

## **DISSERTATION TITLE:**

Project-Based Section 8 Housing Participants' Perception of Cultural and Structural Factors to Explain Barriers to Economic Self-Sufficiency

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**Bachelor's Degree** 

Psychology Belhaven College

## Master's Degree

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## **Doctoral Degree**

Human Capital Development The University of Southern Mississippi, 2013

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- Training and Development
- Employee Development
- Human Capital Development

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Dr. Clark currently serves as an asset manager for Jefferson County Assisted Housing Corporation. As an asset manager, she is responsible for the implementation of tasks within the Section 8 Contract Administration Annual Contributions Contract (ACC) with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. To ensure program compliance, Yolanda is responsible for conducting training seminars for owners and management agents of affordable housing properties. Through the National Center for Housing Management, she has received Occupancy Specialist and Manager of Housing certifications.