

OCTAVIOUS BISHOP, PhD

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EDUCATION

PhD in General Educational Psychology, June 2018

Walden University, Minneapolis, Minnesota

MS in Social Work, May 2008

University of Texas, Austin, Texas

BS in Social Work, May 2001

University of Texas, Austin, Texas

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Austin Community College, January 2011 to Present

Associate Adjunct Professor

Psychology Department

Introduction to Psychology

Human Growth and Development

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Life Austin, December 2018 to Present

Family Pastor

- Pastoral care and counseling
- Community ministry
- Mental health relationships with professionals outside Life Austin

University of Texas at Austin, June 2016 to August 2017

Athletic Department

Director of Leadership and Personal Development

Director of Player Development

- Provide strategy and implementation of student-athlete development programs

Neurosensory Centers of Austin, October 2009 to 2016

CEO/Co-Owner of V5 Sports Science

- Develop and implement sports-advocacy company
- Advocate for student-athletes, professional athletes
- Research on the influence of dopamine on the nervous system
- Provide mental health references for patients
- HR assistance with hiring and conduct issues
- Develop the first annual review/evaluation program

Communities in Schools, Austin, TX., 2007 to 2009

XY Zone Coordinator

- Case management of 40-60 students
- Crisis Counseling
- Student advocate in ARD meetings

NFL, NFL Europe, and XFL, 1999 to 2001

Professional Football Athlete – Offensive Lineman

- Atlanta Falcons
- Oakland Raiders
- Amsterdam Admirals
- Chicago Enforcers

Volunteer with Fellowship of Christian Athletes, 2017 to Present

Board Member

- Speaking engagements with student-athletes
- Funding participation

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Lake Travis Educational Foundation

- The Lake Travis Education Foundation (LTEF) is a nonprofit organization that supports the Lake Travis ISD mission to educate all students through a comprehensive curriculum. LTEF funds programs that directly impact student needs but are not covered by public tax revenues.

NFL Alumni, 2007 to Present

- Support victims of domestic abuse
- Support partner organizations

RESEARCH and PUBLICATIONS

Research area was Dopamine influence on the human nervous system and brain pathways, and connections to professionally diagnosing depression.

Bishop, Octavious. “Quantifying the Spectrum of Depression.” Dissertation. June 2018