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EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

M.A. Curriculum and Instruction K-12	University of St. Thomas	1999
B.S.Home Economics Education	North Dakota State University	1974

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

Resident Teacher Mentor	Valley Middle School	Grand Forks, ND	1999-present
Adjunct Faculty member	University of N. Dakota	Grand Forks, ND	1999-present
Life Skills Teacher	Valley Middle School	Grand Forks, ND	1989-1999
Life Skills Teacher	South Junior High School	Grand Forks, ND	1991
FACS Teacher	Central HS	Grand Forks, ND	1990
Vocational Resource Educator	Watford City HS	Watford City, ND	1987-1989
Home Economics/English Teacher	Sheyenne HS	Sheyenne, ND	1978-1979
Home Economics/English Teacher	Willow City HS	Willow City, ND	1976-1978
Home Economics Teacher	White Shield HS	White Shield, ND	1976
Home Economics Teacher	Pascoe Vale Girls' HS	Melbourne, Australia	1975
Home Economics Teacher	Moreland HS	Melbourne, Australia	1974

TEACHER CERTIFICATION CURRENTLY HELD

North Dakota Educator's Professional License
- Family and Consumer Science
- Middle Level Endorsement
- Vocational Special Needs Certificate

CLASSES CURRENTLY TEACHING/TAUGHT AT UND

T&L 460 Microteaching
T&L 590 Instructional Practice and Theory: Middle Level
Improving Reading Comprehension Skills in Content Area Classes (Continuing Education online course)
T&L 325 Exploring Teaching

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Assessment
Mentoring-new teacher induction and retention
Reading comprehension strategies at the secondary level
Lesson design
Action research

PUBLICATION

Published biweekly column for EducationWorld website	2001-2002

PRESENTATIONS

Red River Valley Educational Cooperative Assessment	August, 2006
North Dakota State Reading Association Conference Reading Comprehension Strategies	April, 2005
National Middle School Association Annual Conference Mentoring—Resident Teacher Program	November, 2004

SERVICE ACTIVITIES RELATED TO MY PROFESSION AND COMMUNITY

Member of T&L NCATE Standard 3 Field Experience Committee	Presently
Member of Grand Forks Public Schools Assessment Committee	Presently
Served on T&L Dispositions Task Force	2006
Served on T&L LiveText Implementation Committee	2004-2005
Served on T&L Common Course Development Committee	2003-Present
Member of Grand Forks Public Schools Professional Development Committee	2003-Present
Trainer for North Dakota Mentoring Program for ESPB	2001-Present
Served on Grand Forks Public Schools secondary reading committee	2003-2005
Taught Content Area Reading and Study Skills classes	2003-Present
Served on steering committee for GFPS/GFEA Teacher Induction Program	2002-2003
Served on Schoolwide Title One committee for Valley Middle School	2001-Present
Served as co-chairperson of NCA Math committee for Valley MS	2001-2003
Participate in T&L Secondary Program Area Admissions Committee	2000-Present
Valley Middle School Faculty Advisory Committee	2000-Present
Served on GFPS Facilities Planning Advisory Committee	Summer 1997
Participated in Frameworks development for GFPS	1995 and 1998
Served as team leader for the allied arts team at Valley MS	1997-1999

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Grand Forks Education Association/North Dakota Education Association/National Education Association
National Staff Development Council
Teacher Leader Network
National Middle School Association
Member of MiddleTalk1 listserv community