

**CURRICULUM VITAE****Glynis D. Blackard PhD, RN, BSN, MSN**

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**EDUCATION**

<b><u>Institution</u></b>	<b><u>Degree</u></b>	<b><u>Major</u></b>	<b><u>Year</u></b>
William Carey University Hattiesburg, MS	PhD	Nursing	2016
Union University Jackson, TN	MSN	Nursing	2009
Union University Jackson, TN	BSN	Nursing	1990
Baptist Memorial Hospital Memphis, TN	Diploma	Nursing	1983

**HONORS/AWARDS**

2019 Reinhardt University, Distinguished Service in Leadership  
 2019 Union University, Distinguished Achievement Award in Healthcare  
 2019 Featured in V3 NWGA's Premier Feature Magazine, Ashlee Bagnell. *Nurses Needed*  
 2019 Featured in Cherokee Tribune. *Reinhardt University Trauma Event Raises Awareness for Organ Donation: Lifelines.*  
 2019 Cover Photographer for Sanctuary, *The Interdisciplinary Arts Magazine of Reinhardt University*  
 2016 Nursing Week Honoree and Keynote speaker Baptist Memorial Hospital, Desoto  
 2009 Sigma Theta Tau International – Union University Nu Lambda chapter induction  
 2000 Celebrate Nursing nominee – BMHCC  
 1999 BMCHS Honor Society  
 1990 National Collegiate Honor Society elected a member of ALPHA CHI  
 1990 National Collegiate Nursing Awards Winner  
 1981 Alpha Lambda Delta National Collegiate Honor Society Memphis State University

**LICENSURE**

Registered Nurse                      Tennessee              RN#60625              Issued 1983              Active Status

**SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS DURING CAREER**

AHA CPR certified  
American Association of Colleges of Nursing  
American Nurses Association  
Georgia Nurses Association,  
Georgia Association of Nursing Deans and Directors  
National Nursing Staff Development Organization  
Association of Perioperative Nurses  
American Organization for Nursing Leadership  
ACLS  
Academy of Medical Surgical Nurses  
Tennessee Nurses Association  
Sigma Theta Tau  
Sigma Theta Tau – Nu Lambda chapter  
STTI Regional Conference Committee  
STTI Nu Lambda Chapter officer  
Member of Memphis Area Post-Anesthesia Nurses Association (MAPANA)  
Member of Tennessee Society of Post-Anesthesia Nurses  
Member of American Society of Post-Anesthesia Nurses (ASPAN)  
Central Learning Center Board Member  
American Red Cross Volunteer  
Memphis Epilepsy Foundation  
Served on National Education CEU Approval Committee  
Served as Hostess for National Convention  
Central Learning Center Board Member  
American Red Cross Volunteer

**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

<b><u>Institution</u></b>	<b><u>Position</u></b>	<b><u>Years in Position</u></b>
University of Tennessee HSC College of Nursing	Assistant Dean & Assistant Professor in	1/2020 – present

Memphis, TN	Student Affairs	
Reinhardt University Waleska, Georgia	Founding Dean	8/2016 – 12/2019
Union University School of Nursing Hendersonville, TN	Founding Undergraduate Chair & Assistant Professor	10/2011-10/2015
Union University School of Nursing Germantown, TN	Assistant Professor	8/2009-12/2011

**HOSPITAL/CLINICAL APPOINTMENTS**  
**or PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE EXPERIENCE:**

<b><u>Institution</u></b>	<b><u>Position</u></b>	<b><u>Years in Position</u></b>
Baptist Desoto Southaven, MS	Nursing Administration	10/2015-08/2016
Campbell Clinic Surgery Center Germantown, TN	Staff RN PACU (PRN)	08/2008-09/2011
Baptist Memorial Hospital Baptist Memorial Health Care Corp Memphis, TN	System Nursing Director for Patient Safety & Quality	08/2003-07-2008
Baptist Memorial Hospital for Women Memphis, TN	Administrative House Supervisor	02/2003-08/2003
Metropolitan Memphis System (Mississippi, Tennessee, Arkansas) 17 Hospitals	Nursing Staff Development Clinical Coordinator- System	09/1998-08/2003
Metropolitan Memphis Hospitals 6 Hospitals	Nursing Staff Development Clinical Coordinator-METRO	06/1998-09/1998
Baptist Memorial East Memphis, TN	Director of Surgical Services	11/1996-05/1998
Baptist Memorial East Memphis, TN	Perioperative Care Manager	08/1993-08/1996
Baptist Memorial Hospital East Memphis, TN	Nurse Clinician IV Post Post Anesthesia Care Unit	07/1985-08/1993
Pediatric and Adolescent Medicine Memphis, TN	Pediatric Office Nurse	04/1988-09/1989
Baptist Memorial Hospital	Charge Nurse	05/1983-07/1985

Medical Center  
Memphis, TN

Neuro/Surgical Intensive Care Unit

Samaritan Home Health

Nurse

1984

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

Reinhardt University – Waleska, GA	Associate Professor	8/2016-12/2019
Union University – Hendersonville, TN	Assistant Professor	1/2012-10/2015
Union University- Germantown, TN	Assistant Professor	08/2009-12/2011
Baptist College of Health Science Memphis, TN	Adjunct Faculty Clinical Instructor	10/2008-12/2008

### **UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

UTHSC – CON NLN Center of Excellence Task Force

UTHSC- CON HRSA Grant for Disadvantaged Students submitted 2 grants one for DNP and one for BSN to potentially total 6.5 million dollars on February 27,2020.

Founding Dean for Cauble School of Nursing and Health Sciences developed every process and every component of the curriculum, hiring and mentoring of all staff and faculty, coordination of supplies, clinical sites, including the design and build of a 3 hospital bed simulation center.

Achieving successful Georgia Board of Nursing Accreditation, SACSCOC, and CCNE accreditation.

Connected University support services to the Cauble School of Nursing and Health Sciences.

Active participant with Admissions for student nurse admission.

Recruited the first class of the Cauble School of Nursing and Health Sciences.

Lead team that selected clinical partnership contracts i.e. ATI, E-value, Advantage

Lead the RUCSON & HS committees

Dean Council

Provost Council

Orientation Committee

Admissions Committee

Senate

Strategic Planning Committee

Sharp Scholars

Academic Advisory Council – Sub- committee of the Board of Trustees

Board of Trustee Meetings

Participated in Reinhardt University Board of Trustee Meetings

Developed Process for Endowed Scholarship through Medical Staff at Northside Hospital

Developed Process for Endowed Scholarship Cauble and Cauble Family Endowed Scholarships

Developed Process for Hilda McVay Scholarship

Developed and implemented White Coat Ceremony

Developed and implemented Pinning Ceremony

Developed and implement SON& HS portion in Graduation ceremony

Worked with faculty and student leadership to establish student activities for Student Nurses.

Developed RN- BSN curriculum, approved through established channels  
Developed Designated Education Unit and Pilot with Piedmont Mountainside fall 2018 and spring 2019, continued implementation fall 2019 and spring 2020.  
Worked with architect and Reinhardt leadership in designing a new SON and Health Science Building.  
New regional Nursing Campus for Union University – founding Undergraduate Chair  
Involved in physical building and establishment of classrooms, 6 bed High Fidelity Simulation Lab, Gross Anatomy Lab, Skills lab, Health Assessment Labs and all equipment and supplies as needed for undergraduate nursing program including hiring and mentoring of all staff and faculty and establishing community relationships  
Participated in University committees across all 3 campuses at Union as appropriate  
Greater Faculty  
School of Nursing  
Undergraduate Committee  
Leadership committee  
QEP committee for Southern Association for Colleges and Schools accreditation  
CCNE Accreditation Committee for the School of Nursing  
Chair – Retention and Success Committee – Curriculum Change and Development

#### **OTHER PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND ACTIVITIES: (OPTIONAL)**

AACN reviewer for educational offerings  
Active in service and volunteer opportunities in the community. Such as: Serving as nurse in Pickens County Health fair 2017, 2018, 2019, 450 children served.  
HOSA presenter at area High Schools in Cherokee, Bartow, Pickens Counties in Georgia  
Mentor for Nursing faculty, New Registered Nurse mentor, and consultant for Community Health Nurse setting up village clinics in Kafferine, Senegal, West Africa ongoing.  
Mentor for DNP, PhD, and graduate students  
Collaboration with Piedmont Mountainside to develop a Designated Education Unit - fall 2018, spring and fall 2019 continuing in spring 2020  
Developed and Implemented Reinhardt University First Camp Nightingale Summer 2017 – 2-day camp targeted for high school juniors and seniors interested in nursing  
2017 Dissertation published - Library of Congress -: Examining Bachelor of Science in Nursing Accelerated (BSNA) Student Outcomes within a Traditional Faculty Workload Model versus a Clock Hour Faculty Workload model  
Certified Post- Anesthesia Nurse November 1990 – November 1996  
On reference list to participate in telethon and teach in area schools  
Featured in an article OR Manager July 1994 *Perioperative Case Managers Redesign Processes*  
Consultant to Baptist Memorial Hospital Little Rock, Arkansas regarding the new JCAHO survey process  
Consultant to St. Joseph's Hospital Memphis, Tennessee regarding the new JCAHO survey process  
Camp Nurse and coordinator –1997- 2016 Residential camp 300 plus 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade students and staff

#### **PRESENTATIONS**

Westberg Institute and Spiritual Care Institute Webinar for over 1100 participants. March 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>, 2020. Co-author of content and Co-presenter: *Coronavirus Strategies for Spiritual Caregivers dealing with Chaos of Coronavirus and other infection disease threats.*  
AACN for Co-Author Poster Presentation Baccalaureate Conference November 2019: *A Collaborative Theatrical Simulation That Provides Organ Donation Education.*  
Keynote speaker for Piedmont Health System on May 8, 2019 National Nurses Week. *It still Matters.*

August 2018 Keynote Speaker - Georgia Juvenile Services Association. *Taking care of You!*  
Presentation to the Tennessee Society of Post Anesthesia Nurses Sept. 1995 Co- Presenter of Pre- Admission Evaluation Program BMH - East  
Presentation to the Greater Memphis Area of Critical Care Nurses Oct. 1995 Co- Presenter  
*Perioperative Care of the Trauma Patient*  
Presentation to the Memphis Area Post- Anesthesia Nurses Association Nov. 1995 -*The Perioperative Care Manager*  
Presentation to the Greater Memphis Area of Critical Care Nurses Fall 1994 lectured titled - *Care of the PACU Patient*  
Presentation to AORN - Memphis Area Chapter Jan. 1995 - *Care of the PACU Patient*

**BOOKS AND BOOK CHAPTERS:**

Paid Test Item writer for Potter and Perry Fundamentals of Nursing Text, Elsevier 2011-2012

**PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES:**

Original Manuscript accepted by Peer- Review Journal of Christian Nursing. To be published in 2020. *It still Matters*

**CONSULTATION ACTIVITIES**

Consultant to Colleges and Universities interested in starting nursing programs.