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Dr. James (Jim) Painter, a Registered Dietitian, earned a Ph.D. from the University of Illinois in Human Resource and Family Studies, a MS from Oklahoma State University in Food, Nutrition and Institution Administration and a BS from Southern Illinois University, Carbondale in Food and Nutrition.

His professional experiences include serving on the faculty at the University of Illinois; Restaurant Management and Nutrition Consulting; Senior Food Service Director and Director of Food Service for University

Village Retirement Center for the Marriott Corporation in Okalahoma; Clinical Dietitian for City of Faith Hospital; Director of Food Service for Bryan Memorial Hospital and volunteer Supervisor of Food Service for His Way, Inc. in San Francisco, CA.

Honors and Awards included being listed each year on the Incomplete List of Teachers Ranked as Excellent by Their Students from 1991 through 2003; College of CES Professional Staff Award for Excellence, Innovation and Creativity; Outstanding Teacher Award from Panhellenic Council; Frances Lafont Teaching Enhancement Award; Outstanding Service Recognition Award from Marriott Corporation; Certification of Appreciation for Outstanding Service to the Developmentally Disabled; and Recognition Award for Dedication to the Saga Way.

Currently he is Chairperson of the Family and Consumer Sciences at Eastern Illinois University, where he has “made a difference.” He and his wife, Rose live in Charleston and have two sons and a daughter-in-law.