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Education

MA Educational Administration, Wichita State University, 1990

BA Elementary Education, Wichita State University, 1985

Collegiate Teaching Experience

Clinical Educator, Department of Curriculum and Instruction, Wichita State University,
Wichita, KS 2012-present

CI 402I Instructional Strategies Assessment and Management: Intermediate
Literacy (20 sections)

CI 402J Instructional Strategies Assessment and Management: Elementary Social
Studies (1 section)

CI 447 Student Teaching Elementary (6 sections)

CI 411B Pre- Strategies Assessment and Management: Elementary Core IIB
(18 sections)

CI 311 Introduction to Diversity and Field Experience (1 section)

CI 270 Introduction to the Education Profession (1 section)

CI 402S Instructional Strategies Assessment and Management: Science
(2 sections)

CI 402M Instructional Strategies Assessment and Management: Elementary
Mathematics (6 sections)

CI 446 Elementary Teaching Internship and Classroom Management Seminar (6
sections)

PreK-12 Teaching Experience

USD 385, 3rd grade teacher, 2003-2011

Calvary United Methodist Church, preschool teacher, 1995-2001

USD 385, 3-5th grade teacher, 1989-1995

USD 385, summer school principal, 1992-1995

USD 259, 6th grade teacher, 1985-1989

Teaching Awards

- Member of the Kansas Teacher of the Year Team representing Congressional District 4, 2010
- Named USD 385 Nominee for Elementary Teacher of the Year, 2008
- Golden Apple Award (USD 385 Recognition for Outstanding Teacher at Cottonwood Elementary) 2008
- Helping Hand Award (USD 385 Recognition for Volunteer of the Year) 2003
- 18 grants awarded from the Andover Advantage Foundation, 2003-2010

Presentations

- Participant in the College of Education's presentation for the Association of Teacher Educators (ATE) Distinguished Program in Teacher Education Award, February, 2016
- Presented at approximately 12 different Kansas colleges to the colleges of education as part of the Kansas Teacher of the Year Team, 2010
- Presented at the Kansas State Department of Education Kansas Excellence in Education Conference and the Teachers of Promise Workshop, 2010
- Presented monthly math professional development in USD 385, 1992-1994
- Presented at the National Conference of Teachers of Mathematics District Conference, 1993

Committee Work at Wichita State University

- Badge Course Development for the College of Education's Mentoring Program- helped develop 2 courses, 2015
- Faculty Fellow for orientation, 2015-present
- Mentored Jodi McArthur, 2015-2016
- College of Education's Recruitment and Retention Committee, 2015-present
- Member of Ad Hoc Committee on Required Assessments for the College of Education, 2015
- Member of the Search Committee for the Curriculum and Instruction Department Head, 2015-present
- Participant in the Fairmount Neighborhood Initiative Meeting 2015
- College of Education Graduate Showcase Committee- 2015-present
- Fairmount Neighborhood Event Committee-Bike rodeo, 2015-April 2016

Faculty Development at Wichita State University

- Participant in the Symposium on Teacher Induction in Bellevue, WA, February 2016
- Participant in the Kansas Mentoring and Induction Center Mentoring Class, 2015
- Participant in the Town Hall Meeting on Social Inequality and the 2 follow up meetings, 2015
- Kansas Exemplary Educators Network Conference, 2014, 2015

Service to the Profession

- Testified on the impact of budget cuts before the Kansas House of Representatives and Senate Education Committees and the Kansas State Board of Education, 2010
- Member of USD 385 Negotiation Committee, 2007-2010
- New Teacher Mentor, USD 385, 2006-2007
- Endowed the Tony and Cathy Durano Scholarship in Elementary Education at Wichita State University, 2004, current member of Society of 1895
- President of the Andover Advantage Foundation (Private Foundation supporting USD 385) 2002
- Board Member of the Andover Advantage Foundation, 1997-2003
- National Conference for Teachers of Mathematics District Convention Committee, 1992-1993
- Math Curriculum Committee for USD 259, 1987-1989

Professional Affiliations

- National Council for the Social Studies (NCSS)
- International Literacy Association (ILA)
- Kansas Literacy Association (KLA)
- National Council of Teachers of Mathematics (NCTM)
- National Science Teachers Association (NSTA)

Community Involvement

- Off Campus Chapter Advisor for Delta Upsilon Fraternity, 2011-present
- On Campus Faculty Advisor for Zeta Phi Beta, Inc at WSU, 2013-present

- Advisor for the Multicultural Greek Council at Wichita State University, 2011-2012
- Secretary of the Administrative Board of Andover United Methodist Church, 2010-present
- Off Campus Advisor for Delta Gamma Fraternity, 1987-1994, 1998-2000, 2006-2010
- President for Wichita Alumnae Chapter of Delta Gamma, 2014-present
- Girl Scout Leader for Troop 689, 1996-2010
- Girl Scout Service Unit Manager, 2003-2006
- Boy Scout Merit Badge Counselor at Merit Badge College, 2008
- Friends of the Andover Public Library Board Member, 2005-2006

Community Awards

- Delta Gamma National Outstanding Alumnae Chapter, awarded at Convention 2014 while serving as President
- National Advisor of the Year for Delta Upsilon Fraternity, 2013
- Dottie C. Miller Award for Service to the Wichita State Greek Community, 2011
- President's Award from Wichita Chapter of Delta Upsilon Fraternity, 2011
- Outstanding Leader in Santa Fe Service Unit of Girl Scouts, 2008
- Outstanding Volunteer in Santa Fe Service Unit of Girl Scouts, 2006
- Three times awarded Outstanding Advisor from Gamma Upsilon Chapter of Delta Gamma 1991, 1999, and 2007