
CERTIFICATION

I certify that this curriculum vita is a current and accurate statement of my professional record.

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Education

- Ph.D. 1979 Practical Arts and Vocational Technical Education, University of Missouri.
Emphasis: Family Economics/Family Relations & Rural Sociology
- M.S. 1971 Home Economics Education, Central Missouri State University.
Emphasis: Child Development
- B.S. 1969 Home Economics Education, Central Missouri State University.
Emphasis: Vocational Home Economics

Employment

- 2014-2016 University of Maryland Extension Consultant
University of Maryland Dental School Health Literacy Consultant
University of Vermont Consultant
National 4-H Council
- 2010-2013 Professor and Extension Specialist, Family Policy, Department of Family
Science, University of Maryland (80%); Faculty Scholar, Horowitz
Center for Health Literacy (20% appointment).
- 2008-2011 Herschel S. Horowitz Endowed Chair and Director, Center for Health
Literacy (80% appointment; 20%, University of Maryland Extension)
- 2008 Acting Assistant Director, Family & Consumer Science, University of
Maryland Cooperative Extension (10% appointment)
- 2004-2010 Associate Professor and Extension Specialist, Family Policy, Department of
Family Science, University of Maryland
- 2000-2003 Interim Assistant Dean for Outreach, College of Health and Human
Performance, University of Maryland (10% appointment)
- 1999-2003 Assistant Professor and Extension Specialist, Family Life, Department of
Family Studies, University of Maryland

- 1994-1998 Associate Dean for Outreach & Associate Professor, College of Human Ecology, Department of Family Social Science, University of Minnesota
- 1990-1994 Associate Director, Organization and Staff Development, Virginia Cooperative Extension and Associate Professor, Department of Housing, Interior Design and Resource Management, Virginia Tech University
- 1987-1990 Associate Director, Programs, Virginia Cooperative Extension and Associate Professor, Department of Housing, Interior Design and Resource Management, Virginia Tech University
- 1988-1989 Interim Deputy Administrator, Home Economics & Human Nutrition, Extension Service, USDA
- 1983-1987 Associate Dean, Virginia Tech College of Human Resources and Associate Director, 4-H and Home Economics, Virginia Cooperative Extension, and Associate Professor, Department of Housing, Interior Design, Resource Management, Virginia Tech University
- 1977-1983 Family Resource Management Specialist and Assistant Professor (1977-1981) and Associate Professor, Department of Housing, Design and Consumer Resources (1981-1983), Oklahoma State University
- 1972-1975 Instructor, Home Economics Department, Central Missouri State University
- 1971-1972 Adjunct Faculty, Home Economics Department, Central Missouri State University
- 1970-1971 Graduate Assistant, Home Economics Department, Central Missouri State University

Professional Certification

American Association of Family Consumer Sciences, 1985-2015.

RESEARCH, SCHOLARLY AND CREATIVE ACTIVITIES

Book Chapters

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- Braun, B. (2001). Dialogue on welfare reform in Maryland and Washington, D.C. Panelist at *University of Maryland Consortium on Race, Gender and Ethnicity*, College Park, MD.
- Braun, B. (2001). Rural poverty in rural America. Panelist at *International Summit on Rural Development*, Duluth, MN.
- Braun, B. (1999). Building the case for college: Existing research and gathering new data. *Welfare Reform and the College Option Conference*, Washington, D.C.
- Braun, B. (1999). What works: Effective welfare to work programs. Panelist at *National Association of Extension Family Consumer Sciences*, Baltimore, MD.
- Braun, B. (1999). The work in workforce preparation programming. Moderator at *National Association of Extension Family Consumer Sciences*, Baltimore, MD.
- Braun, B. (1999). Dealing with difficult people. *Maryland 4-H Volunteers Association*, College Park, MD.
- Braun, B. (1999). Resilient communities – Resilient families. *Northern Virginia Association of Family Consumer Science*, Fairfax, VA.
- Braun, B., & Miller, R. (1999). Welfare women get fit to work. *Northeastern Regional Association of Family Consumer Sciences*, White Plains, NY.

- Braun, B. (1999). The 5th H in 4-H. Keynote at *Maryland Association of Extension 4-H Educators*, Frederick, MD.
- Braun, B. (1999). Family frontiers of the future. *World Future Society*, Washington, D.C.
- Braun, B. (1999). A vision for the 21st century. *Maryland Department of Education Family Consumer Sciences State Supervisors*, Rockville, MD.
- Braun, B. (1999). Educating adults for a better world. *American Council for Voluntary International Action*, Washington, D.C.
- Braun, B. (1999). The dawning of the new millennium: Our moment to shine. Keynote at *Maryland Association of Family Consumer Sciences*, Timonium, MD.
- Braun, B. (1999). Minnesota Association of Family Consumer Sciences on the frontier of the new millennium. *Minnesota Association of Family Consumer Sciences*, St. Paul, MN.
- Braun, B. (1999). Setting the compass: Families and sustainable services. *Maryland Department of Human Resources*, Baltimore, MD.
- Braun, B. (1999). Nutrition education: Chicken soup for the body, mind & soul. Keynote at Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ.
- Braun, B. (1999). Don't you quit. *Calvert County Extension Welfare-to-Work Graduation Dinner*, Prince Frederick, MD.
- Braun, B. (1999). Tracking the well-being of rural low-income families. *University of Maryland College of Health and Human Performance*, College Park, MD.
- Braun, B. (1998). Land-Grant Universities – On the home front: 1862-1998 & beyond. *Justin Morrill Symposium*, Stanford, VT.
- Braun, B. (1998). Successful strategies for increasing and retaining members in AAFCS. Panelist at *American Association of Family Consumer Sciences*, Atlanta, GA.
- Braun, B. (1998). The new millennium: Our moment to shine. Keynote at *New York Association of Family and Consumer Sciences*, White Plains, NY.
- Braun, B. (1998). Welfare reform in a compassionate era. Keynote at *Minnesota Association of Family and Consumer Sciences*, Bloomington, MN.
- Braun, B. (1998). Land-grant universities and welfare reform: Well-being for the commonwealth. Endowed Lecturer at *McDowell Endowed Lectureship*, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA.
- Braun, B. (1997). Welfare reform: The land grant university response. *National Public Issues Education Conference*, Charleston, SC.
- Braun, B. (1997). From welfare to well-being: A citizen's guide. *Minnesota Rural Partners*, Mankato, MN.
- Braun, B. (1997). From welfare to well-being: The foundation of society. *Council on Foundations*, Minneapolis, MN.
- Braun, B., & Bauer, J.W. (1997). Responding resourcefully to welfare reform: Public policy and Extension programs. *American Association of Family & Consumer Sciences Annual Meeting, Extension Section*, Washington, D.C.
- Braun, B. (1997). From welfare to well-being. General Session Panelist at *American Association of Family & Consumer Sciences Annual Meeting*, Washington, D.C.
- Braun, B. (1997). Welfare reform: From entitlement to employment requires education. *Joint Council of Extension Professionals Public Issues/Leadership Development Conference*, Arlington, VA.
- Braun, B. (1997). Children's well-being and welfare reform: Colloquium presenter at *Institute of Child Development*, University of Minnesota, St. Paul, MN.

- Braun, B. (1997). Nutrition education: A strategy in welfare reform. Keynote at *USDA Nutrition Education for Diverse Audiences: Research and Practice Conference*, Houston, TX.
- Braun, B., & Bauer, J. (1997). From welfare to well-being. Satellite broadcast co-sponsored by the *University of Minnesota College of Human Ecology and Extension Service*; *American Distance Education Consortium, North Central Region State Family & Consumer Sciences Leaders*, St. Paul, MN.
- Braun, B., & Bauer, J. (1996). Statewide staff development for Minnesota Extension Educators on responding knowledgeably to welfare reform. *University of Minnesota Cooperative Extension*, Hutchinson and Alexandria, MN.
- Braun, B. (1996). Welfare reform and block grants. *National Meeting of Program Leaders, 4-H Youth Development Education, Home Economics, Family & Consumer Sciences, and Nutrition*, San Diego, CA.
- Braun, B., & Bauer, J. (1996). Welfare reform background briefing: Welfare reform think tank. *National Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges*, Athens, GA.
- Braun, B., & Bauer, J. (1996). Leadership perspectives: Responding knowledgeably to welfare reform. *University of Minnesota College of Human Ecology, Extension Service and University College*, St. Paul, MN.
- Braun, B., & Bauer, J. (1996). Well-being policy: Why us? Why now? *National Extension Association Family and Consumer Sciences*, Providence, RI.
- Braun, B. (1996). The circle of life. *Families That Work Annual Conference*, Brainard, MN.
- Braun, B. (1996). Leadership opportunities, survival skills for program leaders. Panelist at *National Meeting of Program Leaders, 4-H Youth Development Education, Home Economics, Family and Consumer Sciences, and Nutrition*, San Diego, CA.
- Braun, B. (1996). Sustainable family development through appropriate social services strategies. Capstone at *International Federation of Home Economics Pre-Congress*, Sukhothai Thammathirat Open University, Thailand.
- Braun, B. (1996). Spirit rising: Our individual & collective will and way. Keystone at *South Dakota Association of Family and Consumer Sciences Annual Meeting*, Sioux Falls, SD.
- Braun, B. (1995). Certification: Definition of professionalism and benefits of certification. Panelist at *American Association of Family Consumer Sciences Annual Meeting*, New Orleans, LA.
- Braun, B. (1993). Building consensus: A mutual gains framework for action and empowerment. *United States Department of Agriculture Extension Service National Workshop on Global Marketing*, Louisville, KY.
- Braun, B. (1993). Going global: The challenge. *United States Department of Agriculture Extension Service Southern Region Global Entrepreneurship Management Systems Workshop*, Lexington, KY.
- Braun, B. (1993). Going global. *Virginia Tech University Public Service Global Market Opportunities Conference*, Blacksburg, VA.
- Braun, B. (1993). Our discipline: Charting future directions. *Southeastern Family Economics and Home Management Annual Meeting*, Roanoke, VA.
- Braun, B. (1993). Wake up to the world. *Virginia Direct Marketers Association*, Williamsburg, VA.
- Braun, B. (1993). The Extension organization in the year 2000. *North Carolina Executive Development Institute*, Myrtle Beach, NC.

- Braun, B. (1993). Extension home economists: What is our role? *Virginia Extension Association of Home Economics Fall Retreat*, Natural Bridge, VA.
- Braun, B. (1993). Thumbodies: You as leader. *Virginia Cooperative Extension Youth Economic Development Conference*. Wytheville, VA. Annual Conference, Blacksburg, VA.
- Braun, B. (1986). Home economics: The name vs. the game. *American Association of Home Economics*, Kansas City, MO.
- Braun, B. (1984). The heritage of home economics. *Home Economists in Homemaking*, Anaheim, CA.
- Braun, B., & Williams, S. (1984). The future's market in South Carolina. *Home Economics Association Annual Meeting*, Columbia, SC.

Refereed Presentations

- Braun, B. & Russell, M. (2015, June). *Smart choice health insurance: Reducing Confusion, Increasing Confidence and Know-How*. American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences. Jacksonville, FL.
- Braun, B. & Russell, M. (2015, June). *Smart use health insurance: Now you have it, how do you maximize it?* American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences.
- Russell, M., Bartholomae, S., Braun, B., and McCoy, T. (2015). Health Insurance Literacy: Exploring Demographic Characteristics. Association for Financial Counseling Planning and Education annual symposium. Jacksonville, FL. Referred proceedings: <http://www.afcpe.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/09/2015-AFCPE-Proceedings-Final.pdf> (p.12).
- Brown, V. & Braun, B. (2015, May). *Next steps teens take on health report*. National Health Outreach Conference. Atlanta, GA.
- MacArthur, S., Leatherman, J., Braun, B. & Brown, V. (2015, May). *Teens take on health: The voice of teens on health in the U.S.* National Health and Outreach Conference. Atlanta, GA.
- Brown, V., Braun, B., Ginter, A., Russell, M., Little, L., McCoy, T., Pippidis, M. (2014, November). *Smart Choice Health Insurance: Results of a multi-state health insurance literacy program*. American Public Health Association Annual Conference. New Orleans.
- Braun, B., Burgess, D., & Ogbolu, Y. (2014, November). *Using reflective pedagogy to teach about and assess unconscious bias that impacts health outcomes*. American Public Health Association, New Orleans, LA.
- Macek, M., Atchison, K., Lee, J., McQuistan, M.R., Horowitz, A. M. & Braun, B. (2014, November). *Oral health literacy: Research themes and directions for the future*. Health Literacy Research Conference, Bethesda, MD.
- McCoy, T., Braun, B., & Ginter, A.C. (2014, October) *Health insurance and a sustainable future: Evaluating families' confidence to make a smart choice*. American Evaluation Association Annual Conference. Denver, CO.
- Ginter, A. C., Braun, B., McCoy, T., Brown, V. B., Little, L., Pippidis, M., & Russell, M. B. (2014, September). *The dynamic landscape of health care: Families' confidence to make a smart choice*. National Council on Family Relations. Baltimore, MD.

- Brown, V., Russell, M, Ginter, A., Braun, B., McCoy, T., Little, L., Garcia, C., Pippidis, M. (May, 2014). Smart choice health insurance: Increases confidence - reduces confusion. *Institute for Healthcare Advancement*. Irvine, CA.
- Carter-Pokras, O., Pomerantz, S., Aldoory, L., Bookeloo, B., Braun, B., Chen, J., Blookworth, R., & Kohrt, B. (March, 2014). Do online FDA consumer materials meet information needs of people living with HIV/AIDS? *Society of Professional Health Educators*. Baltimore, MD.
- Ginter, A. & Braun, B. (November, 2013). Single mothers with breast cancer: Implications for their children. *National Council on Family Relations Conference*. San Antonio, TX.
- Russell, M., Braun, B., Brown, V., Finkbeiner, N., Garcia, C., Kim, J., Little, L., McCoy, T., O'Neil, M., Williams, A., Pippidis, M. (September, 2013). Smart choice health insurance: A decision-tool for consumers like you. *Extension Professional Associations Galaxy Conference*. Pittsburgh, PA.
- Brown, V., Russell, M., Kim, J, Andrews, A., Finkbeiner, N., Braun, B., McCoy, T., Little, L., Garcia, C., & Pippidis, M. (September, 2013). Smart choice health insurance: Pilot test of the health insurance literacy initiative. *Extension Professional Associations Galaxy Conference*. Pittsburgh, PA.
- Carter-Pokras, O., Bloodworth, R.,Kohrt, B., Pomerantz, S., Aldoory, L., Bookeloo, B., Braun, B., Chen, J. (October, 2013) Improving health literacy and cultural competency of FDA consumer materials. *Health Literacy Research Conference*. Washington, DC.
- Braun, B. (April 2013). Using rubrics to enhance Extension program planning and evaluation: A health literacy example. *Priester National Health Conference*, Corvallis, OR.
- Young, D., Braun, B., Rodgers, M., & Reeves, C. (April 2013). Engaging Extension in health reform: Connecting the dots at the community level. *Priester National Health Conference*, Corvallis, OR.
- Braun, B., Maring, E., Aldoory, L., & Dugall, M. (November 2012). Creating effective health education messages. *National Council on Family Relations*, Phoenix AZ.
- Dugall, M., Braun, B., Maring, E., & Sano, H. (October 2012). Using community-based participatory research to strengthen the health of rural, low-income families. *American Public Health Association*, San Francisco, CA.
- Macek, M., Atchison, K., Gironda, M., Messadi, D., Watson, M.R., Cotten, A., Wells, W., Haynes, D., Parker, R., Braun, B., Aldoory, L., Holtzman, J., Cohen, L, Chen, H., & Collier, S. (May 2012). Health literacy and oral health: Building on preliminary studies. *IHA*, Irvine, CA.
- Dugall, M., Braun, B., & Maring, E.F. (February 2012). Core health messages: Strategy to improve the health outcomes of rural low-income mothers & children. *Association of Maternal & Child Health Programs Annual Conference*, Washington, D.C.
- Braun, B. (November 2011). Building capacity for statewide initiatives to improve health literacy. *American Public Health Association 139th Annual Meeting and Exposition*, Washington, D.C.
- Braun, B., Maring, E.F., Mammen, S., Sanyo, Y., & Aldoory, L. (November 2011). Exploring oral health literacy messages among rural, low-income mothers. *American Public Health Association 139th Annual Meeting and Exposition*, Washington, D.C.
- Braun, B. (November 2011). Panel moderator. In J.W. Bauer & E. M. Dolan (Chairs). Policies that facilitate rural, low-income families' ability to work. Symposium conducted at the *National Conference on Family Relations Annual Conference*, Orlando, FL.

- Maring, E.F., Ginter, A.C., & Braun, B. (November 2011). Rural mother's empowerment: Developing health messages for rural, low-income families. *National Council on Family Relations*. Orlando, FL.
- Maring, L., Aldoory, L., & Braun, B. (April 2011). Empowering rural low-income mothers for health behavior change: Using participative dialogue and action for message design. *DC Health Communication Conference*. Fairfax, VA.
- Braun, B., Horowitz, A., Finkbeiner, N., & Child, W. (November 2010). What's keeping me from care? Social justice and health literacy. *American Association of Public Health 138th Annual Meeting and Exposition*, Denver, CO.
- Braun, B. (November 2010). Summing up: A discussion of tradeoffs in public policies associated with improving health outcomes. *American Association of Public Health 138th Annual Meeting and Exposition*, Denver, CO.
- Maring, E.F., Braun, B., Berger, A., Evans, L., & Riera, K. (November 2010). Healthy lifestyles in children's literature. *National Council on Family Relations*, Minneapolis, MN.
- Gross, S., Braun, B., & Pollock, E. (November 2009). Fruit and vegetable intake and taste preference concordance among low-income 4th graders and their parents. *American Association of Public Health 137th Annual Meeting and Exposition*, Philadelphia, PA.
- Horowitz, A., Rozier, G., Podschun, G., & Braun, B. (November 2009). Communicating with patients: Oral health literacy surveys of dental schools and dental team members. *American Association of Public Health 137th Annual Meeting and Exposition*, Philadelphia, PA.
- Braun, B., Speirs, K., Finkbeiner, N., Anderson, E., & Zoumenou, V. (November 2009). Grandmothers: Key to increasing children's consumption of fruits and vegetables? *National Council on Family Relations*, San Francisco, CA.
- Maring, E.F., Braun, B., Austin, J.F., O'Neil-Haight, M., Little, L., & Gentry, D. (November 2008). Healthy homes: A lens for informing public policy on family health. *National Council on Family Relations*, Little Rock, AR.
- Anderson, E.A., Braun, B., & Koblinsky, S. (October 2008). Engaging unheard voices into community child care decision making. *International Step by Step Association*, Budapest, Hungary.
- Sano, Y., Dolan, E.M., Richards, L., Bauer, J., & Braun, B. (July 2008). Employment patterns, family resources, and perception: Examining depressive symptoms among rural low-income mothers. *American Council on Consumer Interests*, Orlando, FL.
- Lachenmayr, L., Grutzmacher, S., & Braun, B. (July 2008). Maryland FSNE evaluation: Simplifying and standardizing. *Society for Nutrition Education*, Atlanta, GA.
- Gross, S., Staruk, H., Concannon, M., Lachenmayr, L., Pollock, L., & Braun, B. (November 2007). Gap between food service workers' attitudes and behaviors regarding fruit and vegetable selection among elementary school students. *American Public Health Association 135th Annual Meeting & Exposition*, Washington, D.C.
- Simmons, L.A., Anderson, E.A., & Braun, B. (November 2007). Health needs and health care utilization among rural, low-income women. *American Public Health Association 135th Annual Meeting and Exposition*, Washington, D. C.
- Gerrior, S., Chipman, H., Young, D., Fungwe, T., Beckstrom, D.L., & Braun, B. (November 2007). Extension professionals engage communities in public health policy. *National Prevention and Health Promotion Summit*, Washington, D.C.

- Huddleston-Casas, C., Braun, B., Dolan, E., & Bauer, J. (November 2007). An ecology of economic vulnerability among rural, low-income families. *National Council on Family Relations*, Pittsburgh, PA.
- Braun, B., Anderson, E.A., & Simson, E. (November 2007). Oral health among low-income rural families: Implications for policy and programs. *National Council on Family Relations*, Pittsburgh, PA.
- Wallen, J., & Braun, B. (March 2007). Evaluation of an intergenerational learning experience for college students. *Association for Gerontology in Higher Education 33rd Annual Meeting and Educational Leadership Conference*, Portland, OR.
- Maring, E. F., & Braun, B. (February 2007). Drug, alcohol, and tobacco use in U.S. rural, low-income families: An ecological risk and resilience perspective. *International Seminar on the Structure of Poverty and Public Policy*, Mahatma Gandhi Kashi Vidyapith University, Varanasi, India.
- Braun, B., & Huddleston-Casas, C. (2006). Laboring towards economic self-sufficiency: A public policy perspective. *USDA-NC10-II national webcast*. Retrieved from <http://breeze5.umn.edu/maypresentation>
- Huddleston-Casas, C., & Braun, B. (2006). Laboring towards economic self-sufficiency: A research perspective. *USDA-NC10-II national webcast*. Retrieved from <http://breeze5.umn.edu/maypresentation>
- Braun, B., Anderson, E.A., & Waldman, J. (2006). Engaging unheard voices in public policy. *National Council on Family Relations*, Minneapolis, MN.
- Simmons, L.A., Dolan, E.M., & Braun, B. (2006). The state of rural women's economic & health status: KY, MD, NH. *Eastern Family Economics and Resource Management Association Conference*, Lexington, KY.
- Dolan, E.M., Braun, B., Katras, M.J., & Seiling, S. (2006). Rural TANF recipients: How they fare over time. *Welfare Research and Evaluation Conference*, Washington, D.C.
- Braun, B., & Williams, S. (2006). Sizing up America. *American Association of Family & Consumer Sciences*, Charlotte, NC.
- Braun, B., Anderson, E.A., Kaye, S., Fitzgerald, M., & Strachman, M. (2005) Engaging unheard voices in public policy. *National Council on Family Relations-American Association of Family Consumer Sciences Public Policy Conference*, Washington, D.C.
- Grutzmacher, S., & Braun, B. (2005). Food security, food resource management, and health among rural, low-income families: Implications for nutrition education with limited resources. *Society for Nutrition Education Annual Conference*, Orlando, Florida.
- Grutzmacher, S., & Braun, B. (2005). Improving FSNEP program efficacy through participatory action research. *Children, Youth and Family at Risk Conference*, Boston, MA.
- Simmons, L.A., & Braun, B. (2005). The case for place in considering long-term economic well-being. *Annual Welfare Research and Evaluation Conference*. U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Agency on Children Youth and Families Office of Planning, Research and Evaluation, Washington, D.C.
- Simmons, L.A., & Braun, B. (2005). Income matters: Understanding health in rural low-income women. *Institute for Women's Policy Research Conference*, Washington, D.C.

- Kaye, S., & Braun, B. (2005). Using deliberative forums to engage unheard voices. *Children, Youth and Families at Risk Conference*, Boston, MA.
- Braun, B., & Kaye, S. (2004). Engaging unheard voices through participatory action research. *Conference on Community-Based Research*, Hartford, CT.
- Dyk, P., Braun, B., & Simmons-Wescott, L.A. (2004). Rural families speak: The impact of family health conditions on food security. *Rural Sociology Association*, Sacramento, CA.
- William, S., Braun, B., & Miles, S. (2004). Examining health care: What's the public's prescription? *American Association of Family Consumer Sciences*, San Diego, CA.
- Braun, B., & Simmons, L. A. (2003). Influences on rural women's well-being: A case for customizing policy. *National Council on Family Relations*, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
- Rudd, M., Braun, B., & Anderson, E.A. (2003). The influence of teenage childbearing, family structure, and social support on educational attainment among rural, low-income women. *National Council on Family Relations*, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
- Braun, B., & Dyk, P. (2003). Impact of health conditions on food security. *International Quality of Life Society Conference*, Frankfurt, Germany.
- Dyk, P., & Braun, B. (2003). Rural families speak: The impact of family health conditions on food security. *Rural Sociology Association*, Montreal, Quebec Canada.
- Dolan, E.M., Braun, B., & Murphy, J.C. (2003) Rural underemployment and health. *28th National Institute on Social Work and Human Services in Rural Areas*, Durham, NH.
- Braun, B., Seiling, S., Olson, C., Pearson, M., Simmons, L., & Varcoe, K. (2003). Rural low-income families speak about food, family and finances. *United States Department of Agriculture Food Nutrition Service National Conference*, Washington, D.C.
- Braun, B., Vandergriff-Avery, M., Anderson, E.A., Kohler, J., Walker, S., & Rudd, M. (2002). Linking research findings to welfare policy: Examples from "Maryland rural families speak." *National Council on Family Relations*, Houston, TX.
- Braun, B., & Grimes, O. (2002). Scarce food - health concern: Rural low-income women speak. *National Rural Women's Health*, Washington, D.C.
- Braun, B., Walker, S., Bowman, S., & Bosch, K. (2002). Rural low-income families speak: I get by with a little help from my family and friends. *Extension Family Life Specialists*, Kansas City, MO.
- Braun, B., & Rudd, M. (2002). Individual and family factors associated with depressive symptoms among rural, low-income women. *National Rural Women's Health*, Washington, D.C.
- Vandergriff-Avery, M., Anderson, E.A., & Braun, B. (2002). Stress protective and crisis recovery strategies utilized by low-income women and their families: Implications for programming. *National Council on Family Relations*, Houston, TX.
- Dolan, E., Braun, B., Prochaska-Cue, K., & Varcoe, K. (2002). Conceptualizing the interface among family, community, and labor force participation for rural limited resource families. *National Association Welfare Research Studies*, Albuquerque, NM.

- Dolan, E. Bosch, K., Braun, B., Kelly, B. Kiss, E., Knight, S. Lawrence, F., Mammen, S., Prochaska-Cue, K., & Seiling, S. (2002). Conceptualizing the interface between family and labor force participation for rural limited resource families. *American Council on Consumer Interests*, Universal City, CA. Retrieved from <http://www.consumerinterests.org/files/public/LaborForce-02.pdf>
- Dyk, P, Braun, B., Swanson, J., & Seiling, S. (2002). Appalachian rural family economic well-being in the context of public assistance. *Rural Sociology Association*, Chicago, IL.
- Lawrence, F, Garrison, B., Bauer, J, Braun, B., & Dolan, E. (2002). Economic well-being of low-income rural families in the context of welfare reform: Preliminary findings. *Eastern Region Family Economics Resource Management*, Athens, GA.
- Braun, B., & Dyk, P. (2001). Making ends meet for low-income rural families: How they do it and how it influences financial well-being. *International Quality of Life Society*, Washington, D.C.
- Sauer, J., & Braun, B. (2001). Framing the issue of financial wellness and quality of life for low-income families: What's known and how to measure to capture the diversity. *International Quality of Life Society Conference*, Washington, D.C.
- Braun, B., & Williams, S. (2001). Engaging AAFCS members in public policy. *American Association of Family Consumer Sciences*, Providence, RI.
- Seiling, S., Bauer, J., Braun, B., Dolan, E., & Lawrence, F. (2001). Revisiting the welfare-to-work framework for research, education and outreach. *American Council on Consumer Interests*, Washington, D.C.
- Seiling, S., Dyk, P., Braun, B., & Bauer, J. (2001). Coping strategies of low-income rural women: Findings and policy issues. *National Council on Family Relations*, Rochester, NY.
- Braun, B., Vandergriff-Avery, M., & Barnett, C. (2001). Moving from welfare to work: An initiative that bridges theory and practice. *National Council on Family Relations*, Rochester, NY.
- Braun, B., Quoss, B., Bartl, M. J., & Powell, S. E. (2000). Visualizing policy impacts for family well-being: A framework for analysis. *National Council on Family Relations*, Minneapolis, MN.
- Seiling, S., & Braun, B. (2000). Material well-being of rural families with children. *National Council on Family Relations*, Minneapolis, MN.
- Braun, B., & Miller, R. (1999). The work in workforce preparation programming. *National Association of Extension Family Consumer Sciences*, Charlotte, NC.
- Braun, B., & Bauer, J. (1999). Families in the wake of welfare reform. *American Association of Family Consumer Sciences*, Chicago, IL.
- Braun, B., & Bauer, J. (1999). Influencing issues of the consumer interests: Roles and opportunities for researchers, educators, and partners in the media. *American Council on Consumer Interests*, Chicago, IL.
- Braun, B., & Bauer, J. (1996). Response to profound changes in social policy: What's our role? Protecting families, protecting children. *Research and Practice Conference*, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, WI.
- Braun, B. (1996). Cross-cultural comparison of emerging administrators in home economics. *International Federation of Home Economics*, 18th Congress, Thailand.
- Braun, B., & Williams, S. (1985). Energy education for limited resource households. *American Association of Home Economics Annual Meeting*, Philadelphia, PA.

- Braun, B., & Williams, S. (1984). Economic impact of rural energy education. *Oklahoma Association of Home Economics*, Oklahoma City, OK.
- Williams, S., & Braun, B. (1984). Impact of education on housing quality and residential energy use among limited resource households. *American Association of Housing Educators*, Washington, D.C.
- Braun, B. (1984). The balancing act. *American Association of Home Economics, Families and Work Mini-Conference*, Anaheim, CA.
- Braun, B., & Matthews, W. (1984). The time-stress connection. *American Association of Home Economics, Families and Work Mini-Conference*, Anaheim, CA.
- Braun, B. (1983). The heritage of home economics: 1840-1920. *American Home Economics Association*, Milwaukee, WI.
- Braun, B., & Matthews, W. (1983). The time-stress connection. *Oklahoma Association of Extension 4-H Agents*, Stillwater, OK.
- Braun, B., & Hastings, S. (1983). Developing wise consumers: Programs for youth. *American Home Economics Association*, Milwaukee, WI.
- Braun, B. (1983). The heritage of home economics in Oklahoma. *Oklahoma Home Economics Association*, Stillwater, OK.
- Braun, B., Lauener, N., & Williams, S. (1983). Retention and application of weatherization practices by limited resource Oklahoma families. *Oklahoma Home Economics Association*, Stillwater, OK.
- Braun, B., Williams, S., & Lauener, N. (1982). Making change with limited resources. *American Home Economics Association*, Cincinnati, OH.
- Braun, B., Williams, S., & Lauener, S. (1982). Factors affecting change among limited resource families. *Oklahoma Home Economics Association*, Oklahoma City, OK.
- Meszaros, P., & Braun, B. (1982). Creative technology: A regional model for faculty development. *Higher Education Conference*, Atlanta, GA.
- Braun, B., & Hastings, S. (1981). The calculating consumer: 4-H consumer education in Oklahoma. *National Association of 4-H Extension Agents*, Orlando, FL.
- Braun, B., Williams, S., & Lauener, N. (1981). Use of paraprofessionals to deliver energy education. *Oklahoma Home Economics Association*, Edmond, OK.
- Braun, B. (1980). And by their practices they shall be known. *Home Economics Defined Session*, American Home Economics Association, Dallas, TX.
- Braun, B., Williams, S., & Lauener, N. (1980). Energy conservation practices of older adults. *Oklahoma Home Economics Association*, Dallas, TX.
- Braun, B. (1980). Energy and the conserver society. *Global Future's Conference*, Toronto, Canada.
- Nickols, S. Y., Braun, B., & Schuchardt, J. (1979). Made at home: The household as producer. *American Home Economics Preconference Family Economics Home Management Workshop*, St. Charles, MO.
- Braun, B., & Murray, L. (1979). Energy education methodologies for limited income families. *American Home Economics Association*, St. Louis, MO.
- Braun, B., Murray, L., & Williams, S. (1979). Energy education methodologies for limited-income families. *National Conference on Technology for Energy Conservation*, Tucson, AZ.
- Braun, B., & Williams, S. (1979). Models for energy conservation communication systems. *National Conference on Technology for Energy Conservation*, Tucson, AZ.

- Braun, B. (1979). Schools and families as energy educators. *Oklahoma Home Economics Association*, Weatherford, OK.
- Wilson, E., & Braun, B. (1979). Energy education for children, teachers and parents. *National Association for the Education of Young Children*, Atlanta, GA.
- Williams, S., & Braun, B. (1979). Changing household energy use. *ICEUM-II*, Los Angeles, CA.
- Braun, B., & Wilson, E. (1979). Energy education for children and parents. *ICEUM-II*, Los Angeles, CA.
- Williams, S., & Braun, B. (1979). Adoption of energy conservation practices by selected Oklahoma families. *American Association of Housing Educators*, College Station, TX.
- Braun, B., Murray, L., & Williams, S. (1979). Housing weatherization practices of limited income families. *American Association of Housing Educators*, College Station, TX.
- Braun, B., & Wilson, E. (1978). Energy education for children and parents: The MIZER series. *American Home Economics Association*, New Orleans, LA.

Contracts and Grants

- Braun, B. (PI). (2013-2017). Health Insurance Literacy Initiative. University of Maryland College of Agriculture and Natural Resources. \$250,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2015-16). Spanish Translation of Smart Use Health Insurance Program for University of Maryland Non-Exempt Staff. \$14,742.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2013-2014). Health Insurance Literacy Initiative, University of Maryland Extension. \$30,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2013-2014). Exploring New Health Education Partnerships: Extension, Public Health and M-Powering a Better State of Health. University of Maryland Extension. \$11,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2012-2013). Health Insurance Literacy Initiative. University of Maryland Extension. \$27,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2011-12). Dissemination of Core Health Messages: Using Community Based Participatory Research to Strengthen the Health of Rural, Low-Income Families. USDA. \$87,199.
- Braun, B. (Co-PI). (2011-2014). Multi-Center Assessment of Health and Oral Health. NIH-NIDCR. \$167,716.
- Braun, B. (Investigator). (2011-2013). Improving Older Adults' E-Health Literacy with Collaborative Versus Individualistic Computer Training. NIH-NIA.
- Braun, B. (PI) (2010-12). Core Health Messages: A Strategy to Improve the Health and Well-Being of Rural, Low-Income Families. USDA. \$349,958.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2009). Improving Medical Assistance Outreach to Eligible Pregnant Women in Maryland. Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. \$27,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2008). Maryland Food Stamp Nutrition Education: A Comprehensive Evaluation. USDA Maryland Department of Human Resources. \$84,661.

- Braun, B. (PI), Anderson, E.A., & Zoumenou, V. (2008) Family Influence on Fruit and Vegetable Consumption Among Rural, Low-Income, Preschool Children: A Preliminary Investigation of Factors Associated with Obesity. Maryland Cooperative Extension and Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station. \$29,948
- Braun, B. (PI). (2007). Maryland Food Stamp Nutrition Education: A Comprehensive Evaluation. USDA Maryland Department of Human Resources. \$188,460
- Braun, B. (PI). (2007). A Community Engagement Model: Sisters Helping Sisters Targeting Obesity in Young Women. Antietam Health Care Foundation. \$12,000.
- Anderson, E.A., & Braun, B. (Co-PI). (2007). Food Availability, Accessibility and Affordability. University of Maryland College of Health and Human Performance. \$4890.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2007). Strengthening the Well-Being of Rural Maryland Families. Annie E. Casey Foundation. \$5,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2006). Maryland Food Stamp Nutrition Education: A Comprehensive Evaluation. USDA Maryland Department of Human Resources. \$88,023.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2006). Strengthening the Well-Being of Rural Maryland Families. Annie E. Casey Foundation. \$10,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2005). Maryland Food Stamp Nutrition Education: A Comprehensive Evaluation. USDA Maryland Department of Human Resources. \$63,980.
- Braun, B. (Co-PI). (2005). Infusing Deliberation into a Professional Association's Culture: Naming and Framing Obesity as a Public Issue. Kettering Foundation. \$35,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2005). Strengthening the Well-Being of Rural Maryland Families. Annie E. Casey Foundation. \$8300.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2005). Public Issues Education. University of Maryland Cooperative Extension. \$5,000.
- Braun, B. (Co-PI). (2004). Documenting the History of Public Policy within the American Association of Family Consumer Sciences. Charles. F. Kettering Foundation. \$5,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2004). Maryland Food Stamp Nutrition Education Program: A Comprehensive Evaluation. USDA Maryland Department of Human Resources. \$43,105.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2004). Engaging Unheard Voices in Public Policy. Kettering Foundation. \$35,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2003). Maryland Food Stamp Nutrition Education Program: Comprehensive Evaluation. USDA Maryland Department of Human Resources. \$19,307.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2002). Maryland Food Stamp Nutrition Education Program: A Comprehensive Evaluation. USDA Maryland Department of Human Resources. \$45,202.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2001). Maryland Food Stamp Nutrition Education Program: A Comprehensive Evaluation. USDA Maryland Department of Human Resources. \$35,127.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2001). Food and Economic Security: Status of Rural Families in an Era of Changing Public Assistance Policy. USDA Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station. \$39,781. [First funding to Family Studies in 10 years].
- Braun, B. (PI). (2001). Sages of the Ages: Stories that Touch and Teach. University of Maryland Cooperative Extension Program Enhancement Grant. \$1,000.

- Bauer, J. (PI), & Braun, B. (2001). Tracking the Well-Being of Rural Low-Income Families in the Context of Welfare Reform. USDA National Research Initiative. \$246,734. [Placed 4th of 69 funded].
- Braun, B. (PI). (2000). The Long, The Short, and the So-What of Maryland's Food Nutrition Education Program: A Comprehensive Evaluation. USDA Maryland Department of Human Resources. \$41,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2000). Rural Low Income Families: Tracking Their Well-Being. American Association of Family Consumer Sciences Ruth O'Brien Research Award. \$4,954.
- Braun, B. (PI). (2000). Tracking the Well-Being of Rural Low-Income Families in the Context of Welfare Reform. University of Maryland Cooperative Extension. \$6,600.
- Braun, B. (PI). (1998). Food Stamp Nutrition Education Project. USDA Minnesota Department of Human Services. \$3,311,209.
- Braun, B. (PI). (1997). Faculty Distance Education Development Grant. Great Plains Deans Council. \$4,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (1997). Collegiate Program Leader Program Enhancement Grants. University of Minnesota. \$312,686.
- Braun, B. (PI). (1997). Minnesota Nutrition Network. USDA Minnesota Department of Human Services. \$88,323.
- Braun, B. (PI). (1997). Food Stamp Nutrition Education Project. USDA Minnesota Department of Human Services. \$3,100,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (1996). Food Stamp Nutrition Education Project. USDA Minnesota Department of Human Services. \$2,750,000.
- Bauer, J. and Braun, B. (Co-PI). (1996). Working Family Tax Credit Campaign. St. Paul Foundation. \$60,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (1995). Food Stamp Nutrition Education Project. USDA Minnesota Department of Human Services. \$1,900,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (1991). Going Global Marketing Project. USDA Extension Service. \$65,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (1985). Leadership Development Study Fellowship. W.K. Kellogg Foundation. \$30,000.
- Braun, B. (Co-PI), & Williams, S. (1983). Energy Education for Limited Resource Oklahomans. U.S. Department of Energy and Oklahoma Corporation Commission. \$146,765.
- Meszaros, P., & Braun, B. (Co-PI). (1982). The Heritage of Home Economics, 1840-1920 and The Heritage of Home Economics in Oklahoma. Kappa Omicron Phi and the Oklahoma Home Economics Association. \$2,500.
- Williams, S., & Braun, B. (Co-PI). (1982). Energy Education for Limited Resource Oklahomans. U.S. Department of Energy and Oklahoma Corporation Commission. \$51,935.
- Williams, S., & Braun, B. (Co-PI). (1981). Energy Education for the Aged. U.S. Department of Energy and Oklahoma Corporation Commission. \$56,000.
- Braun, B. (PI). (1980). Calculating Consumer 4-H Consumer Education Project. Wal-Mart Foundation. \$2,000.
- Williams, S., & Braun, B. (Co-PI). (1980). Energy Education for Limited Income (Choctaw Project). U.S. Department of Energy and Oklahoma Corporation Commission. \$84,629.

Fellowships, Prizes and Awards

Year	Honor
2016	Jeannie M. Priester Health Outstanding Health Program Award
2014	Family Economics & Resource Management Community Education Award, American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences for Smart Choice Health Insurance—a health insurance literacy consumer education program
2011	Clear Mark Award, Center for Plain Language
2011	Inductee, first class of Gamma Zeta Chapter of Delta Omega (Public Health National Honorary Society)
2009	National 4-H Council Annie E. Casey Foundation Children, Youth and Families At- Risk Distinguished Lecturer.
2008	Named the first Herschel S. Horowitz Endowed Chair and Director, Center for Health Literacy.
2008	George F. Kramer Practitioner of the Year, School of Public Health, UMD-CP
2007	Elected American Association of Family Consumer Sciences President
2007	2006-07 Philip Merrill Presidential Scholar Mentor
2006	American Association of Family Consumer Sciences President-Elect
2005	American Association of Family Consumer Sciences Leader Award
2002	Muriel Sloan Communitarian Award, College of Health and Human Performance, University of Maryland
2001	American Association of Family Consumer Sciences Chalkley-Fenn Visiting Public Policy Scholar
2001	National Science Foundation Evaluation Scholarship
2000	American Association of Family Consumer Sciences Ruth O'Brien Research Award
1998	McDowell Endowed Lecturer, Penn State University
1998	USDA Honor Award for Nutrition Education for Diverse Audiences
1997	Farm Foundation Outstanding Public Policy Issues Education Award
1996	International Adult and Continuing Education Hall of Fame Inductee
1996	American Consortium on Distance Education Evaluation Award
1994	Virginia Chapter Epsilon Sigma Phi Outstanding Team Award, Volunteer Development Program Leadership Team
1993	American Association of Home Economics Invited Delegate to the Positioning the Profession Conference
1991	Central Missouri State University Distinguished Alumni Award
1985	W.K. Kellogg Foundation National Leadership Fellow Class 6 (1985-88)
1984	Virginia 4-H All Star Inductee
1983	U.S. Department of Energy Outstanding Energy Project in the U.S. (only education project and only family consumer sciences extension project)
1981	Oklahoma Governor Appointee as Delegate to White House Conference on Aging
1976	U.S. Administration on Aging Fellowship in Gerontology, Center for Aging Studies, University of Missouri

Editorships, Editorial Boards and Reviewing Activities for Journals and Publications**Guest Editorships**

Braun, B. (1998). Reflecting leading in the public interest: A dialogue about practice. *Kappa Omicron Phi: The Distaff*, Omicron Nu Honor Society, 69(1).

Meszaros, P., & Braun, B. (1984). Persistent practical problems facing individuals and families: An exploratory analysis. *Kappa Omicron Phi: The Distaff*, 51(1).

Editorial Boards

2003-2005 *Kappa Omicron Nu* (elected)

2002-2005 *Forum for Family and Consumer Sciences*

Reviewer

2015-16 *Journal of Delivery Science and Innovation; Journal of Nutrition Education and Behavior; Journal of Adolescent Health; Journal of Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics; American Journal of Preventive Medicine; Journal of Extension.*

2012-14 Shepherd University, Family and Consumer Sciences Program

Journal of Extension, Journal of Family and Consumer Sciences; Journal of Marriage and Family; Health Education Journal;

Ann Berry, Angela Wiley and Sonja Kouke--promotional credentials; Jinhee Kim, Post Tenure Review;

2012 ADVANCE Program for Inclusive Excellence Engaged Research Seed Grants
Ninfa Pena-Purcell promotional credentials

Journal of Family and Consumer Sciences

2011 Elaine Bowen promotional credentials

Sheila Mammen promotional credentials

Journal of Public Health Dentistry

2010 *Journal of Adolescent Health* (2)

Family and Consumer Sciences Research Journal (1)\

Journal of Family and Consumer Sciences (2)

2008 *Journal of Family and Consumer Sciences*

2007 *Journal of Comparative Family Studies*

2006 Pre-publication review of book - - *Families and Social Policy: National and International Perspectives* - edited by Linda Haas, PhD and Steven K. Wisensale, (Quote featured in foreword of book)

Journal of Family and Consumer Sciences; Journal of Extension;

Financial Counseling and Planning Journal; Not Enough Grass (Revised book

2005 *Health and Wealth Handbook*

2003-2006 *Journal of Extension*

2002-2005 *Forum for Family and Consumer Sciences*

1980-2005 *Journal of Family Consumer Sciences*

2002 *NC-223 Food Security Policy Brief*

- 2001 *Southern Rural Sociology Journal*
Family Resiliency: A North Carolina Extension Family Life Fact Sheet
Family and Consumer Sciences Facility Planning and Design Guide for School Systems, Maryland Department of Education
- 2000 *Family Science Review*
- 1983-2009 Promotion and Tenure Credentials for Various Faculty Members

TEACHING, MENTORING, AND ADVISING

Courses taught since appointment at University of Maryland.

- 2014 Instructor, HLTH 498L and 688L Health Literacy online
- 2013 Instructor, HLTH 498L and 688L Health Literacy online course
 Guest Lecturer, UNIV 348P Federal Health Policy
 Guest Lecturer, HLSA, Health Policy and Politics (two classes)
- 2012 Guest Lecturer, UNIV 348P Federal Health Policy
 Guest Lecturer, FMSC 750
 Guest Lecturer, HLSA, Health Policy and Politics
- 2011 Instructor, SPHL 698L Health and Literacy
 Guest Lecturer, NFSC491: Issues and Problems in Dietetics Guest Lecturer, HLSA, Health Policy and Politics
 Guest Lecturer, UNIV 348P Federal Health Policy
 Guest Lecturer, HLSA 720 Public Health Law and Ethics
- 2010 Instructor, SPHL 698L Health and Literacy
 Guest Lecturer, FMSC 750
 Guest Lecturer, UNIV 348P Federal Health Policy 2009
 Guest Lecturer, HLSA 702 Health Policy and Politics
 Guest Lecturer HLSA 702 Politics and Policy of Health;
 HLSA 765 Oral and Written Communications
 HLTH 130 Introduction to Public and Community Health
 UNIV 348P Federal Health Policy
- 2005-07 Guest Lecturer, FMST 750 Development and Analysis of Family Policy
 Guest Lecturer, FMST 381 Poverty, Affluence and Families
 FMST Independent studies
 University of Minnesota Family Social Sciences FMST Independent studies
- 2001-04 Guest Lecturer, FMST 381 Poverty, Affluence, and Families
 Guest Lecturer, FMST 430 Gender Issues in Families
 Guest Lecturer, FMST 452 Family Policy Analysis
 Panelist: University of Maryland Career Center: Careers in Extension
 FMST 603 Programmatic Approaches to Family Problems
 FMST 750 Family Public Policy Twice
 FMST 689 Research Internship (mentored 3 students)

University Honors, College Park Scholars, and other special programs

- 2007 Mentor, Philip Merrill Presidential Scholar
 2005 Mentor, Ronald E. McNair Scholar
 2002-2004 Mentor, Gemstone Program (8 students)
 2003 Mentor, Ronald E. McNair Scholar

Undergraduate Senior Thesis Chair, Honors Program

- 2006 Chair, Julianna Plumb, Senior Thesis
 Chair, Joanna Waldman, Independent Study and Internship
 2005 Advisor, Regina Muhammad Ronald E. McNair Scholar
 2002-2004 Advisor, Gemstones (8 students)
 2003 Advisor, Shannon Thompson Ronald E. McNair Scholar
 2001-2005 Advisor 5 Undergraduate Students working on the Maryland Rural Families
 Speak Research Project

Masters Thesis Chair and Committee Membership

- 2008 Chair, Joanna Waldman, FMSC, M.S.
 2005 Chair, Lisa Benson, FMST, M.S.
 2004 Chair, Stephanie Grutzmacher, FMST, M.S.
 2004 Chair, J.R. Marghi, FMST, M.S.
 2004 Chair, Jokena Smith, FMST, M.S.
 2003 Chair, Melissa Rudd, FMST, M.S.
 2003 Member, Andy Smith, FMST, M.S.

Doctoral Dissertation Chair and Committee Membership

- 2016 Member, Teresa McCoy, PhD.
 2013 Chair, Amanda Ginter, FMST, Ph.D.
 2012 Member, April McDowell, FMST, Ph.D.
 Member, Rowena Briones, COMM, Ph.D.
 Member, Susan Copeland Wilson, I-School, Ph.D.
 2010 Co-chair, Jennifer Villani, HAS, Ph.D.
 2006 Member, Christine Schull, FMST, Ph.D.
 2005 Member, Carrie Murray Carpenter, Department of Public and Community Health, Ph.D.
 2005 Member, Latricia Robertson, Department of Public and Community Health, Ph.D.
 2004 Co-chair, Leigh Ann Simmons-Wescott, University of Georgia, Ph.D.
 2001 Co-chair, Maria Vandergriff-Avery, Family Studies (FMST), Ph.D.

Undergraduate Students

- 2015 Teri Smith, FMSC Internship
 2013 Max Katz, College Park Scholars Internship
 2011 Sarah Radice, Internship in Center for Health Literacy 2011
 Ilana Spitz, Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

Doctoral Research Internship

- 2006 Stephanie Grutzmacher
 2005 Elisabeth Maring
 2002 Leigh Ann Simmons (University of Georgia)

Extension Activities***Smart Choice Health Insurance*© Train-the-Trainer Certified Educator Workshops**

Braun, B. & Little, L. Multi-state 2-day workshops:

2015, via distant delivery to Arkansas and Indiana

2014— June, Loveland CO; July, Beltsville MD; September, Distant Delivery for Kansas; December, Virginia.

2013--August, College Park and Beltsville, MD; October, St. Louis & Portland, OR; November, Chaska, MN

Braun, B. & Brown, B. 2 day workshops for non-extension personnel

2015, via distant delivery, navigators and assisters, Community Health Care Workers of New York State; 2-day workshop, New York, NY.

Extension Curricula Developed After Appointment to University of Maryland

Braun, B., Little, L., Brown, V., Russell, M., Pippidis, M. (2013). *Smart Choice Health Insurance*©—multi-state health insurance literacy curriculum.

Braun, B. (2006). *Emergency Preparedness: Strengthening our Emergency Safety Net Public Policy Deliberation Guide*. Also created the convener feedback form and participant feedback form.

Braun, B. (2000-2006). *Food Stamp Nutrition Education Evaluation*. A six-year curriculum, based on a participatory-action research model, delivered via workshops, distance education and educational materials designed to teach Extension Educators how to evaluate the Maryland Food Stamp Nutrition Education Program. Includes findings from the Rural Maryland Speaks Research Study.

Williams, S., Braun, B., Hartough, J., & Miles, S. (2005). *Sizing Up America: A Public Policy Deliberation Guide*. Also created: a convener and moderator guide, convener feedback form, participant feedback form, packet label, forum flyer. Complete packet for conducting citizen forums. Created with funding from the Charles F. Kettering Foundation through the American Association of Family Consumer Sciences.

Braun, B. (2000-2004). *Sages of the Ages: Stories that Touch and Teach*. A print and web-disseminated curriculum designed to meet the resiliency needs of youth and regeneration needs of older adults who have experience with difficulties. Events of 9-11 added an increased need to teach how to cope with adversity.

Braun, B. (1999-2005). *Family-Focused Public Policy Education*. The curriculum, designed to engage citizens, public policy makers and members of the press in family policy, consists of fact sheets, briefs and workshops delivered via print and web-based media using original research and other sources of research pertinent to compelling, current social issues affecting the quality of life of families in Maryland.

Blog

Braun, B. (2012-14). Bonnie's Blog—Health Reform, Horowitz Center for Health Literacy. <http://www.healthliteracy.umd.edu/category/bonnies-blog/> (most visited item on the Center's website in 2012).

Websites Developed at the University of Maryland

Braun, B. (2013). Insuring Your Health. University of Maryland Extension. <http://extension.umd.edu/insure>.

Braun, B. (2008-09). Center for Health Literacy (modified original). Retrieved from: <http://www.sph.umd.edu/literacy>.

Braun, B., & Vessley, C. (2007). Obesity: A Public and Family Health Issue. Retrieved from <http://www.extension.umd.edu/nutrition/obesity>

Anderson, E.A., Braun, B., & Rudd, M. (2003). Maryland Family Public Policy Impact Seminar website. Co-designer and co-writer of text. Introduced this website to teach citizens and policy makers about research related to family public policy and to serve as a one stop source of family policy resource information. Retrieved from <http://www.hhp.umd.edu/FMST/fis/about.html>

Braun, B., & Grutzmacher, S. (2003). Sages of the Ages: Stories that Touch and Teach website. Guided development of website to allow access to the stories and curriculum. Retrieved from <http://www.hhp.umd.edu/FMST/Sages/home.htm>

Braun, B., & Bauer, J. (2001) Rural Families Speak website. Conceptualized the purpose and components of this new website as the main central communications media for the fifteen state research team. Retrieved from <http://www.ruralfamilies.umn.edu>

Extension Curricula Developed Prior to Appointment at the University of Maryland

Braun, B. (1996). *From Welfare to Well-being*. A multimedia curriculum on public policy education to inform citizens and policy makers of the ramifications of the 1996 federal welfare reform legislation. University of Minnesota. *Awarded the Farm Foundation Outstanding Public Issues Education Award, 1997.*

Braun, B. (1989-1994). *Going Global*. A curriculum to teach professionals and producers of goods how to market products via the internet; includes a youth component. Virginia Tech University. *Received the Certificate of Appreciation, Southern Region Global Entrepreneurship Management Systems Working Group.*

Braun, B. (1983). *Time Managers*. A curriculum to teach and certify adult volunteers as time manager educators. Oklahoma State University.

- Braun, B., Weber, J., Cadwalder, D., Good, R. (1982). *Home and Work: The Balancing Act*. A multidisciplinary, worksite curriculum to teach ways to manage household work and work outside the home. Co-written with parenting, nutrition and leadership specialists. Oklahoma State University.
- Meszaros, P., & Braun, B. (1981). *The Heritage of Home Economics: 1840-1920*. A multimedia curriculum for college students studying the history of the profession, co-written with an advisory committee and used extensively nationwide for over 20 years. Oklahoma State University with funding from Kappa Omicron Phi.
- Braun, B. (1980). *Calculating Consumer: Consumer Education Project for 4-H Youth and Adults*. A nine-year, age-graded, developmental curriculum with yearly project leader guide, written with guidance of a volunteer and salaried, youth and adult advisory committee. (Set of 10). Oklahoma State University. *Used for over 7 years by Oklahoma Extension and adopted by the Virginia Cooperative Extension.*
- Braun, B. & Williams, S. (1979). *Energy Education Methodologies for Limited Income Families*. A curriculum to teach limited income families how to inexpensively conserve energy and reduce energy costs. *Only educational recipient of U.S. Department of Energy Outstanding Energy Project*. Oklahoma State University.
- Braun, B., & Wilson, E. (1978). *Energy Education for Preschool Children: The MIZER Series*. A curriculum to teach parents and teachers of early childhood education how to develop energy conserving behaviors. Co-written with parenting specialist. Oklahoma State University. *Adopted in 36 states and translated into 2 languages.*

Classes/Workshops Prior to Appointment at the University of Maryland

- 1994-1997 Nutrition Education Program Reinvention
Designed and co-taught a major curriculum renovation for the Food Stamp Nutrition Education and Expanded Food Nutrition Education Programs. *Program cited by USDA as a national model.*
- 1996 On the Road and Ready to Roll
Conceptualized and designed content, evaluation and marketing for the merged Food Stamp Nutrition Education and Expanded Food Nutrition Education Programs.
- 1993 Power in the Profession: Power in the Person
Taught a week-long workshop for 50 high school and post-high school teachers at the University of Reading, United Kingdom.
- 1990-1994 Extension Marketing Matters
Conducted Extension in-service education for all Virginia Extension faculty, staff and administrators to develop understanding of, and appreciation for, marketing matters.
- 1990-1994 Extension Program Planning and Reporting
Proposed and led the Virginia Cooperative Extension System in a redesign of program planning and reporting.
- 1990-1994 Professional Competency Development for Virginia Extension
Proposed and led the initiative to identify and document competencies needed to effectively and efficiently conduct Extension programming.

- 1989-1994 Going Global. Led Extension in Virginia and the Southern Region in creation of curriculum to teach youths and adults how to market products via the internet. *Prototype for the emerging 2003 E-Extension national model.*
- 1988-1998 Family Consumer Sciences Administrative Leadership Council Proposed and led a consortium of administrative organizations in the creation, funding, and execution of three professional development programs for emerging and experienced administrators.
- 1986-1988 4-H Executive Development Institute
Proposed and led a series of 6 week-long workshops for 50 potential applicants for 4-H state leader positions. *Received a Certificate of Excellence.*
- 1984 Applying Benefit-Cost Analysis to Local Programs
Created and led two four-hour workshops to introduce Virginia Extension Educators to a technique for assessing value of programming.
- 1981 Close Encounters of the Creative Kind
Co-designed and evaluated the Southern regional conference to teach creative methodologies for marketing, teaching and evaluating adult education.

SERVICE**Professional Service****Offices and Committee Memberships in Professional Organizations Since Appointment at University of Maryland****Kellogg Leadership Fellows Alliance**

- 2015 Member, Leadership Legacy Planning Committee
2011-12 Member, Core Network Weaving Team.
2011 Member planning committee, *Civic Engagement: Leadership for The Common Good*, Washington, D.C.

Association of Schools of Public Health

- 2008-2009 Member, DrPH Community/Cultural Orientation Workgroup

American & Maryland Association of Family and Consumer Science

- 2012-2013 Building Leadership Academy Planning Committee
2010-2011 Family and Consumer Sciences Research Journal Marketing Committee
2008-2009 Past-President and member of Board of Directors; Member, Executive Committee; Chair, Comprehensive Business Plan Team; Liaison to Public Policy Committee; Chair Past-Presidents Unit.
2007-2008 President and member of Board of Directors; Chair, Comprehensive Business Plan Coordinating Team; Member, Finance Committee; Liaison to Public Policy Committee

- 2006-2007 President-elect and member of Board of Directors; Chair, Business Plan Work Group; Member of Executive Director Search Committee; Member Finance Committee
- 2005-2006 Member, Restructuring Committee; Invited participant, Futuring Summit
- 2004-2006 Chair, Public Policy Committee; Member, Public Policy Committee 2003-2004
- 2004 Member, International Year of the Family Task Force
- 1999-2003 Member, Bank of Experts and Journal Review Board
- 2002-2003 Chair, Public Policy Committee
- 2000-2001 Chair, Annual Meeting Planning Committee
- 2000-2002 Maryland Vice President for Services
- 2000-2002 Member, Maryland Program Planning Committees for three state conferences

Council of Administrators in Family and Consumer Sciences

- 2014 Faculty and Planning Committee member, Emerging Administrators Workshop, Tulsa, OK.

National Council on Family Relations

- 2004-2005 Family Policy Section Executive Committee
- 2003-2004 Elected Chair Family Policy Section
- 2003-2004 Member, 2004 Program Planning Committee
- 2000-2005 Member, Public Policy Committee
- 2000-2003 Chair, Strategic Planning Subcommittee
- 2002 Reviewer, 2002 annual meeting proposals and media awards

National Association of Extension Family Consumer Sciences, Maryland Affiliate

- 2002-2004 Co-chair, Public Affairs Committee
- 1999-2001 Member, Public Policy Committee

Groves Conference

- 2004-05 Liaison to NCFR-AAFCS Public Policy Conference

Kappa Omicron Nu

- 2006-7 Invited Consultant for Board Futuring Task

USDA/NIFA/APLU

- 2012-14 Member, ECOP Health Task Force 2011-12
- Chair, Priester National Health Conference

Offices and Committee Memberships in Professional Organizations Prior to Appointment at the University of Maryland

American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences

Chair, Publications Advisory Committee
Member, Family Economics Home Management Section
Chair, Nominating Committee
Member, Families and Work Mini-Conference Committee
Chair, Futures Committee Extension Section
Member, Awards Committee Member,
Pre-Conference Committee Chair,
Strategic Program Committee
Chair, Subcommittee on Diverse Families Fund Award
Chair, Massachusetts Avenue Fund Awards Committee

Minnesota Association of Family & Consumer Sciences

1998-1999 President
1994-1998 Member, Policy Board and Finance Committee

National Association of Extension Family Consumer Sciences

1988-1989 National Advisor

National Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges

Association of Administrators in Human Sciences & Board of Human Sciences

Elected Extension Member, Board of Human Sciences Chair,
Welfare Reform Task Force, Rapid Response Team,
Steering Committee, Professional Development Committee
Elected member, Human Sciences Institute Board
Chair, Federal Appropriations and Legislation Committee Chair,
Long Range Planning Committee
Chair, Professional Development Committee Chair,
Public Policy Committee
Representative, Home Economics Public Policy Council
Charter Chair, Family Consumer Sciences Administrator Leadership Council

Extension Committee on Policy

Member, Health Task Force
Member, Leadership Seminar Planning Committee
Member, Employability Task Force
Chair, Meeting the Challenge of Welfare Reform Conference
Member, Extension Organizational Development Network
Chair and Initiator, National 4-H Executive Development Institute

USDA Cooperative State Research, Education and Extension Service

- Member, Nutrition Education for Diverse Audiences: Research and Practice
Conference Planning Committee
- Member, Workforce Preparation Initiative Management Team
- Member, Strategic Planning Committee
- Member, Home Economics Resource Management Task Force
- Member, Human Capital Initiatives Task Force
- Member, Strategic Planning Committee on Agricultural Competitiveness and Profitability
- Member, Rural Development Think Tank
- Member, Forest Service and Extension Service Rural Revitalization through Forestry Farm Bill Implementation Team
- Administrative Advisor, Southern Region Global Entrepreneurship Management Support Project
- Chair, Southern Region Home Economics Workshop
- Virginia Representative, Extension Service Legislative Network Member, W.K. Kellogg Foundation, National 4-H Council and USDA Youth Development Institute Design Team

American Distance Education Consortium

- Panelist, Program Board
- Chair, Evaluation Plan Committee

Campus Service

Department of Family Science

- 2013 Member, Professors Review Committee and Faculty Search Committee
Member, Search Committee
- 2011-13 Member, Graduate Committee
- 2008 Member, Research Associate Search and Promotion and Tenure Committees
- 2006-2007 Member, Graduate Committee, Doctoral Comprehensive Review & Fundraising Committees
- 2006-2007 Chair, Awards and Publicity & Outreach Committee
- 2006-2007 Member, Fund Raising Committee
- 2005 Chair, Assistant Department Head Search Committee
- 2005 Member, Department Head Review Committee
- 2005 Chair, Outreach Committee
- 2004-2005 Member, Promotion and Tenure Committee
- 2004-2005 Chair, Awards Committee
- 2004 Member, Search Committee
- 2003-2004 Member, Undergraduate Committee
- 2002-2003 Chair, Extension Review Criteria Committee
- 2001-2002 Member, Department Ten Year Review Committee
- 1999-2003 Chair, Maryland Day Committee
- 2001 Member, Senior Scholar Search Committee
- 2001 Chair, Grants and Contracts Committee
- 2000 Member, Extension Family Resource Management Search Committee

University of Maryland Extension Family Consumer Sciences

- 2014-15 Member, National Health Outreach Conference Health Insurance Pre-conference Planning Committee
- 2012-14 Co-leader, Health Smart Impact Team and Health Insurance Literacy Initiative 2011-12 Chair, USDA Priester Health Conference
- 2009- Member, Health Smart Impact Team
- 2008 Member, Family & Consumer Sciences Executive Committee.
- 2008 Member, Healthy Homes Focus Team
- 2007 Food Stamp Nutrition Education Evaluation and Reporting Project Leader Search Committee
- 2006-2007 Chair, Public Issues Education Focus Team
- 2006-2007 Member, Family Consumer Sciences Evaluation Committee
- 2006 Facilitator, Howard County Nutrition and Physical Activity Strategic Plan
- 2004-2005 Member, Family Consumer Sciences Executive Committee
- 2003-2005 Co-chair, Public Issues Education Focus Team
- 2001-2003 Representative, USDA Workforce Preparation Initiative
- 1999-2004 Co-chair, Family Life Committee
- 1999-2004 Member, Family Consumer Sciences Program Planning Committee
- 1999-2001 Member, Technology Committee and Community Development Study Group
- 2000 Member, Food Stamp Nutrition Education Program Director Search Committee
- 2000 Initiator, Healthy Families-Healthy Communities Seminar
- 2000 Member, Family Consumer Sciences Program Planning Committee
- 1999 Reviewer, manuscript for textbook on family finance

Service to University of Maryland Colleges**School of Public Health**

- 2015 Member, Post-tenure Review Committee, Lori Simon-Rusinowitz
- 2014 Member, Center for Health Literacy Directors Cabinet
- 2013 Chair, Commencement Speaker Committee
Chair, Health Literacy Maryland Steering Committee
- 2012-13 Member, APT Committee
Member, Commencement Speaker Committee
Member, Health Literacy Maryland Steering Committee
Member, Center for Health Equity Community Research Advisory Board
Member, Carter-Pokras Tenure Review Committee
Member, Kim Tenure Review Committee
- 2009-2012 Member, Prevention Research Center Advisory Committee
- 2009-2011 Member, Community-based Research and Service Learning Committee
- 2009-2011 Member, Workforce Development Committee
- 2008-09 Member, Community Partnership Committee
- 2006-2007 Member, Website Redesign Team
- 2004 Member, Retreat Planning Committee
- 2003-2004 Member, Health and Society Series Planning Committee
- 2002-2004 Representative, Continuing Education Advisory Committee
- 2001-2004 Chair, Maryland Day Committee
- 1999-2001 Family Studies Representative, Dean's Advisory Council

College of Agriculture and Natural Resources

- 2012-13 Member, UME Strategic Planning Committee
 2012 Member, Nick Place 5-Year Review Committee
 2009- Member, Healthy Smart Impact Team
 Member, Food Systems Exploratory Team
 2008 Family & Consumer Science Acting Assistant Director
 Member, Maryland Cooperative Extension Administrative Team
 Member, Family and Consumer Science Executive Committee
 Member, Interview Team for Family & Consumer Science Assistant Director.
 2007 Member, Evaluation & Assessment Coordinator Search and Screen Committee
 Member, FSNE Evaluation & Reporting Coordinator Search Committee
 2006 Member, Maryland Cooperative Extension Core Competency Review Committee
 2005 Representative, Northeast Region Community Development
 Member, Maryland Cooperative Extension Mentoring Committee
 2002-2009 Representative, Maryland Cooperative Extension Rural Maryland Council
 2001-2003 Member, Maryland Cooperative Extension Strategic Planning Committee
 2002-2003 Chair, Organizational Development Initiative Writing Team
 1999-2000 Member, Distance Education Advisory Committee
 1999 Resource person, Maryland State Fair Drought Booth

Philip Merrill College of Journalism

- 2005 Host Hubert Humphrey Journalism Fellows (2)
 2003 Facilitator, Life in State of Poverty, Knight Fellows
 2002 Advisor, Annie E. Casey Journalism Child and Family Policy Fellows
 2003 Web-based guest lecturer, Knight Fellows

University of Maryland

- 2012-2013 APT Appeals Committee
 2005-2006 Member Steering Committee, Coalition on Student Civic Engagement
 2002-2004 Member, Continuing Education Advisory Committee and Awards Subcommittee
 2001-2004 Member, UMD Maryland Day Planning Committee
 2002 TV Guest, *Rural Poverty*. University of Maryland TV's Global Village

Special Administrative Assignments

- 2009-2011 Endowed Chair & Director, Horowitz Center for Health Literacy (80% FTE)
 2008 Acting Family and Consumer Science Assistant Director, Maryland Cooperative Extension, College of Agriculture and Natural Resources. (10% FTE)
 2002-2009 Co-director, Maryland Family Policy Impact Seminar
 2000-2003 Interim Assistant Dean for Outreach, College of Health and Human Performance (HHP) (10% FTE)
 2000-2003 Member, HHP Dean's Administrative Council

Community, State, National Service

- 2011-2013 Co-Developer, Maryland Cultural Competency and Health Literacy Primer, Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, Office of Minority Health and Health Disparities
- 2012 Member, Maryland Health Disparities Collaborative, Cultural and Linguistic Competency Work Group, Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, Office of Minority Health and Health Disparities
- 2011-12 Member, National Consortium for Multicultural Education for Health Professionals Consortium Conference Planning Committee
- 2010-2012 Member, Maryland Department of Aging Evidence-Based Advisory Council
- 2009-2010 Member, Healthy People Health Communication and Health IT Working Group U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion
- 2009-2011 Asset Building Community Development Network, Inc.
Member, Board of Directors
- 2006-2013 Rural Maryland Council
Chair, Executive Board, elected Chair, 2010-11; Past Chair, 2011-13
Member, Board of Directors, elected Vice-Chair for 2007-10
Facilitator, Statewide Telehealth Consortium Creation
Chair, Health Working Committee
Member, 2006 Rural Summit Planning Committee Moderator, Emergency Preparedness Panel, Rural Summit Moderator, Annie E. Casey Strengthening Rural Families Sessions
Convener, Emergency Preparedness Deliberative Forum, Rural Summit
Facilitator, Fall Pharmacy Forums (three)
- 2005-2008 Director, Annie E. Casey Foundation Strengthening the Well-Being of Rural Families Grant Program (Awarded \$375,000 over three years).
- 2006 Maryland Department of Health and Mental Health, Office of Rural Health
Member, State Plan Steering Committee representing Rural Maryland Council
- 2006-2007 USDA CSREES Public Health Policy Guiding Group on Obesity
Member, Public Policy Education Sub-committee
- 2006 Member, Northeast Region Committee on Obesity
- 2006 Credentials reviewed for Dr. Linda Robinson, East Carolina University
Dr. Kimberley Greder Iowa State University.
- 2003-2004 Maryland General Assembly Task Force on Access to Mental Health Services Appointed to represent the Rural Maryland Council
- 2000-2003 Maryland Department of Education
Invited member, Family Consumer Sciences Facilities Guide Review Panel
Invited facilitator, state curriculum planning meeting
Invited author, chapter on family trends
Invited facilitator, curriculum standards development process
- 2000-2004 USDA NC223 Multi-state Research Project
Vice-Chair, Communications
Chair, Public Policy Work Group
Co-chair, Family Strengths Work Group

1999-2015 Hagerstown Harold
Media Outlets Interviews and Articles University of Maryland
Health Literacy Outloud Podcast
New York Times
Horowitz Center for Health Literacy:
<http://www.healthliteracy.umd.edu/a-conversation-with-dr-bonnie-braun-a-health-literacy-pioneer/>
Newsdesk-Utube:
<http://www.streamingmedia.umd.edu/webhosting/UR/newsdesk/Experts/Health/Braun/Braun.mp4>
USDA CSREES—Featured Specialist for Family Science
Kansas City Star, University of Maryland Diamondback, University of Maryland
Capital News Service
Delmarva Now, ABC News, National Public Radio
Washington Times and The Baltimore Sun

Service Awards and Honors

2016 American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences Legend Leader
2010-13 University of Maryland Research Leader Award
2008 George Kramer Practitioner Award, School of Public Health, University of Maryland
2008 American Association of Family And Consumer Sciences Award for Service
2007 Philip E. Merrill Presidential Scholars Mentor Award, University of Maryland
2007 Paul Harris Fellow, Rotary International
2005 Leadership Award, American Association of Family Consumer Sciences
2002 Muriel Sloan Communitarian Award, College of Health and Human Performance, University of Maryland
1993 Certificate of Appreciation, Southern Region Global Entrepreneurship Management Systems Working Group
1989 Award for Excellence, National 4-H Executive Development
1989 Certificate of Merit, USDA Extension Service

2016 Consultations

University of Maryland Extension—Healthy Living Design Team and Health Insurance Literacy Initiative
National 4-H Council and Robert Wood Johnson Foundation
University of Maryland Baltimore School of Dentistry—Oral Health Literacy
University of Vermont—Linking Health Care Reform to Agriculture

2015 Consultations

University of Maryland Extension—Healthy Living Design Team, Health Insurance Literacy Initiative, Multi-state Healthy Living Forum Project

National 4-H Council and Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

University of Maryland School of Public Health—Preparation of water quality proposal to include Extension; exploration of certificate in health literacy to include Extension

University of Arkansas—Preparation of proposal to include Smart Choice Basics

University of Maryland Baltimore School of Dentistry—Oral Health Literacy

University of Vermont—Linking Health Care Reform to Agriculture

2014 Consultations

University of Maryland School of Public Health Consortium on Cultural Competency and Health Literacy

University of Maryland—Health Smart and Smart Choice Health Insurance

National 4-H Council and Molina HealthCare Insurance

2013 Consultations

January-June Monique Hill, John R. Raymond Mentoring Fellowship and Instructor, Department of Library Science and Informatics, Medical University of South Carolina—Mentor

2012 Consultations

Monique Hill, John R. Raymond Mentoring Fellowship and Instructor, Department of Library Science and Informatics, Medical University of South Carolina
Mentor

Julie Drizen Casey Journalism Center—conceptualizing an intergenerational grant with AARP

Baltimore City Department of Health—incorporating health literacy into an HIV program