

Curriculum Vitae

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**BUSINESS ADDRESS:** Vocational Economics, Inc.  
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**DATE OF BIRTH:** October 1963

**EDUCATION:**

9/03 to 5/05 University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky  
*Master of Rehabilitation Counseling*

5/03 to 6/03 Indiana University Southeast, New Albany, Indiana  
*Graduate coursework in Labor Economics*

6/00 to 8/02 University of Louisville, Louisville, Kentucky  
*Master of Business Administration*

6/95 to 12/99 University of Louisville, Louisville, Kentucky  
*Master of Public Administration. Focus: Labor-Management Relations*

8/81 to 5/85 Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, Kentucky  
*Bachelor of Arts.*  
*Major: Public Relations/Journalism. Minor: Business Administration*

**CREDENTIALS:**

2010 Approved provider for Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation.

2006 to 2008 Rehabilitation Student Practicum/Internship Advisor, University of Kentucky.

2006 to present Vocational Expert, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Social Security Administration, Office of Hearings Operations (formerly known as Office of Disability Adjudication and Review).

2005 to present Certified Rehabilitation Counselor, #00084603. Valid through: 3/31/2020.

1998 Kentucky Community Education Professional Credential.

## **WORK EXPERIENCE:**

- 6/98 to present      Vocational Economics, Inc., Louisville, Kentucky
- Senior Analysis, January 2018 to present  
Vocational Economic Analyst, May 2005 to December 2017  
*Analyze loss of earning capacity in cases of total disability, partial disability, and death. Provide vocational rehabilitation counseling, assessments, and consultation to clients with and without disabilities.*
- Case Manager, June 1998 to April 2005  
*Assisted experts in analyzing loss of earning capacity in cases of total disability, partial disability, and death. Managed and coordinated case intake and report preparation.*
- 7/91 to 6/98      Oldham County Schools, Buckner, Kentucky
- Director, Community Education and Development  
*Established and managed an adult and community education program and classes of a vocational nature. Developed grant proposals and coordinated activities of local educational foundation.*
- 11/90 to 7/91      The Salvation Army, Kentucky-Tennessee Division, Louisville, Kentucky  
Assistant to Development Director  
*Assisted Development Director with fundraising and grant writing.*
- 1/87 to 10/90      Dun and Bradstreet Information Resources, Louisville, Kentucky  
Business Analyst  
*Called on business owners to update their Business Information Report. Analyzed financial and operational information.*
- 6/85 to 5/86      Bowling Green Independent Schools, Bowling Green, Kentucky  
Community Relations Coordinator  
*Managed communications program, wrote and designed publications, planned and implemented community projects, and coordinated media relations program.*

## **PRESENTATIONS AND PUBLICATIONS:**

Jones, Linda L. "Complications in Assessments of Lost Earnings." Kentucky Continuing Legal Education Presentation, Marriott Louisville Downtown, Louisville, KY, March 14, 2014.

Jones, Linda L. and David S. Gibson. "Disability and Employment Data from the U.S. Census Bureau." Presentation given at the Southeast Regional National Rehabilitation Association Training Conference, Louisville, KY, May 14-16, 2013.

Jones, Linda L. "Measuring Earning Capacity Loss." Tennessee Continuing Legal Education Presentation, Nashville, TN, April 25, 2013.

## **PRESENTATIONS AND PUBLICATIONS (CONT'D.):**

Jones, Linda L. "Trends in Vocational Evaluation." Tennessee Association for Justice Workers' Compensation Seminar, Nashville, TN, November 2, 2012.

Jones, Linda L. and Ronald E. Missun. "Measuring Earning Capacity Loss." Kentucky Continuing Legal Education Presentation, East Kentucky Expo Center, Pikeville, KY, November 9, 2012.

Jones, Linda L. Contributing Editor, *Journal of Forensic Rehabilitation Abstracts*, 1(1), July 2011.

Gamboa, Anthony M Jr., et al. "A Vocational Economic Rationale." Estimating Earning Capacity: A Journal of Debate and Discussion 2, no. 2 (2009): 97-123.

Jones, Linda L. and Laura Lampton. Lecture given to pre-trial litigation class at University of Louisville Law School, Louisville, KY, October 28, 2009.

Jones, Linda L. "Making Sense of Vocational Evaluation." Presentation given at ING's ROSE Seminar, Minneapolis, MN, September 30, 2009.

Jones, Linda L. "Basics of Vocational Evaluation." Presentation given at the Nashville Association of Legal Secretaries Lunch and Learn Series, Nashville, TN, September 10, 2008.

Gamboa, Anthony M., Jr., and Linda L. Jones. "Understanding Worklife Expectancy." *Journal of Forensic Vocational Analysis* 9, no. 1 (Summer 2006): 33-41.

Jones, Linda L. and Ronald E. Missun. "Conventional Wisdom: Implications for Lost Earnings in Permanent Disability Cases." Presentation given at a meeting for attorneys (sponsored by Vocational Economics, Inc.), Bowling Green, KY, June 30, 2006.

Jones, Linda L. "Proving Lost Earnings at Trial." Presentation given at meeting of the Kentucky Academy of Trial Attorneys, *Auto Litigation: New Approaches to Presenting Damages at Trial*, Bowling Green, KY, June 9, 2006

Jones, Linda L. and Ronald E. Missun. "Conventional Wisdom: Implications for Lost Earnings in Permanent Disability Cases." Nashville, TN, May 26, 2006.

Gamboa, Anthony M., Jr., and Linda L. Jones. "Loss of Earning Capacity of a Child with Brachial Plexus Injury." Presentation given at the annual meeting of the International Association of Rehabilitation Professionals, Minneapolis, MN, May 19-21, 2006.

Holland, Gwendolyn H., Linda L. Jones, David S. Gibson and John P. Tierney. "Career Development and Disability." (*Unpublished manuscript*), 2005.

Gamboa, Anthony M., Jr. and Linda L. Jones "Calculating Loss of Earning Capacity". Presentation given to the Kentucky Academy of Trial Attorneys, Louisville, Kentucky, September 2004.

Jones, Linda L. "Labor Market Access and Worker Trait Characteristics." Presentation given to the Louisville Bar Association Social Security Section, Louisville, Kentucky, December 2002.

## **PRESENTATIONS AND PUBLICATIONS (CONT'D.):**

Gamboa, Anthony M., Jr. and Jones, Linda L. "Introduction to Assessment of Lost Earnings." Presentation given to Louisville Association of Paralegals, Louisville, Kentucky, March 2000.

Jones, Linda L. "Grant Writing Techniques," Presentation given at the Regions IV and V Adult Education and State ESL Conference, Lexington, Kentucky, February 1998.

## **HONORS AND RECOGNITIONS:**

Philanthropist Award, Junior League of Louisville, 2007.

University of Kentucky, Millennium Fellowship, 2003-2004.

Kentucky Community Education Five Star Program Award, 1994 and 1996.

## **SERVICE, CIVIC AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:**

1994, 1996            Reviewer, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Education Grants Program.

1997 thru 2008      Councilmember, Lyndon City Council, Lyndon, Kentucky.

1998 to 2006,  
2008 to 2009        Louisville (Kentucky) Alumnae Panhellenic. President 2005-2006, Treasurer  
2003-2005, Scholarship Chairman 2002-2003.

2000                 Grant Application Reviewer, Louisville/Jefferson County Workforce Investment  
Board.

2000 to 2003        Kentuckiana Works Disabled Placement Task Force.

2001 to 2002        Skills USA Foundation Board, Kentucky Vocational Industrial Clubs of America.

2002 to 2003        Jefferson County (Kentucky) Board of Zoning Adjustment.

2003 to present     Junior League of Louisville, Louisville, Kentucky.

2004 to present     Trinity Presbyterian Church, Louisville, Kentucky. 2013-2015 Board of Deacons.

2005 to present     International Association of Rehabilitation Professionals.

2007 to present     National Rehabilitation Association.

2008-2010           Appointed to Kentucky Early Childhood Development Authority Board of  
Directors by Governor Steve Beshear. Two-year term.

2010                 Item Writer for the *Certified Rehabilitation Counselor (CRC)* Examination.

2012 to present     The Fillies, Inc., Louisville, KY.

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