**Jayna Fischbach, OTD, OTR/L**

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**EDUCATION**

**Nova Southeastern University, Post-Professional Doctor of Philosophy in Occupational Therapy: Anticipated start Fall 2016**

Occupational Therapy Department

College of Health Care Sciences

3301 College Avenue

Fort Lauderdale, FL 33314-7796

**Creighton University, Entry-level Occupational Therapy Doctorate, 2012**

Occupational Therapy Program

School of Pharmacy and Allied Health Professions

Creighton University

Omaha, NE 68178

**Simpson College, 2009**

Bachelor of Arts in Biology and Spanish

Indianola, IA 50125

**QUALIFICATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS**

National Board Certification of Occupational Therapists Certified since 2013

**EMPLOYMENT**

**Drake University**

**Des Moines, IA**

**7/15-Present: Assistant Professor of Occupational Therapy**

Duties include working with other faulty and staff for the development of doctorate of occupational therapy program. I maintain clinical practice at ChildServe in Johnston, Iowa, as a part of my faculty role.

**ChildServe**

**Johnston, IA**

**7/15-Present: Pediatric Occupational Therapist PRN**

Duties include providing individualized occupational therapy evaluation, intervention, and discharge planning for children of all ages and diagnoses.

**Cox Health**

**Springfield, MO 65802**

**1/14-6/15: Pediatric Occupational Therapist**

Duties include providing individualized occupational therapy intervention for children of all ages and diagnoses from evaluation through discharge in an outpatient setting. Selected by peers as the Neurological Occupational Therapy Team Lead to work with management to develop and implement new programs and policies for the department.

**Select Rehabilitation**

**Nationwide**

**3/13-Present:** **Occupational Therapist**

Duties include providing individualized occupational therapy evaluation and intervention for adults in a variety of skilled nursing facilities with a ride range of diagnoses on a PRN basis.

**Creighton University**

**Omaha, NE 68178**

**1/13-12/13: Pediatric Occupational Therapy Resident**

Duties included providing individualized occupational therapy intervention for children of all ages and diagnoses from evaluation to discharge in an outpatient setting while receiving advanced training and mentorship in sensory processing disorders and feeding and swallowing. Received advanced training and mentorship while working in the neonatal intensive care unit to provide individualized intervention for children and family training. Provided school-based services to a variety of children in a school for children with behavioral difficulties while receiving advanced training and mentorship in this area. Planned, developed, and implemented a sensory-motor group with the physical therapy resident for a preschool for children with hearing impairments and their typically developing peers. Served as a teaching assistant for pediatric courses taught at Creighton University. Planned, developed, and implemented handwriting camps for children attending therapy and those in the community with handwriting difficulties.

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA), member since 2009

Iowa Occupational Therapist Association (IOTA), member 2010-2012, 2015

World Federation of Occupational Therapists, member 2015

Iowa Rural Health Association, member 2015

Des Moines Young Professional, member 2015

**Professional Development:**

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| AOTA Educational Summit | Variety of Speakers | October 17-18, 2015 |
| Iowa Rural Health Conference | Variety of Speakers | September 9, 2015 |
| STAR Mentorship: Level 1 | Lucy Jane Miller, Ph.D., OTR/L, Sarah A. Schoen, Ph.D., OTR/L, and STAR faculty | May 18-22, 2015 |
| SOS Feeding: 3 Day Basics Course | Kay Toomey Ph.D., Erin Ross Ph.D., CCC-SLP | October 3-5, 2013 |
| SOS Feeding: Advanced Topics: Transitioning off Tube Feedings and the Involved Child | Kay Toomey Ph.D. | October 6, 2013 |
| Pediatric Feeding and Swallowing | Catherine Shaker, MS, CCC-SLP, BCS-S | June 21-22, 2013 |
| Clinical Excellence | Jan Davis MS, OTR/L | April 4, 2013 |
| Pediatric CVI Conference | Linda Baker Nobles, MS, OTR, Alan Lantzy, MD, Dominick Maino, OD, MEd, FAAO, FCOVD-A, Christine Roman Lantzy, Ph.D. | April 12, 2013 |
| Cognitive Therapy: IOTA Annual Conference | Carolyn Baum, Ph.D., OTR/L, FAOTA | Fall 2012 |
| Educated for Physical Agent Modalities Certification in all states | Al Bracciano, EdD, OTR/L | Spring 2012 |

**Licensure:**

* Iowa Licensed Occupational Therapist: June 2015-Present: Active
* Missouri Licensed Occupational Therapist: December 2013-July 2015: Inactive
* Nebraska Licensed Occupational Therapist: Jan 2013-August 2014: Inactive

**Publication:**

* Fischbach, J. & Domina, A. (2015). Is an occupational therapy residency the right choice for me?. *OT Student Pulse.* (Oct. 7). Retrieved from: http://studentpulse.aota.org/2015/10/07/

**Submitted for Publication:**

* Fischbach, J. & Domina, A. (2015). *Benefits of residency program in occupational therapy practice.* Manuscript submitted for publication.
* Fischbach, J. & VerMaas, J. (2015). *Introduction to cortical visual impairment.* Manuscript submitted for publication.

**Works in Progress:**

* Fischbach, J. & VerMaas, J. (2015). *Current trends in occupational therapy practice with cortical visual impairment.* Manuscript in preparation.

**Professional and Community Volunteer Activities:**

* Courage League Sports: 2015
* Des Moines Young Professionals: 2015
* Upward Basketball Coach: 2014