Jacqueline Davis-Manigaulte

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Biographical Statement

Jackie Davis-Manigaulte is a Senior Extension Associate, Family Program Leader for Family and Youth Development with Cornell University Cooperative Extension in New York City. She has extensive experience in the leadership, development and implementation of educational programs for youth and adult audiences. She has worked closely with colleagues and community leaders throughout New York City, New York State and throughout the country to create programs for youth and adults on topics related to nutrition and fitness; science, technology, engineering & math (STEM) education; environmental stewardship; clothing maintenance and recycling; positive youth development; parenting; gardening; hydroponics; youth entrepreneurship and community service. Under her leadership, the 4-H Youth Development Club Program was launched in New York City. Jackie has a Bachelors of Science degree in Human Development and Family Studies from the College of Human Ecology at Cornell University and a Masters of Arts degree in Home Economics from the School of Education at New York University. In 2008 she completed a doctoral program at Columbia University/Teachers College in Adult Education which enables her to further pursue her interests related to youth development, leadership and organizational learning.

Teaching

Professional

Current Professional Activities

Member of following Associations, Boards and Committees:

National Association of Extension 4-H Educators

National CYFERnet Parent/Family Editorial Board member, as of February, 2005 New York State Afterschool Network (NYSAN) Steering Committee member and Regional Team member

New York State Youth Development Team - Committee Member Cornell Research Program on Self-Injurious Behavior in Adolescents and Young Adults Advisory Team member

Cooperative Extension Parenting Education Program Work Team member Cooperative Extension Risks and Thriving in Adolescence Program Work Team member

New York City Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) Work Group member

New York State Afterschool Network (NYSAN) Capacity Building Advisory Committee co-chair

NYS Collaboration for Health, Activity & Nutrition in Children's Environment(CHANCE) Leadership Team Member Affiliate Member of National Association of Family & Consumer Sciences

Research

Current Research Activities

Principal Investigator on "Parenting the Second time Around (PASTA) Phase Two research project focused on the impact of implementation of nationally recognized PASTA curriculum that provides training for grandparents and other relatives who are raising grandchildren or other kin (18 years of age or younger). This three year research project is funded by Smith Lever Federal Formula Funds from October, 2014 through September, 2017. This project is a follow up study based on the PASTA-NYC project that was conducted from October, 2011 -September, 2014. During the PASTA-NYC project, PASTA training was conducted with relative caregivers in the Bronx and Harlem. For year two, the project was conducted in Jamaica, Queens and Central Brooklyn and involved participants in both the PASTA project and a nutrition education class, as a control. In year 3 the project was conducted in Fort Greene, Brooklyn and Chelsea, Manhattan. Data analysis of year three showed 3 areas with significant findings - primarily related to identifying and accessing resources, knowledge of child or teen's where abouts and who they are with. Analysis of combined data from years 2 and 3 resulted in 9 questions with significant changes in knowledge and behavior. In the PASTA -NYC Phase Two research project the project team will also reach out to kinship caregivers who are caring for children with special needs, as well as Spanish speaking caregivers in order to determine whether PASTA is able to address the needs of these audiences or whether adaptations to the curriculum are needed. Support is provided by Human Ecology/ BCTR faculty members Dr. Rachel Dunifon, Dr Kim Kopko, and Eliza Lathrop Cook, and an advisory team that includes campus faculty and staff as well as several field based, experienced Cooperative Extension staff members and colleagues from local agencies.

Extension

Current Extension Activities

As a Senior Extension Associate with Cornell University Cooperative Extension in New York City, I am Program Leader for the Family and Youth Development program area. We are currently conducting several outreach projects in collaboration with Human Ecology faculty and staff, as well as organizations and community partners in New York City. Our outreach efforts fall within the categories of Healthy Lifestyles; Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) related projects; Youth Leadership and Community Service; and Parenting

Education. We are currently a partner with the Bronfenbrenner Center for Translational Research (BCTR) on the Assets Coming Together (ACT) for Youth Center of Excellence that provides training, technical assistance and evaluation support for NYS Department of Health adolescent health programs throughout the state. In addition, we have just completed the third year of a three year, Smith Lever/ Hatch funded research study of the Parenting the Second Time Around (PASTA) project in New York City, and were funded to continue research on this topic, with additional emphasis on caregivers with children with special needs and spanish speaking families. In 2014 the Family & Youth Development Program also implemented the Youth Voice Youth Choice Program through which 49 teen leaders were trained to conduct workshops with middle school youth about healthy eating and fitness. They reached 424 youth and increased their own knowledge and awarenss about this topic as well as those of the youth involved. The curricula used for this project were Choose Health Food, Fun and Fitness (CHFFF) and Choose Health Action Teen (CHAT), both developed by Dr Wendy Wolfe in the Division of Nutritonal Sciences (DNS). The Family & Youth Development Program in NYC also implements the 4-H Club program and other 4-H Youth Development special projects, including several grant funded initiatives which are described on our websitattp://nyc.cce.cornell.edu

Education

Education

2008 Ed.D. Columbia University – Teacher's College

1983 M.S. New York University

1972 B.S. Cornell University – College of Human Ecology

Courses

Websites

Related Websites

Cornell University Cooperative Extension - NYC website: http://nyc.cce.cornell.edu

Administration

Administrative Responsibilities

As Program Leader for Cornell University Cooperative Extension NYC's Family & Youth Development program area, Dr. Davis-Manigaulte is responsible for overall leadership for the program area including planning, implementation and

evaluation. A major reponsibility is to develop relationships within Cornell, with other institutions/ organizations in the community as well as with key legislators and other decision-makers to build program support. Administrative tasks include supervision of 2 full time and 4 part time professional staff, 3 part time program assistants, and 1 administrative assistant. She also provides administrative management of the program area in fiscal and personnel matters, including fund development.

Publications

Selected Publications

An Interpretive Case Study of a Youth Development Network, 2008 (dissertation from Teachers College/ Columbia University)

4-H Science in Urban Communities: Promising Practices Guide, 2011 (co-author of concept for site and contributor) - website at: http://urban4hscience.rutgers.edu

Educational Reflective Practices edited by Franco Angeli, Numero 1/2011: "Sostenere lo sviluppo degli operatori nel settore dello sviluppo giovanile attraverso l'apprendimento critico riflessivo basato sull'azione" di Victoria J. Marsick e Jacqueline Davis-Manigaulte.

Healthy Snacks and Beverages for Adolescents, 2012 (primary author/ project director) of publication for ACT for Youth Center of Excellence website, Bronfenbrenner Center for Translation Research

Youth Development Network: A site for the Professional Development of Youth Workers. Chapter in Advancing Youth Work: Current Trends, Critical Questions, edited by Dana Fusco, Routledge, New York 2012