

Curriculum Vita January 2020

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EDUCATION

The Ohio State University

Degree: Ph.D. 2002

Specialization: Integrated Teaching and Learning: Early & Middle Childhood Education

Cognates: Multicultural Issues in Literacy & Education Research

Texas A & M University-Commerce *Degree:* M. Ed. 1997

Specialization: Education Administration

Texas A & M University-Commerce

Specialization: Post Baccalaureate Teacher Certification, Elementary Education & Reading 1994

Grades1-8

University of North Texas

Degree: B. A. 1990 Specialization: Photojournalism

Texas Teacher Certifications

Provisional Elementary Education: Grades 1-6—Life

Reading: Grades 1-8—Life

ADMINISTRATIVE & TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Texas A&M University-Commerce

Fall 2017-present Department Head & Professor

- **ï** Provides leadership with respect to academic, research, and service endeavors for the Department of Curriculum and Instruction which includes 42 full time faculty, 4 staff, 2 graduate students, and 35 adjunct faculty across four service centers including Mesquite, Corsicana, McKinney, and Commerce.
- ï Serves as the budget officer for the department. Allocates funds for equipment, faculty travel, merit pool increases, and oversees and approves research-based expenses that were awarded to the department by external agencies including but not limited to state and national agencies.

ï Oversees the recruitment, retent	ion, and hiring of clinic	al, tenure track, and adju	nct faculty.

- ï Submission of grants, three were awarded and are currently being implemented.
- i Is in the process of redesigning the curriculum to meet the EdTPA standards and new teacher certification standards which go into effect fall 2021.
- i Mexico, System, A&M-Commerce Partnership
- To date, the department has overseen the hiring of 10 new faculty, 3 new graduate students, and two new staff members. Of the new hires, 4 are from diverse populations.
- i Serves as the department authority for curricular changes, dissertations, and other program of studies including alternate certification and the Master of Arts in Teaching.
- i Oversees that the accreditations set forth by the state and national agencies including the Texas Education Agency standards, and the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

Fall 2012-Spring 2018 Doctoral Program, Co-Coordinator

Associate Professor of Early Childhood

- ï Coordinate with instructors teaching courses within the program to ensure common requirements across all course sections
- ï Track student progress through doctoral program
- ï Serve as liaison to the Graduate School and all accrediting parties
- ï Revise curriculum to meet SACSCOC standards

Fall 2006-Spring 2012 Assistant Professor of Early Childhood Department of Curriculum and Instruction

Fall 2010-Spring 2014 Curriculum & Instruction Graduate Program Coordinator Collin Higher Education Center (CHEC) in McKinney

Fall 2004-Spring 2009 Center Coordinator, Metroplex Center of Professional Development Field Based Student Teaching

The Ohio State University

Research and Clinical Experience

2000 Graduate Associate and Teaching Assistant

Student teacher field supervisor for Educators for Collaborative

Change/Professional Development Schools The Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio

1999 Early Childhood Intern

Early Childhood Education Programs Columbus Public Schools, Columbus, Ohio

1998-1999 Graduate Research Assistant

Data Coordinator/Trainer for The Ohio State University AmeriCorps Literacy

and Math Programs

The Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio

1998 Graduate Associate and Teaching Assistant

Student teacher supervisor for the Educators for Collaborative Change/Professional

Development Schools

The Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio

Public School and Administrative Experience

2004	Head Start Region VI Administrative Office, Booz, Allen, and Hamilton-Dallas, Texas Region VI Early Learning and Literacy Specialist
1994-1998	Mesquite Independent School District and Plano Independent School District Elementary Teacher, Grades 1st, 2nd, and 4th
1997	Mid-Level Management Administrative Internship Cannaday Elementary, Mesquite, Texas

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed Journal Articles

- Brown, D. L., Dyer, J. N., McCrary, D. E., & Morton, T. (2019). Literacy growth for children of poverty. *Dimensions of Early Childhood*, 47(2), 21-24.
- McCrary, D., Brown, D., Dyer Sennette, J., & Morton, T. (2018). The Effects of a Science-Based Curriculum on Pre K Students. *Journal of Education and Social Justice*.
- Sennette, J. D. and Isbell, L. (2017). Reading Reflections: Exploring various cultures with the use of book clubs to *Ubiquity: The Journal of Literacy, Literature and the Arts-Praxis*
- Isbell, L. Cranmore, J., Sennette, J. D., & Morton, T. (2017) *Oral Histories and Teacher Preparation Programs. The Journal of the Effective Schools Project. (JESP)*
- Isbell, L. Cranmore, J.D. Sennette, J.,& Morton, T. (2017) Oral Histories and Teacher Preparation Programs. *The Journal of the Effective Schools Project. Journal of Effective Schools Project*, 26 (1) 22-27.
- McCrary, D., Brown, D., Sennette, J., Morton, T., (2017). Response to intervention and authentic assessment: Is coexistence possible? *Dimensions*. 45 (1) 30-38.
- Sennette, J. D. & Isbell, L. (2017) Reading reflections: exploring various cultures with the use of book clubs. *Ubiquity: The Journal of Literature, Literacy, and the Arts, Praxis Strand*, (4), 32-55. Retrieved from: http://ed-ubiquity.gsu.edu/wordpress/sennette-and-isbell-4-1/
- McCrary, D., Brown, D., & Sennette, J. (2016). Using the ecological based activity plan to reduce aggressive behaviors in young children with behavior problems with challenging behaviors. *Education* 136 (3). 2016._365-377.
- McCrary, D., Brown, D., Sennette, J., & Morton, T. (2015). An exploratory study of children with disabilities using a literacy-based integrated curriculum in a Head Start program. *Journal of Education and Social Justice*. 3(1), 1-11.
- Sennette, J. D., Pizzoli, T. and Morton, T. (2013). Beginning the Dialogue: Talking About Literature in the Teaching of Multicultural Education. *Texas Journal of Literacy Education*, 1(1), pp. 22-28.

- Sinclair, B., Szabo, Redmond-Sanogo, A., & Sennette, J. (2013). Investigating perceptions of teachers and teaching Using the Draw-a-Teacher Checklist. *Issues in Teacher Education*, 22(1), 105-123.
- Brown, D., Sennette, J., McCrary, D., & Eraso, M. (2012). Multicultural children's literature: Linking African American children's literature, culturally responsive teaching and constructivist strategies in an urban setting. Canyon, TX: *The Journal of Multiculturalism in Education*. http://www.wtamu.edu/journal/multiculturalism-in-education.aspx
- Schroeder, J., Fullwood, H., Plata, M., Price, M. & Sennette, J. (2012). Increasing the cultural competence of assessment professionals via online training. *National Forum of Multicultural Issues Journal* (10) 1, 1-13.
- McCrary, D., Sennette, J., Brown, D. (2012). One institution's journey: Training teachers of English Language Learners. *AccELLerate*, Winter, (4) 2, 3-4.
- McCrary, D., Sennette, J., & Brown D. Fall (2011). Preparing early childhood teachers for English language learners. *Journal of Early Childhood Teacher Education*, 32, 107-117.

- Brown, D., McCrary, D., & Sennette, J. (2011). The impact of literacy-focused pre-kindergarten curricula and teacher mentoring support on pre-reading and math skills. *Journal of Education and Social Justice* (1) 1, 163-173.
- Christenson, M., Kerper, R., Dallmer, D., Boyd, B., Lynch, C., Dyer Sennette, J., Green, P., Barnes, M.K., Johnston Parsons, M., and Thomas, M. (2008). Doctoral Students as Boundary Spanners: Complexity and ambiguity for university supervisors within a master of education-professional development school project. *School-University Partnerships*, *2*(1), 83-94.
- Slutsky, R., Christenson, M., Bendau, S, Covert, J, Risko, G., Dyer, J., Johnston, M. (2005). *Teacher tales of action research: Trials and triumphs. International Electronic Journal for Leadership in Learning*, 9(4). Retrieved from http://www.ucalgary.ca/iejll/vol9/bendau.
- Johnston, M., Bendau, S., Covert, J., Christenson, M., Dyer, J., Risko, G., & Slutsky, R. (2003). Conducting action research while teaching about it. *Action in Teacher Education*, 25(2), 9-15.
- Christenson, M., Slutsky, R., Bendau, S., Covert, J., Dyer, J., Risko, G., and Johnston, M. (2002). The rocky road of teachers becoming action researchers. *Teaching and Teacher Education*, 18(3), 259-272.

Chapters in Edited Books

- Sennette, J., McCrary, D., Brown, D., (2014). Early childhood special education. In Williams, G., Seabrooks-Blackmore, J., Roberson, L., & Thomas, C. (Eds.) *Individualizing special education: One student at a time (pp. 197-212)* IA: Kendall Hunt. [VitalSource bookshelf version] (197-211). Retrieved from http://online.vitalsource.com/books/9781465202451/page/197.
- Dallmer, D., Hubbard, T., Lee, Y.A., Sennette, J. López-Carrasquillo, A. (2012). About the university doctoral students: Learning from our experience. In Marilyn Johnston-Parsons and PDS colleagues, *Dialogue and Difference in a Teacher Education Program: A 16-Year Sociocultural Study of a PDS*. Information Age Publishing, Inc: Charlotte, NC.
- Sennette, J. Hearing another point of view. (2011) Joanne Kilgour Dowdy and Sandra Golden Eds., Connecting the literacy puzzle: Linking the professional, personal, and social perspectives. Hampton Press: New York.

EDITOR

Co-Editor Early Years, Texas Association for the Education of Young Children 2016-2019

Editorial Board Journal of African American Children's Literature 2004-2006

INVITED REVIEWER

Cecil, N. (2017) Striking a balance: A comprehensive approach to early literacy (5th ed.).

McGlothin, V. (2016). The student formula: How to win in inner-city classrooms.

Cecil, N., Baker, S. & Lozano, A. (2011) Striking a balance: A comprehensive approach to early literacy (4th ed.).

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

- Isbell, L., Dyer, J., Williams, S. & Lee, D. (2019, October) *Experiences with edTPA*. Consortium of State Organizations for Texas Teacher Education. Frisco, TX.
- Geneser, V., Sennette, J. & Huffman, M. (2017, October). *Meet the Editors of Early Years the Journal of Texas*, September 2016, Texas Association for the Education of Young Children. San Antonio, TX.
- Geneser, V., Huffman, M. & Sennette, J. (2016, October). *Meet the Editors of Early Years the Journal of Texas*, Texas Association for the Education of Young Children. Dallas, TX.
- Sennette, J. (2017, February). *Strengthening Bonds: Connecting with young children and families from diverse populations*. Child Development Center Mt. Pleasant, TX. Invited Address.
- Sennette, J. (2016, April). *Understanding Diversity in the K-12 Classroom*. Paper presented, Bill Martin Jr. Annual Conference, Commerce, TX.
- Geneser, V., Huffman, M. & Sennette, J. (2016, June). Meet the Editors of Early Years the Journal of Texas, September 2016, Texas Association for the Education of Young Children. Dallas, TX.
- Sennette, J. (2016, June). *Building Awareness: Building and Sustaining a Classroom Community* that is Culturally Sensitive and Anti-Biased. Region 8 Education Service Center PreK Institute. Mt. Pleasant, TX. Invited Address.
- Carlini, P., Kruger, L., Sennette, J., & Schroder, J. (2016, April). *Emergence of Metacognitive Awareness Among College Students for Distributed and Massed Practice*. Poster presentation at Southwestern Psychological Association Conference, Fort Worth, TX.
- Sennette, J. (2016, April). *Understanding Diversity in the K-12 Classroom*. Presentation at the Twelfth Annual Bill Martin Jr. Memorial Symposium, Commerce, TX.
- Brown, D., Morton, T., McCrary, D., & Sennette, J., (2014, November). *Literature Connections to Language and Literacy in our Global World*. Paper presented at the National Association for the Education of Young Children's Annual Conference, Dallas, Texas.
- Sennette, J. (2014, August). Are We Serving our Young Learners with the Experiences to Succeed in a Diverse Society? Mt. Pleasant Child Development Center, Mt. Pleasant, TX. Invited Address.
- Krueger, L. E., Schroeder, J., & Sennette, J. (2013, April). *Students' knowledge and beliefs about the testing effect.* Presented at Southwestern Psychological Association Conference, Fort Worth, TX.
- Krueger, L. E., Schroeder, J., & Sennette, J. (2013, April). *Students' knowledge and beliefs about the testing effect*. Presented at the Annual Research Symposium at Texas A&M University-Commerce, Commerce, TX.

- Sennette, J., & Schroeder, J. (2011, April). *Effectiveness of a Multicultural Education Course*. Poster presentation at Texas NAME (Texas National Association for Multicultural Education) Mesquite, TX.
- Thompson, J., Hammack, B., & Sennette, J. (2011, April) *Games for adult learners: Making teacher education classes developmentally appropriate.* Poster Presentation at ACEI (Association for Childhood Education International), New Orleans, LA.
- Thompson, J., Hammack, B., Sennette, J. & Doyle, H. (2009, November). *Games teacher's play:*Demonstrating active learning in early childhood teacher education. Paper presentation at NAEYC (National Association for Early Childhood Educators National) Washington, D. C.
- Sotelo, R. & Sennette, J. (2008, October). Cooperative learning groups: Engaging the English-Language Learners in your classroom. Paper presentation at NAEYC (National Association for Early Childhood Educators) conference in Dallas, TX.
- Sennette, J. & McPherson, T. (2006, November). *Beginning the Dialogue: Exploring Issues of Diversity in Discussion Groups*. Paper presentation at NAME (National Association for Multicultural Educators) in Phoenix, AZ.
- Dyer, J. (2004). *Meeting the Challenge of Accountability: Language, Literacy, and Child Outcomes*. Paper presentation at (ACF) Administration for Children and Families Midwinter Conference Region VI on Healthy Marriage Initiative in Dallas, TX.
- Dyer, J. (2004). *Language, Literacy, and Child Outcomes*. Paper presentation at The Father Factor: National Head Start Institute on Father Involvement. Meeting the Challenge of Accountability paper presented in Dallas, TX.
- McDaniel, G. & Dyer, J. (October, 2002). How prospective and practicing teachers construct instructional strategies to create a more just and caring learning environment for a diverse population. Paper presentation (NAME) National Association for Multicultural Education paper presented in Washington, DC.
- Christenson, M., Slutsky, R., Bendau, S., Covert, J., Dyer, J., Risko, G., and Johnston, M., (2001). *Collaboration as a key to action research: Five case studies.* Paper presentation at (AERA) American Education Research Association paper presented in Seattle, Washington.

GRANTS

Grant Supported Research (Refereed)

Spring 2020 US-PREP Coalition: Renewing Educator Grant funded by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation
Role: Principal Investigator Co-Principal Investigators: Laura Isbell, Juan Araujo

Amount: \$300,000

Fall 2019 Texas Education Agency, Year 2, edTPA Pilot Support Grant (Submitted)

Role: Principal Investigator, Co-Principal Investigator, Laura Isbell (2020-2021)

Amount: \$10,000

Funded Grants (Non-refereed)

Fall 2019 60 x 30 Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board Bilingual Education Scholarship Program

Grant

Role: Principal Investigator, Co-Principal Investigator, Alexandra Babino

Amount: \$107,143

Fall 2018 60 x 30 Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board Bilingual Education Scholarship Program

Grant

Role: Principal Investigator, Co-Principal Investigator, Jacqueline Riley

Amount: \$107,142

COURSES TAUGHT BY LOCATION

Fall 2017	EDCI 559 EDCI 718 EDCI 718	Diversity & Equity in Education Doctoral Dissertation Doctoral Dissertation	Online Metroplex Metroplex
Summer 2017	EDCI 559 RDG 690/ED EDCI 658 EDCI 559 EDCI 718	Diversity & Equity in Education CI 690 Literacy Instruction in the 21st Century Professional Writing Diversity & Equity in Education Doctoral Dissertation	Online Metroplex Online UCD Metroplex
Spring 2017	EDCI 517 EDCI 559 EDCI 718	Reading and Learning in the Content Areas Diversity & Equity in Education Doctoral Dissertation	Online Online Metroplex
Winter Mini 2017	EDCI 690	Diversity in the 21st Century	Online
Fall 2016	EDCI 559 EDCI 659 EDCI 559 EDCI 718	Diversity & Equity in Education Professional Writing Diversity & Equity in Education Doctoral Dissertation	Online Metroplex Online Metroplex
Summer 2016	ECE 548 RDG 597 RDG 650 EDCI 559 EDCI 658 EDCI 718	Designing Inquiry Based Learning Literacy Instruction in the 21st Century Children, Young Adult, and Multicultural Children's Literature Diversity & Equity in Education Process Writing Doctoral Dissertation	Online Online Metroplex Online Online Metroplex
Spring 2016	RDG 597	Literacy Instruction in the 21st Century	Online

	EDCI 517 EDCI 559 EDCI 718	Reading and Learning in the Content Areas Diversity & Equity in Education Doctoral Dissertation	Online Online Metroplex
Fall 2015	EDCI 559 EDCI 597 EDCI 659 EDCI 718	Diversity & Equity in Education Effective Feedback and Formative Assessment Professional Writing Doctoral Dissertation	Online CHEC Metroplex Metroplex
Summer 2015	EDCI 559 EDCI 658 EDCI 559 EDCI 517 EDCI 718	Diversity & Equity in Education Process Writing Diversity & Equity in Education Reading and Learning in the Content Area Doctoral Dissertation	Online Online Online Online Online
Spring 2015	EDCI 517 EDCI 559 RDG 597 EDCI 718	Reading and Learning in the Content Areas Diversity & Equity in Education Literacy Instruction in the 21st Century Doctoral Dissertation	Online Online Online Metroplex
Winter Mini 2015	ECE/EDCI RDG 597	Literacy Instruction in the 21st Century	Online
Fall 2014	EDCI 559 EDCI 559 EDCI 718	Diversity & Equity in Education Diversity & Equity in Education Doctoral Dissertation	CHEC Online Metroplex
Summer 2014	ECE 548 EDCI 559 ECE 536 EDCI 559	Inquiry Based Projects Diversity & Equity in Education Literacy Development in Early Childhood Diversity & Equity in Education	Metroplex Online Online Online
Spring 2014	ECE 561 ECE 460 RDG 360	Child Development Early Childhood Curriculum Word Analysis Skills	Online Online CHEC
Fall 2013	EDCI 559 EDCI 559 ECE 358	Diversity & Equity in Education Diversity and Equity in Education Language Acquisition and Development in Early Childhood Early Childhood	CHEC Online Online
Summer 2013	EDCI 559 EDCI 559 EDCI 517 RDG 417 EDCI 517	Early Childhood Curriculum Diversity and Equity in Education Diversity and Equity in Education Reading and Learning in K-12 Reading and Learning in the Content Areas Reading and Learning in the Content Areas	Online Online Online Online Online
Spring 2013	ECE 460	Early Childhood Curriculum	CHEC

	RDG 360 EDCI 559	Word Analysis Skills Diversity and Equity in Education	CHEC Online
Winter Mini 2013	EDCI 597	No Bullying Allowed: Preventing bullying schools	Metroplex
Fall 2012	ELED 300 EDCI 595 EDCI 559 RDG 360	Introduction to Teaching Research Literature & Techniques Diversity and Equity in Education Word Analysis Skills	CHEC Rockwall Online CHEC
Summer 2012	EDCI 559 RDG 415	Diversity and Equity in Education Comprehending and Reading Text Structures in the Classroom	Online CHEC
	RDG 360 EDCI 597	Word Analysis Skills Reading and Learning in the Content Area	CHEC CHEC
Spring 2012	ECE 313 ECE 460 ELED 300 RDG 360	Child Development Early Childhood Curriculum Introduction to Teaching Word Analysis Skills	CHEC CHEC CHEC CHEC
Winter Mini 2012	EDCI 597	Examining Formative Assessment	Online
Fall 2011	ECE 460 ECE 460 EDCI 559 EDCI 559	Early Childhood Curriculum Early Childhood Curriculum Diversity and Equity in Education Diversity and Equity in Education	CHEC CHEC Online CHEC
Summer 2011	RDG 515 EDCI 718 ELED 514 EDCI 559 EDCI 559	Reading and Learning in the Content Areas Doctoral Dissertation Classroom Mgt. and Curr. Development for Diverse Diversity and Equity in Education Diversity and Equity in Education	Metroplex e Learners Metroplex Online
Spring 2011	ECE 313 EDCI 559 EDCI 718 ECE690/697	Child Development Diversity and Equity Education Doctoral Dissertation Sociocultural Influences	Commerce Online Metroplex Metroplex
Winter Mini 2011	EDCI 559	Diversity and Equity in Education	Online
Fall 2010	ECE 460 EDCI 559 EDCI 559 EDCI 718	Early Childhood Curriculum Diversity and Equity in Education Diversity and Equity in Education Doctoral Dissertation	CHEC CHEC Online
Summer 2010	RDG 515 EDCI 718	Reading and Learning in the Content Areas Doctoral Dissertation	Metroplex Metroplex

	ELED 514	Classroom Mgt. and Curr. Development for Diverse Learners	Metroplex
	EDCI 559 EDCI 559	Diversity and Equity in Education Diversity and Equity in Education	Online Online
Spring 2010	EDCI 559 EDCI 559 EDCI 718	Diversity and Equity in Education Diversity and Equity in Education Doctoral Dissertation	Rockwall Online Metroplex
Winter Mini 2010	EDCI 559	Diversity and Equity in Education	Online
Fall 2009	EDCI 559 ELED 443 ELED 452 EDCI718	Diversity and Equity in Education Classroom Management in a Field Based Setting Student Teaching Doctoral Dissertation	Online CHEC CHEC Metroplex
Summer 2009	RDG 415/515 ELED 514	Reading and Learning in the Content Area Classroom Mgt. and Curr. Development for Diverse Learners	Metroplex Metroplex
	EDCI 559 ELED 597 EDCI 718	Diversity and Equity in Education Teaching Students Who Don't Look Like Me Doctoral Dissertation	Online Metroplex Metroplex
Spring 2009	EDCI 559 RDG 448 RDG 448 EDCI 718	Diversity and Equity in Education Planning and Organizing Literacy Instruction Planning and Organizing Literacy Instruction Doctoral Dissertation	Metroplex CHEC Commerce Metroplex
Fall 2008	EDCI 559 EDCI 559 ELED 443 ELED 452	Diversity and Equity in Education Diversity and Equity in Education Classroom Management in a Field Based Setting Field Based Student Teaching Evaluation of Liaison	Commerce Online CHEC CHEC
Summer 2008	EDCI 559 RDG 415/515 RDG 515 ELED 597	Diversity and Equity in Education Reading and Learning in the Content Areas Reading and Learning in the Content Areas Successful Teachers for All Learners	Online Metroplex Metroplex Metroplex
Spring 2008	EDCI 559 EDCI 559 RDG 448 RDG 448	Diversity and Equity in Education Diversity and Equity in Education Planning and Organizing Literacy Instruction Planning and Organizing Literacy Instruction	Metroplex Metroplex Metroplex Metroplex
Winter Mini 2008	ELED 597	Who are you Teaching and are you Prepared?	Metroplex
Fall 2007	ELED 443 ELED 452 EDCI 559	Classroom Management in a Field Based Setting Field Based Student Teaching Diversity and Equity in Education	Metroplex Metroplex Metroplex

	EDCI 559	Diversity and Equity in Education	Metroplex
Summer 2007	ELED 559	Diversity and Equity in Education	Metroplex
	ELED 514	Classroom Management and Curr. Development	Metroplex
	ELED 545	Issues in Developing Elementary Curriculum	Metroplex
	ELED 529	Hands on Learning in Elementary Curriculum	Metroplex
Spring 2007	ELED 438 EDCI 559 RDG 448 RDG 448	Social Studies in a Field Based Setting Diversity and Equity in Education Planning and Organizing Literacy Instruction Planning and Organizing Literacy Instruction	Metroplex Metroplex Metroplex Metroplex
Fall 2006	ELED 443	Classroom Management in a Field Based Setting	Metroplex
	ELED 452	Field Based Student Teaching	Metroplex
	EDCI 559	Diversity and Equity in Education	Metroplex
	EDCI 559	Diversity and Equity in Education	Metroplex
Summer 2006	ECE 366/566	Early Childhood Learning Environments	Metroplex
	RDG 515	Foundations of Reading	Metroplex
	ELED 559	Diversity in Education	Metroplex
	ECE 358	Lang. Acq. Dev. in Early Childhood	Metroplex
Spring 2006	RDG 448	Planning and Organizing Literacy Instruction	Metroplex
	ELED 438	Social Studies in a Field Based Setting	Metroplex
	ECE 460	Early Childhood Curriculum Development	Commerce
	ELED 559	Diversity in Education	Metroplex
Fall 2005	ELED 559	Diversity and Equity in Education	Metroplex
	ELED 559	Diversity and Equity in Education	Rockwall
	ECE 358	Language Acquisition Development	Commerce
	ECE 366	Early Childhood Learning Environments	Commerce
Summer 2005	ELED 559 ECE 366/566 RDG 515 ELED 514	Diversity and Equity in Education Early Childhood Learning Environments Reading and learning in the Content Areas Classroom Management and Curr. Development	Metroplex Commerce Metroplex Metroplex
Spring 2005	ECE 460 ECE 366 ELED 559 ELED 597	Early Childhood Curriculum Development Early Childhood Learning Environments Diversity and Equity in Education Strategies for Teaching the At-Risk Learner Evaluation of Liaison	Commerce Commerce Metroplex Metroplex Metroplex
Fall 2004	ELED 559	Multicultural Education in Today's Schools	Metroplex
	RDG 350	Reading and Literacy	Metroplex
	ECE 366	Early Childhood Learning Environments	Commerce

	ELED 514	Classroom Management and Curr. Development	Commerce
Summer 2004	ELED 559	Multicultural Education in Today's Schools	Metroplex
	ELED 597	Classroom Organization	Metroplex
	ELED 597	Classroom Management and Student Motivation	Metroplex
	ELED 559	Multicultural Education in Today's Schools	Metroplex

DEPARTMENT SERVICE

Author 18 Characteristics Doctoral Report

Doctoral Program Co-Coordinator 2012-2017

Doctoral Student Advisor

Dissertation Chair

Teacher Certification Advisory Board

Master's Curriculum & Instruction Student Advisor

Early Childhood Program Area Committee Member

Curriculum & Instruction Area Committee Member

Department Search Committee Member

Department Search Committee Chair

Doctoral Core Faculty Committee Member

Proctor Early Childhood Master's Comprehensive Exams

Grading Early Childhood Master's Comprehensive Exams

Grading Reading Master's Comprehensive Exams

Grading Curriculum & Instruction Comprehensive Exams

Department of Curriculum & Instruction Scholarship Committee Member

Master's CHEC Cohort Recruiter

Metroplex CPDT Liaison

Metroplex CPDT Center Coordinator

UNIVERSITY & PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

TAEYC Board Member

Co-Editor TAEYC Early Years Journal

Faculty Senate Representative and Webmaster

Faculty Senate Academic Practice Committee

University Advisory Committee

COEHS Dean Search Committee Member

University Hearing Committee

Journal of Research in Childhood Education Ad Hoc Reviewer

Teacher Certification Advisory Board

Chancellor's Academy of Teacher Educators Committee

AWARDS

Spring 2019	Texas Association of Black Personnel in Higher Education (Commerce Chapter) Joyce Miller
	Excellent Leadership in Teaching and Learning Award

Spring 2018 Texas Association of Black Personnel in Higher Education (Commerce Chapter) David Brown Lifetime Achievement Award for Outstanding Contributions in Teaching

Spring 2017	President Ray and Patricia Keck Education Professor of the Year Award
Fall 2013	Faculty Mini Grant
Fall 2010	Texas A&M System Teaching Excellence Award
Spring 2010	Texas A&M System Teaching Excellence Award