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Director of the Adult Teacher Licensure Programs for all K-12 candidates at Indiana Wesleyan University in Marion, Indiana. I also teach various special education and Transition to Teaching courses.

EDUCATION

Ed.D. in Special Education, Department of Special Education, Ball State University, Muncie, IN. Cognate: Neuropsychology. Dissertation: *Responses of Teachers of Students with Emotional Disabilities to Student Needs and the Implications of Licensure Training Requirements*. Chair: Dr. Sheldon Braaten. June 2006.

Master of Education, Special Education, Ball State University, Muncie, IN. May 2001.

Bachelor of Arts, Elementary Education, Anderson University, Anderson, IN. May 1993.

LICENSES / CERTIFICATIONS

<u>State</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Issued</u>	<u>Expires</u>	<u>Areas of Licensure</u>
Indiana	1009422	7/21/08	7/21/13	Elementary (K-6), LD, MiMH, ED

PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

2006-2009	Assistant Director, Exceptional Learner's Program Onsite, Indiana Wesleyan University, Marion, Indiana
2004-2006	Elementary Special Education Teacher, Centerville Elementary School, Centerville, Indiana
2003-Present	Adjunct Professor, Indiana Wesleyan University, Graduate Education Programs
2003-2004	High School Special Education Teacher, Hancock-South Madison Joint Services, Greenfield, Indiana
1999-2003	Pre-K-12 Special Education/At-Risk Director and Teacher, General Education Intervention Consultant, Liberty Christian School, Anderson, Indiana

- 1994-1999 Kindergarten and Fourth Grade Teacher, Liberty Christian School, Anderson, Indiana
- 1994 Substitute Teacher, All Levels and Special Education, Anderson Community Schools, Anderson, Indiana (January-May)
- 1993 Sixth Grade Teacher, Anderson Community Schools, Anderson, Indiana
Temporary Contract for Medical Leave (August-December)
- 1993 Student Teacher, Kindergarten and Fifth Grade, Southview Elementary School, Anderson, Indiana (January-May)
- 1985-90 Director-Pre-School and Day Care, The Children's Center, Noblesville, Indiana
- 1979-1985 Teacher-Pre-School and Day Care, The Children's Center, Noblesville, Indiana

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS:

- 2007 Association of Christian Schools International Regional Teacher's Conference
Presenter on Assessment and Instructional Strategies (Indianapolis, IN)
- 2003 Annual EH Conference (Behavioral Institute for Children & Adolescents)
Professional Development Presentations (Special Education Area)
- 2001 National Conference Presenter on "Brain Research" (Bloomington, IL)
- 2001 Dissertation: *Responses of Teachers of Students with Emotional Disabilities to Student Needs and the Implications of Licensure Training Requirements*

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES, SERVICE, AND HONORS

- 2009 NCATE/CEC University Program Reviewer
- 2009 Indiana Wesleyan University Academic Review Committee
- 2009 Indiana Wesleyan University Grant Work
- 2008-Present ICASE Web Site Sub-Committee
- 2006-07 Centerville-Fayette-Rushville Special Education Cooperative Response to Intervention Task Force
- 2004-06 Committee Chair, Curriculum Committee for School Accreditation, Centerville Elementary
- 2000-03 Strategic Planning Committee-Liberty Christian School

2000	School Accreditation Visiting Team Member-Association of Christian Schools International
1998-2003	Committee Chair-Liberty Christian School Special Needs Task Force
1998-2003	Special Needs Consultant for All Liberty Christian School Pre-K-12 General Education Teachers
1996-2003	Mentor for New Teachers, Instructional Assistants, and College Practicum Students
1996-99	School Coordinator-Young Author's (Liberty Christian School)
1993	Graduated Cum Laude (Anderson University)
1990-93	Dean's List (Anderson University)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Council for Exceptional Children (CEC)

Indiana Council of Administrators of Special Education (ICASE)