryant, M. (2009) *Mapping Community Assets*. National

Association of Black Social Workers Annual Conference. Louisville, KY.

**Barnett, M.** & Freed, C. (2009) *There's Nothing Useful in This Town: Using GIS Mapping Strategies to Uncover Hidden Resources*. Annual Philadelphia Higher Education Network for Neighborhood Development Conference. Philadelphia, PA.

Kauffman, S. & **Barnett, M.** (2008) *Explaining Differences in Social Problem Prioritization Among the Poor: Community Practice Implications*. Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting, Philadelphia, PA.

**Barnett, M.** & Ashford, J. (2008) *Mapping Assets of Local Communities*. Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting, Philadelphia, PA.

Hayden, T., **Barnett, M.**, Thomas, N (2008) *Community-Based Participatory Research and Asset Mapping* University of Pennsylvania Public Health & GIS Summer Institute, Philadelphia, PA

**Barnett, M.** and Grundy, T. (2007) *Survival Tools for Service Providers Navigating the Medicare Prescription Drug Maze*. Joint Conference of the American Society on Aging and the National Council on Aging, Chicago, IL.

**Barnett, M.**, Kauffman, S., & Yoon, S. (2007) *Developing a Community-Based Technology Plan*. Third Annual Conference on Technology, Knowledge, and Society, Cambridge, UK.

**Barnett, M.** & Silver, P (October, 2006) *Using Service-Learning to Help a Community Respond to the Medicare Modernization Act: Developing Survival Tools for the Medicare Prescription Drug Maze*.

Coalition of Urban and Metropolitan Universities, Miami, FL.

**Barnett, M.** (2006) *Connecting Service Learning to Policy Practice and Community Organization: Survival Tools for Service Providers Working in the Medicare Prescription Drug Maze*. Virginia Commonwealth University/Influencing State Policy: The 2006 Policy Conference. Washington, DC.

**Barnett, M.** & Burrell, M. (May 2005) *Technology and Where to Go for Help: Computer Information and Resources for Grandparents Raising Grandchildren*. Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Conference, Chester, PA.

**Barnett, M.** & Davis, L. (April, 2004) *Increasing Father Involvement: A Presentation of a Qualitative Study of Caseworkers in Services to Children in Their Own Homes (SCOH)*. National Association of Black Social Workers Annual Conference. Pittsburgh, PA.

**Barnett, M.** (April, 2002) *The Overwhelming Needs of Technology in Non-Profit Agencies* 2002 Digital Miracles Conference, The University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

**Barnett, M.** (February, 2002) *We are Family: Social Supports and Family Interaction Among Black College Students* National Black Family Summit, Charlotte, SC.

**Barnett, M.** & Fagan, J. (November, 2001) *The Relationship Between Maternal Gatekeeping, Paternal Competence, Mother's Attitudes about the Father Role, and Father-Child Care Involvement*. National Council of Family Relations Conference (Poster Session), Buffalo, NY.

Fagan, J. & **Barnett, M.** (November, 2000) *"Parental Involvement of Non-Residential Fathers of*

Children Born to Adolescent Mothers” National Council of Family Relations Conference: Research on Fathers Roundtable, Milwaukee, WI.

**Barnett, M. & Johnson, R.** (October, 2000) *“Teaching With Technology: First Generation/At-risk Student Considerations”*. Montgomery Community College Sixth Annual Mid Atlantic Conference: “Teaching, Learning, and Managing with Technology”. Montgomery Community College, PA.

**Barnett, M. & Davis, B.** (March, 2003) *“Social Value, Technology, and Social Work Planning”* PA National Association of Social Workers, Poconos, PA

**Davis, B. & Barnett, M.** (September, 1999) *“Social Value, Technology, and Social Work Planning”* Technology Conference for Social Work Education and Practice, Charleston, SC.

**Barnett, M.** (December, 1996) *“Counseling African American and Black College Students”* University of Pennsylvania Counseling and Psychological Services, Philadelphia, PA

**Barnett, M.** (April, 1995) *Dubois College House: Developing Social Support Networks Among African American and Black College Students.* Annual Souls of Dubois Conference. The University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA.

**Barnett, M.** (February, 1995) *“Developing Leadership in Our Children”* Trinity AUMP Church. Family Day Keynote Address, Rising Sun, MD.

**Barnett, M.** (February, 1993) *“The Power of the Black Family”* Trinity AUMP Church. Featured Black History Month Speaker, Rising Sun, MD.

**Barnett, M.** (October, 1992) *“Developing an understanding of the NABSW and NASW”* Bryn Mawr University, Bryn Mawr, PA.

**Barnett, M.** (April, 1992) *“The Graduate School Experience”* Consortium on Financing Higher Education, Panelist, Philadelphia, PA.

**Barnett, M.** (March, 1992) *“Powerful Strategies in Community Organizing”* Souls of Dubois Conference, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

**Barnett, M.** (April, 1991) *“The Politics of Counseling: Social Work in the African American Community”* Clark-Atlanta University School of Social Work, Atlanta, GA.

## **UNIVERSITY, COMMUNITY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE:**

### **University Service**

#### **University Committees**

2021	Search Committee Member Counseling and Psychological Services
2021	Search Committee Member Director of Global and Civic Engagement
2021	Search Committee Member Vice President for Enrollment Management
2021-	Graduate and Undergraduate Student Resources Taskforce
2020-	<i>Breathe</i> Board Advisor
2020-	Faculty Development Team
2019-	Chair, Faculty Council Student Affairs Committee
2019-	University Graduation Volunteer
2019-	Co-Facilitator of Bonner Foundation Community-Engaged Learning Community
2019-	Student Food Insecurity Taskforce
2016-	Bonner Junior Capstone Advisor and Racial Justice Initiative Advisor
	Co-Director, Academic Service-Learning Faculty Development Fellowship
2016-2020	Program
2018-	Chair, Faculty Council Admissions and Financial Aid Committee
2017-2018	Civic Engagement Advisory Committee
2017-	Chair, Advising Taskforce
2015-2016	Diversity, Leadership, and Inclusion Council
2014-15; 2018-	Vice-Chair, Admissions and Financial Aid Committee
2014-	President's Community Advisory Council
2010-2012	Oskin Leadership Institute Advisory Committee
2010-2013	Faculty Affairs Committee
2010-	Office of Pedagogical Support Advisory Committee
2010-	Political Engagement Committee
2010-	Project Pericles Campus Leader
2010-	Academic Service Learning Advisory Committee
	Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. Faculty Advisor
2008-2012	Faculty Council Representative
2008-2009	Vision 2015 Strategic Planning Task Force
2007-2011	Academic Community Service-Learning Committee
2007-2011	Faculty and Administrators of Color Network of WU
2007-2009	Graduation Marshall

2005-2009 General Education Taskforce  
2004-2007 Student Services (Vice Chair, 2007)

**College of Health and Human Services Committees**

2020- CHHS Civic and Global Engagement Committee  
2020 Chair, Committee on Promotion, Academic Freedom, and Tenure  
2010-2012 Faculty Affairs Committee  
2005-2009; 2014- Committee on Promotion Academic Freedom and Tenure  
2005-2011 Graduate Student Research Symposium CSWE Coordinator

**Center for Social Work Committees**

2020 Organizer, *What is Antiracism?* Three-part series  
2018- Chair, Academic Affairs Committee  
2018- CORE Grants Team  
2012- Academic Affairs Committee  
2019-2020 Chair, Promotion, Academic Freedom and Tenure Committee  
2005-2011, 2014- Promotion, Academic Freedom and Tenure Committee  
2010- Student Orientation Committee  
2010- CSWE Advisory Committee  
2004- BSW Program Committee  
2004-2013 MSW Program Committee  
2006- Ph.D. Program Committee  
2004-2013 Advisor, NABSW (Rites of Passage Program)

**Community Service**

2021 **Metropolitan Christian Council of Philadelphia.** Restorative Cities Evaluation.

2021 **Chester Upland School District:** COVID Vaccine Campaign for Youth 12+

2020 **The Joy of Being Me Women’s Retreat.** Co-Organizer. Funded: \$3000

2016- **Chester Boys and Girls Club:** Provided grant writing assistance to secure the *Chester Boys and Girls Club Drug Free Communities Grant*. Status: Funded 5 years \$125,000/year.

**Chester Township City Council:** Provided grant writing assistance to secure the *Phase 2 Splash Pad in Chester Township. PA*



Department of Conservation and Natural Resources Small  
Community Development Grant. Status: Funded \$60,000.

**Delaware County Women's Commission.** Created Women's  
Resource Guide Asset Map

**White Rock Baptist Church** 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Pastor and People  
Planning Committee. Co-Chair, Family Focus Committee. Assistant Cub  
Master, Pack 16.

2015

**Chester Boys and Girls Club:** Provided grant writing assistance to  
secure the *Chester Boys and Girls Club Face Forward 2 Community  
Grant*. Connection Training Services, Philadelphia, PA through the U.S.  
Department of Labor. Status: Funded \$1,416,667.

**Chester Township City Council:** Provided grant writing assistance  
to secure the *Phase 1 Basketball Courts in Chester Township*. PA  
Department of Conservation and Natural Resources Small Community  
Development Grant. Status: Funded \$40,000.

**Chester Reentry Committee:** Provided grant writing assistance to  
secure the *County Offender Re-entry Planning Grant for the City of  
Chester*. Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency. Status:  
Funded \$10,000; Development of the Chester Reentry Resource Guide.

**Chester High School and Let's Move!** Served as faculty advisor to  
create the *Healthy Girls of Chester Program* to encourage healthy living  
and nutritional education among high school girls. Secured \$2500 in  
funding from the Widener University Hartford Undergraduate Community  
Research and Schmutz Student Engagement Mini Grants.

**Chester Boys and Girls Club** Served as faculty advisor to create the  
*Swimming with Pride Program* designed to teach urban youth basic  
swimming skills. Schmutz Student Engagement Mini Grant. Widener  
University. Status: Funded \$1000.

**White Rock Baptist Church** Strategic Planning Process Co-Leader.  
Secured \$1000.00 in funding from the Home Depot Youth Garden Grant  
program to create the *White Rock Children's Garden*. Proceeds from the  
garden supports the Malawi Providence Medical Mission.

2014

**Chester Community Improvement Project:** Borislow Community  
Engagement Fellowship Status: Funded \$6000. Developed a process n to  
conduct a Housing Assessment in the East Gateway Community.  
Developed a computer app to aid in data collection, storage and GIS  
analysis for the agency.

2012-

**Healthy Chester Coalition:** Serve as a co-Chair of the Healthy Chester  
Coalition the mission of the coalition is to create a healthier Chester  
community. Secured funding to create the *Healthy Chester Coalition  
Health Resources Guide and Website*. Status: Funded \$10,000

- 2012- **Chester Youth Collaborative:** Facilitator of Chester Older Youth Plan.
- 2012- **Boy Scouts of America:** Assistant Cubmaster
- 2011-2013 **Men of Concern:** Organizational Capacity Building, Professional Development.
- 2010-2013 **Greener Partners:** Consultation
- 2009- **Girl Scouts of America:** Parent Volunteer
- 2008-2011 **Chester Community Improvement Project:** Organizational capacity building.
- 2008- **East Gateway Triangle Neighborhood Association:** Trained community residents in data collection, data analysis, and community organizing.
- 2008-2011 **Spruce Hill Christian School and Center City Academy:** School Board Member. Brokered donation of 50 computers from local businesses to create school computer rooms.
- 2008 **Saint Monica's Catholic Church Youth Group:** Developed and implemented workshops to train youth to design community service initiatives.
- 2007-2013 **Chester Weed and Seed:** Organizational capacity building workshops on strategic planning, research design and methodology, led community focus groups and wrote the Chester Weed and Seed Revitalization Plan, 2009.
- 2007-2013 **Chester Youth Collaborative:** Strategic planning, organizational capacity building, and board development.
- 2006-2008 **Delaware County Community Foundation:** Community asset mapping for 65+ population.
- 2005-2006 **County of Delaware Services for the Aging:** Designed and moderated one day conference on Medicare D.
- 2005-2008 **Lighthouse Community Church:** Strategic planning, grant writing, organizational capacity building.
- 2004-2009 **Philadelphia Area Research Community Coalition (PARCC):** Strategic planning and organizational capacity building
- 2004-2009 **White Rock Baptist Church:** Data collection and analysis for Congregational Assessment.
- 2000-2002 **Philadelphia Safe and Sound**  
Conducted training sessions with agency staff of the Southwest Community Alliance to initiate a strategic planning process and conducted Youth Development Training for Southwest area youth.
- 2000 **Department of Housing and Urban Development**

Grant Reviewer for the Community Organization Partnership Collaboration Grant

- 1999- Present      **Kingsessing Recreation Center**  
Responsible for proposal writing to increase funding for the Kingsessing Recreation Center and participating in an ongoing roundtable discussion with members of the Southwest community to create more cohesive and collaborative recreational opportunities for the youth of the Southwest area. Facilitated workshops with football coaches to develop a “Coaches Code of Conduct” for the Road Runner Football Club for the Pop Warner Junior Football League
- 1997- Present      **Neighborhood United Against Drugs**  
Responsible for ongoing technical support and proposal writing to develop anti-violence after-school programs for youth in the Southwest Philadelphia area.
- 1995-Present      **Nottingham Elementary School.**  
Conduct African American History Programs and Storytelling. Participate in annual Career Day presentations.
- 1998-1999      **Center for Youth Development**  
Served as a member of the Governing Committee
- 1998      **Father’s Day Rally Committee**  
Assisted in developing grants to develop their mentor programs, participated in meetings with the organization’s personnel to enhance existing programs.

### **Professional Service**

- 2009      Journal of Advanced Academics, Reviewer
- 2008      Pearson, Allyn & Bacon Publications, Reviewer for proposal for Popple, P. *Compassion and Protection: History of Social Work and Social Welfare in the United States.*
- 2008      Pearson, Allyn & Bacon Publications, Reviewer for Day, P. (2009) *A New History of Social Welfare*, 6<sup>th</sup> Ed.