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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

CARE – New York, NY (February 2018 – October 2021)

Senior Technical Advisor - Gender Program Design & Implementation, Gender Justice Team

- Supported fundraising for gender programming (such as What Works 2)
- Provided technical support and managed implementation of gender programs in Africa and Asia
- Managed consultants
- Contributed to strategic leadership and thought leadership processes and documents
- Supported better partnerships models with southern feminist social movements
- Worked with small group to create CARE's first Feminist Advisory Board

Women and Health Alliance

Curriculum Writer Consultant – New York, NY (November 2017-February 2018)

Co-authored United For a Better Life GBV prevention curriculum, supported training of facilitators design and evaluation.

International Rescue Committee – New York, NY (January 2017 – January 2018)

Gender Technical Advisor Health Unit

- Supported Health Unit to integrate gender into programming
- Provided technical support to develop gender sensitive or transformative programs
- Developed and provide training to country staff on how to address gender in programs/operations

EngenderHealth – New York, NY

Senior Technical Advisor Gender/Men As Partners (September 2013-December 2016)

- Supervised and managed Gender/MAP staff and consultants and provide leadership around gender programming internally and externally
- Provided technical support to field and HQ on gender transformative and GBV programming
- Developed training materials and facilitate gender trainings and workshops
- Developed external publications such as gender transformative curricula, engaging men toolkit, and co-authored studies of GBV prevention interventions.

Technical Advisor Gender/MAP (February 2011-September 2013)

- Provided technical support to field and HQ staff on gender transformative and GBV programming

Instituto Promundo – Rio de Janeiro (February 2007- January 2011)

Senior Program Officer

- Program management of gender and male engagement projects in Brazil and overseas.
- Provided capacity building around gender equality in Brazil and overseas.
- Development, writing, research and editing of publications
- Supported MenEngage Alliance coordination.

CECIP (Center for Creation of Popular Images) - Rio de Janeiro (Oct 2004-March 2005)

Consultant - Organized and led Strategic Planning process for 2005-2007.

Transformarte - Rio de Janeiro, RJ (June 2003 - August 2004)

Consultant on Program Evaluation and Planning- Evaluation of prevention and education activities with youth in low-income communities on HIV, Sexuality, and Gender.

Doctors of the World - USA, New York, NY (2000-2003)

Program Associate

- Programmatic support health and human rights projects in HIV and SRH in LAC and Africa.

EDUCATION

Masters in Public Health in International Health - Tulane University School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine, New Orleans, Louisiana (1998)

Bachelors in Anthropology - University of Texas at Austin (1988 - 1994)

PUBLICATIONS

Leight J, Deyessa N, **Verani F**, et al. Community-level spillover effects of an intervention to prevent intimate partner violence and HIV transmission in rural Ethiopia. *BMJ Global Health* 2021;6:e004075. doi:10.1136/bmjgh-2020-004075

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Samandari G, Delamou A, Traore P, Diallo F, Millimono S, Camara B, Laffe K, **Verani F**, Tolliver M. (2016) Integrating Intimate Partner Violence Screening and Counseling in a Family Planning Clinic: Evaluation of a Pilot Project in Conakry, Guinea. *African Journal of Reproductive Health*. Vol 20. No 2.

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Sloan, N. L., **Verani, F.**, and Shannon, C. 2014. The effects of a gender-based violence awareness campaign in Luanda, Angola: A quasi-experimental study. *The RESPOND Project Study Series: Contributions to Global Knowledge—Report No. 17*. New York: EngenderHealth

Engaging Men and Boys in Gender Equality and Health: A global toolkit for action. Christine Ricardo and **Fabio Verani**. UNFPA & Promundo. Brazil 2010

Promoting Gender Equity for HIV and Violence Prevention: Results from the Male Norms Initiative Evaluation in Ethiopia. Pulerwitz J, Martin S, Mehta M, Castillo T, Kidanu A, **Verani F**, Tewolde S. Washington, DC: PATH; 2010.

Men's Participation as Fathers in the Latin American & Caribbean Region: A Critical Literature Review with Policy Considerations. Barker G & **Verani F.** Promundo. Brazil. 2008.

Engaging Men at the Community Level. K Klindera, A Levack, M Mehta, C Ricardo, **F Verani.** ACQUIRE Project/EngenderHealth and Promundo 2008

Engaging Boys and Men in Gender Transformation: The Group Education Manual. K. Klindera, A Levack, M Mehta, C Ricardo and **F Verani.** ACQUIRE Project/EngenderHealth and Promundo 2008.
