

# CHRISTINE VIRION COOK, M.A., CCC/SLP

Curriculum Vitae as of September 2019

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## EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

### Higher Education

University of Maryland, College Park 2006-2008  
M.A. Speech and Hearing Sciences

University of Delaware 2002-2006  
B.A. Psychology, Minor in Linguistics  
▪ Honors degree

### Professional and Academic Positions

Director of Clinical Research and Services,  
Communication Sciences and Disorders Program, University of Delaware 2016-Present

Assistant Manager, Adult Speech Pathology Department,  
Christiana Care Health System 2014-2016

Adjunct Instructor,  
Linguistics Department, University of Delaware 2011-2015

President-Elect/President/Past President  
Delaware Speech, Language, and Hearing Association 2011-2016

Secretary,  
Delaware Speech, Language, and Hearing Association 2010-2011

Speech Language Pathologist,  
Christiana Care Rehabilitation Services 2008-2019

Speech Language Pathologist,  
Bayada Home Health Care 2009-2013

Research Assistant, Aphasia Research Center  
University of Maryland 2006-2008

Research Assistant, Applied Science and Engineering Lab  
University of Delaware 2004-2006

Research Assistant, Infant Language Project  
University of Delaware 2003-2006

**Licensures and Certifications**

Speak Out! Certified Clinician 2019

ASHA National Outcomes Measurement System Certified clinician 2015

Certificate of Clinical Competency- Speech-Language Pathology,  
American Speech Language Hearing Association 2009

Speech-Language Pathologist, State of Delaware 2008- Present

Lee Silverman Voice Treatment Certified Clinician 2008

**Professional Development Activities**

Advanced Telehealth Coordinator  
Professional and Continuing Studies, University of Delaware 2019

Board Certification Candidate,  
Academy of Neurologic Communication Disorders and Sciences 2014-Present

Graduate, Leadership Development Program for Health Care  
American Speech-Language-Hearing Association 2014-2015

**Honors and Awards**

Jefferson Award Winner,  
Christiana Care Health System 2014

Health Care Hero Nominee  
Christiana Care Health System 2014

Award for Continuing Education,  
American Speech, Language, and Hearing Association 2013, 2016

Clinical Aphasiology Student Fellowship,  
National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders 2008

MCM Fund for Student Research Excellence  
University of Maryland, College Park 2007-2008

John Brockman Pediatric Speech Pathology Fellow Scottish Rite Foundation	2007-2008
Hayes Newby Graduate Fellow University of Maryland, College Park	2006-2007
Robert J. DiPietro Award for Excellence, Linguistics and Cognitive Science, University of Delaware	2006
Phi Kappa Phi Honors Society Member University of Delaware	2006
Alumni Enrichment Award Recipient University of Delaware	2006
General Honors Award University of Delaware	2005
Distinguished Woman of Promise Department of Psychology, University of Delaware	2005
Science and Engineering Scholar Department of Linguistics, University of Delaware	2004-2006

**Memberships**

ASHA SIG 18, Telepractice	2016- Present
ASHA SIG 10, Issues in Higher Education	2016- Present
ASHA SIG 11, Administration and Supervision	2015- Present
Academy of Neurological Communication Disorders and Sciences	2008- Present
Delaware Speech, Language, and Hearing Association	2008- Present
American Speech, Language and Hearing Association (ASHA)	2008- Present
ASHA SIG 2, Neurogenic Speech and Language Disorders	2008- Present
National Student Speech Language Hearing Association	2004-2008

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**TEACHING**

**Courses Taught at the University of Delaware**

**Masters**

- CSCD612- Neurogenic Disorders: Foundations, Aphasia
- CSCD623- Neurogenic Disorders: Management, Cognitive-Communication Disorders
- CSCD667- Rounds

**Undergraduate**

HLTH490- Health Studies Practicum, Clinical Management of Speech Pathology  
CGSC378- Anatomy and Physiology of Speech Pathology

**Other Teaching Contributions**

**Classroom Master Clinician Support**

CSCD612- Neurogenic Disorders: Foundations, Aphasia  
CSCD623- Neurogenic Disorders: Management, Cognitive-Communication Disorders  
CSCD711- Neurogenic Disorders of Speech: Motor Speech Disorders

**Clinical Supervision**

Directly provide clinical supervision with CSCD master's students,  
University of Delaware Speech-Language-Hearing Clinic 2016-Present

**Life Participation Project Support**

Neuro Notes, A choir for people with neurogenic communication issues 2017-Present  
Brew Crew, A community coffee house for people with aphasia 2017-Present  
Aphasia Holiday Dinner, A community event for people with aphasia 2016-Present

**Interprofessional Education**

Director of the Interprofessional Parkinson's Workshop, 2017-Present

**Teaching Assistant**

Peer Mentor and Instructor, Learning Integrated Freshman Experience 2004-2006  
Teaching Assistant, Introduction to Neuroscience 2004-2005

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**SCHOLARSHIP**

**Publications**

Cohen, M., Kisala, P., Boulton, A., Carlozzi, N., **Cook, C.**, & Tulskey, D. (2019).  
Development and psychometric characteristics of the TBI-QOL communication item  
bank. *The Journal of Head Trauma Rehabilitation*, 34(5), 326.

Faroqi-Shah, Y, & **Virion, C.** (2009). Constraint-induced language therapy for  
agrammatism: Role of grammaticality constraints. *Aphasiology* 23, 977-988.

## Conference Talks and Poster Presentations

### Conference Talks

**Cook, C.** (2019, November). *Learning About, From, and With Each Other: An Innovative Model for Interprofessional Education*. Presented at the American Speech, Language, Hearing Association Convention, Orlando, FL.

Truluck, J., **Cook, C.**, Carlsen, A., & Becker, K. (2019, November). *Meet the Student: Using Healthcare Theater to Train Supervision Competencies*. Presented at the American Speech, Language, Hearing Association Convention, Orlando, FL.

**Cook, C.** & Palmer, K. (2016, November). *It Takes a (Virtual) Village: Establishing a Virtual Learning Community to Increase Outpatient Standardization*. Presented at the American Speech, Language, Hearing Association Convention, Philadelphia, PA.

**Cook, C.** (2016, May). *Physiologic Review of Changes to Voice, Communication and Swallow Function in Parkinson's Disease*. Presented at the 2016 Living Well with Parkinson's Disease Conference, Newark, DE.

**Cook, C.** (2015, May). *Untangling Apraxia*. Presented at the 2015 Medical Updates in Speech Pathology Conference, Newark, DE.

**Virion, C.** & Kestel, L. (2012, October). *Computer assisted communication after stroke*. Presented at the Delaware Stroke Initiative Conference, Newark, DE.

**Virion, C.**, Gregore, D., & Scott, L. (2010, July). *Lee Silverman Voice Treatment*. Presented to Christiana Care Health System, Newark, DE.

Mineo Mollica, B., **Virion, C.**, Gray, J., & Pennington, C. (2005, November). *Customizing language representations to individual strengths and needs*. Presented to the Delaware Speech, Language, and Hearing Association. Presented at the American Speech-Language Hearing Association Convention, San Diego, CA.

### Poster Presentations

Copeland, K., **Cook, C.**, Ewing, M., Ellsworth, B., & Couch, L. (2015, November). Using a Charter Approach for Successful Project Planning: A Brag and Steal. Poster session presented at the American Speech, Language, and Hearing Association, Denver, CO.

**Virion, C.** (May, 2008). *Go Aphasia!: Examining the efficacy of constraint-induced language therapy for individuals with agrammatic aphasia*. Poster session presented at Clinical Aphasiology Conference, Jackson Hole, WY.

### **Invited Community Presentations**

**Cook, C.** & Kulesza, J. *The Role of the Speech Pathologist in the Management of Parkinson's Disease.* Presented to the Early Stages Parkinson's Support Group, Newark, DE.

**Virion Cook, C.** (2010, 2011, 2012, 2013 November). *Role of the Speech Pathologist.* Presented to the Delaware Technical Community College Occupational Therapy Assistant Program, Wilmington, DE.

Mineo, B., Kelly, D. Vallino, L. & **Virion, C.** (2012, November). *Career Exploration Panel.* Presented to the University of Delaware National Student Speech Language & Hearing Association, Newark, DE.

**Virion, C.** (2012, November). *Rehabilitation Dining Program.* Presented to the Wilmington Rehabilitation Hospital Patient Care Team, Wilmington, DE.

**Virion, C.** & Scott, L. (2012, June). *LSVT Big and Loud: An interdisciplinary presentation.* Presented to the Christiana Care Visiting Nurses Association, Smyrna, DE.

**Virion, C.** (2012, June). *The role of the speech therapist in the management of Parkinson's Disease.* Presented at the Newark Parkinson's disease support group, Newark, DE.

**Virion, C.** & Kestel, L. (2011, November). *Language and cognitive-communication disorders after stroke.* Presented to the Christiana Care Nursing Staff, Newark, DE.

**Virion, C.** (2011, September). *Thinking and memory after a stroke.* Presented at the Christiana Care Stroke Education Group, Newark, DE.

**Virion, C.** & Lease, J. (2010, April). *The role of the speech language pathologist in the medical setting.* Presented to the University of Delaware National Student Speech Language & Hearing Association, Newark, DE.

**Virion, C.** & Walstrum, N. (2010, May). *The role of the speech pathologist after a stroke.* Presented to the Delaware Stroke Initiative Support Group, Newark, DE.

**Virion, C.** & Scott, L. (2010, May). *LSVT Big and Loud: An interdisciplinary presentation.* Presented to the Parkinson's Education Program, Wilmington, DE.

**Virion, C.** & Kestel, L. (2010, May). *Providing food and nutrition safely.* Presented to the University of Delaware Student Nursing Program, Newark, DE.

**Virion, C.** (2009, September). *Getting going with group therapy.* Presented to the Christiana Care Speech Pathology staff, Newark, DE.

**SERVICE****Profession Service**

Member, Alternative Payer Model Working Group, American Speech Language Hearing Association	2019
Member, Clinical Working Group Wilmington Veteran's Association- University of Delaware Partnership	2017
Steering Committee Member, Delaware Telehealth Coalition	2017- Present
Mentor, Students to Empowered Professionals (S.T.E.P) program, American Speech, Language, and Hearing Association	2016-2018
Graduate Clinical Education Coordinator Christiana Care Rehabilitation Services	2014-2016
Educational Support Group Leader Trainer Christiana Care Rehabilitation Services	2014-2016
Board Member, New Castle County Parkinson's Council	2014-2016
Chair, 2015 Updates in Medical Speech Pathology Conference Christiana Care Health System	2014-2015
Speech Language Pathologist and Allied Health Representative, Delmarva Parkinson's Alliance	2012-Present
Chair, Delaware Parkinson's Day, Christiana Care Health System	2011-2012
Graduate Student Supervisor and Undergraduate Observation Coordinator Christiana Care Rehabilitation Services	2009-Present

**University Service**

Creative Art Therapy Working Group	2019
First Step Grand Challenges Mentor	2018

**College Service**

Member, College of Health Sciences Oversight Committee	2019
Leadership Team, Center for Interprofessional Development, Education and Research	2016- Present
Search Committee Member, CSCD faculty search	2016-2017
Search Committee Member, Founding Director Communication Sciences and Disorders Department	2013-2014
<b>Community Service</b>	
Member, Delaware Parkinson's Disease Task Force	2019
Founder, Early-Onset Parkinson's Disease Education Group, Christiana Care Rehabilitation Services	2012-2018
Founder and Facilitator, Stroke Education Group, Christiana Care Rehabilitation Services	2010-2014
Editor, "Big, Loud, and Proud" Newsletter for Parkinson's Christiana Care Rehabilitation Services	2009-2014

**REFERENCES**

Provided upon request.