



MARIA KOISTINEN

EDUCATION

Master's of Social Work, University of Connecticut 1998
Bachelor of Arts, Simmons College 1995

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

HSR 101 Introduction to Human Services
HSR 105 Community Organization and Advocacy
HSR 110 Youth Development Practice
HSR 111 Youth Development Connections
HSR 121 Topics in Nonprofit Management
HSR 210 Introduction to Research in Human Services

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Vernon Adult Education, Vernon, CT
ESL Guidance Counselor

CREC-Montessori Magnet School
Assistant Extended Day Teacher-Temp

University of Hartford, West Hartford
Area Coordinator

Gear-Up, UMASS, Lowell, MA
Associate Program Director

The Bell Foundation, Dorchester, MA
Manager of Recruitment and Training

Saint Agnes, West Hartford, CT
Social Work Intern

Hartford Areas Rally Together, Hartford, CT
Community Organizer Intern

CONTRIBUTIONS to the PROFESSION

- Founder of Farragut/Simmons Service Learning Site Roxbury, MA
- Coordinator TEEN MOPS St. Agnes Family Center