

## THE DEPARTMENT OF COUNSELING OPEN RANK FACULTY SEARCH CANDIDATE RESEARCH PRESENTATION

**“Assessing professional school counselors’ knowledge of child sexual abuse:  
The effects of CACREP accreditation, experience, and self-efficacy.”**



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Aula Canaria**

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