

Curriculum Vitae

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Objective Teach at the collegiate level in the areas of Elementary and/or Special Education

Experience **2005-present** **Indiana Wesleyan University** **Marion, IN**
Assistant Professor of Special Education

- Special Education Program Coordinator in School of Teacher Education
- Teach undergraduate courses in Exceptional Needs program: Psychology of the Exceptional Child, Teaching and Learning in the Inclusive Setting, Assessment in Special Education, and Methods for Teaching Students with Exceptional Needs
- Supervise student teachers and practicum students
- Advise Elementary Education/Exceptional Needs Majors
- Sponsor, Council of Exceptional Children Student Chapter
- Learning Disabilities Association of Indiana (LDA) – Board Member, Conference Committee Member
- Fall 2008 presented at LDA of IN state conference
- Attended LDA Conference 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011
- Attended NCATE National Conference 2008
- Attended National ASCD Conference 2009, 2010
- Attended International Reading Association Conference 2011
- Wrote Exceptional Needs Department SPA reports that were Nationally Recognized in Spring 2009
- Mentor to new faculty members 2008, 2009
- Unit parent for Evan's Hall Dorm 2007, 2008
- Unit parent Martin Hall Dorm 2011
- Member of Council for Exceptional Children (CEC), Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD), and Delta Kappa Gamma Sorority for Women Educators, International Reading Association (IRA)

**Experience
Continued**
1995-2005**Upland Elementary****Upland, IN****2004-2005 Kindergarten Teacher**

- Created and implemented Full Day Kindergarten Program
- Designed and implemented monthly Parent Nights
- Served as team member on Student Study Teams

1995-2004 Special Education Teacher/MALL Co-founder/Co-director

- Taught special education students in grades K-6 with Mild Disabilities, Emotional Disabilities, Autism/Asperger's Syndrome, Other Health Impairments
- Co-founder Maximum Achievement Learning Lab (MALL) -all inclusive resource room
- Presenter at the LDA conference (1997, 2002)
- Presenter at Indiana State Gifted/Talented Conference (2001)
- Ball Brothers Grant Recipient for MALL program (10 Gateway Computers)

**1992-1995 Special Education Teacher Albuquerque City Schools
Harrison Middle School, ED/LD Teacher**

- Taught special education students in grades 6-8 with Mild Disabilities, Emotional Disabilities, Autism/Asperger's Syndrome, Other Health Impairments
- Student Government Faculty Representative
- 7th Grade Mini-School Representative
- Presenter at the CEC conference (1993, 1994)
- Created Self-Sustaining Community Based Instruction Program (CBI)
- Grant Recipient for CBI Program

Education

- Ball State University 2007- present
Completing coursework toward EdD in Special Education
Completed 89 hours beyond Master's Degree
Successfully completed doctoral comps in Spring 2011
Begin Dissertation in Fall 2011
- Indiana Wesleyan University MED December 2004
- Muskingum College BA Elementary Education 1991