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**Title: Professor, Family &  
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**Discipline: Family &  
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**Education**

- **PhD Family & Consumer Sciences Education, Cornell University**
- **MS Family & Consumer Sciences Education, Cornell University**
- **BS Family & Consumer Sciences Education, University of Connecticut**

**Other Credentials:**

- **Certified Family & Consumer Scientist (cfcs0)**

**Research Interests:**

- **Curriculum Development**
- **Teaching Methodologies**
- **Mentoring**
- **Leadership Development**
- **Recruitment Strategies**
- **Supervision Techniques**

**Current Research:**

- **Meeting the Demand for Family & Consumer Sciences Educators: An Assessment of Needs & Recruitment/Mentoring Strategies**

