

ADATI TARFA

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Health Services Research

May 2020 – Present

University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, Wisconsin

Advisor: Olayinka O. Shiyanbola, Ph.D., BPharm.

Thesis: *An Investigation into Mechanisms of Building Autonomous Motivation to Adhere to Antiretroviral Therapy among People Living with HIV and Substance Use Disorder Using the Addiction – Comprehensive Health Enhancement Support System (A-CHESS)*

Committee members: Olayinka Shiyanbola, BPharm, Ph.D., Ryan Westergaard, MD, Ph.D., MPH, Kristen Pecanac, RN, Ph.D., James Ford II, Ph.D., Betty Chewning, Ph.D.

Minor: Applied Research in Public Health Education and Promotion

MS in Social and Administrative Sciences in Pharmacy

Sept 2017 – May 2020

University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, Wisconsin

Advisor: Olayinka O. Shiyanbola, Ph.D., BPharm.

Thesis: *Exploring the Role of Community Pharmacists and Social Workers in Improving Adherence to HIV Care*

Committee members: Olayinka O. Shiyanbola, Ph.D., BPharm., Kristen Pecanac, R.N, Ph.D., Betty Chewning, Ph.D.

Summa Cum Laude

Doctor of Pharmacy

Aug 2013 – May 2017

Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa

Magna Cum Laude

Certificates

The Johns Hopkins University Teaching Academy Teaching Institute Certificate

June 2021

Johns Hopkins University Teaching Institute

Certificate requirements: Attend a minimum of 6 pedagogical training workshops; complete one course of Teaching Institute level training; develop a lesson plan applying teaching concepts and strategies for fostering inclusive classrooms

The Consumer Health Advocacy Certificate Program

May 2021

University of Wisconsin-Madison

Certificate requirements: Complete 12 credits of experiential and interprofessional advocacy training for graduate students in Law, Medicine, Pharmacy, Nursing, Public Health, and other allied health professions. Required courses include patient-centered clinical care advocacy, healthcare, and public advocacy, and health program planning, evaluation, and quality improvement

Graduate Certificate in Clinical and Community Outcomes Research

May 2019

University of Wisconsin-Madison Institute for Clinical and Translational Research (ICTR)

Certificate advisor: Barbara King, Ph.D., RN, APRN-BC, FAAN

Certificate requirements: Complete 12 credits in translational and outcomes research in health and health care working with communities, quantitative methods relevant to translational and outcomes research, qualitative approach relevant to translational and outcomes research, complete an independent project, present completed project at the Access, Quality, and Outcomes Research Network (AQORN) seminar

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Published

1. **Tarfa, A.**, Nordin, J., Mott, M., Maurer, M., & Shiyabola, O. (2023). A qualitative exploration of the experiences of peer leaders in an intervention to improve diabetes medication adherence in African Americans. *BMC Public Health*, 23(1), 144. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-023-15059-2>.
2. **Tarfa, A.**, Pecanac, K., & Shiyabola, O. O. (2023). A qualitative inquiry into the patient-related barriers to linkage and retention in HIV care within the community setting. *Explor Res Clin Soc Pharm*, 9, 100207. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.rcsop.2022.100207>.
3. Williamson, L. D., & **Tarfa, A.** (2022). Examining the relationships between trust in providers and information, mistrust, and COVID-19 vaccine concerns, necessity, and intentions. *BMC Public Health*, 22(1), 2033. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-022-14399-9>.
4. **Tarfa, A.**, Pecanac, K., & Shiyabola, O. (2021). Patients, social workers, and pharmacists' perceptions of barriers to providing HIV care in community pharmacies in the United States. *Pharmacy*, 9(4). <https://doi.org/10.3390/pharmacy9040178>.
5. Okoro, O. N., Arya, V., Gaither, C. A., & **Tarfa, A.** (2021). Examining the inclusion of race and ethnicity in patient cases. *American Journal of Pharmaceutical Education*, 85(9), 8583. <https://doi.org/10.5688/ajpe8583>.
6. Ho, P., Chen, K., Shao, A., Bao, L., Ai, A., **Tarfa, A.**, Brossard, D., Brown, L., & Brauer, M. (2021). A mixed methods study of public perception of social distancing: integrating qualitative and computational analyses for text data. *Journal of Mixed Methods Research*, 15(3), 374–397. <https://doi.org/10.1177/15586898211020862>.
7. Shiyabola, O. O., Kaiser, B. L., Thomas, G. R., & **Tarfa, A.** (2021). Preliminary engagement of a patient advisory board of African American community members with type 2 diabetes in a peer-led medication adherence intervention. *Research Involvement and Engagement*, 7(1), 4. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s40900-020-00245-y>.
8. Shiyabola O.O., Maurer, M., Ward, E., Sharp, L., Lee, J., **Tarfa, A.** Protocol for partnering with peers intervention to improve medication adherence among African Americans with type 2 diabetes. *medRxiv*: 2020.2006.2004.20122895.
9. Shiyabola, O. O., Bolt, D., **Tarfa, A.**, Brown, C., & Ward, E. (2019). A content validity and cognitive interview process to evaluate an Illness Perception Questionnaire for African Americans with type 2 diabetes. *BMC research notes*, 12(1), 1-6.
10. Shiyabola, O. O., **Tarfa, A.**, Song, A., Sharp, L. K., & Ward, E. (2019). Preliminary feasibility of a peer-supported diabetes medication adherence intervention for African Americans. *Health Behavior and Policy Review*, 6(6), 558-569.

Under review

11. **Tarfa, A.**, Kjos, A., Williams, M. R., Jackson, L. (2022). Impact of teaching social determinants of health on professional identity formation in the health professions. *American Journal of Pharmaceutical Education*.
12. **Tarfa, A.**, Salihu, E., Xiong, P., Brewer, C., Maurer, M., Liu, Y., Shiyabola, O. O. (2023). African American stakeholders' perspectives on a proposed culturally tailored diabetes self-management program. *Target journal: Discover Social Science and Health*

In preparation

13. Kepper, M., Fowler, L., Kusters, I., Davis, J., Baqer, M., Sagqui-Henson, S., Kang, S., Xiao, Y., **Tarfa, A.**, Yi, J., Gibson, B., Alberts, N., Burgermaster, M, Nije-Carr, V., Klesges L. Expanding a behavioral view on digital health access: drivers and strategies to promote equity. *Target journal: Frontiers in Digital Health*.

14. **Tarfa, A.**, Sayles, H., Bares, S., Havens, J., Fadul, N. Readiness for Long-Acting Injectable Antiretroviral Medications among Ryan White Clinics in the United States. *Target journal: Open Forum Infectious Diseases*.
15. Yang, F., **Tarfa, A.**, Verinumbe, T., Mi, R., Li, M., Cotter, L., Lu, L., Chen, D. Pitfall or Promise? A Systematic Review of Media Interventions to Address Intersectional Stigma among People Living with HIV and Substance Use Disorders. *Target journal: Frontiers*

NON-PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

1. **Tarfa, A.**, Espinosa, P. R., & Alcaraz, K. I. (2021). Did Communication Inequities Worsen During the COVID-19 Pandemic? What Is There to Learn? *Outlook, Member Newsletter of the Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM)*.
2. **Tarfa, A.**, Bittel, K., Soto, Y., Hudgins, Brynn. (2021) How Four Graduate Students Adapted Conducting Research During the COVID-19 Pandemic. *Outlook, Member Newsletter of the Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM)*.
3. Boutin, K.P., Henninger, M.W., Loree, A.M., **Tarfa, A.**, Volkman J. (2020) Women's Health: Facts about Birth Control, STIs and Condoms. *Outlook, Member Newsletter of the Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM)*. Available at <https://www.sbm.org/healthy-living/womens-health-facts-about-birth-control-stis-and-condoms/>.
4. **Tarfa, A.** (2020) Access to Affordable HIV Care: Resources to Help Pay for Medication. *University of Wisconsin Health, Positive Times*. Available at: [Positive-Times-June-2021.pdf \(uwhealth.org\)](#).
5. **Tarfa, A.**, Loyola, M.D. (2020). Rethinking Self-care for Graduate Students During a Pandemic. *The Society of Behavioral Medicine Health Equity Special Interest Group Newsletter*.

PEER-REVIEWED RESEARCH POSTERS AND ABSTRACTS

† Denotes being a supporting but non-presenting author

Podium/Symposia

1. Kepper M, Jonassaint, C, Coulibaly S, Espel-Huynh H, Bennett G, Espinosa P, Alcaraz K, **Tarfa A.**†. Designing, Implementing, and Sustaining Behavioral Health Technologies to Promote Health Equity. Symposium Annual Meeting & Scientific Sessions of the Society of Behavioral Medicine. Baltimore, MD. April 6 – 9, 2022.
2. Soto S, Espinosa P, Alcaraz K, Lumpkins C, **Tarfa, A.**†, Buscemi J, N. Mabach. Infusing social determinants of health into behavioral medicine: Applying concepts to research, clinical practice, and policy. Pre-Conference Course, Annual Meeting & Scientific Sessions of the Society of Behavioral Medicine. Baltimore, MD. April 6 – 9, 2022.
3. **Tarfa A.**, Maurer MA, Mott ML, Sarkarati N, Schwerer L, Shiyanbola OO. Feasibility and Acceptability of Peers Lead (Supporting Health Literacy, Self-Efficacy, Self-Advocacy, and Adherence) Program for African Americans with Diabetes. American Public Health Association (APHA) Annual Meeting. Denver, CO. October 26, 2021.
4. Williamson L, **Tarfa A.** Using Structural Equation Modeling to Examine Trust, Mistrust of Pharmacists, and COVID-19 Vaccine Concerns, Necessity, and Behavioral Intentions in Black and White Americans. International Conference on Communication in Healthcare (ICCH). Oral Presentation. October 18, 2021.
5. Maurer MA, **Tarfa, A.** †, Mott ML, Sarkarati N, Schwerer L, Shiyanbola OO. Improving Medication Adherence among African Americans with Type 2 Diabetes: Piloting Peers LEAD (Supporting Health Literacy, Self-Efficacy, Self-Advocacy, and Adherence) to Assess Feasibility and Preliminary Effectiveness. International Conference on Communication in Healthcare. Virtual. May 2021.
6. **Tarfa A.** The challenge to be heard when suffering from mental illness. Narrative Medicine Session. Academy of Communication in Healthcare (ACH). Healthcare Communication Virtual Research Forum. June 26, 2020.

7. **Tarfa A.** Caring in the Community: How Can Pharmacists Retain Patients in HIV Care? Global Health Symposium: Health in the Balance--Acting Now for a Healthy Tomorrow. Madison, Wisconsin. April 16, 2019.
8. **Tarfa A,** Shiyabola O. Community Pharmacists Roles for Linkage and Retention in HIV Care: A Content Analysis. Midwest Social and Administrative Pharmacy Conference, Madison, Wisconsin. Aug 15 – 17, 2018. *Posters*
9. **Tarfa A,** Maurer M, Salihu E, Schwerer L, Sarkarati N, Brewer C, Liu Y, **Shiyabola OO.** Using CFIR to Assess Acceptability of Merging Diabetes Self-Management with a Tailored Peer Intervention for African Americans. Annual Meeting & Scientific Sessions of the Society of Behavioral Medicine. Baltimore, MD. April 6 – 9, 2022.
10. Barton HJ, Werner NE, Loganathan S, **Tarfa A.** †, Wilkins D, Ehlenbach M, Katz BJ, Collier RJ. What Makes a Home? A Qualitative Analysis Toward the Development of Home Personas. Pediatric Academic Societies 2021 Meeting, May 2021.
11. Barton, HJ, Pflaster EG, Loganathan P, **Tarfa A.** †, Wilkins, D, Ehlenbach M.L, Katz, B, Collier, R.J, Valdez, R.S, Werner N.E. Development of Home Personas to Inform Design of Consumer Health Information Technology. International Symposium on Human Factors and Ergonomics in Health Care. April 12 – 16, 2021.
12. **Tarfa A,** Shiyabola O, Pecanac K, Chewing B. Comprehensive HIV Care: Exploring How Community Pharmacists Can Engage Patients in HIV Care Using a Patient-Centered Medical Home Model. The American Pharmacists Association (APhA) Annual Meeting Seattle, Washington. March 22 – 25, 2019.
13. Shiyabola O, Bolt D, **Tarfa A,** Ward E, Brown C. A Content Validity and Cognitive Interview Process to Critically Evaluate an Adapted Culturally Appropriate Illness Perception Questionnaire for African Americans with Diabetes. The American Pharmacists Association (APhA) Annual Meeting, Seattle, Washington. March 22 – 25, 2019.
14. **Tarfa A,** Shiyabola O, Pecanac K. Caring in the Community: How Can Pharmacists Retain Patients in HIV Care? 40th Annual Meeting and Scientific Sessions, Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC, March 6 – 9, 2019.
15. Shiyabola O, Bolt D, **Tarfa A,** Ward E, Brown C. A Content Validity and Cognitive Interview Process to Evaluate an Illness Perception Questionnaire for African Americans. 40th Annual Meeting and Scientific Sessions of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC, March 6 – 9, 2019.
16. **Tarfa A,** Shiyabola O, Bolt D, Ward E, Brown C. Peer Support Approach to Enhance Medication Adherence among African Americans with Type 2 Diabetes. Inaugural Diabetes Research Day, Madison, Wisconsin. February 19, 2019.
17. Shiyabola O, **Tarfa A.** Bolt D, Ward E, Brown C, Cognitive Interviews to Adapt a Reliable Tool to Assess Illness Perceptions of Type 2 Diabetes amongst African Americans. Inaugural Diabetes Research Day, Madison, Wisconsin. February 19, 2019.
18. Shiyabola O, **Tarfa A.** Development and Feasibility of a Peer Ambassador Program to Enhance Care (PASPEC) in African Americans with Diabetes. Annual Science of Dissemination and Implementation Conference, Madison, Wisconsin. November 2, 2018.
19. **Tarfa A,** Shiyabola O. Interdisciplinary Approach to Improve Linkage and Retention in Care of People Living with HIV. 6th Annual Rural HIV Research and Training Conference, Savannah, Georgia. September 22, 2018.

*Doctor of Pharmacy**Podium*

1. **Tarfa A.** That is not part of our Culture: An Account of Nigeria's Negligence towards Human (Women) Rights. The University of Iowa Undergraduate Human Rights Conference, Des Moines, Iowa. April 10, 2015.

2. **Tarfa A.**, Mckay D., Kjos A. The Ramifications to Childhood Health Outcomes: An Examination of Nutritional Education within the Des Moines Public School System. 8th Heartland Global Health Consortium Conference: The Social Determinants of Health, Des Moines, Iowa. October 5, 2016.

Posters

3. **Tarfa A.** Designing Components of a Protocol to Create Regulation around Counterfeit Medications in Nigeria. Drake University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Des Moines, Iowa. May 2, 2016.
4. **Tarfa A.**, Martwitz K., Feldman, A. Beneath the Threat - Ebola Virus Disease. 6th Annual Heartland Global Health Conference: Climate, Nutrition, and Health, Des Moines, Iowa. October 15, 2014.
5. Truong E., **Tarfa A.**, Benjamin T., Bravos C. The Correlation between Organization Type and Leadership Skills. Drake University Pharmacy and Health Sciences Day, Des Moines, Iowa. March 6, 2014.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS, LECTURES, AND WORKSHOPS

1. **Presenter:** Southern HIV and Alcohol Research Consortium (SHARC), University of Florida, Gainesville. Virtual Presentation. February 22, 2023.
2. **Panel Moderator:** Pharmacists' Activities during the COVID-19 Pandemic Virtual Oral Session. American Public Heal Association (APHA) Annual Meeting. Denver, Colorado. October 24, 2021.
3. **Panel Moderator:** HIV PrEP & Substance Use Virtual Oral Session. American Public Heal Association (APHA) Annual Meeting. Denver, Colorado. October 21, 2021.
4. **Guest Lecturer:** Qualitative Research Methodology in Health Services Research Part I and II. Health Sciences 172, Evaluating Research. Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa. October 6, 2021.
5. **Invited Panelist:** (with Kimlin Ashing, PhD; Dante Morehead, Apoorva Reddy) Applying Lessons Learned about Justice, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion in Healthcare from 2020 for Graduate Students and Early Career Professionals. Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM) Webinar Series. September 23, 2021.
6. **Panelist:** Perspectives of Key Stakeholders Regarding Retention in HIV Care: A Qualitative Interview Study with People Living With HIV, Community Pharmacists, and Social Workers. The University of Wisconsin Morgridge Center for Public Service. Madison, Wisconsin. May 6, 2021.
7. **Moderator:** Diversifying the Investigator Workforce Webinar sponsored by the Women's Health and Health Equity Special Interests Groups. Virtual presentation for Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM). June 3, 2021.
8. **Guest Lecturer:** HIV and Other Infectious Diseases Health Delivery in Africa. University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, Wisconsin. April 7, 2021.
9. **Panelist:** NVivo Research Network Virtual Meeting. Madison, Wisconsin. April 13, 2020.
10. **Guest Lecturer:** Controlled Substances Act & Uniform Controlled Substances Act Registration under the Controlled Substances Act. UW-Madison School of Pharmacy, Madison, Wisconsin. April 7, 2020.
11. **Guest Lecturer:** Education for Nurses about Pre-exposure Prophylaxis and Post-exposure Prophylaxis in HIV. NRS 340- Professional Nursing: Long-term Issues. Henry Predolin School of Nursing, Edgewood College, Madison, Wisconsin. November 30, 2020.
12. **Speaker:** Topic: Geography, Medicines, and Infectious Diseases in Nigeria. Edgewood Campus School, Madison, Wisconsin. March 5, 2019.

13. **Speaker:** Topic: Living with a Chronic Disease. Henry Predolin School of Nursing, Edgewood College, Madison, WI. December 7, 2018.
14. **Invited Workshop Panelist:** (with Dr. Rachel Vreeman, Rev. Kathryn Kozinski, M.Div., BBC, and Kyle Bonham) Topic: Breaking Barriers in HIV and AIDS. Carmel, Indiana. October 25, 2018.
15. **Podcast:** Infectious Disease Society of America (IDSA) Topic: Pharmacotherapy Agents for Prevention of Candidemia in Adult Intensive Care Unit Patient. for Department of Internal Medicine, Broadlawns Medical Center. Des Moines, Iowa. July 30, 2016.
16. **Invited Speaker:** (with Kelsey Klien, Pharm.D) Topic: Over the Counter (OTC) Safe Medication Practices. Stilwell Middle School, Des Moines, Iowa. November 7, 2015.

RESEARCH GRANTS AND FUNDING

Funded

Exploring and adapting the perspectives of patients, social workers, and community pharmacists on patient-related barriers to receiving and staying in HIV care

Role: Principal Investigator

Funding source: Graduate Women in Science Ruth Dickie Grants-in-Aid

Funding amount: \$2500

Funding period: May 2019 – Jun 2020

Unfunded

Beyond diversity numbers: how to support women and women of color in STEM

Role: Coinvestigator with Lisa Imhoff, LCSW.

Funding source: Women in Science and Engineering Leadership

Funding amount: \$3500

Funding period: Jun 2022 – Dec 2022

Exploring health literacy and the digital divide as disparity agents in HIV-self management among people living with HIV (PLWH)

Role: Principal Investigator

Funding source: Robert F. and Jean E. Holtz Center for Science & Technology Studies Outreach Fellowship

Funding amount: 12,000

Funding period: Sept 2019 – Jun 2020

Perceptions and considerations for African-born immigrant women as HIV research subjects

Role: Principal Investigator

Funding source: Fordham University HIV and Drug Abuse Presentation Research Ethics Training Institute (RETI)

Funding amount: \$30,000

Funding period: Jul 2019 – Jul 2021

Exploring the utilization of community pharmacists to facilitate linkage and retention in the care of people living with HIV

Role: Principal Investigator

Funding source: Community Pharmacy Foundation

Funding amount: \$5,100

Funding period: May 2018 – May 2019

Other funded activities

Society of Behavioral Medicine

Travel Award

Funding amount: \$250

Feb 2023

Curriculum Vitae	Adati Tarfa	
American Public Health Association		Nov 2022
Travel Award		
<u>Funding amount:</u> \$500		
McBurney Resource Center		Jul 2022
Academic Scholarship		
<u>Funding amount:</u> \$2,500		
The AIDS Institute		Apr 2021
Community, Providers, and Researchers Conference Scholarship		
<u>Funding amount:</u> \$50		
Society of Behavioral Medicine		Mar 2018/2021
Selected Conference Service Award		
<u>Funding amount:</u> \$300		
UW-Madison Social and Administrative Sciences		May 2020
Summer Research Award Support		
<u>Funding amount:</u> \$7,200		
Wisconsin Public Health Association		Mar 2019
Early Career Professional Development Scholarship		
<u>Funding amount:</u> \$250		
UW-Madison Student Research Grants Competition		Mar 2019
Research Funding		
<u>Funding amount:</u> \$1,200		
UW-Madison Office of Diversity, Inclusion, and Funding		Feb 2019
Student Research Travel Grants		
<u>Funding amount:</u> \$1,000		
Global AIDS Committee Breaking HIV Barriers		Oct 2018
Conference Scholarship		
<u>Funding amount:</u> \$360		
Plough Foundation Pharmacy Scholarship		Jan 2017
<u>Funding amount:</u> \$3,000		
Douglas and Sharon Pugh Legacy Award		Oct 2016
<u>Funding amount:</u> \$595		
Casten International Scholarship		Oct 2016
<u>Funding amount:</u> \$7,000		
Drake University Presidential Merit-based Scholarship		Aug 2013
<u>Funding amount:</u> \$60,000		

MENTORED-RESEARCH PROJECTS

HIV Research Projects

Clinic-Level implementation of mobile health to improve HIV viral suppression for patients with substance use disorders

PI/Mentor: Ryan Westergaard, MD, Ph.D., MPH

Funding source: National Institutes of Health (NIH)/National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA)

Funding amount: \$3,193,192

Mentorship period: Mar 2019 – Present

Role: Graduate researcher assisting with community engagement and mobile health application development.

Community-engaged Research Projects

Feasibility and acceptability of a pilot culturally specific educational-behavioral intervention for African Americans with type 2 diabetes

PI/Mentor: Olayinka Shiyanbola, Ph.D., BPharm.

Funding source: National Institutes of Health/Institute of Clinical and Translational Research Collaborative Health Equity Research Pilot Program

Funding amount: \$50,000

Mentorship period: Mar 2018 – Feb 2019

Role: Graduate researcher assisting with community engagement, data collection, data analysis, and dissemination

Improving medication adherence among African Americans with diabetes based on patient beliefs

PI/Mentor: Olayinka Shiyanbola, Ph.D., BPharm.

Funding source: NIH KL2 Career Development Award by UW-Madison Institute of Clinical and Translational Research (funded through a Clinical and Translational Science Award)

Funding amount: \$460,636

Mentorship period: Dec 2017 – Mar 2018

Role: Graduate researcher assisting with participant recruitment and data collection.

Medication adherence in African Americans with type 2 diabetes: changes over time

PI/Mentor: Olayinka Shiyanbola, Ph.D., BPharm.

Funding source: University of Wisconsin-Madison Institute for Clinical and Translational Research (ICTR) & Office of the Vice Chancellor for Research and Graduate Education (OVCERGE)

Funding amount: \$42,050

Mentorship period: Jun 2017 – Dec 2017

Role: Graduate researcher assisting with survey design and data collection

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

Professional Teaching Experiences

Delta Research, Teaching, and Learning Program

Jun 2020 – Present

University of Wisconsin-Madison

- Completed two graduate level courses on teaching and learning: Research Mentor Training Practicum and Our Massive Open Online Course (MOOC) on evidence-based STEM teaching
- Actively participated in a Delta Learning Community presenting teaching plans and providing feedback to other PhD trainees
- Completed a delta internship in teaching-as-research project

Course Instructor - Health Equity & Social Justice for Healthcare Providers

Sept – Dec 2021

University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Pharmacy

Co-instructor: Lisa Imhoff, Associate Dean for Diversity and Inclusion, School of Pharmacy

- Created a two-credit social justice seminar focusing on diversity, equity, inclusion, and leadership in the health professions for interprofessional students in veterinary medicine, nursing, pharmacy, and health sciences

Teaching Assistant - Pharmacist Communication: Educational and Behavioral Interventions

Jan – May 2022

University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Pharmacy

Supervisor: Betty Chewning, Ph.D.

- Provided technological support for the Canvas course management system that supports online learning, teaching, and data management of student's coursework
- Provided student-pharmacists feedback on patient-provider communication and counseling skills

Teaching Assistant - Pharmacy in the Health Care System

Supervisor: Kevin Look, Pharm.D, Ph.D., Kate Rotzenberg, PharmD

Curriculum Vitae

Adati Tarfa

- Managed course materials, quizzes, group projects, and student exams on the course design and delivery software
- Designed supplemental learning materials using a game-based learning platform to prepare students for exams

Teaching Assistant - Pharmacy Law and Ethics

Jan – May 2020

Supervisor: Kate Rotzenberg, Pharm.D.

- Worked with a team of pharmacists, instructors, and information technology specialists to convert an in-person lecture to a virtual class during the COVID-19 pandemic

Graduate Teaching Assistant - Pharmacy Law and Regulation

Aug – Dec 2018

Supervisor: Dave Mott, Ph.D.

- Created student learning groups to enhance teamwork on pharmacy ethical dilemmas and applications
- Provided students with verbal/written feedback on their reflection on student pharmacists' workplace experiences

Graduate Teaching Assistant

Aug 2014 – Aug 2016

Pharmacy 161 – Introduction to Pharmaceutical Care

Supervisor: John Rovers, Pharm.D., Drake University, Iowa

- Examined lecture methods and provided feedback to the instructor
- Reviewed and provided feedback on students' letters to Congressmen/Senators on Provider Status

Comprehensive Academic Tutor

Oct 2010 – Aug 2013

Kirkwood Community College, Cedar Rapids, IA

- Tutored the following subjects: Algebra, Ancient Mediterranean History, Calculus, General Chemistry, Human Anatomy and Physiology, Introduction to Ethics, Microbiology, and Microeconomics
- Developed effective communication strategies to work with adult learners and students with intellectual disabilities

Volunteering Teaching Experiences

Disability Teaching Support

Jan 2021 – Present

McBurney Disability Center University of Wisconsin Madison

- Provide teaching and learning assistance to students with learning disabilities

The UW-Madison Volunteer Tutoring Program

Nov 2018 – Present

University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI

- Engage with international researchers, scholars, and Madison's multicultural workforce to develop an understanding and appreciation of cross-cultural work experiences
- Encourage diverse university employee learners to build on their communication, technical vocabulary, grammar, reading, and writing skills

Adult Literacy Tutor

Mar 2016 – Jan 2017

Drake University School of Education, Des Moines, IA

- Trained with the Wilson Reading System to teach English to adult learners' numerical skills
- Improved adult students' ability to use printed and written information

PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP AND RECOGNITION

Doctor of Philosophy

- NVivo Qualitative Research Network Coordinator Nov 2020
- Student Representative Multi-Health Behavioral Change Interest Group May 2019
- Member, Technology, and Entrepreneurship Changing Healthcare Feb 2019
- Secretary Student Special Interest Group, Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM) Feb 2019
- Multicultural Graduate Network Ambassador Feb 2019

Doctor of Pharmacy

Curriculum Vitae

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| • Publicity Co-Chair, College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences Day | Adati Tarfa
Oct 2015 – Feb 2016 |
| • Philanthropy Chair, American Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ASHP) | May 2015 – Apr 2016 |
| • African Ambassador, International Student's Association | Apr 2015 – Apr 2016 |
| • Bill Burke Leadership Conference Selected Participant | Sept 2015 |
| • Vice President, American Pharmacist Association (APhA) | Feb 2014 – Apr 2016 |
| • Vice President, Mortar Board Honor Society | Mar 2014 – Mar 2015 |
| • Student Leadership Development Series Selected Participant | Sept 2013 |

SPECIALTY LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION

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| • The National Institute of Health (NIH) Principles and Practice of Clinical Research | Jul 2018 |
| • Wisconsin Board of Pharmacy License | Sept 2017 |
| • Oregon Board of Pharmacy Intern License | Nov 2017 |
| • Iowa Board of Pharmacy Intern License | Dec 2016 |
| • Violence Intervention Advocate Certification | Aug 2015 |
| • American Heart Association (AHA) Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) | Aug 2015 |
| • American Pharmacists Association (APhA) Immunization Delivery Certificate | Sept 2014 |

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIP

- Lambda Kappa Sigma Pharmacy Fraternity
- Graduate Women in Science University of Wisconsin Madison
- Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM)
 - Health Equity Student Liaison
 - Student Representative Multi-Health Behavioral Change Special Interest Group
- Wisconsin Public Health Association (WPHA)
 - Racial Equity Committee
 - Early Career Professional Committee
- Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee Catalysts for Science Policy
- American Public Health Association (APHA)
 - Membership Ambassador
- American Pharmacists Association (APhA)
 - Postgraduate Representative Economic, Social, and Administrative Sciences (ESAS) Section

EDITORIAL AND PEER-REVIEW SERVICE

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| • Manuscript Reviewer: Health Education Research | Jan 2023 |
| • Manuscript Reviewer: Pharmacy | May 2021 |
| • Abstract Reviewer: American Public Health Association Conference | Jan 2019/2021/2022 |
| • Abstract Reviewer: Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting & Scientific Sessions | Sept 2021/2022 |
| • Poster Mentoring: Education, Training & Career Development (ETCD) Council | Feb 2019 |
| • Abstract Reviewer: National HIV Prevention Conference | Dec 2019 |
| • Scholarship Reviewer: National HIV Prevention Conference | Sep 2018 |
| • Manuscript Reviewer (mentored): International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health | Jun 2018 |
| • Manuscript Reviewer: Journal of Pharmacy Practice | May 2018 |
| • Abstract Reviewer: American Association of Pharmaceutical Scientists Conference | Apr 2017 |

STUDENT-FOCUSED SERVICE

Facilitator - Health Sciences Learning Communities

April 2021

University of Wisconsin School of Pharmacy, School of Nursing, School of Veterinary Medicine

- Supported students, faculty, and staff by providing activities and resources that enable self-examination and self-awareness of prejudices, biases, and patterns that contribute to systemic racism

Curriculum Vitae

Adati Tarfa

- Promoted lifelong learning and critical self-reflection to recognize and challenge power imbalances to facilitate true allyship and accountability

Catalysts for Science Policy (CaSP)

Sept 2020

University of Wisconsin-Madison

- Served as the Diversity Equity and Inclusion Chair and developed how CaSP can build relationships with groups on campus that are representing historically excluded folks in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM)

Technology, Entrepreneurs, Changing Healthcare (TECH) Team

Feb 2020

University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Public Health and Biomedical Engineering Department

- Created a community for discussion, support, and exchange of technology-related ideas
- Worked with a team of medical student tech entrepreneurs and provided feedback on their innovations

Mordridge Entrepreneurial Bootcamp

Jun 2019

Wisconsin School of Business

- Engaged with campus and community experts in start-up formation, culture, intellectual property, and funding
- Participated in training focused on entrepreneurship, innovation, intellectual property accounting/finance, business modeling, marketing strategy, negotiations, and teamwork

Cultural Linguistic Services

Nov 2018 – Present

University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI

- Fostered relationships with J-1 scholars and provided cross-cultural experiences and skills

Science Expeditions

Mar 2018 – Present

University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI

- Curated an opportunity for kids to explore community-based research in exciting/educative ways

International Student Mentorship Program

May 2015 – May 2017

Drake University International Center, Des Moines, IA

- Mentored international pre-pharmacy students during their transition into their new environment in the US

Violence Intervention Partner (VIP)

May 2015 – Aug 2016

Office for Sexual Violence Response and Healthy Relationship, Drake University Des Moines, IA

- Operated the 24-hour crisis line for students in need of confidential consultation

Herb & Karen Baum Symposium on Ethics and Professionalism

Apr 2015

Drake University, Des Moines, IA

- Organized activities for business, education, and government leaders from around the world to discuss issues that shape public health

Union against Tuberculosis

Mar 2015

Drake University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Des Moines, IA

- Pioneered the International and Lung Disease (IUTATLD) And World Health Organization (WHO) anti-TB partnership campaign on the Drake University campus

Generation Rx Safe Medication Practices Health Screening

Feb 2015

American Association of Pharmacists, Drake University, Des Moines, IA

- Partnered with the Spanish club to provide health screening to parents at Karen Acres Elementary

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT SERVICES

Facilitator of Young Adults Living with Mental Illnesses Support Group

Feb 20210 – Present

National Alliance of Mental Illnesses (NAMI), Madison, WI

- Pioneered the first Young Adult mental health support group in Wisconsin

- Trained to facilitate peer-support Zoom groups for young adults living with any mental health issue

Volunteer Pharmacist Salvation Army MEDic Clinic

May 2018 – Present

The Salvation Army of Dane County, Madison, WI

- Provide smoking cessation counseling and resources to an underserved population of women experiencing intimate partner violence and substance abuse complications

Annual Waunakee Wellness & Energy Fair

March 2018

Waunakee Village Center, Waunakee Lions Club, and Waunakee Utilities

- Serve as the preceptor pharmacist to pharmacy students providing health screenings including diabetes and blood pressure screenings

Healthy Aging Fair

Oct 2017

Madison Senior Center, Madison, WI

- Supervised pharmacy students providing wellness education to older adults to prevent disease complications and promote healthy aging

Diabetes Committee Student-run Health Screenings

May 2015 – May 2017

Drake Neighborhood, Des Moines, IA

- Pioneered a health screening event led by students to promote diabetes disease prevention within the community

Diabetes and Healthy Heart Medical Camp

Sept 2015

Epworth United Methodist Church, Des Moines, IA

- Collaborated with minority physicians in Des Moines to provide health screenings for houseless and low-income community members

World AIDS Day Awareness

Dec 2013 – Dec 2015

Walgreens Store #5852 and Drake University, Des Moines, IA

- Educated community members about HIV testing and treatment
- Provided information about HIV providers and clinics in Des Moines

COMPETITIVE AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

Doctor of Philosophy

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| • Yale University's Bouchet Graduate Honor Society | Feb 2023 |
| • University of Utah Health Rising Star Symposium | Dec 2022 |
| • Award of Excellence NAMI Dane County | May 2022 |
| • Society of Behavioral Medicine Excellence in Service | Apr 2022 |
| • Top Abstract American Pharmacist Association (APhA) ESAS | Mar 2022 |
| • University of Washington Summer Institute in Statistics and Modeling in Infectious Diseases | Jul 2021 |
| • Lambda Kappa Sigma Professional Pharmacy Fraternity | Apr 2021 |
| • Academy of Communication Health Abstract Award | Jun 2020 |
| • HHS Office of Minority Health as a Health Equity Fellow | May 2019 |
| • Early Career Professional, Wisconsin Public Health Association | Mar 2019 |
| • Student Research Grants Competition UW-Madison | Mar 2019 |

Doctor of Pharmacy

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| • 1 st Place Graduate Research – 8 th Heartland Global Health Consortium Conference | Oct 2016 |
| • 3 rd Place ASHP Clinical Skills Competition | Oct 2016 |
| • Drake University Dean's List | 5 Semesters: 2013 –2016 |
| • Phi Lambda Sigma Pharmacy Leadership Honor Society | Oct 2015 |
| • Mortar Board Academic Honor Society | Mar 2014 |
| • Drake University Presidential Merit-based Scholarship | Aug 2013 |