# NATHALI B. JONES MS

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# **EDUCATION**

Master of Science: Physical Education Teaching

2015

University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, La Crosse, WI Concentration: Adventure Education & Outdoor Pursuits

Thesis: An Analysis of Prusik Climbing and Indoor Rock Climbing on Heart Rates

Project: Wildrose K-6 Physical Education Curriculum Graduate Assistantship: Pedagogy Lab Coordinator

GPA: 3.92

Bachelor of Science in Exercise and Sport Science: Physical Education & Health Education

2013

University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, La Crosse, WI

License Areas: 74 910 (Health Education) & 74 530 (Physical Education)

Minor: University Honors

Second Language: Basic Conversational Spanish

GPA: 3.58

#### **AWARDS**

Wisconsin High School Physical Education Teacher of the Year Award, Wisconsin Health and Physical Education October 2022 Innovation Grant Recipient, Wisconsin Rapids Public Schools October 2022

Advocates for WRPS Education Grant Award Recipient, Advocated for WRPS Education Fund through Incourage September 2022 Boys Swim Co-Coach of the Year, Wisconsin Valley Conference January 2020

#### **MEMBERSHIPS & CERTIFICATIONS**

National Board Certification, National Board for Professional Teaching Standards

In Progress: Component 3, Component 4 December 2023 Completed: Component 1, Component 2, December 2022

Wisconsin Interscholastic Coaches Association, Member

2015 - 2017, 2021 - Present National Interscholastic Swimming Coaches Association, Member 2021 - Present

Wisconsin Health and Physical Education, Member

Society of Physical Education and Health Education, Member

Youth Mental Health First Aid, National Council for Mental Wellbeing

Non Violent Crisis Intervention. Crisis Prevention Institute

Certified Lifeguard Instructor, American Red Cross Certified Lifeguard, American Red Cross

Certified CPR, AED, and First Aid Professional, American Red Cross

Certified Water Safety Instructor, American Red Cross

American Challenge Course Technologies Level 1 Site Specific Certification, ABEE Inc.

Blocksi Certified Educator Level 1, Blocksi Academy

RPR Coach Level 1, Reflexive Performance Reset, ID Number: 1561

American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Member

2015 - 2016, 2022 - Present

Expiration Date: April 2025

Expiration Date: August 2024 Expiration Date: December 2023

Expiration Date: December 2023 Expiration Date: December 2023

Expiration Date: June 2023

Expiration Date: September 2023

Attained: September 2022

Attained: June 2017

2011-2015

2010 - Present

# SCHOLARLY ACTIVITY

Lynsey Anderson, Nathali Jones "Adventure for All: Universal Adventure Activities for all Abilities" Future Presentation at Wisconsin Health and Physical Education Annual Convention, Wisconsin Dells, WI, October 2023

Yoonsin Oh, Nathali Jones, Lynsey Anderson, Koplien "Technology Use in Health and Physical Education" Future Presentation at Wisconsin Health and Physical Education Annual Convention, Wisconsin Dells, WI, October 2023

Nathali Jones, Kurt Jensen "Raising the Relevance: Bringing Environmental Literature into Outdoor Education" Future Presentation at Wisconsin Health and Physical Education Annual Convention, Wisconsin Dells, WI, October 2023

Nathali Jones "H2 Oh! An Aquatics in Physical Education Roundtable" Future Presentation at Wisconsin Health and Physical Education Annual Convention, Wisconsin Dells, WI, October 2023

- Nathali Jones "H2 Oh! Teaching in an Aquatic Environment" Presentation at Best Practices in Health Equity, Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction, Stevens Point, WI, July, 2023
- Marney Shirly, Diane Hicks-Hughes, Eve Julian, Tamara Bretting, & Nathali B. Jones "Women in Coaching Panel" Presentation at National Interscholastic Swimming Coaches Association National Conference, Knoxville, TN, March 2023
- Nathali Jones, "Low to No Equipment Adventure Education" Presentation at Wisconsin Health and Physical Education Professional Development Workshop, Sun Prairie, WI March 2023
- Hannah Elmer, Christopher Jones, Nathali B. Jones "Appropriate Sequencing of Adventure Education" Presentation at the Society of Health and Physical Education America National Conference, Seattle, WA, March 2023
- Nathali Jones, Lynsey Anderson, Tara Putman "Using Adventure to Navigate a Positive Classroom Environment" Presentation at Wisconsin Health and Physical Education Annual Convention, Wisconsin Dells, WI, October 2022
- Jones, N. (2023). Casting for Candy. Wisconsin Health and Physical Education Newsletter, 52(1), 7.
- Jones, N. (2022). Using Human Bingo for Inclusion. Wisconsin Health and Physical Education Newsletter, 51(3), 9.
- Jones, N. (2022). Nat in the Nat(atorium): How to Teach Swim Lessons as Part of Physical Education. *Wisconsin Health and Physical Education Newsletter*, 51(2), 9.
- Jones, N. (2022). Longboarding for Physical Education. Wisconsin Health and Physical Education Newsletter, 51(1), 13.
- Niedorowski, N., Jin, J., Steffen, J., & Reineke, D. (2020) Prusik Climbing to Promote Moderate to Vigorous Physical Activity for Youths. *Research in Dance and Physical Activity*, 4(2), pp 29-39
- Nathali B. Niedorowski, Jeffrey Steffen, Jooyon Jin, & David Reineke. "An Analysis of Prusik Climbing and Indoor Rock Climbing on Heart Rates." Presentation at the Society of Health and Physical Education America National Conference, Minneapolis, MN, March 2016.
- Nathali B. Niedorowski & Carl C. Foster. "The Rate of Reproducibility of Session RPE in Steady State Training." Presentation at American College of Sports Medicine National Conference, Indianapolis, IN, May 2013.
- Nathali B. Niedorowski & Carl C. Foster. "The Rate of Reproducibility of Session RPE in Steady State Training." Presentation at National Conference of Undergraduate Research, La Crosse, WI, April 2013.
- Niedorowski, N. (2013). Future Professional News. Wisconsin Health and Physical Education Newsletter, 42(2), 7.

Niedorowski, N. (2012). Highlights from the 2011 WHPE Convention. Wisconsin Health and Physical Education Newsletter, 41(1), 10.

#### PEDAGOGICAL EXPERIENCE

Associate Lecturer August 2023 – Present

University of Wisconsin - Eau Claire

- Courses Taught
  - o KINS 101: Water Safety and Instruction
  - o KINS 290: Introduction to Physical Education
  - o KINS 300: Planning, Implementation, and Assessment Invasion Games
  - o KINS 327: Movement Education for Elementary Grades
  - o KINS 493: Practicum in Adapted Physical Education
  - o KINS 496: Capstone Teaching Physical Education
- Supervisor for Student Teachers

#### **Physical Education Teacher**

Lincoln High School, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

August 2015 - May 2023

- Created and co-teach Environmental Literature in the Outdoors an English and Physical Education hybrid class focusing on cross curricular objectives and authentic assessment
- Created and teach Winter Outdoor Education- including, snowshoeing, cross country skiing, and winter shelters
- Teaching Outdoor Education with planning field trips on the Wisconsin River and contains backpacking, rock climbing, and canoeing units
- Teaching Life Responders, coordinates with the American Red Cross to teach Lifeguarding and Water Safety Instructor certifications for credit
- Taught Individual and Dual Lifetime Sports with a focus on net-wall and target activities and coordinating field trips within the community, such as curling, self-defense, and bowling
- Taught Mobility, Fitness, and Nutrition a remedial physical education class for students where a traditional physical education setting does not meet their needs, use student centered approach to create units to meet needs of students in the class

- Uses Skyward, Canvas, and Blocksi as Learning Management System
- Uses data from formative and summative assessments to guide teaching practices to meet the needs of students
- Participated in over 350 hours of itemized professional development

Graduate Assistant June 2013 – May 2014

University of Wisconsin - La Crosse, La Crosse, WI

- Pedagogy Lab Coordinator
  - o Held appropriate office hours to assist in student needs
  - o Assisted Physical Education professors with data collection in research projects
- Teaching Assistant
  - Perform required course administration including development of syllabi, grading, assessment, reporting tasks, and risk management plans.
  - Courses Taught:
    - ESS 100: Broom Ball Activity Course
    - ESS 100: Backpacking Activity Course
    - ESS 100: Caving Activity Course
    - ESS 112: Fundamentals of Movement Teaching Assistant

#### Health and Physical Education Teacher

March 2014 - June 2014

Washington High School, Milwaukee, WI

- Taught Lifetime Sports to 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade students to enhance their lifelong physical health
- Taught Comprehensive Physical Education to 9<sup>th</sup> grade students to introduce students to a variety of team, lifetime activities, and basic fitness principles
- Taught a comprehensive Senior Health class addressing school specific needs and state mandates
- Assisted in live broadcasts of athletic events
- Coordinated with school social worker to assist student development and suspension reduction
- Participated in pilot Restorative Justice training for educators

Substitute Teacher January 2014 – March 2014

Onalaska School District, Onalaska, WI

West Salem School District, West Salem, WI

- Taught in Kindergarten, 4<sup>th</sup> grade, elementary Emotional and Behavioral pull-out, 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade art
- Followed lesson plans and maintained student safety
- Met student needs and able to adapt to schedule changes in short notice

#### **School Age Care Teacher**

September 2011 - March 2014

La Crosse Area YMCA, La Crosse, WI

- Provide a safe and positive atmosphere for elementary ages students at Northern Hills Elementary school
- Assisted students with homework and created a variety of physical activities to keep children active.

#### Health and Physical Education Student Teacher

November 2013 - January 2014

West Salem Middle School, West Salem, WI

- Health taught comprehensive age appropriate human sexuality and nutrition for grades 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>
- Physical Education taught archery, volleyball, fitness, yoga, and basketball

La Crescent-Hokah Elementary, La Crescent, MN

Physical Education – Fundamental Movement Skills, striking, throwing, and utilizing short handled implements for Kindergarten – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade. Assisted in individual Adapted Physical Education for students in Pre-K through 5<sup>th</sup> grade.

La Crescent High School, La Crescent, MN

• Health Education – Created lessons focused on Mental/Emotional Health, and Death and Dying based on *Tuesdays with Morey* 

# **Health Education Clinical Experience**

University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, La Crosse, WI

Longfellow Middle School, La Crosse, WI

April 2013

• Created and executed Emotional Health Lessons for students with a variety of Intellectual Disabilities

State Road Elementary School, La Crosse, WI

February 2013

• Created and executed lessons on dental health for kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> grade students focusing on impact of different types of food, brushing, and flossing

Boys and Girls Club, La Crosse, WI

October 2012 – November 2012

 Created and executed lessons Emotional Health Lessons using different stress management techniques for 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade students

#### **Physical Education Clinical Experience**

University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, La Crosse, WI

Coulee Christian School, West Salem, WI

February 2012 – May 2012

• Created and executed lesson plans focusing on cardiovascular fitness while teaching students about the human skeleton, major muscle groups, and the cardiovascular system though gamification

La Crosse Central High School, La Crosse, WI

September 2011 – November 2011

 Assisted and implemented cardiovascular endurance lessons through stations and muscular strength lessons through the weightroom

### LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Academic Advisor August 2023 - Present

The Warrior Collective

WHPE Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Representative

March 2023 - Present

SHAPE America Midwest District

**Wisconsin Interscholastic Coaches Association** 

August 2022 - Present

District 2 Representative

Central District Coordinator

October 2021 – Present

Wisconsin Health and Physical Education

- Connect with current regional members and recruit new/old members
- Offer professional development opportunities through webinars and presentations
- Assist in problem-solving with other professionals across the state

Equity Committee September 2020 – May 2023

Wisconsin Rapids Public Schools, WI

- Assisting in coordinating staff and administration dialogue remediation of DPI assessed disproportionality in identification of African American and Latinx students for IEP services
- Assessing district data regarding student involvement for marginalized groups
- Assisting in outlining district needs from an Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Coordinator
- Serving on the Disproportionality sub-committee
- Served on the hiring committee for an Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Coordinator in February of 2020

## Head Coach for High School Boys Swim and Dive

**November 2019 – May 2023** 

Wisconsin Rapids Public Schools, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

- Analysis of competition through Meet Manager and Team Manager
- Created developmentally appropriate practice plans for the weight room as well as the pool for both swimmers and divers
- Guided individual swimmers and divers to accomplish personal and team goals
- Creating a 4-year strategic practice plan to assist in peaking athletes over the course of their high school career
- Revived competitive diving program

#### Head Coach for High School Girls Swim and Dive

August 2015 - May 2023

Wisconsin Rapids Public Schools, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

- Analysis of competition through Meet Manager and Team Manager
- Created developmentally appropriate practice plans for the weight room as well as the pool for both swimmers and divers
- Guided individual swimmers and divers to accomplish personal and team goals
- Creating a 4-year strategic practice plan to assist in peaking athletes over the course of their high school career
- Revived competitive diving program
- Coached 3 WIAA individual state appearances
- Coached 5 future NCAA Division 1 Division 3 athletes
- Coached 1 school record breaking athlete

Aquatics Director August 2015 – June 2023

Wisconsin Rapids Public Schools

- Assisted in the planning and design of the Natatorium located at the high school
- Creates and coordinates community programming
- Coordinates facility usage for community, high school, middle school/high school athletic programs
- Organizes staffing for all programming
- Responsible for training and in-service for lifeguard and water safety instructional staff
- Coordinates registration, staffing, and curriculum for swim lessons serving the greater community and 1,200+ students annually
- Organizing and running a staff Indoor Ironman Challenge

#### **Behavior and Mental Health Committee**

**April 2016 - May 2020** 

Wisconsin Rapids Public Schools, WI

- Assisted in the creation and review of student services offered to non 504 or IEP students based on a 3 Tier Model
- Served on the Professional Development Sub Committee and as a committee secured Paul Gorski as a keynote speaker for our

May 2019 – October 2019

district wide professional development in 2017

Serving on our Equity Sub Committee and working with Great Lakes Equity and WRPS to improve our practices and knowledge

#### **Suicide Prevention and Awareness Committee**

Wisconsin Rapids Public Schools, WI

- Served as Secretary
- Assisted in the screening and preliminary roll out of the Signs of Suicide Screener for 6<sup>th</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> grade students

Wellness Committee August 2018 – May 2019

Wisconsin Rapids Public Schools, WI

• Co-Organizing the Staff 5k Walk/Run Club

#### Advisor

September 2017 - December 2019

Mayor's Youth Council, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

- Served as Aquatics specialist to advice Wisconsin Rapids teens in the input of the development of the Community Aquatic Center
- Assisted teen leaders in fundraising for the construction of the Community Aquatic Center
- Facilitated teen driven design development and budgeting of an endowment fund for the Rapids Municipal Zoo

#### **Vice President of Future Professionals**

October 2012-October 2013

Wisconsin Health and Physical Education

- Organized and acquired donations for the Future Professional's booth at the WHPE annual convention
- Organized, strategized, budgeted, and hosted the 2013 Future Professional's Conference at the University of Wisconsin La Crosse to assist in the professional development of future physical educators in the state of Wisconsin

Assistant Director May 2013 – August 2013

Teen Voyager Camp, Schaumburg, IL

 Create and executed weekly and daily lesson plans for students aged 11-14 to provide students with a positive and safe environment for summer

# **Student Delegate and Presenter**

April 2013

American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance National Convention, Charlotte, NC

- Presented at the Future Professionals Welcome and Keynote reflection
- Student Delegate Member: voted to unify our organization and change the by laws governing our organization

Student Representative March 2012 – April 2013

American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreating, and Dance

- Student representative on the Student Services Committee
- Assist in planning AAHPERD 2013 National Convention for Future Professional sessions

#### **Ropes Course Director/Senior Staff**

June 2012 - August 2012

Chippewa Ranch Camp for Girls, Eagle River, WI

- Inspected harness, helmets, and ropes course weekly for safety concerns
- Created routes and challenges for campers to explore and push their personal boundaries in a low risk environment
- Coordinated team of 15 staff members between the rock wall and the high ropes course
- Directly responsible for 3 junior staff and 12 campers

#### PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Attendee March 2023 Attendee August 2022

NISCA National Conference, Knoxville, TN

Attendee 2010-2013, 2019, 2021-2022

Annual Wisconsin Health and Physical Education State Conference, Wisconsin Dells, WI

Attendee November 2022

Rethinking Team Leadership & Captains, BSN Sports Webinar

Attendee November 2022

Developing & Maintaining the Coaching Staff; What Leadership Looks Like in 2022, BSN Sports Webinar

Attendee November 2022

Butterfly Drills, Technique Advice and Tips with World Record Holder Regan Smith, BSN Sports & Speedo Swim Webinar The 4 C's of an Interactive Classroom, WRPS Professional

Development, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

Attendee August 2022

Improve Your Start in 30 Minutes!, Swim Like A. Fish, Webinar

Attendee March 2022

Sprint Freestyle & Supporting Female Athletes, BSN Sport & Speedo Swim Webinar

Attendee March 2022

Question & Answer with Olympic Gold Medalist Lydia Jacoby, BSN Sport & Speedo Swim Webinar

Attendee February 2022
The Benefits and Struggles of Being a Female Athlete;
Celebrating National Girls & Women in Sport Day, BSN Sport

Webinar

Attendee 2022

Trends in Social Emotional Learning, WRPS Professional Development, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

Attendee December 2021

The Challenges & rewards of Coaching Female Athletes, BSN Sport & Under Armour Webinar

Attendee July 2021

Understanding Trauma, WRPS Professional Development, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

Attendee June 2021

What College Coaches Look for in Recruiting High School Swimmers with Northwestern's Men's and Women's Head Coach Katie Robinson, BSN Sport Webinar

Attendee June 2021

Backstroke Technique with Olympian Natalie Coughlin, BSN Sport Swim Webinar

Attendee March 2021

US2 Series on Bias, WRPS Professional Development, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

Attendee January 2021

Racial Equity Book Study, WRPS Professional Development, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

Co-Host 2021

How to be Antiracist Book Study, WRPS Professional Development, Wisconsin Rapids WI

Attendee November 2020

The Fundamentals of Sprinting with Cullen Jones, BSN Sport Webinar

Attendee April 2020

Free Swim Webinar with Jessica Hardy, BSN Sport Webinar

Attendee April 2020

Dryland In Home, Ritter Sports Performance Webinar

Co-Host 2020

Biased Book Study, WRPS Professional Development, Wisconsin Rapids WI

Attendee August 2019

5 Simples Ways to IMPROVE Your Freestyle Kick!, Swim Like A. Fish, Virtual

Attendee 2019

Onward Book Study, WRPS Professional Development, Wisconsin Rapids WI

Participant October 2019

Disproportionality Work Group, WRPS Pupil Services, Wisconsin Rapids WI

Attendee September 2019

Educator Effectiveness, WRPS Professional Development, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

Attendee January 2019

Trauma Sensitive Training, WRPS Professional Development, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

Attendee April 2019

Wisconsin Indian Education Association Conference, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

Co-Presenter October 2018

 $LGBT+ in \ K-12 \ Education, \ WRPS \ Professional \ Development \ , \\ Wisconsin \ Rapids, \ WI$ 

Attendee June 2018

Best Practices in Physical Education, Stevens Point, WI

Attendee March 2018

National Interscholastic Swim Coaches Clinic, Minneapolis, MN

Attendee March 2018

Beyond Diversity Training, Green Bay, WI

Attendee January 2018

Understanding Conscious Discipline, WRPS Professional Development, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

Attendee August 2017

WRPS Summer Institute, WRPS Professional Development, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

Attendee March 2017

Paper Tigers Workshop, WRPS Professional Development, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

Attendee March 2017

Writing a Professional Development Plan, WRPS Professional Development, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

Attendee 2017

Google Classroom Training, WRPS Professional Development, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

Attendee 2015-2017

Annual Wisconsin Interscholastic Swim Coaches Clinic, Waukesha, WI

Attendee 2016

Society of Health and Physical Education America National Convention, Minneapolis, MN

Attendee November 2013

ME-PD November Workshop, La Crosse, WI

Attendee 2012, 2013

AAHPERD National Convention, Boston, MA. Charlotte, NC

Attendee September 2010

Midwest AAHPERD Leadership Conference, Pokagon, IN