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Qualifications (Academic and Professional)

Higher education:

BSc. Human Psychology obtained June 1983 at upper second
Aston University (Full time) from Oct. 80 to Jun. 83

PhD
Examined Dec. 1988, graduated July 1989
Leicester University (Full time ESRC student)
from Oct. 85 to Nov. 88

Fellow of the Royal Society of Medicine

Work Experience

Lectureship at Aston University (1989-1995)
Visiting Lectureship at Loughborough University (1993 - 1996)
Visiting Lectureship at Warwick University (1993-1994)
Visiting Lectureship at Birmingham University (2000 – 2001)
Senior/Principal Lectureship at De Montfort University (1996 to date)

Teaching duties

Module leader for:

Mental Health and Society, PSYC3200
Interpersonal Relationships, SOCS2017 (now merged into PSYC2033)
Abnormal and Clinical Psychology PSYC3055
M.Res. dissertation PSYC5020
Philosophies of Psychological Science PSYC5005

Main Teaching Areas

Social psychology, mental health issues, interpersonal relationships, theoretical perspectives in the social sciences, qualitative methodologies.

Course Management Responsibilities

Programme leader for BSc Human Psychology at DMU. (October 2002 - June 2005)
During my period of office the psychology undergraduate teaching programme was accredited by the British Psychological Society and successfully progressed through Periodic Review with a number of commendations, in 2004.

Reader in Health Communication with responsibility to promote research 2005 onwards. Programme Leader for psychology pathway in the M.Res programmes in the Faculty of Health and Life Sciences

Major Research Projects, including Grants

Externally funded projects

2005 -2001

i) Madness in contemporary English literature.

A study of the representation of madness in post 1945 English language fiction. The Leverhulme Trust (£91,830) (with Paul Crawford [principal investigator] Ronald Carter, Maurice Lipsedge).

ii) Cleanliness and infection control

A comparative study of discourses of cleanliness in health and agriculture Examining discourses surrounding biosecurity concentrating on infections such as MRSA and zoonoses such as avian flu, funded by the ESRC (£151,000, with a team from Nottingham University, P.I. Brigitte Nerlich)

iii) Community Arts

With the 'Sozo Collective'

- a) Jubilee Arts summer 2003. Value of award £34,000 to put on an exhibition and arts related activities in a converted factory in Birmingham
- b) Millennium Awards Trust - for equipment for the above project. Value of award £10,000.

iv) Oral history

Mothers, Wives and Changing Lives: Uncovering the Forgotten Histories of Women in Mid-Twentieth Century Wales. January-March 2007 (British Academy, £6655).

v) Teaching Related grant

With the Health Language Research Group at Nottingham University. Value of Award £28,000, from the University's teaching development fund to develop distance learning modules for a Master's course in health care communication

Internally funded research projects at DMU

2005: The experience of illness. £2000 to conduct a study of peoples' experience of long term, non-life-threatening illness.

2002: Role plays in the assessment of nurses undergoing training as nurse prescribers. £2000 to cover equipment and transcription costs.

Funded projects prior to 2001

i) Televising the House of Commons

The 'Televising the Commons' research, concerned with televising the UK House of Commons, involved public opinion surveys, content analysis of Hansard, TV news and current affairs, and surveys of MPs and journalists. The job involved creative input to the project, day to day running, data interpretation and writing up. This also included an extensive interview study of the organisational culture of MPs and how it was affected by the televising. This project was funded by the Leverhulme Trust.

ii) Disability on TV

I have also been involved in a project concerned with the depiction of disabled people on TV which involved consultancy at the design stage and data interpretation and writing up. This was funded via the Broadcasting Research Unit at the British Film Institute.

Postgraduate supervision and examination

PhD supervision

I successfully supervised two theses prior to arrival at DMU. At DMU I currently have 8 PhD students and have five who have completed successfully. In addition I have externally supervised two successful students, one at Wolverhampton and the other at Bangor.

PhD examination:

Seventeen theses have been examined internally, two externally from other institutions

Publications

Refereed Papers

2001 to date

Adolphs, S., Brown, B., Carter, R., Crawford, P. & Sahota, O. (2004) Applying corpus linguistics in a health care context, *Journal of Applied Linguistics*, 1, (1), 9-28.

Baker, S., Brown, B. and Fazey, J. (2006) Individualisation in the widening participation debate. *London Review of Education* 4, (2): 169-182.

Baker, S. & Brown, B. (2007) Images of Excellence: Constructions of Institutional Prestige in the University Choice Process. *British Journal of Sociology of Education* 28, (3): 377-391.

Baker, S. & Brown, B. (2008) Habitus and Homeland: Educational Aspirations, Family Life and Culture in Autobiographical Narratives of Educational Experience in Rural Wales, *Sociologia Ruralis*, 28 (1): 57-72.

Baker, S. & Brown B. (2008) Harbingers of Feminism?: Gender, Cultural Capital and Education in Mid-Twentieth Century Rural Wales, *Gender and Education* (in press).

Baker, S. Brown & Fazey, J. (2006) Mental health and higher education: Mapping field, consensus and legitimation, *Critical Social Policy*, 26 (1): 31-56.

Brown & Crawford, P. (2003) The clinical governance of the soul, *Social Science and Medicine*, 56, (1): 67-81.

Brown B & Crawford, P. (2009) Politeness strategies in question formulation in a UK telephone advisory service, *Journal of politeness research: language, behaviour, culture*, 5 (1) (forthcoming)

Brown, B. & Crawford, P. (2009) Post antibiotic apocalypse': Discourses of mutation in narratives of MRSA, *Sociology of Health and Illness* 31 (4) (in press).

Brown, Crawford, P. & Mullany, L. (2008) Clinical governmentality: A critical linguistic perspective on clinical governance in health care organisations, *Journal of Applied Linguistics* 2, (3): 273-298.

Brown, Crawford, P., Nerlich, B. & Koteyko, N. (2008) The habitus of hygiene: Discourses of infection control in nursing work, *Social Science and Medicine* 67 (7): 1047-1055.

Crawford, P., Aubeeluck, A., Brown, B., Cotrel-Gibbons, L., Porock, D. & Baker, C. (2008) Evaluation of the Assessment of Communication and Care Delivery Skills Knowledge by use of a DVD trigger examination in Year 1 of the Diploma/ BA (Hons) in Nursing, *Nurse Education Today* (in press).

Crawford, P., Baker, C., Brown, B. Lipsedge, M. & Carter, R. (2008) On the Borderline: Borderline personality disorder and deliberate self harm in literature, *Social Alternatives* (in press).

Crawford, P. & Brown (2008) Education as an exit strategy for community mental health nurses: A thematic analysis, *Mental Health Review*, 13 (3) (in press).

Crawford, P. & Brown, (2002) 'Like a friend going round' reducing the stigma of mental health care in rural communities, *Health and Social Care in the Community*, 10, (4): 229-238.

Crawford, P. & Brown, B., (2008) Soft authority: Ecologies of infection management in the working lives of modern matrons and infection control staff, *Sociology of Health and Illness*, 30, (5): 756-771.

Crawford, P. & Brown, Hicks, C. & Anthony P. (2002) Reluctant empiricists: Community mental health nurses and the art of evidence based praxis *Health and Social Care in the Community*, 10, (4): 287-298.

Crawford, P., Brown, B. & Darongkamas, J. (2001) Boundaries and blurred roles: Interdisciplinary working in community mental health, *Mental health Care and Learning Disabilities*, 4, (8): 270-272.

Crawford, P., Brown, B. & Majomi, P. (2008) Professional identity in community mental health nursing: A thematic analysis, *International Journal of Nursing Studies*, 45: 1055-1063.

Crawford, P., Brown, B., Nerlich, B. & Koteyko, N. (2008) The moral careers of microbes and the rise of the matrons: An analysis of UK national press coverage of

methicillin resistant staphylococcus aureus (MRSA) 1995-2006. *Health, Risk & Society*. 10, (4): 331–347.

Dorn, L. & Brown, (2003) Making sense of invulnerability: A qualitative study of police drivers, *Safety Science*, 41, (10): 837-859.

Harvey, K., Brown, B. & Crawford, P. (2007) 'Am I Normal?' Teenagers, Sexual Health and the Internet, *Social Science & Medicine*. 65, (4): 771-781.

Harvey, K., Brown, B. & Crawford, P. (2008) 'Elicitation hooks': A discourse analysis of chaplain-patient interaction in pastoral and spiritual care, *Journal of Pastoral Care & Counselling*, 62, (1-2): 43-62.

Harvey, K., Churchill, R., Crawford, P., Brown, B., Mullany, L., Macfarlane, A. & McPherson, A. (2008) Health communication and adolescents: what do their emails tell us? *Family Practice* (in press).

Koteyko, N., Brown, B. & Crawford, P. (in press). The dead parrot and the dying swan: The role of metaphor scenarios in UK press coverage of avian flu in the UK in 2005-2006. *Metaphor & Symbol*.

Majomi, P. Brown, B. & Crawford, P. (2003) The sacrifice of the personal to the professional in the lives of Community Psychiatric Nurses, *Journal of Advanced Nursing*, 42, (5): 527-538.

Sheeran, Y., Brown, B. & Baker, S. (2007) Conflicting Philosophies of Inclusion: The Contestation of Knowledge in Widening Participation, *London Review of Education* 5, (3): 249-263.

Books

2001 to date

Baker, S. & Brown, B. (in press) *Mothers, wives and changing lives: Uncovering forgotten histories in mid twentieth century Wales*, Cardiff: Cardiff University Press.

Baker, S. & Brown, B. (2007) *Rethinking universities: The social functions of post compulsory education*, London and New York: Continuum International Publishers ISBN 0-8264-9419-6.

Brown, B. & Baker, S. (2007) *Higher learning: philosophies of research into higher education*, London and New York: Continuum International Publishers ISBN 0-8264-9417-X.

Brown, Crawford, P. & Hicks, C. (2003) *Evidence based Research: Dilemmas and debates in health care*, Buckingham: Open University Press. ISBN: 033521164X
Awarded prize in the BMA 2004 book competition.

Brown, B. Crawford, P and Carter R. (2006) *Evidence based health communication*, Maidenhead: Open University Press ISBN: 0335219950.

Crawford, P., Baker, C., Brown, B. Carter, R. & Lipsedge, M. (in press) *Madness in post 1945 British and American fiction*, London: Palgrave.

Crawford, P., Brown, B., & Bonham, P. (2006) *Communication in Clinical Settings*, Cheltenham: Nelson Thornes (A division of the Kluwer Group) ISBN: 074879765.

Crawford, R. Brown & Crawford, P. (2004) *Storytelling in therapy*, Cheltenham: Nelson Thornes (A division of the Kluwer Group), ISBN: 0-7487-6932-3

Dyson, S. & Brown (2005) *Social Theory and Applied Research* Buckingham: Open University Press. ISBN: 0335210341

Book chapters

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Brown, B. & Crawford, P. (2007) Personality disorder in UK mental health care: Language, legitimation and the psychodynamics of surveillance In Iedema, R. (Ed.) *Hospital communication*, London: Palgrave ISBN 1403998485. pp. 109-137.

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Crawford, P. & Brown (2004) *Communication*, in Malik, M., Hall, C. & Howard, D. (Eds.) *Nursing Knowledge and Practice*, London: Elsevier Science pp. 1-32 ISBN: 0-7020-2697-2.

Publications prior to 2001

Journal articles

Brown, Crawford, P & Darongkamas, J. (2000a) Blurred roles and permeable boundaries: The experience of interdisciplinary team working for community mental health staff, *Health and Social Care in the Community*, 8, (6), 425-435.

Brown, Nolan, P. & Crawford, P. (2000b) Men in nursing: Ambivalences in Care, *Gender and Masculinity, International History of Nursing Journal*, 5, (3), 4-14.

Brown, & Crawford P. (1999) 'Beyond a tale of two Clarkes: Putting the debate on nursing language in context', *Nursing Standard*, 14, (1), 41-43.

Brown, Crawford, P., Richards, K. & Nolan, P. (1999) Holding a mirror up to caring: Language and reflective practice, *Mental Health Care*, 4, (30), 27-32.

Crawford, P. Brown, B. & Nolan, P. (1999) Nursing language: Uses and abuses, *Nursing Times*, 95, (6), 48-49.

Crawford, P., Lewis, A., Brown & Nolan, P. (1999) The language of mental health nursing reports: Firing paper bullets, *Journal of Advanced Nursing*, 29, (2), 331-340.

Crawford, P., Nolan, P. & Brown (1998) Ministering to madness, *Journal of Advanced Nursing*, 28, (1), 212-220.

Nolan, P., Brown & Crawford P. (1998) Fruits without labour: The implications of Frederich Nietzsche's ideas for the caring professions, *Journal of Advanced Nursing*, 28, (2), 251-259.

Brown, Crawford, P. & Nolan, P. (1996) Interaction, Language and the narrative turn in psychology and psychiatry, *Social Science and Medicine*, 43, (11), 1569-1578.

Crawford, P., Nolan, P. & Brown (1995) Linguistic Entrapment: Medico-Nursing Biographies as Fictions, *Journal of Advanced Nursing*, 22, 1141-1148.

- Brown (1995) Review of Segal, L. (1994) 'Straight sex: The politics of pleasure' London: Virago; *Feminism and Psychology*, 5, (3), 398-400.
- Brown (1995) The reproduction of othering, *Feminism and Psychology*, 5, (4), 535-538.
- Lawes, R. & Brown (1995) Review of Soyland, A.J. (1994) 'Psychology as metaphor' London: Sage, *Journal of Language and Social Psychology*, 14, (3), 337-339.
- Brown (1994) Pleasures untold: Heterosexuality, power and radicalism, *Feminism and Psychology*, 4, (2) 322-325.
- Gilfoyle, J., Wilson, J. & Brown (1992) Sex, Organs and Audiotape: A Discourse Analytic Approach to Talking About Heterosexual Sex and Relationships, *Feminism and Psychology*, 2, (2), 209-230.
- Cumberbatch, W.G., Morrison, D. Brown & McGregor, R. (1988) Arresting knowledge: A response to the debate about TV news and the miners' strike, *Media, Culture and Society*, 10, (1), 112-116.
- Brown, McGregor, R. & Cumberbatch, W.G. (1987) Tilting at Windmills: An attempted murder by misrepresentation, *Media, Culture and Society*, 9, (3), 381-383.

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- Cumberbatch, W.G., Brown & Negrine, R. (1992) 'Images of disability on Television' London and New York: Routledge.

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- Cumberbatch, W.G., Brown, & Skelton, J. (1992) 'The implications of Parliamentary Broadcasting for Politicians' In Franklin, B. (Ed) (1992) 'Televising Democracies' London: Routledge.
- Gilfoyle, J., Wilson, J. & Brown (1992) 'Sex, Organs and Audiotape: A Discourse Analytic Approach to Talking About Heterosexual Sex and Relationships' In Wilkinson, S. & Kitzinger, C. (Eds.) *Heterosexuality: A Feminism and Psychology reader* London: Sage Publications.

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