

Curriculum Vitae
Dr. Steve F. Bain, LPC & LPC-S
Associate Professor, Texas A&M University-Kingsville

EDUCATION

- 1992 Doctor of Ministry Degree in Counseling, Luther Rice University, Atlanta, Georgia
- 1988 Master of Science Degree in Counseling & Personnel Services, University of Memphis at Memphis, Tennessee (CACREP)
- 1985 Bachelor of Science Degree in History, University of North Alabama
- Additional education: Blue Mountain College, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, and Mid-America Baptist Theological Seminary.

Licensures & Certifications

Licensures:

- Licensed Professional Counselor, State of Texas, Current, #17059
- LPC-Intern Supervisor Certification, Texas

Certifications:

- Disaster Mental Health Certification, American Red Cross
- Virtual Online Instructor, VOIC certification program, TAMUK
- Blackboard Certification, TAMUK
- Certified F.A.M.I.L.Y. Rule Counselor
- Certified Crisis Management Specialist (CCMS)
- Certified Anger Management Specialist (CAMS)
- Certified Youth Violence Intervention Specialist
- Certified Weight Management Specialist
- MEDICAID Provider
- CHIPS Provider, Driscoll Children's Health Plan, Driscoll Children's Hospital.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Academic Experience

- Assistant Professor, Texas A&M-Kingsville (August, 2009-Present, Full-time). Working with students and faculty in the area of teaching, advising, course development, committee service, and promotion of the counseling profession.
- Counseling Center Supervisor, Texas A&M University-Kingsville Student Counseling Center (September, 2012-present). Supervise all the professional counselors and counseling students, deal directly with more serious cases of students needing counseling, and represent the Student Health and Wellness center for presentations and promotions.
- Clinical Coordinator, Department of Education and Counseling (August, 2009-Present). Coordinate the practicum experiences of the graduate students who are needing the practicum courses for their degree plan.

- Adjunct Professor, Texas A&M-Kingsville (August-December, 2003 & August, 2008-May, 2009, Part-time). Taught a variety of courses in counseling for TAMUK.
- Adjunct Professor, *Howard Payne University*, The Baptist Learning Center, Corpus Christi, Texas (August-December, 1999, Part-time). Taught counseling courses for those entering the ministry degree programs.
- Adjunct Professor, *Luther Rice University/Seminary*, Atlanta, Georgia (September, 1993-Present, Part-time). Taught distance learning courses in counseling for LRS.

Non-Academic Experience:

- Pastor, *The Believers' Fellowship*, Corpus Christ, Texas (10/28/01-Present)
- Private Counseling Practice (07/01-Present, Part-time). Consistent client load through my office as well as itinerantly working with clients in homes, schools, and rural areas.
- Founder/Consultant, *Capital Growth*, Capital Campaign Consultation (January, 2002-Present, Part-time).
- Founding Partner and Consultant, *Bain & Glasscock, LLC* (10/06-06/09)
- Counselor/Consultant, Calallen ISD, Special Education, Calallen, Texas (9/04-5/07)
- Loe-Del Mental Health Consultation (08/01/01-08/30/05)
- AS&J Counseling & Consulting, Inc., Portland, Texas (9/1/05-3/1/06)
- Chaplain, *Driscoll Children's Hospital*, Corpus Christi (05/01-03/02)
- Pastor, *Gardendale Baptist Church*, Corpus Christi, Texas (10/97-04/01)
- Pastor, *East Heights Baptist Church*, Tupelo, Mississippi (11/90-10/97)
- Prior to 1990: Pastored in churches in Tennessee, Mississippi, and Texas serving on several state convention boards and committees.

COURSES DEVELOPED AND TAUGHT

Spring and Fall Semesters:

- EDCG 5310: Professional Orientation and Ethical Practice
- EDCG 5315: Ethics and Legal Issues in Counseling
- EDCG 5357: Field Practicum for Counselors
- EDCG 5323: Group Counseling
- EDCG 5305: Graduate Research Project
- EDCG 5323: Group Counseling

Summer Semesters and Intercessions:

- EDCG 5355: Career Counseling
- EDCG 5339: Human Growth & Development
- EDCG 5341: Spirituality & Counseling
- EDCG 5320: Special Problems in Counseling
- EDCG: 5341: Counseling Rural Communities and Populations
- EDCG 5341: Counseling in Times of Grief & Loss
- EDCG 5336: Advanced Child Development
- EDCG 5321: Abnormal Psychology
- EDCG 5357: Field Practicum for Counselors

Other Teaching Experience

- CO 520: Introduction to Christian Counseling
Howard Payne University (The Baptist Learning Center)
- CE 4331: Introduction to Christian Care and Counseling
Luther Rice University

RESEARCH

Refereed Publications

Garza, K., **Bain, S.**, & Kupczynski, L. (In review March, 2014). Resiliency, self-efficacy, and persistence of college seniors in higher education: An emphasis on first-generation Hispanic students. *VISTAS online*.

Bain, S. & Martinez, M. (Accepted, 2013). Professional development workshops and outcome-based research related to equipping school counselors in underserved school districts. *Online Journal for Emerging Scholarly Research*.

Martinez, M. & **Bain.** (2013). The costs of remedial and developmental education in postsecondary education. *Research in Higher Education Journal*, 22. Retrieved from <http://www.aabri.com/manuscripts/131632.pdf>.

Bain, S. Garza, K., Lopez, J., & Flores, O. (2013). Spirituality and counseling in rural communities: A broad based narrative of education and advocacy in spiritual counseling. *Journal of International Business and Cultural Studies*, 14. Retrieved from <http://www.aabri.com/manuscripts/131631.pdf>.

Bain, S., Villarreal, J., Rueda, B., and Hernandez, T. (2012). Early identification of and intervention strategies for children at risk of violent behavior. *Online Journal for Emerging Scholarly Research*, 1, 26-35. Retrieved from <http://www.fischlerschool.nova.edu/resources/uploads/app/52/files/emerging-scholarly-research-journal-2012.pdf>.

Bain, S. (2012). School counselors: A review of contemporary issues. *Research in Higher Education Journal*, Volume 18. Retrieved from <http://www.aabri.com/manuscripts/121274.pdf>.

Ruelas, L., Contreras, P., & **Bain, S. F.** (2012). Identifying the mental health needs of the Hispanic/Latino culture in South Texas. *Journal of Rural Community Psychology*, E15, (1). Retrieved from <http://www.marshall.edu/jrcp>.

Bain, S., Rueda, B., Villarreal, J., and Mundy, M. A. (2011). Assessing mental health needs of rural schools in South Texas: Counselors' perspectives. *Research in Higher Education Journal*, 14. Retrieved from <http://www.aabri.com/rhej.html>.

Lawson, C., Trevino, A., & **Bain, S. F.** (2011). The revolving role of the rural school counselor. *Journal of Rural Community Psychology*, E14, (2). Retrieved from <http://www.marshall.edu/jrcp>.

- Rueda, B., Ibarra, I., & **Bain, S. F.** (2011). Proactively addressing conduct disorder in rural schools. *Journal of Rural Community Psychology*, *E14*, (2). Retrieved from <http://www.marshall.edu/jrcp>.
- Valverde, M., Garcia, M., & **Bain, S. F.** (2011). Rural women's health: The correlation between physical and mental health. *Journal of Rural Community Psychology*. Volume *E14* (1), pp. 1-5. Retrieved from <http://www.marshall.edu/jrcp/VE%2014%20N%201/JRCP%20valverde%20garcia%20bain%2014.1%20ready.pdf>
- Bain, S.**, Gandy, R. F., & Golightly, V. (2011). Interrogating reality in terms of retention and student success at a South Texas University. *Journal of Case Studies in Education*. *3* (1), pp. 1-8. Retrieved from: <http://www.aabri.com/manuscripts/11855.pdf>.
- Fedynich, L. & **Bain, S.** (April, 2011). Mentoring the successful graduate student of tomorrow. *Research in Higher Education Journal*. *12* (3), pp. 1-7. Retrieved from <http://www.aabri.com/manuscripts/11803.pdf>.
- Bain, S.** & Fedynich, L. (2011). Therapy on the cutting edge: supportive perspectives of the inclusion of self-injury in the DSM-V. *VISTAS online*. Retrieved from http://www.counseling.org/Resources/Library/VISTAS/2011-V-Online/Article_06.pdf.
- Knight, M., Knight, W., & **Bain, S.** (2010). Mother's Little Helper: A medicated generation. *Journal of Academic and Business Ethics*. *4* (1), pp. 1-9.
- Bain, S.** (2010). Itinerant counseling services for rural communities: a win/win opportunity. *Journal of Rural Community Psychology*, Marshall University, West Virginia. *E13*, (1).
- Bain, S.**, Fedynich, L., & Knight, M. (2010). The successful graduate student: a review of the factors for success. *Journal of Academic and Business Ethics*. *3* (7), pp. 1-9.
- Bain, S.** (2010). Ethical considerations for pastors who counsel. *Journal of Pastoral Counseling*, Volume XLV, pp. 64-75.

Non-refereed Publications:

- Bain, S.** (January, 2011). Grieving the ultimate grief: the loss of a child. *Counseling Today*, American Counseling Association.

Grant Writing

October, 2013: Received the South Texas Expansion Program for Hispanic Graduate Students (STEP-HG) Project Faculty Research Award (Y1) of \$5,000.00 for the project entitled "Outcome-based Professional Development for Mental Health Providers in Rural School Districts of South Texas." (Funded)

January, 2012: Received the South Texas Expansion Program for Hispanic Graduate Students (STEP-HG) Project Faculty Research Award (Y1) of \$5,000.00 for the project

entitled “Identification of and intervention for at risk students for school violence.” The STEP-HG directors authorized the funds for this competition for the purpose of increasing research opportunities. (Funded)

November, 2010: Received the South Texas Expansion Program for Hispanic Graduate Students (STEP-HG) Project Faculty Research Award (Y1) of \$5,000.00 for the project entitled “Assessing Mental Health Resource Needs in Underserved Districts of South Texas.” The STEP-HG directors authorized the funds for this competition for the purpose of increasing research opportunities. (Funded)

December, 2009. University Research Award Proposal for research endeavors leading to the formation of a Counseling Clinic/Lab. The Department of Educational Leadership and Counseling is actively pursuing accreditation from CACREP (Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs). Part of the requirements for accreditation involves the formation of a counseling clinic/lab setting where graduate counseling students can get practical experience and formal supervision in a variety of counseling settings. (Not Funded)

August, 2009: Coastal Bend Community Foundation grant request. The purpose of this grant request is two-fold: First, to identify specific mental health resource needs in the Kingsville community; Second to conduct research regarding the feasibility for and the model aspects of a new, state of the art Counseling Clinic through the Department of Educational Leadership and Counseling that is in the College of Education and Human Performance at Texas A & M, Kingsville. (Not Funded)

Conference Presentations

International Presentations

Bain, S. (March, 2014). *Contemporary challenges to today’s university counseling centers.* Presentation made to the Academic and Business Research Institute in San Antonio, Texas.

Fedynich, L. & **Bain, S.** (March, 2014). *Are you ready for graduate school?* Presentation made to the Academic and Business Research Institute in San Antonio, Texas.

Bain, S. (July, 2013). *Professional development workshops and outcome-based research related to equipping school counselors to provide more efficacious services to students and families in rural school districts.* Peer-reviewed poster presentation for the 2013 NOVA University Research Symposium in Orlando, Florida.

Bain, S. (July, 2013). *Professional development workshops and outcome-based research related to equipping school counselors to provide more efficacious services to students and families in rural school districts.* Peer-reviewed oral presentation for the 2013 NOVA University Research Symposium in Orlando, Florida.

Bain, S. (March, 2013). *Spirituality and counseling in rural communities: A broad based narrative of education and advocacy in spiritual counseling.* Presentation made to the Academic and Business Research Institute in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Bain, S. (March, 2013). *Early identification of and intervention strategies for children at-risk of violent behavior.* Presentation made to the Academic and Business Research Institute in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Bain, S. (July, 2012). *Identification of and intervention strategies for students at risk for violent behavior in schools.* Peer-reviewed poster presentation for the 2012 NOVA University Research Symposium in Orlando, Florida.

Bain, S. (July, 2012). *Identification of and intervention strategies for students at risk for violent behavior in schools.* Peer-reviewed oral presentation for the 2012 NOVA University Research Symposium in Orlando, Florida.

Bain, S. (September, 2010). *The successful graduate student: a review of the factors for success.* Presentation made to the Academic and Business Research Institute in Orlando, Florida.

Bain, S. (September, 2010). *Developing a win/win mental health practice for rural American communities.* Presentation made to the Academic and Business Research Institute in Orlando, Florida.

National Presentations

Bain, S., Rueda, B., & Villarreal, J. (October 28, 2011). *Assessing mental health resource needs in rural school districts of South Texas.* Presentation made for the 103rd Convention & Research Symposium for the National Rural Education Association, Hilton Head Island, South Carolina.

Bain, S. (March, 2011). *Therapy on the Cutting Edge: Perspectives on and implications of the inclusion of self-injury in the DSM-V.* Peer-reviewed presentation for the 2011 American Counseling Association National Conference in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Bain, S., Wardle, E., and Furgerson, K. (January, 2010). *Faith, Hope, & Chocolate.* Peer-reviewed national presentation for the 2010 NASPA Mental Health Conference in New Orleans, Louisiana.

State Presentations

Bain, S., Jones, D., & Hughes, C. (July, 2010). *Principal ethics training and student performance.* Presentation on ethics made at the Texas Education Agency in Austin, Texas.

Local Presentations

Bain, S. (April, 2013). *Professional Ethics.* Presentation made for the Gulf Coast Counseling Association.

Bain, S. (February, 2013). *Referring students for counseling.* Presentation made for the Center of Teaching Effectiveness at Texas A&M University-Kingsville for the Monday Morning Mentoring Program.

Bain, S. (February, 2011). *Mentoring generation V.* Presentation made to the Winds of Change Conference at Texas A&M University-Kingsville. This presentation took First-Place in "Best Oral Presentations."

Professional Service Presentations

- Bain, S.** (February 27, 2014). *Front office protocol for Counseling Services*. Presentation made to the SHW staff at Texas A&M University-Kingsville.
- Bain, S.** (May 3, 2013). *Helping adolescents cope with anxiety and depression*. Presentation made to the Hope Family Health Center, McAllen, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (February 22, 2013). *Empowering truths for women*. Presentation made to the Ladies' Night Out conference in Alice, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (November 16, 2012). *Teen depression: A general overview*. Presentation made to the Educators and Administrators of Corpus Christi Diocese.
- Bain, S.** (September 14, 2012). *The Teacher as Resource*. Presentation made to the Adult Educators at Southwest Texas Junior College.
- Bain, S.** (January 27, 2012). *Winning Out Over Failure: Discovering the Winner in You*. Closing session presentation made to foster care parents and professionals at the Texas Foster Family Association annual Conference in Corpus Christi, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (February, 25, 2011). *Ethics and Legal issues for the Counseling Professional*. Paper and PowerPoint presented for mental health professionals at Padre Behavioral Hospital.
- Bain, S.** (August 19, 2010). *Working with graduate students*. Presentation made to the New Faculty Orientation Program at Texas A&M University-Kingsville.
- Bain, S.** (August 19, 2010). *Academic advising and the graduate student*. Presentation made to the New Faculty Orientation Program at Texas A&M University-Kingsville.
- Bain, S.** (August 13, 2010). *Working with the Violent Child*. Presentation made to the Kingsville Independent School District school counselors and teachers.
- Bain, S.** (August 13, 2010). *Working with Self-Injurers in the Rural Community*. Presentation made to the Kingsville Independent School District school counselors and teachers.
- Bain, S.** (August 13, 2010). *Overcoming Failure Personally and Professionally*. Presentation made to the Kingsville Independent School District school counselors and teachers.
- Bain, S.** (August 12, 2010). *Professional Ethics for Social Workers*. Presentation made to South Texas Association of Social Workers in Corpus Christi, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (June, 2010). *Kids on the Cutting Edge: Intervention Strategies for Self Injurers in the School District*. Presentation made to school counselors and administrators at Weslaco Independent School District in Weslaco, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (March, 2010). *Kids on the Cutting Edge: Intervention Strategies for working with Teen Self-Mutilators*. Presentation made to Mental Health and Educational Professionals at Padre Behavioral presentation in Harlingen, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (February, 2010). *Review of Contemporary Mental Health Topics for School Counselors*. Presentation made to the Kingsville Independent School District school counselors.
- Bain, S.** (January, 2010). *Kids on the Cutting Edge: Intervention Strategies for working with Teen Self-Mutilators*. Presentation made to Mental Health and Educational Professionals at Padre Behavioral Hospital in Corpus Christi, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (October, 2009). *Winning Out Over Failure: Discovering the Winner in You*. PowerPoint presentation made to foster care parents and professionals at the Texas Foster Family Association annual Conference in Corpus Christi, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (August, 2009). *Making a Difference*. Professional development training conference made to teachers and administrators at the Skidmore-Tynan High School in Skidmore, Texas.

- Bain, S.** (June, 2009). *Winning Out Over Failure: Discovering the Winner in You*. PowerPoint presentation made to foster care parents and professionals at the Circles of Care annual Conference in Corpus Christi, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (March 26, 2009). *Ethics and Legal issues for the Counseling Professional*. Paper and PowerPoint presented for mental health professionals at Padre Behavioral Hospital.
- Bain, S.** (March 13, 2009). *Issues and Strategies for Working with Problem Youth in the Junior High School Setting*. Presentation made to Seale Junior High School teachers, counselors, and administrators in Robstown, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (January, 2009). *Positive Parenting with a Plan*. Presentation made to child services professionals at the World for Children Conference in Corpus Christi, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (January, 2009). *The Angry Child*. Presentation made to child services professionals at the World for Children Conference in Corpus Christi, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (January, 2009). *Winning Out Over Failure*. Keynote speech and PowerPoint presentation made to child services professionals at the World for Children Conference in Corpus Christi, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (January 12, 2009). *The Angry Child*. Training conference for Skidmore-Tynan High School teachers, counselors, and administrators in Skidmore, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (October, 2008). *Caring for the Caregiver*. PowerPoint presentation made to foster care parents and professionals at the Texas Foster Family Association annual Conference in San Antonio, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (October, 2008). *The Storm of Your Life*. PowerPoint presentation made to foster care parents and professionals at the Texas Foster Family Association annual Conference in San Antonio, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (August 18, 2008). *Kids on the Cutting Edge*. Workshop presented to Corpus Christi Independent School counselors at Padre Behavioral Hospital in Corpus Christi, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (July, 2008). *Working with Autistic Children*. Presentation made to Headstart teachers in Beeville Independent School District, Beeville, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (May 23, 2008). *Kids on the Cutting Edge*. Workshop presented to Mental Health Professionals at Padre Behavioral Hospital in Corpus Christi, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (January, 2008). *Caring for the Caregiver*. Presentation made to child services professionals at the World for Children Conference in Corpus Christi, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (January, 2008). *Dealing with the Violent Child*. Presentation made to child services professionals at the World for Children Conference in Corpus Christi, Texas.
- Bain, S.** (January, 2008). *Coping with Grief and Loss*. Group interactive series made to support group at The Believers' Fellowship Church in Corpus Christi, Texas.

PROFESSIONAL GROWTH AND ACTIVITIES

- 2013-present *Editor*. Journal of Academic and Business Ethics. Academic and Business Research Institute. (www.aabri.com).
- 2012-present *Editorial Review Board, Member*. Journal of Rural Community Psychology, Marshall University.
- American Counseling Association, Professional Member.
- Texas Counseling Association, Professional Member.
- Texas College Counseling Association, Professional Member.

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Committee and Leadership Roles

2013-2014 *Department Chair Search Committee, Member.* As a member of this committee, I was charged with the responsibility to search for quality department chair candidates for the Department of Educational Leadership and Counseling to recommend to the Dean.

2013-2014 *Professional II Counselor Search Committee, Chair.* As the chair of this committee, I was charged with the responsibility of conducting the search for a Licensed Professional Counselor who would work with the student body in the Student Health and Wellness Counseling Center and report our selection to the Director of SHW.

2011-2012 *Faculty Leave & Development Committee, Member.* As a committee member, I served on an as-needed basis to review faculty requests for sabbatical or study leaves of absence from the university.

2009-Present *Clinical Coordinator for Counseling Practicum/Internship.* In this position, I oversee the practicum experience of our graduate students in counseling. I work closely with faculty and the on-site supervisors to insure a high quality practicum experience for the student.

2012 *Faculty/Staff Awards Committee, College of Education and Human Performance.* My service on this committee was to determine specific awards to deserving faculty and staff in the College of Education and Human Performance.

2012 *Faculty Handbook Committee, College of Education and Human Performance.* My function as a committee member was to clarify and codify the guidelines for faculty working in the College of Education and Human Performance.

2011 *Foundations of Excellence Philosophy Dimension Committee.* As a member of this committee, I worked, in support of the Foundations of Excellence Refresh Assessment Model, with the ultimate goal to generate an action plan to improve the first year experience and overall excellence in undergraduate education at Texas A&M University-Kingsville.

2010-2011 *Faculty Internship Position in the Provost's Office.* I was accepted as the Faculty Intern for the Academic Internship program through the Provost's office for the academic year of 2010-2011. This position afforded me the opportunities to gain administrative experience and knowledge which included, but were not limited to (1) assisting in policy development and operations of the Provost's office and the Division of Academic Affairs, (2) assuming a leadership role in special initiatives within the Division, (3) participating in Academic Deans' Council meetings, (4) occasional attendance at external meetings such as the TAMU System Board of Regents and the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board.

2010-2011 *Dean Search Committee, Member.* As a member of this committee, I was charged with the responsibility to search for quality dean candidates for the College of Education and Human Performance to recommend to the Provost.

Community Service Volunteer Experience

- Museum Docent, USS Lexington Museum (January, 2012-Present)
- Head Coach, Upward Basketball, 7-8 year-old (2010-2011)
- Head Coach, Padre Little League, T-Ball (2011)
- Giving Back to the Community, Volunteer for ACA Service, 2011
- Community Clerical Representative for Nueces County Commissioner's Court and Mayor's Office, 2009-2010.

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2013-2014 *Early promotion to the rank of Associate Professor.* This honor is awarded to those who worked exceptionally hard to achieve the standards for promotion. Approval was unanimous from the department chair to the Chancellor of the TAMU system.
- 2012 *Texas A&M University System Student Recognition Award for Teaching Excellence,* Texas A&M University-Kingsville.
- 2011 *Outstanding Junior Faculty Member,* College of Education and Human Performance.
- 2011 "Best Oral Presentations, First Place." *Mentoring generation V.* Presentation made to the Winds of Change Conference at Texas A&M University-Kingsville.