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Education and related certifications:

B.A. French and mathematics - Austin College, Sherman, TX – 1989;

MAT Education – Austin College, Sherman, TX - 1999;

Texas teacher - Lifetime Certification, secondary mathematics, 6 - 12 grades.

Currently attending Texas A&M Commerce to acquire a second masters in Mathematics and ultimately pursue a doctorate in Curriculum and Instruction in Mathematics.

Employment:

- Teaching Graduate Assistant, Math Texas A&M University Commerce 8/2016 present
- Senior partner/owner of an insurance company 10/2009 12/2015.
- Children's chapel leader: 8/2012 present.
- Substitute (incl. long-term): McKinney ISD, 3/2013 to present Long term 4/2013 to EOY North HS Algebra I maternity leave , Long term 9/2014 10/2014 Evans MS Leadership/PALS vacancy, Long term 3/2015 EOY Vacancy Pre AP Algebra I and Math 8 Inc
- Teacher: Richardson ISD, DAEP Algebra I and Geometry, Berkner HS BC Calculus (I was pulled to teach 2 classes for 6 weeks for maternity leave), Summer school Algebra I 12/2009 7/2010
- Actuary: Computer Sciences Corporation, 9/2001 10/2009 when Dallas office closed.
- Teacher: McKinney ISD, Dowell MS 8th grade math and French 8/1998 5/2001
- ACT Academy: McKinney ISD; media coordinator, taught French all levels, Geometry and TAAS Exit math, covered nurse's office 6/1993 6/1998
- Full time substitute: Lewisville ISD 8/1990 5/1993 Long term stints 6 weeks HS French, 7 weeks architecture and shop, 3 months ISS, numerous 1-week to 3-week stints in ED self contained
- Project Manager, Programmer and Client Instructor: IBM 5/1985 6/1990

Accomplishments and volunteer work:

- CASA volunteer
- Hostess of the year: 1983 Six-Flags given a trip to Puerto Viarta Mexico
- Girl's Interacter of the year: 1985 noted most for never missing a volunteer opportunity in my 4 years in HS in the club
- State Champ Lifeguard competition CPR 1986
- JHS gymnastics, HS and College swim teams, College cheerleader
- Jr and Sr high church youth director for 3 years. I started the program and supported successor as I stepped down when my first child was born
- Director of youth services 2 years for Rotary Club of McKinney
- Rotary U graduate
- Serve on Volunteer McKinney Committee for Summit on Youth
- Volunteer in McKinney schools with my children's classes and also with children who need extra help in math
- Served as treasurer and accomplishments chair for cub scouts 3 years
- Serve on Camp RYLA selection committee and flag committee in Rotary
- 2 years volunteer actor with a youth program
- 10+ years with Habitat for Humanity on builds, usually electrical team.
- Volunteer with Family Promise as an overnight host, and whatever else is needed