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Introduction

I have extensive experience in higher education as a university lecturer, academic counselor, and organizational psychologist. I have MA degrees in Clinical Psychology and Organizational Behavior.

My work experiences have varied over the last 20 years from IT network administration and management, to most recent Global HR consulting and data science support for external program evaluators at the National Science Foundation. I delight in being a lifelong learner and strive to never stop learning.

Counseling and mentoring people to successfully complete their educational goals is both a strong skill set and passion that weaves throughout my varied professional experiences.

Education

Claremont Graduate University

MA PSYCHOLOGY

- Concentrations in Organizational Behavior & Evaluation

Claremont, CA

Sep 2018 - May 2020

Sofia University

MA PSYCHOLOGY

- Concentration in Clinical Psychology

Palo Alto, CA

Sep 2010 - May 2013

Naropa University

BA TRADITIONAL EASTERN ARTS

- Student Government: Treasurer

Boulder, CO

Sep 2008 - May 2010

Professional Experience

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| Sep 2019 - Mar 2022 | Principal , Kinesis Consulting (20 hours / week) |
| Nov 2018 - Jun 2020 | Consultant , Accenture Plc, CGU Talent Innovation Lab (20 hours / week) |
| Sep 2016 - May 2018 | Lecturer (and academic counselor) , Psychology, Mount Saint Mary's University (full time) |
| Aug 2014 - Jul 2015 | Clinician , Sovereign Health Group, adult partial inpatient rehabilitation center (full time) |
| Aug 2013 - Jul 2014 | Clinician , Mind Body Awareness Project, adolescent drug and alcohol counseling (20 hours / week) |
| Aug 2012 - Jul 2013 | Clinician , San Mateo County juvenile detention center, forensic psychological evaluation (20 hours / week) |
| Aug 2011 - Jul 2012 | Clinician , Lifemoves family homeless shelter, individual & family therapy (20 hours / week) |
| 2002 - 2008 | IT Consultant , network engineering specialist (full time) |

Teaching & Counseling

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| 2017-2018 | Academic Counseling , 10-15 students per semester | MSMU |
| SP 2018 | Basic Quantitative Research Methods, Lecture , Lecturer Basic Quantitative Research Methods, Lab , Lecturer | |
| FA 2017 | Basic Quantitative Research Methods, Lecture (Two Sections) , Lecturer Basic Quantitative Research Methods, Lab (Two Sections) , Lecturer | |
| SP 2017 | Basic Quantitative Research Methods, Lecture , Adjunct Basic Quantitative Research Methods, Lab , Adjunct Industrial & Organizational Psychology , Adjunct | |
| FA 2016 | Basic Quantitative Research Methods, Lecture , Adjunct Basic Quantitative Research Methods, Lab , Adjunct Social Psychology , Adjunct | |
| SP 2016 | Basic Quantitative Research Methods, Lecture , Adjunct Basic Quantitative Research Methods, Lab , Adjunct | |
| SP 2012 | Doctoral Seminar: Qualitative Research , Teaching Assistant | Sofia |
| FA 2012 | Special Topic: Dissertation Research and Writing Support , Teaching Assistant | |

Evaluation

Kinesis Consulting

Phoenixville, PA

ROLE: PRINCIPAL

Sep 2019 - Mar 2022

- Statistical consultation including social science methodology, visualization, and presentation in support of policy & planning analysis and program evaluation for the scientific community. Focus is on methodological innovation for evaluation in support of climate change mitigation and resilience infrastructure projects. Examples of recent projects:
 - Survey analysis and presentation for external program evaluation in NSF Directorate for Geosciences
 - Mixed method / Social network analysis for external program evaluation in NSF Division of Undergraduate Education
 - Social network analyses for external program evaluation in NSF Office of Integrative Activities.

Research

Sofia University - Dept of Clinical Psychology

Palo Alto, CA

ADVISOR: DR. FRED LUSKIN

Sept. 2010 - March 2013

- Training: Core & Advanced dense array EEG Certification; EGI, Eugene, OR
- Manager: Electroencephalography Lab
- Internship: Editing & Peer Review, International Journal of Transpersonal Studies
- Research: the self-reported experience; and, perceived changes in self-compassion, emotion regulation, and psychological-mindedness of college-bound and college matriculated, STEM mentoring program Latino youth participants after a mindfulness and compassion meditation retreat

Publications

PUBLISHED

Himelstein, S., Saul, S., Garcia-Romeu, A., & **Pinedo, D.** (2014). Mindfulness training as an intervention for substance user incarcerated adolescents: A pilot grounded theory study. *Substance Use & Misuse*.

Kaczmarczyk, L., & **Pinedo, D.** (2021). Getting things done in data intensive inter-campus research initiatives: A social network analysis approach to understanding and building effective relationships between researchers and other university employees. In *Proceedings of the 2021 American Society for Engineering Education Annual Conference & Exposition* (Vol. 26)

Presentations

+ *mentored undergraduates*

INVITED TALKS

Spring 2018, Fall 2017. + Coordination of symposium and opening speech on topic of importance of promoting undergraduate research and representation of women in STEM. Invited talk: Undergraduate research symposium, Mount Saint Mary's University, Los Angeles, CA

CONTRIBUTED PRESENTATIONS

Himmelstein, S., & **Pinedo, D.** (2013). *Empowering communities: An intensive mindfulness training in a retreat setting for college-bound adolescents and college-aged tutors.* [Meditation Retreat]. Redwood Glen Summer Camp; Loma Mar, CA.

Himmelstein, S., **Pinedo, D.**, & Mousseau, A. (2013). *Mindfulness training for educators: An intensive training at the Lakota Nation at Pine Ridge.* [Inservice Training]. Little Wound High School; Kyle, SD.

Kaczmarczyk, L., & **Pinedo, D.** (July 2021). *Getting things done in data intensive inter-campus research initiatives: A social network analysis approach to understanding and building effective relationships between researchers and other university employees.* [Poster Presentation]. The 2021 American Society for Engineering Education Annual Conference & Exposition. Long Beach, CA.

Pinedo, D., Gutierrez, G., & Tinoco, C. (2013). *Assessment, prevention, and discussion of health disparities in local Native American populations* [Continuing Education Training]. Health Services Building, San Mateo, CA.

Awards, Fellowships, & Grants

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| 2018 | Graduate Fellowship , Claremont Graduate University | \$ 20,000 |
| 2008 | President's Scholarship , Naropa University | \$ 10,000 |

Mentoring

2016-2018 **Karina Garcia MSN RN CNL**, Teaching Assistant, Mount Saint Mary's University

Service & Outreach

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| 2016 | Wilshire Detective Division , Volunteer | LAPD |
| 2014 | Venice Neighborhood Council , Member, Neighborhood Committee | CA |
| 2009 | Student Government , Treasurer | Naropa |