

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

EdD, Doctorate of Education in Educational Leadership, Arkansas State University, Jonesboro, AR, 2023

Dissertation Title: "EXAMINING STRATEGIC SUPPORTS FOR STUDENTS WITH EXECUTIVE DYSFUNCTION TRANSITIONING TO POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION: A QUALITATIVE STUDY

MSE, Curriculum and Instruction, Special Education Director Emphasis, Arkansas State University, Jonesboro AR, 2017

BA, Elementary (1-6) and Special Education (K-12), University of Central Arkansas, Conway AR, 1998

Certified as a National Board Teacher in Exceptional Needs (2017)

Recertified 2021

CALT, Certified Academic Language Therapist (2021)

English Certification (7th - 12th), 2021

WORK HISTORY

Academic Experience

- Math Coach/Special Education Teacher, Arkansas Virtual Academy, Little Rock AR, August 2010- June 2013
- 5th -6th and 10th-12th Grade Special Education Teacher/English Co-teacher, Valley View School District, Jonesboro AR August 2013-May 2021
- Supplemental Instruction Program Co-Coordinator for athletes who have 2.0 or less, Valley View High School, 2019- 2021
- Adjunct Instructor, Arkansas State University, Jonesboro, AR August 2020 - May 2021
- Jr. High and High School Special Education Teacher, Alternative Education, Jonesboro Public Schools, August 2021-May 2022
- Special Education Director, Buffalo Island Central School District, Monette, AR June 2022-2024
- Instructor, Arkansas State University Jonesboro, AR August 2024- current

List of Courses Taught

ELSE 4163 Introduction to Emotional/Behavior Disorders
ELSE 4143 Curriculum Programming for Exceptional Learners
ELSE 3643 Exceptional Students in the Regular Classroom
ELED 4226 Teaching Internship III Fourth through Sixth Grade
ELED 4216 Teaching Internship Kindergarten through Third Grade
MLED 4006 Teaching Internship I
SCED 2513 Introduction to Secondary Education
ELED 3163 Characteristics of and Differentiation of Instruction for Diverse Learners

HONORS AND AWARDS

Doctoral GPA 3.93

Graduated Summa Cum Laude, Arkansas State University, 2017

Graduated Magna Cum Laude, University of Central Arkansas, 1998

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

"Technology Won't Byte" Presenter at Crowley's Ridge Co-op, July 2015

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- After School Book Club Alternative Education School
- Began Breakfast Book Club and After School Book Club targeting economically disadvantaged students
- Wrote and received \$6200 in Donor's Choose Grants
- Children's Church, Organize Community Easter Egg Hunt, Alpha Pregnancy Center Volunteer, City Youth Volunteer, Taught Inner City Youth in New Orleans for a summer

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- Arkansas Literacy Association
- Crowley's Ridge Reading Council
- Academic Language Therapy Association