

Dr. Bobbi Alba

A hard-working, dedicated individual with a natural ability to teach, counsel, and lead diverse groups of people.

EDUCATION:

- 05/14** Ed. D Educational Leadership
California State University, Long Beach
PK-12 Specialization
Dissertation: Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment
James Irvine Foundation Linked Learning Fellow 2012-2014
Future Faculty Fellow 2015-2016
Post-Doctoral Publishing Fellow 2017-2018
Post-Doctoral Linked Learning Publishing Fellow 2018-2020
- 06/00** Master of Science- School Counseling
University of La Verne
Pupil Personnel Services Credential
- 06/06** Administrative Credential- TIER I
- 06/03** Education Specialist Level One Credential
California State University, Long Beach
- 06/98** Multiple Subjects Teaching Credential
California State University, Dominguez Hills
Clear Credential
- 06/90** Bachelor of Arts – Speech Communication
California State University, Los Angeles
- 06/87** General Studies
Long Beach City College
National Speech Competitor

COUNSELOR EXPERIENCE:

- 09/09-01/16** Cabrillo High School
Long Beach, CA
Counselor
- 12/05-08/08** Long Beach Unified School District
Long Beach, CA
**Lead Counselor Middle/ K-8 Schools:
Communication, Consultation, Coordination, Collaboration**
- 09/03-08/09** Hughes Middle School
Long Beach, CA
Counselor
- 1/97-6/97** Paramount Unified School District
Paramount, CA
Counseling Assistant, Working independently at a K-8 school

TEACHING EXPERIENCE HIGHER ED

- 01/16-present** Azusa Pacific University
Azusa, CA
**Assistant Professor School Counseling and School Psychology
Face-to-Face and Online Instructor: Counseling Theories and
Techniques (course lead), Crisis/Trauma Response and
Interventions, Historical Development of School Counseling
and School Psychology, Group Counseling Skills (course lead),
Foundations and Ethics in Research, Community/Family, and
School Collaboration (course lead), Clinical Practicum,
Fieldwork, Career Development Theories and Techniques, PPS
Leadership/Ethics and Professionalism (course lead)**
Proficient in Task Stream, Blackboard, SAKAI, Canvas, Google
Meet and Zoom
- 08/15-12/15** California State University, Dominguez Hills
Carson, CA
**Part-Time Faculty Counseling Graduate Program: Counseling
Children, Youth and Families**
- 06/04 –12/15** University of La Verne
La Verne, CA
Part-Time Faculty Counseling Graduate Program:

**Fieldwork, Graduate Seminar, Intro. To Counseling,
Facilitation and Collaboration, School Safety and Violence
Prevention**

1/07-01/12 California State University, Long Beach
Long Beach, CA
**Part-Time Lecturer Counseling Graduate Program:
Fieldwork, Practicum in Ed. Psych Clinic**

TEACHING EXPERIENCE K-12

9/00-11/03 Hughes Middle School
Long Beach, CA
**Special Education Department Head:
Oversaw MM, MS, RSP programs
Mild-Moderate Special Education Teacher**

9/99-6/00 Grace Christian School
Cypress, CA
(714) 761-1200
Fifth Grade Teacher

7/97-6/99 Paramount Unified School District
Paramount, CA
**Fourth and Fifth Grade Teacher PL/ELD
Performing Arts After School Club Director**

10/90- 12/96 El Monte City School District
El Monte, CA
Speech/ Language Specialist, Intern. K-8 Schools

Honors, Awards and Skills:

RAMP Recipient (Recognized ASCA Model Program)
RAMP Reviewer (Recognized ASCA Model Program)
First Semifinalist, ASCA School Counselor of the Year for US
LACOE Best in the West Recipient
NCATE Accreditation Interview, CSULB, Ed. D
Completed University of La Verne Online Teaching
Certification Level 1
Completed Azusa Pacific University Hybrid/Blended
Learning Online Teaching Certification
Completed Azusa Pacific University Online Teaching
Certification Levels 1 and 2
Completed Azusa Pacific University Distance Learning
Online Certification
American Red Cross Adult First Aid/CPS/AED certified
Knowledgeable regarding ASCA, NASP, CTC and CACREP
Standards

Memberships:

Member Academy of Experts in Traumatic Stress:
Certified in School Crisis Response
CASC (California Association of School Counselors)
ASCA (American School Counselor Association)
ACA (American Counseling Association)
CCA (California Counseling Association)
ACES (Association for Counselor Education and Supervision)
WACES (Western Association for Counselor Education and
Supervision)
ASERVIC (Association for the Spiritual, Ethical, and Religious
Values in Counseling)
IAC (International Association for Counseling)
Linked Learning Alliance
Conference on Christianity and Literature

Professional Presentations

Clarke, B. (March 2006). The A-Zs and 1,2,3s of Facilitating 504s and SSTs. California Association of School Counselors, Pomona, California.

Clarke, B. (April 2008). Fishbowl Panelist. 5th Annual Community Issues Forum- Youth Educational Options: Pathways to Your Future. CSULB, Long Beach, CA.

Clarke, B. (October 2008). Applying for High School-What Are My Options? LBUSD Math Conference, CSULB, Long Beach, California.

Clarke, B. (December 2008). Ramp it Up! California Association of School Counselors, Anaheim, California.

Clarke, B. (February 2009). RAMPing it Up at Middle School. The ASCA National Model Conference sponsored by The Center for Excellence in School Counseling and Leadership and SDSU. Temecula, California.

Clarke, B. (April 2009). The A, B, C's and 1,2,3s of 504s and SSTs. CCOE Counseling Graduate Student Conference, CSULA, Los Angeles, California.

Clarke, B. (March 2010). Journey to Excellence. Chi Sigma Iota Lambda Beta Chapter-Counseling Academic and Professional Honor Society International Spring Symposium, CSULB, Long Beach, California.

Clarke, B. (May 2012). Linked Learning: James Irvine Fellow. Education Symposium, CSULB, Long Beach, California.

Clarke, B. (May 2013). Linked Learning: Millikan High School LBUSD. Education Symposium, Long Beach, California.

Clarke, B. (June 2013). The Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. Linked Learning Meeting, CSU Chancellor's Office, Long Beach, California.

Clarke, B. (June 2014). The Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. Linked Learning Convening, CSU Chancellor's Office, Long Beach, California.

Clarke, B. (June 2014). The Role of Counselor in a California Partnership Academy. CPA Conference, State Bar of California, San Francisco, California

Clarke, B. (July 2014). The Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. University of La Verne. Cerritos Campus, California

Clarke, B. (September 2014). The Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. Board of Trustee's Meeting, CSU Chancellor's Office, Long Beach, California.

Clarke, B. (September 2014). The Role of Elementary Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. LBUSD Elementary School Counselor Meeting, Long Beach, California

Clarke, B. (September 2014). The Role of Middle/K-8 Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. LBUSD Middle/K-8 School Counselor Meeting, Long Beach, California.

Clarke, B. (September 2014). The A, B, Cs and 1,2,3s of 504s, SSTs and IEPs. University of La Verne. Irvine Campus, California.

Clarke, B. (September 2014). The Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. University of La Verne. Irvine Campus, California

Clarke, B. (October 2014). The A, B, Cs of IEPs. Lakewood High School. Leadership Meeting. LBUSD, Long Beach, California.

Clarke, B. (October 2014). My Brother's Keeper Update Call for Community Allies. White House. Public Engagement Office. Washington, D.C.

Clarke, B. (November 2014). The Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. California Association of School Counselors (CASC). San Diego, California.

Clarke, B. (December 2014). The Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. Cabrillo High School Counselor's Meeting. Long Beach, California.

Clarke, B. (December 2014). The Role of Counselor in an IEP Meeting. Jordan High School Counselor's Meeting. Long Beach, California.

Clarke, B. (December 2014). My Brother's Keeper Update Call for Community Allies, Part 2. White House. Public Engagement Office. Washington, D.C.

Clarke, B. (January 2015). The Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. Linked Learning Convention. Los Angeles, California.

Clarke, B. (January 2015). Building Sustainable Pathways in Linked Learning (co-presenter Dr. James Scott, CSULB). Linked Learning Convention. Los Angeles, CA.

Clarke, B. (January 2015). The Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. Unconference Café. Los Angeles, California.

Clarke, B. (January 2015). The Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. CSULB Educational Leadership Symposium. Long Beach, California.

Clarke, B. (January 2015). The Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. University of La Verne, Cerritos Campus, California.

Clarke, B. (February 2015). The A, B, C's and 1, 2, 3's of SSTs, 504s and IEPs. University of La Verne, Cerritos Campus, California.

Clarke, B. (March 2015). The Role of Counselor in a CPA Environment. CA Career Pathways Consortia and CA Partnership Academies Educating For Careers Conference. Sacramento, California.

Clarke, B. (April 2015). Transformative Counseling in the 21st Century. CSULB Brown Bag Presentation. Long Beach, California.

Clarke, B. (June 2015). Transformative Counseling in the 21st Century. LB CALL Linked Learning Summer Convening Poster Session. Long Beach, California.

Clarke, B. (October 2015). Transformative Counseling in the 21st Century. CA Association of School Counselors (CASC) conference. Riverside, California.

Clarke, B. (October 2015). Transformative Counseling in the 21st Century. Poster Session. CA Association of School Counselors (CASC) conference. Riverside, CA.

Clarke, B. (October 2015). Transformative School Counseling in the 21st Century. Linked Learning Research Symposium. Oakland, California.

Clarke, B. (October 2015). Transformative School Counseling in the 21st Century. Gallery Walk Poster Session. Linked Learning Research Symposium. Oakland, CA.

Clarke, B. (February 2016). Transformational Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. Linked Learning Convention 2016. San Diego, California.

Clarke, B. (February 2016) Shining Your Light, and Sharing Your Knowledge. Graduate Counseling Student and Alumni Association. CSUDH, CA.

Clarke, B. (March 2016) Transformative Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. Pasadena Unified School District Professional Development Day. Pasadena, CA.

Clarke, B. (June 2016) The Role of CSUs in Counselor Preparation for Linked Learning Environments. Moderator at Round Table Discussions. Collaborative for the Advancement of Linked Learning. Long Beach, CA.

Clarke, B. (July 2016) Shining Your Light, and Sharing Your Knowledge. Graduate Counseling Student Association. University of La Verne, Irvine, CA.

Clarke-Alba, B. (October 2016) Fulfill Your Mission: Get the Job of Your Dreams. California Association of School Counseling (CASC) State Conference. Riverside, CA

Alba, B. (December 2016) The Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. Collaborative for the Advancement of Linked Learning Research Symposium. Long Beach, CA.

Alba, B. (March 2017) Transformative School Counseling in the 21st Century. **National Evidence Based School Counseling Conference.** Co-Sponsored by the University of San Diego, Western Association for Counselor Education and Supervision, and the University of Mass. San Diego, CA.

Alba, B. (June 2017) The Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. Poster Session. CSU Collaborative for the Advancement of Linked Learning Research Symposium. Long Beach, CA.

Alba, B. (August 2017) Transformative School Counseling in the 21st Century. Graduate Counseling Association. University of La Verne. Irvine, CA.

Alba, B. (Oct. 2018) Evolve, Engage, Empower Your Employment Opportunities for Professional School Counselors. California Association of School Counselors (CASC) State Conference. Riverside, CA.

Alba, B. & Nishi, M. (Jan. 2018) Transformative School Counseling in the United States and Japan. Hawaiian **International** Conference on Education (HICE). Waikiki, HI.

Alba, B. (Feb. 2018) Scaling Strategies for Professional School Counselor Success. Linked Learning National Conference. Anaheim, CA.

Alba, B. (March 2018) The 7th Empty Box: What's in Your Box? Leaving a Legacy of Faith. Prime Time Meeting. Fullerton, CA.

Alba, B. (June 2018) The A, B, C's and 1,2,3s of Effectively Facilitating SSTs, 504s, and IEPs. Expanding Your Engagement Conference. Azusa, CA.

Alba, B. (Oct. 2018) Chart Your Course, Set Your Sail, Reach Your Destination! California Association of School Counselors (CASC) State Conference. Riverside, CA.

Alba, B. (Nov. 2018) Students Have Issues, We Have Tissues! California Consortium for Independent Studies (CCIS) Southern CA Regional Conference. Irvine, CA.

Alba, B. (Feb. 2019) Cruise Into Parent Engagement Through the School Counselor. Long Beach Unified School District (LBUSD) English Language Advisory Committee (ELAC) Annual Meeting. Long Beach, CA.

Alba, B. (March 2019) Cruise Into Parent Engagement Through ELAC and the School Counselor. California Association of Bilingual Educators (CABE) annual conference. Long Beach, CA.

Alba, B. (February 2020) The Changing Role of Professional School Counselors in Career Pathways and CPAs. Educating for Careers state conference. Long Beach, CA.

Alba, B. (March 2020) Six Spanish Language Resources for College and Career Readiness. Long Beach Unified School District, Educational Partnership High School, English Language Advisory Committee. Long Beach, CA.

Alba, B. (March 2020) Spiritual Memoir: Celebrating the Strength to Move On. Western Regional Conference on Christianity and Literature. Azusa, CA (Event cancelled day before due to public health emergency)

Alba, B. (April 2020) Spiritual Memoir: Celebrating the Strength to Move On. Azusa Pacific University Scholar Fest. Azusa, CA (Event cancelled due to public health emergency)

Alba, B. (June 2020) Self Care for Counselors in Crisis. American School Counselor Association annual national conference. Seattle, WA (Event cancelled due to public health emergency)

Alba, B. (April 2021) Self-Care in the Face of Adversity. American School Counselor Association Webinar. Alexandria, VA. (Online event over 225 participants)

Alba, B. (May 2021) Counseling and Communicating With Your Children. Long Beach Unified School District, Educational Partnership High School, English Language Advisory Committee, Webinar. Long Beach, CA.

Alba, B. (June 2021) Counseling and Coping After COVID. Village Christian High School. Sun Valley, CA.

Alba, B. (July 2021) Self-Care in the Face of Adversity for Educators. CSU Chancellor's Office Center to Close the Opportunity Gap First Annual Statewide Educator Summit Webinar. Long Beach, CA.

Alba, B. (Oct. 2021) Professional School Counselors: Difference Makers on a Journey to Excellence. 49er Alumni Industry Virtual Chat. California State University Alumni Association. Long Beach, CA.

Alba, B. (Oct. 2021) Finding Pathways to Self-Care, Healing Hearts for Wholeness Webinar. California Association of School Counselors (CASC) Statewide Virtual Conference. Riverside, CA (over 100 participants)

Publications

Clarke, B. (May 2014). The Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. Dissertation.

Clarke, B. (January 2015). The Role of Counselor in a Linked Learning Environment. Linked Learning Pathway Newsletter, Long Beach Unified School District.

Alba, B. (2019). Seven Boxes: An Inspirational Memoir, Celebrating the Strength to Move On (Vol. 1, p. 200). Grand Rapids, MI: Credo House Publishing. Amazon and Kindle versions available.