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Objective	To accelerate my college teaching and research skills in the area of teaching and learning with an emphasis in special education
Academic Degrees	**Doctor of Education** 2000 – 2004 University of North Dakota Grand Forks, ND Major: Higher Education Master of Education 1997-1999 University of North Dakota Grand Forks, ND Major: Special Education Bachelor of Science 1995-1997 University of North Dakota Grand Forks, ND 1993-1995 Northern State University Aberdeen, SD Major: Elementary Education Minor: Special Education
Professional Experience	**Assistant Professor of Teaching and Learning** 2006-Present University of North Dakota Grand Forks, ND Teach *T&L 551 Advanced Assessment: Special Needs Students*-3 credits This course covers the theory and practice of assessment, including formal and informal procedures for screening, identification, and assessment of students with learning disabilities, emotional disturbance, and mental retardation. Practical application is emphasized. Teach *T&L 555 Advanced Methods: Emotionally Disturbed*- 3 credits The study of specific strategies, methods, and materials for working with students with emotional and behavioral disorders **Assistant Professor of Special Education** 2004-2006 Minnesota State University Moorhead Moorhead, MN Taught *SpEd 443/543 Consultation and Collaboration in Special Education and Human Services*-3 credits Understanding and development of professional consultation and collaboration skills to initiate and apply appropriate and effective teaming techniques for assessment, intervention, and evaluation via transdisciplinary approaches for special needs students/clients and their caregivers.

	Taught *SpEd 463/563 Assessment Strategies*-3 credits Assessment of scholastic achievement and aptitude, social behavior, and instructional effectiveness through the use of norm referenced individualized test instruments and informal instructor designed procedures. Course includes report writing, establishment of objectives, participation in the development of IEPs, and review of basic statistical and measurement concepts. Will be redesigning this course in Summer 2006 for online delivery. Taught *SpEd 473/573 Emotional/Behavioral Disorders*-3 credits Identification, assessment, and programming for students with EBD. Course includes operation of program models of educational and other treatment agents. Taught *SpEd 320 Educational Services for Individuals with Exceptionalities* 3 credits: Introduction to the recognition, incidence, and educational needs of individuals with exceptionalities. A wide range of educational services are studied with emphasis on the shared responsibility of all professionals in education and related services. Taught *SpEd 429 Classroom Modifications/Adaptations*-2 credits Introduction to the recognition of diverse learning and educational needs of elementary/middle school students. A range of curriculum strategies, modifications, and adaptations for students with diverse needs will be studied with emphasis on successful learning experiences for all students. Supervised student teachers and practicum students, as well as coordinated field-related assessment lab **Special Education Instructor** 1997 – 2004 Lake Agassiz Elementary School Grand Forks, ND Taught in a self-contained classroom for elementary students who had severe emotional disorders with a strong emphasis on mainstreaming students into the general education setting. Provided accommodations to students through the means of academic adjustments and program modifications. Developed programming for students in all academic areas along with the incorporation of assistive technology. Served as a behavioral consult for surrounding school districts and agencies. Supervised educational support staff and college field experience students
Administration	• Coordinator, Emotional/Behavioral Disorders Program, MSUM
Additional Collegiate Assignments	**University of North Dakota (2006-Present)** Member of Graduate Faculty Advisor: Graduate Students

	Minnesota State University Moorhead (2004-2006) Member of Graduate Faculty Advisor: Undergraduate and Graduate Students Chair & Committee Member for Graduate Students' Theses/Projects Departmental Committees: -Field Experience Committee -Professional Portfolios Committee College Committees: -T&L Vision, Mission, & Values -Dispositions Committee -Teacher Preparation Committee -Novice Teacher Survey Committee University Committees: -Scholarship & Financial Aid Advisory Committee
Publications	• Anderson, K.L. & Olson, M.R. (2006, Fall). *Using conceptual models of teaching to incorporate a dog into a self-contained classroom for students with severe emotional or behavioral disorders: A research-based intervention.* Journal of the American Academy of Special Education Professionals, • Anderson, K.L. & Olson, M.R. (2006). *The value of a canine in a classroom of children with severe emotional disorders.* Anthrozoos 19(1), 35-49.
Scholarly Activity	• Advisory Board Member for Annual Editions: Educating Exceptional Children by McGraw-Hill Publishing Company • Anderson, K.L. (2005). *Teacher assessment binder for student data collection.* Enhancing Education Through Technology grant, Minnesota State University Moorhead. • Anderson, K.L. (2004). *Love, laughter, and lessons: What a canine brought to a classroom for students with severe emotional disorders.* Doctoral Dissertation: University of North Dakota • Anderson, K.L. (1999). *Character education.* Master's Thesis: University of North Dakota
Grants	**Minnesota State University Moorhead (2004-2006)** • *Enhancing Education Through Technology: Culturally Sensitive, Technologically Enhanced Literacy Boxes for Student and Family Use* Title II Part D-No Child Left Behind ($497,750) -coordinating research component

	• *Reaching Out to Learner*s, Round 4 e-Curriculum grant ($103,750) -co-author/co-coordinator (2004-05) • *Academic Service-Learning Project* ($1,000) -co-author/co-coordinator (2005-06)
Presentations	**International:** • Children and Adolescent Conference 2006 Bloomington, MN: Love, Laughter, and Lessons: What a Canine Brought to a Classroom for Students with Severe Emotional Disorders • Council for Exceptional Children 2006 Salt Lake City, UT: Love, Laughter, and Lessons: What a Canine Brought to a Classroom for Students with Severe Emotional Disorders • Council for Children with Behavioral Disorders 2005 Dallas, TX: *Love, Laughter, and Lessons: What a Canine Brought to a Classroom for Students with Severe Emotional Disorders* **National:** • National Paraprofessional Conference 2006 Bloomington, MN: *Have Questions? Get Answers.* **Regional:** • Beyond Boundaries 2006 Grand Forks, ND: *Teaching with Tegrity* • Midwest Qualitative Research Conference 2005 Minneapolis, MN: *Love, Laughter, and Lessons: What a Canine Brought to a Classroom for Students with Severe Emotional Disorders* • Beyond Boundaries 2005 Grand Forks, ND: *Paradigm Shift: Reaching Out to Learners Through Online Licensure Programs* **State:** • North Dakota Council for Exceptional Children 2005: *Love, Laughter, and Lessons: What a Canine Brought to a Classroom for Students with Severe Emotional Disorders* • Minnesota Council for Exceptional Children 2005: *Love, Laughter, and Lessons: What a Canine Brought to a Classroom for Students with Severe Emotional Disorders* **Local:** • University of North Dakota's Scholarly Forum 2006: *Love, Laughter, and Lessons: What a Canine Brought to a Classroom for Students with Severe Emotional Disorders*
Professional Affiliations	• Council for Exceptional Children, present member -Division: Teacher Education -Division: Council for Children with Behavioral Disorders • American Council on Rural Special Education, present member

	• International Reading Association, present member • Delta Kappa Gamma Society International, present member
Professional Collaborations	• Mental Health Association in North Dakota, Member of Advisory Council • Minnesota EBD Leadership Committee, past member • MSUM EBD Advisory Council, past chairperson
Civic Involvement	• North Dakota Special Olympics, present • Expanding Your Horizons Conference, MSUM (2005, 2006) • Grand Forks Humane Society (2004) • Crisis Violence Intervention Center (2003)