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Academic Experience

1978	Ph.D.	University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee, Community Health Education
1974	M.P.H.	University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee, Masters of Public Health
1973	B.S.	University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon, Bachelor of Science in Health Science

Professional Experience

1998-present		Graduate Director, California State University, Long Beach; Department of Health Science
1994-1997		Department Chair; California State University, Long Beach; Department of Health Science
1992-present		Professor; California State University, Long Beach; Department of Health Science

Recent Publications

1. Friis, R.H., Forouzesh, M.R., Chhim, H.S., Monga, S., Sze, and D. (2006) Sociocultural determinants of tobacco use among Cambodian Americans. *Health Education Research: Theory and Practice*; 21(3), 355-365.
2. Friis, R.H., Forouzesh, M.R., Chhim, H.S., Monga, S., Sze, and D. (2005) Sociocultural determinants of tobacco use among Cambodian Americans. *Tobacco Control Online Journal*.
3. Forouzesh, M.R. (2003). Greeks and Mediterranean Diet Manuscript: Guide to World Nutrition and Health (chapter). New York, NY: Macmillan Publishing Co.
4. Calvo-Fernández, J.R., Calvo-Rosales, J., Calvo-Fernández, E., López-Cabañas, A., Repetto-Jiménez, E., Rodríguez-Tadeo, E., Forouzesh, M., and Acosta-Deprez, V. (2003). *Conadic Informa: Tabaquismo Invasión Publicitaria* (chapter).
5. Pérez, M.A., Acosta-Deprez, V., and Forouzesh, M.R. (2001). Celebrating Diversity in AAHE: The Multicultural Involvement Committee. American Association of Health Education; HEXTRA.
6. Forouzesh, M.R. (1999) Evaluation of Tobacco Prevention Programs, Proceedings the 2nd European, 1st Iberoamericana Conference on Tobacco or Health, Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, Spain, February 23, 1999. (Abstract)
7. Forouzesh, M.R., Acosta-Deprez, V., Price, T., (Spring, 1999). Preventing Delinquency in Elementary School Students: The Horizon Alternative Academy Enrichment Program in The Journal of Court, Community, and Alternative Schools (accepted for publication)
8. Forouzesh, M. & Acosta-Deprez, V. (November 1998). A Primer for Evaluating Peer Helper Programs, CAPP (California Association of Peer Programs) Communicator, pp. 5-7
9. Acosta-Deprez, V., Forouzesh, M.R., Narayanan, A., Pascual, L. (1998). University Faculty's Perceptions Regarding the Inclusion of Multiculturalism Into Health Education Courses, Proceeding From the Ninth Annual Long Beach Research Symposium, Long Beach, California, November 20, 1998.
10. Price, T. & Forouzesh, M.R. (1998). County Community School: The Teachers Make the Difference. *The Journal of Court, Community, and Alternative Schools*, Vol 10, pp. 8-15.
11. Lee, J.A., Parrott, S.A., Feigelman, W., Wu, R., and Forouzesh, M. (1998). Alcohol Consumption as a Risk Factor for Cigarette Smoking. *Pharmacology Biochemistry and*

- Behavior, 61, 153 (A15). (Abstract)
12. Forouzesh, M.R. & Waetjen, D. (1998). Youth Violence, (in A. Henderson & W. Evaschwick, eds.). Promoting Teen Health, Thousand Oaks, California: Sage Publication, Inc., pp. 166-180.
 13. Lee, J.A., Parrot, S.A., Feigelman, W., Rogxian, W., Forouzesh, M (1997). Alcohol and Cigarette Use Among Entering College Freshman. Proceedings from the Eighth Annual Long Beach Research Symposium, Long Beach, California.

Recent Presentations

1. Forouzesh, M.R. (4 December 2007). The Role of Health Education in Today's Society. Los Angeles County, Department of Health Services, Health Education Administration.
2. Petras, E., Grabhorn, L.O., Forouzesh, M.F., & Rice, M.R. (9 November 2007). PAL® Peer Assistance Leadership Program Youth Connect Project. 18th Annual Research Symposium, Long Beach, CA.
3. Friis, R.F., Forouzesh, M.R., Cuoch, K., Monga, S., & Long, S. (5 November 2007). Cigarette Smoking Quit Attempts among Cambodian Americans. American Public Health Association 135th Annual Meeting & Exposition.
4. Petras, E., Grabhorn, L.O., Forouzesh, M.F., & Rice, M.R. (3 November 2007). PAL® Peer Assistance Leadership Program Youth Connect Project. American Public Health Association 135th Annual Meeting & Exposition.
5. Grabhorn, L.O., Rice, M.S., Forouzesh, M.R., & Krey, R. (3 November 2006). Evaluation of the Tobacco Use Prevention Education (TUPE) Program. 17th Annual Research Symposium, Long Beach, CA.
6. Friis, R.H., Forouzesh, M., Chhim, H.S., & Monga, S. (October 2004). Smoking Patterns Among Cambodians in Southern California. 15th Annual Research Symposium, Long Beach, CA.
7. Calvo, J.R., Rodríguez, T.E., López-Cabañas, J.A., Nuez del Rosario, G., Acosta-Deprez, V., & Forouzesh, M. (6-10 November 2004). Utilizing Mail as an Effective Tool for Smoking Cessation. Abstract; 132nd Annual APHA Conference, Washington, DC.
8. Calvo, J.R., Rodríguez, T.E., López-Cabañas, J.A., Nuez del Rosario, G., Acosta-Deprez, V., & Forouzesh, M. (6-10 November 2004). Implementing a Distance Program as a Cost-Effective Method for Smoking Cessation. Abstract; 132nd Annual APHA Conference, Washington, DC.
9. Calvo, J.R., Rodríguez, T.E., López-Cabañas, J.A., Nuez del Rosario, G., Acosta-Deprez, V., & Forouzesh, M. (6-10 November 2004). Tobacco Use Among College Students in the Canary Islands, Spain. Abstract; 132nd Annual APHA Conference, Washington, DC.
10. Calvo, J.R., Rodriguez, T.E., Lopez-Cabanas, J.A., Acosta-Deprez, V., Forouzesh, M., & Okada, L. (6-10 November 2004). Health, Lifestyle, and Tobacco Behaviors Among College Students in Gran Canaria, Spain Abstract; 132nd Annual APHA Conference, Washington, DC.
11. Friis, R.H., Forouzesh, M., Monga, S., & Chhim, H.S. (27 February 2004). The Cambodian Research Initiative. 14th Annual Research Symposium, Long Beach, CA.
12. Acosta-Deprez, V., Forouzesh, M., Adkins, K., & Jacknik, M. (27 February 2004). Analysis of Tobacco Cessation Intervention Practices Among Health Care Practitioners in San Bernardino County, California, 14th Annual Research Symposium, Long Beach, CA.
13. Acosta-Deprez, V., Forouzesh, M., Adkins, K., & Jacknik, M. (27 February 2004). Is Your Home Smoke Free? A Survey of Headstart Parents in San Bernardino County, California,

- 14th Annual Research Symposium, Long Beach, CA.
14. Forouzesh, M., Espinoza-Ferrel, T., & Okada, L. (27 February 2004). Profile of an Adult Smoking Cessation Participant. 14th Annual Research Symposium, Long Beach, CA.
 15. Forouzesh, M.R. (May 2003). Public Health Education in the 21st Century. Southern California Public Health Association Annual Conference, Cerritos, CA.
 16. Forouzesh, M.R. (April 2003). Tobacco Policy Analysis of Medical and Education Facilities. Tobacco Project Directors' Meeting Newport Beach, CA.
 17. Forouzesh, M., Struggling for Cultural Competence: Linking Theory to Practice in Health Education/Health promotion, American Alliance for Health, Physical education, Recreation and Dance, National Convention, San Diego, Ca April 9-13, 2002.
 18. Joice B. Miller, Forouzesh, M. Reducing Social Sources of Tobacco to Youth in Two San Bernardino County Communities, California State Tobacco Control Section, Scientific Conference, June 2001, Lake Tahoe, Ca.
 19. Acosta-Deprez, V. & Forouzesh, M. Global Health Knowledge for the New Millennium: Educational Partnership Through Technology, the Sixth UNESCO/ACEID International Conference, Bangkok, Thailand, December 12-15, 2000.
 20. Adkins, K., Fontamillas, L., Jacknik, M., Forouzesh, M., Acosta-Deprez, V., & Okada, L. Tobacco reduction and treatment practices among medical offices in San Bernardino County, California, 9th Long Beach/VA Research Symposium, Long Beach, California, November 10, 2000.
 21. Acosta-Deprez, V., Forouzesh, M., Friis, R., Lee, J. Epidemiological processes utilized in evaluating the impact of public policy on health status of populations, 3rd UK Health Impact Assessment Conference, Liverpool, England, October 17-18, 2000.
 22. Acosta-Deprez, V., Forouzesh, M. & Reid, E. Health is a many splendor thing: Analysis, limitations, and challenges of current multicultural health education practices, American Educational Research Association, New Orleans, Louisiana, April 19 -24, 2000.
 23. Forouzesh, M. Reforming curriculum and pedagogy, Innovative visions for the new century, the Fifth UNESCO/ACEID International Conference, Bangkok, Thailand, December 13-16, 1999.
 24. Forouzesh, M. Purpose, Substance, and Practice: Perspectives on Multiculturalism and its Implications for Health Education, American Public Health Association Conference, Chicago, Illinois, November 7-11, 1999.
 25. Forouzesh, M. & Acosta-Deprez, V. Conducting Focus Group Interviews With Immigrant and Multiethnic Populations: Challenges and Issues for Health Research and Program Evaluation, American Public Health Association Conference, Chicago, Illinois, November 7-11, 1999.
 26. Forouzesh, M. Organization of Health Education Programs, series of lectures presented at the Universidad de Las Palmas, Ciencias de Medicas, Departamento de Salud, Gran Canaria, Spain, March 2-6, 1999.
 27. Forouzesh, M.R. Evaluation of Tobacco Prevention Programs, workshop presented at the 2nd European, 1st Iberoamericana Conferencie on Tobacco or Health, Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, Spain, February 23, 1999.
 28. Forouzesh, M.R. System of Evaluation and Accountability, California Department of Education Governors Advisory Board, Sacramento, California, January 14, 1999.
 29. Acosta-Deprez, V., Forouzesh, M.R., Narayanan, A., Pascual, L., University Faculty's Perceptions Regarding the Inclusion of Multiculturalism Into Health Education Courses,

- Ninth Annual Long Beach Research Symposium, Long Beach, California, November 20, 1998.
30. Forouzesh, M.R. Evaluation: The Key to Program Support, Peer Helper Association's 12th Annual International Conference, University of San Diego, CA, June 27-29, 1998.
 31. Lee, J.A., Parrot, S.A., Feigelman, W., Rogxian, W., Forouzesh, M. Alcohol and Cigarette Use Among Entering College Freshman. Eighth Annual Long Beach Research Symposium, Long Beach, California, November 19, 1997.
 32. Lee, J.A., Parrot, S.A., Feigelman, W., Rogxian, W., Forouzesh, M. Patterns of Tobacco and Alcohol Use Frequency Among USA College Freshman in 1996, 10th World Conference on Tobacco or Health, Beijing, China, 1997.
 33. Forouzesh, M.R. & Walker, V. Peer Assistance Leadership Program Evaluation and Assessment, 11th Annual Conference and Training Institute, San Antonio, Texas, June 29, 1997.
 34. Forouzesh, M.R., (Moderator), Patient Education: The Health Educators Role", Mullikin Med Partners, Los Angeles, California, April 19, 1997.
 35. Forouzesh, M.R. Forging Partnerships With Academia to Shape the Future of Public Health Education, Creating Vision: Shaping the Future of Public Health Education in the 21st Century Conference, California Conference of Local Directors of Health Education, Riverside, California, April 16, 1997.
 36. Forouzesh, M.R., Arnow, E.C., Walker, V. Exploring Cultural Diversity: Challenges Facing Schools, Association for the Advancement of Health Education, AAHPERD National Convention, St. Louis, March 24, 1997.
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Honors

April 2, 2004	Distinguished Alumni Award by the American Association of Health Science
May 24, 2002	Recipient of Community Service Award by the College of Health and Human Services, California State University, Long Beach
April 12, 2002	Inducted as a FELLOW of the American Association for Health Education.
2002	Received a Certificate of Appreciation from the Orange County Coalition: Vision 2020, and Orange County Private Industry Council.
April 2001	Received a Certificate of Appreciation for service recognition from (1998-2001) by the American Association for Health Education Board of Directors.
October 19, 2001	Received a certificate of Recognition for serving as a Governing Board to the Public Health Education and Health Promotion Section of APHA.
March 2001	Received a certificate of Recognition and Appreciation for serving on the AAHE Research Consortium from 1999-2001 from the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance.
September 22, 2000	Recipient of Faculty Incentive Award for Internationalizing the Curriculum, Center for International Education.
2000	Received a certificate of recognition by the Peer Assistant Leadership (PAL) program, Orange County Department of Education.
October 1999	Received a Certificate of Appreciation from the Orange County Coalition: Vision 2020, and Orange County Private Industry Council.

Community Service

2005-present	Executive Board member, Nutrition and Physical Activity Collaborative Committee, countywide nutrition policy and obesity plan
2007-present	Executive Board member, Healthy Orange County Coalition, Orange County Department of Education
2005-2007	Chairman, Healthy Orange County Coalition, Orange County Department of Education
2005-present	Executive Board and Advisory Committee member, Health Education Program Strategic Plan, Los Angeles County Department of Health and Human Services, Health Education Administration Division
2004-present	External Reviewer, San Francisco State University, California State University, Northridge, California State University, Los Angeles
2004	Member, Bioterrorism Task Force—Smallpox Vaccination Evacuation, Los Angeles County Department of Health Services.
2003-present	Chair, Orange County Department of Education Instructional Services Division in Institutional Review Board (IRB).
2002-present	Member, Juvenile Court Educational Rights Project assembled by Superior Court Judge Honorable Luis Rodriguez and Honorable Ronald Hutson and presiding Judge Juvenile Court in Orange County.
2002	Expert Panel Member on Educational Leadership, Presenter of the Joint Master Plan for Education for California, California Legislature Assemblywoman, 72 nd District.
2002	Member, Evaluation Panel for the Innovative Demonstration Project, County of Orange Health Care Agency.
2001-present	Member, Juvenile Court for Peer Court that is administered across Orange County Schools through Juvenile Court with Honorable Judge Gray.
2000-2002	Technical Assistant Consultant, California Department of Health Services—Tobacco Control Section.
1998-2001	Member, Technical Advisory Committee, United Los Angeles School-to-Career program Public Works.
1998-1999	Member, Material Review Board (MRR), Healthy Kids Resource Center (HKRC) for the California Department of Education.
1998-2001	Member, Executive Committee, Physician Diagnosed and Undiagnosed Asthma in School- Aged Children project, Orange County. (This is a research project initiated by the Clinical Trial of Orange County, The American Academy of Pediatrics and the USC Medical School Asthma Project). This multi-academic project is an initiative towards the development of a large scale asthma prevention effort in Orange County and the potential for future funding from the Department of Health and Human Services Maternal and Child Health Bureau)
1998-2000	Member, San Bernardino County Public Health Department Tobacco Coalition, Tobacco Use Reduction Now Program.
1995-2002	Member, Orange County Chapter of March of Dimes.
1995-2001	Member, Health Professional Advisory Committee and Evaluation Consultant, County Wide Prenatal Assessment Survey.
1995-present	Abstract Reviewer, APHA, AAHE, and International Journal of Public

	Health
1995-present	Member, Orange County Tobacco Coalition, Orange County Health Care Agency—Tobacco Use Prevention Program.
1995-present	Member, Advisory Committee, Orange County Department of Education, Safe and Drug Free School and Communities (SDFSC).
1995-present	Member, Advisory Committee, Orange County Department of Education, Tobacco Use Prevention Education (TUPE).
1987-present	Member, American School Health Association Research Council.
1999-2002	Member, Public Health Education Governing Council of the American Public Health Association.
1998-2001	Member, Board of Directors, American Association for Health Education (AAHE). (I was elected by the members of over 15,000 to serve on the board for three years to deal with policies and advocacy related to the profession of health education.) This is one of the most prestigious positions in my discipline to provide service to one of the largest associations in health education. AAHE is part of the American Alliances for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance (AAHPERD).
1997	Member, White Paper Panel, Direction of Health Education Profession in the 21st Century (sponsored by Johns Hopkins University and the Health Resources and Services Administration), Washington, D.C.
1993-1996	Member, Public Health Education Section Council of the American Public Health Association.
1992-1998	Member, South Coast Regional Tobacco Board, Orange County and San Diego Counties.

Membership in Professional Associations

2005-present	Southern California Public Health Association
2004-present	Southern California SOPHE, executive board member
1999-present	International Union for Health education
1999-present	National Society for Health Education (SOPHE)
1997-present	National Peer Helpers Association
1995-present	Society of Public Health Education (SOPHE)
1987-present	American School Health Association
1978-present	American Association for Health Education
1977-present	American Public Health Association

Service to the Department, College, and University

1998-present	Graduate Committee, Health Science Department
1996, 1998, 1999-2004	Search Committee, Health Science Department
1998-present	Accreditation Committee, College of Health and Human Services
1998-present	Graduate Committee, College of Health and Human Services
1998-present	Alternate to the Research Committee, College of Health and Human Services
1997	Participant, Analysis and revision of the RTP Document, College of Health and Human Services
1997-present	University Study Abroad Program, Center for International Education

Grants Funded

2001-present	Evaluation Consultant, Orange County Health Care Agency Tobacco Prevention Program, 1997-present. \$11,000 (1997), \$12,000 (1998), \$13,000 (1999), \$137,000 (2000), \$125,000 (2001) \$125,000 (2002), \$125,000 (2003), \$125,000 (2004), \$150,000 (2005), \$130,000 (2006), and \$113,000 (2007).
2004	Evaluation and Research Consultant, County of Los Angeles Department of Health Services, Public Health—Immunization Program, Mass Smallpox Vaccination Clinic Exercise Program, 2004, \$28,500.
2003-2005	Evaluation and Research Consultant, Cambodian Association of America, Cambodian Research Initiative, \$107,000.
2002-2004	Evaluation and Research Consultant, San Bernardino County Department of Public Health Tobacco Use Reduction Now (TURN) Project. 1998-2001, \$103,800.00 and \$121,000. 2002-present, \$69,000 and \$48,000.
1999-2001	Evaluation Consultant, Orange County Department of Education Vision 2020, National School-To-Work program, Department of Education, Washington, D.C., and California Department of Education, \$18,000.00.
1999-2000	CSU Chancellors Office, Information Competence, Promote Health Information Literacy Among Students in Community Health and School Health Teaching Credentialing Programs, a joint program between CSULA Department of Health and Nutrition Science and Health Science Department, \$6,000.00.
1997-1999	Evaluation Consultant, the Community Challenge Grant, Teen, Unwed Pregnancy, and Fatherlessness Prevention Project (TUF) by the Orange County Alternative Academy, funded by the California Department of Health Services, \$35,000.00.
1997-1999	Evaluation Consultant, Orange County Department of Education Vision 2020, National School-To-Work program, Department of Education, Washington, D.C., and California Department of Education. \$37,500.00.

Research and Evaluation Projects

1. Student Success Initiative, Saddleback College, Nursing Department, Linda Gleason, Program Director (2006-present)
2. Tobacco-Free Communities, Orange County Health Care Agency, Tobacco Use Prevention Program, Marilyn Pritchard, Project Director (2005-present)
3. Community Alliance Network, Orange County, Alcohol and Tobacco Policy project, Gwen Drenick, Program Director, (2005-present)
4. Project PATH, Community Service Programs, Dan Gleason, Program Director (2005-2006, 2007-present)
5. Peer Court, Orange County Department of Education, Arthur Cummins, Ed.D., Program Coordinator (2003-present)
6. Peer Assistance Leadership, County of Orange Health Care Agency, Elke Shattuck-Petras, Program coordinator (2003-present)
7. Tobacco Use Prevention Education, Anaheim Union High School District, Safe and Drug Free Schools, Rick Krey, Program Director (2001-present)
8. The Breakfast Club, Orange Unified School District, Judy Pollack, Program Coordinator (2003-2006)

9. Mass Smallpox Vaccination Clinic Exercise, County of Los Angeles, Department of Health Services, Public Health – Immunization Program, Alvin Nelson, MD, PhD, Program Director (2004-2005)
10. Tobacco Use Reduction Now, San Bernardino County, Public Health Department, Kay Adkins, MPH, Program Coordinator (2004-2005)
11. Teens Knockout Drugs, Fullerton Joint Union High School District, Barbara Robertson, Program Coordinator (2001-2004)
12. Community United for Fullerton, Fullerton Joint Union High School District, Barbara Robertson, Program Coordinator (2001-2004)
13. Young Adults Tobacco Intervention Program, Vietnamese Community of Orange County, Inc., Joseph Vu, Program Coordinator (2002-2004)
14. De los Pies a la Cabeza, American Diabetes Association, Lilly Muscarel, Health Educator (2003)
15. Healthy Alternatives Risk Reduction Project, John Wesley Community Health Institute, Toni Espinoza-Ferrel, Evaluation Consultant (2003)
16. Tobacco Use Prevention Education, Santa Ana Union High School District, Richard Guerrero, Program Director (2001-2003)
17. La Habra Youth Development Framework, Orange County Department of Education, Juan Araque, Program Coordinator (2000-2002)
18. Every Fifteen Minutes, Orange County Department of Education, Sandie Jacobs, Program Coordinator (2000-2002)
19. Orange County Vision 2020-Case Study 2000, Orange County Department of Education, Jeanne Flint, Program Coordinator (2000-2001)
20. Peer Assisted Leadership Program, Orange County Department of Education, Vicki Walker, Program Director (2000-2001, 2003-present)
21. California Association of Peer Programs, California Wellness Foundation, Kathy Grant, Project Manager (1999-2001)
22. Sonoma County School-to-Career, Sonoma County Office of Education, Patricia O'Driscoll, Program Coordinator (1999-2000)