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EMPLOYMENT

- 2008 - 2012 *Assistant Professor:* Department of Family Consumer Science,
 Minnesota State University-Mankato
 Courses Taught:
 Lifespan Development (FCS 301)
 Culturally Diverse Family Systems (FCS 400/500)
 Working with Families (FCS 303, 2 sections)
 Family Life Development (FCS 401)
 Parent-Child-Peer Relations in Adolescence (FCS 403)
 First Year Seminar (FYEX 100)
 Child Development and Play (FCS 402)
- 2007 *Lecturer:* Educational Psychology, University of Wisconsin-Madison
 Course: Human Development in Adolescence (Ed Psych, 321)
- 2004-2006 *Co-Lecturer:* Educational Psychology, University of Wisconsin-Madison.
 Course: Adolescent Development in Educational Contexts (Ed Psych, 521). Required
 course for first semester, pre-service, secondary education teachers.
- 2005, 2006 *Lecturer:* Educational Psychology, University of Wisconsin-Madison
 2008 Course: Human Development in Infancy and Early Childhood (Ed Psych, 320)

EDUCATION

- Ph. D. Dec 2008 Educational Psychology, University of Wisconsin-Madison
 Dissertation: Adolescents' decision to disclose information to parents:
 What elements do youth consider?
 Adviser: B. Bradford Brown Ph.D.
 Minor: Research Methodology
- M.S. 2004 Educational Psychology; University of Wisconsin-Madison
 Concentration: Human Development
 Thesis: Information about Peers:
 What adolescents think parents have the "Right to Know"
- B.S. 2001 Psychology; North Dakota State University, Fargo,
 Magna Cum Laude
 Minor: Child Development and Family Science

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2009 College of Allied Health and Nursing Facilities and Administrative Fund,
Minnesota State University- Mankato, \$1400
- 2008 Vilas Travel Grant Award: Awarded by Graduate School Council
University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2007-2008 Michael Vincent and Harriet Frisbee Estabrooks O'Shea Fellowship
University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2002-2006 Wisconsin-Spencer Doctoral Research Fellowship
University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2001-2002, 2007 Advanced Opportunity Fellowship
University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 1999 – 2001 McNair Scholar Fellow
North Dakota State University

PUBLICATIONS

Peer Reviewed Journals

- Brown, B. B. & Von Bank, H. & Steinberg, L. (2008). Smoke in the looking glass: Effects of discordance between self- and peer rated crowd affiliation on adolescents' self-feelings. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, 37, 1163-1177.
- Brown, B. B., Bakken, J., Nguyen, J., & Von Bank, H. (2007). Sharing information about peer relations: Parent and adolescent opinions and behaviors in Hmong and African American families. In B. B. Brown & N. S. Mounts (Eds.), *New Directions in Child and Adolescent Development: Linking parents and family to adolescent peer relations: Ethnic and cultural considerations*. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass
- Gould, O. N., Osborn, C, Krein (Von Bank), H, Mortenson, M. (2002). Collaborative recall in married and unacquainted dyads. *International Journal of Behavioral Development*, 26(1),36.

Manuscripts Under Review

- Von Bank, H. (under review). Do People Know a Lot About You?: College Students Perceptions of Information on Facebook. *Journal of Family Consumer Science*.

Newsletters

- Von Bank, H. (July, 2011). A Student Designed Community Play Day as part of a University-Level Course on the Benefits of Play. US Play Coalition Newsletter.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Major Presentations

- Von Bank, H. (2012, April). *Service Learning: How to Engage Students and Maximize Learning*. American Association of Family Consumer Science Webinar.
- Von Bank, H., Hemphill, J. & Scheinholtz, L. (2012, March). *Play Can Take a Village*. Workshop presented at the annual US Play Coalition: The Value of Play Conference, Clemson SC.
- Von Bank, H., Hemphill, J. & Scheinholtz, L. (2011, March). *A Greener Way to Play*. Workshop presented at the annual US Play Coalition: The Value of Play Conference, Clemson SC.
- Von Bank, H. (2010, March). Developmental Agency. In J.E. Symonds (Chair), *Adolescents' Decisions to Disclose or Withhold Information From Parents About Peers*. Paper presented at biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, Philadelphia, PA.
- Von Bank, H., Brown, B.B., Fletcher, A., Takasaki, A. (2008, March). Impact of transitions on parental involvement in early adolescent peer relations. In B. B. Brown (Chair), *From coach to spectator? Shifts in parents' roles in adolescents' peer relations across the transition to middle school*. Paper presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, Chicago, IL.
- Brown, B. B., Von Bank, H., & Steinberg, L. (2006, November). *Dissensus between self- and peer ratings of adolescent crowd affiliation*. Invited presentation at the Conference on Normality and Psychopathology in Adolescent Development: Current Issues and Future Pathways (A Festschrift for Daniel Offer). Institute for Juvenile Research, Chicago, IL.
- Brown, B. B., Bakken, J. P., Nguyen, J., & Von Bank, H. (2006, May). Limiting parents' knowledge about peers: An adaptive strategy among American immigrant and minority youth? In J. Smetana & M. Kerr (Chairs), *Disclosure, deception, and secrecy in adolescent-parent relationships*. Symposium presented at the biennial meetings of the European Association for Research on Adolescence, Antalya, Turkey.
- Von Bank, H., Brown, B. B. & Steinberg, L. (2006, March). Does awareness of peer crowd affiliation affect self-concept and well-being? A longitudinal, symbolic interactionist study. In J. Antonishak & M. Prinstein *Peer groups, crowds, and the social network: The longitudinal study of adolescent peer relations*. Paper presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, San Francisco, CA.
- Nguyen, J., Brown, B. B., Von Bank, H. & Bakken, J. (2006, March). "You know how Hmong parents are...": Culturally embedded negotiations of romantic relationships in Hmong immigrant families. In S. Madsen *Is there a crowd?: Cultural variations in parental involvement in adolescent romantic relationships*. Paper presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, San Francisco, CA.
- Krein, H. & B. B. Brown (2004, March). *Assessing what adolescents think parents have the*

right to know: The right to know scale. Poster presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, Baltimore, MD.

Krein, H. & B. B. Brown (2003, April). *Information management: What adolescents think parents have the right to know.* Poster presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Tampa, FL.

Invited Presentations

Von Bank (2012, April). *The Benefits of Play in Child Development.* Invited presentation for Student Success Showcase. MSU-Mankato, Mankato MN.

Von Bank, H. (2011, October). *Service Learning in the Classroom: What Play can do for you!* Invited presentation for FACS to the Max: A Family Consumer Science Education Workshop focusing on skills to maximize your FCS classroom. Mankato, MN

Von Bank, H. (2010, October). *Let's Play Together.* Invited presentation for FACS to the Max: A Family Consumer Science Education Workshop focusing on skills to maximize your FCS classroom. Mankato, MN.

Von Bank, H. (2009, October). *Service Learning Experience through Play.* Invited presentation for the College Advisory Board Meeting. Mankato, MN.

Von Bank, H. (2008, December). *Brain Development in Infancy and Early Childhood.* Invited presentation for the AmeriCorps/LEAP Initiative. Owatonna, MN.

Von Bank, H. (2005, October). *Adolescents: What are they thinking?* Invited presentation for the Cooperative Children's Book Center Conference titled "How Far is too Far: Pushing the Limits of Young Adult Literature." Madison, WI.

Media Presentations

Von Bank, H. Guest Panelist on Stephanie Passingham (Executive Producer). (2010, August 31). *Cities on the Move: A Kids Life – Or is It?* Town Hall Special Rundown. Austin, MN: KSMQ.

Panel Member Presentations

Von Bank, H. (Panel member). (2010, June 25). *When I Grow Up: Girl Fest.* Girl Scouts of Minnesota and Wisconsin River Valleys, Mankato, MN.

Von Bank, H. (Panel member). (2010, June 23 & July 8). *New Student Orientation Faculty Panel.* Mankato.

Von Bank, H. (Panel member). (2009, August 12). *Faculty Orientation to Minnesota State University-Mankato, Mankato.*

SERVICE*University Service*

- 2012 Committee member on the Undergraduate Research Council, MSU – Mankato
- 2010, 2012 *Judge* at Undergraduate Research Conference, MSU – Mankato
- 2009-2010 *Committee member* for the Advisory Committee Service Learning/Civic Engagement, MSU-Mankato

College Service

- 2010-2012 *Advisor* for Transfer Student Orientation for the College of Allied Health and Nursing, MSU-Mankato
- 2009-2012 *Chairperson* for the Cultural Diversity Committee in the College of Allied Health and Nursing, MSU-Mankato
- 2008- 2012 *Committee member* for Undergraduate Curriculum & Academic Policies in the College of Allied Health and Nursing, MSU-Mankato
- 2008-2010 *Co-chairperson* for College of Allied Health and Nursing Planning Committee MSU-Mankato

DEPARTMENT SERVICE

- 2011 - 2012 *Reviewer* on Scholarship Committee in Family Consumer Science Department
- 2009,2011 *Member* of Faculty Search Committee
- 2008-2011 *Advisor* for Child Development and Family Studies Club.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- 2008-2009 *Reviewer* for two textbooks (Pearson Publishing)

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- 2010 - 2012 *Volunteer* for the Girl Scouts of Minnesota and Wisconsin River Valleys
- 2010 *Volunteer* for Community Program: Southern Minnesota Children's Museum & Creative Play Place, St. Peter MN
- 2006-2008 *Co-leader* for Girl Scout troop.
- 2006, 2009 *Volunteer* for Play Day; Assisted in creating event to promote the benefits of play Dane County Fair, Madison, WI.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Society for Research on Adolescence

Society for Research in Child Development

American Association of Family & Consumer Sciences

Minnesota Association of Family & Consumer Sciences

Delta Kappa Gamma