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#### Education

- 1975 Ed.D., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee Major: Curriculum and Instruction Minors: Educational Administration and Supervision; Science Education
- 1971 M.A., East Tennessee State University, Johnson City, Tennessee. Major: Science Education (Biology).
- 1969 B.S., East Tennessee State University, Johnson City, Tennessee. Major: General Science (Biology and Physics).Minor: History

### Experience

1983 - present	Professor, Marshall University College of Education and Professional Development; hold dual appointment in Elementary/Secondary Education (C&I) and Leadership Studies programs; teach doctoral courses in curriculum and instruction, instructional theory, survey research, research, survey research, policy development/analysis, program evaluation; direct dissertations; serve on doctoral committees; advise students; participate in program planning and development.
1994 - present	NCATE/CAEP Coordinator, WV Higher Education Policy Commission; coordinated NCATE/CAEP accreditation/partnership statewide; serve as WVHEPC liaison to NCATE/CAEP; represent WVHEPC in teacher education policy/program development statewide.
2010 - 2013	Professional Education Unit Coordinator: responsible for overall coordination across Professional Education Unit; coordinated preparation for NCATE accreditation and state department submissions; coordinate operation of the Professional Education Unit Coordinating Council; reported to Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs.

1999 - 2006	Vice President for Graduate Studies, Marshall University; responsible for Graduate College and Graduate Admissions office; served as a member of the President's Council and the Graduate Council; reported to the Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs; represented institution on graduate education policy issues statewide.
1998 - 2006	Dean, Marshall University Graduate School of Education and Professional Development; responsible for School including six academic departments, 38 full-time faculty, 100 part-time faculty and 60 administrative/support personnel; School generated 25,000 student credit hours annually and received more than \$4.5 million annually in external support; responsible for all academic and fiscal aspects of School operation.
1996 - 1998	Program Director, Elementary and Secondary Education; responsible for department of 8 full-time faculty and approximately 25 part-time faculty.
1985 - 2004	1985-2004 Professor, West Virginia University Graduate Faculty; Faculty member in Cooperative Doctoral Program in Educational Administration and Curriculum and Instruction (initiated in January 2001); chaired doctoral committees; served as committee member; advised students and assisted with program development/coordination.
1989 - 1993	Dean, School of Education, Human Services and Humanities, The University of West Virginia College of Graduate Studies; responsible for school composed of seven departments, 40 full-time faculty, 80 adjunct faculty and 20 support personnel; served as chief institutional officer for professional education; reported directly to the President.
1986 - 1989	Dean, Division of Education, West Virginia College of Graduate Studies; responsible for division comprised of four departments, 25 full-time faculty, 50 adjunct faculty and 15 support personnel; reported directly to President.
1986 - 1989	Director of Teacher Education, West Virginia College of Graduate Studies; responsible for coordinating institutional teacher education activities.
1983 - 1988	Coordinator of Teacher Education, West Virginia Board of Regents; served on part-time basis as Teacher Education Coordinator for higher education governing board; served as state-level liaison with WV Department of Education; developed and analyzed policies; worked with legislative committees; provided staff assistance as needed.
1982 - 1983	Special Assistant to the Chancellor, West Virginia Board of Regents; responsible for coordinating system level planning, legislative and teacher education activities; served as senior planning consultant and coordinated development of five-year master plan for higher education in West Virginia.
1978 - 1983	Associate Professor, University of West Virginia College of Graduate Studies; held joint appointments in Elementary/Secondary Education and Educational Administration programs; taught masters and doctoral courses in curriculum, instructional theory, planning, and evaluation.

1981 - 1982	Fellow, American Council on Education (ACE) Fellows in Academic Administration Program; fellowship year spent as Assistant to the Chancellor with the West Virginia Board of Regents.
1977 - 1981	Program Director, Elementary and Secondary Program, Division of Education, West Virginia College of Graduate Studies; responsible for department of ten full-time faculty members and 25 adjunct faculty.
1975 - 1977	Assistant Professor and Project Director, West Virginia College of Graduate Studies Appalachian Teacher Corps Project; responsible for a two-year \$500,000 research adaptation and evaluation project directed at validating the impact of a model elementary education graduate level curriculum.
1974 - 1975	Staff Member, Service Center, Department of Curriculum and Instruction, The University of Tennessee; planned, conducted and evaluated staff development and instructional programs; consultant for a three-year prototype comprehensive needs assessment of Memphis City School System.
1974 - 1975	Instructor and Graduate Assistant, Secondary Program Area, Department of Curriculum and Instruction, The University of Tennessee; taught courses in secondary science teaching methods.
1973	Staff Member, East Tennessee State University, Johnson City, Tennessee; staff member in National Science Foundation Cooperative School-College Program focused on Elementary Science Study (ESS) program and materials.
1970 - 1974	Coordinator of Science and Environmental Education, Kingsport City School System, Kingsport, Tennessee; responsible for overall planning, organization, development, evaluation and administration of Science and Environmental Education Program (K-12); taught at all grade levels K-12; developed grant proposals; directed special programs and curriculum development projects.
1969 - 1970	Laboratory Instructor, Dobyns-Bennett High School, Kingsport, Tennessee; responsible for science laboratory instruction in 1600-student high school.
1967 - 1969	Undergraduate Teaching Assistant, East Tennessee State University, Johnson City, Tennessee; taught Freshman Orientation.

## **Selected Professional Activities**

May 2012	Recipient, Marshall University Outstanding Graduate Advisor Award.
Aug. 2010-11	Member, National Research Council of College Summit.
2008	Recipient, Marshall University Distinguished Service Award.
1999-2010	Member, Marshall University Graduate Council.
2005-14	Member, RESA IV Coordinating Council, 2005-14.
2005-08	Member, Board of Directors, West Virginia Center for Professional Development.
2006-08	Member, University of Kentucky AMSP Management Team.
2002-05	Member, (Chair, 2002-04) AEL Higher Education Co-Venture Cabinet.
2001-05	Member, Project ACCLAIM Capacity Building Initiative Advisory Board.
2001-05	Member, (Vice President, 2003-04) Board of Directors, Marshall University Research Corporation.
2001-04	Co-Coordinator, Marshall University NCATE Continuing Accreditation Review.
2000-01	Member, President's Committee to Develop Marshall University Strategic Plan.
2001	Member, MU-WVDE Advisory Committee on Preparing Teachers of the Hearing Impaired.
1999	Member, MU, WVU, WVDE Advisory Committee on Preparing Teachers of the Visually Impaired.
1994 to present	NCATE Consultant/State Observer, WV Higher Education Policy Commission.
2000-2001, 2003-04	Coordinator, NCA Focused Evaluation, Marshall University.
1983 to present	Member, WVHEPC Statewide Teacher Education Advisory Committee.
April 1999	Recipient, President's Service Award, Marshall University.
1998-99	Co-chair, Marshall University Strategic Planning Committee for 2020.
1996-97	Member/ Subcommittee Co-chair, WVDE Task Force on Educators for West Virginia's Future.

1996-97	Member, WVDE Committee for Implementing Policy 5100.
1082-95	Member, West Virginia Advisory Council on the Preparation of Educational Personnel.
1993-94	Member, WVGC-Kanawha County Schools Leadership Development Resource Team.
1992-93	Member, West Virginia Board of Trustees Academic Affairs Advisory Committee.
1989	Member, Governor's Task Force on Teacher Preparation, 1990-91. Chair, West Virginia Higher Education Task Force on Teacher Education.
1986-89	Coordinator, NCATE Accreditation visit, UWVCOGS.
1986-89	Staff member, WVBOR-WVBOE Joint Commission on Governance and Certification.
1986-88	Staff Member, WVBOR-WVBOE Joint Commission on Professional Development.
1986	Member, WVBOR Graduate and Professional Degree Program Review Committee.
1986	Member, West Virginia Board of Regents Campus Legislative Liaison Council.
1984-86	Coordinator, North Central Focused Evaluation, UWVCOGS.
1985-85	Coordinator, NCATE Interim Review, UWVCOGS.
1982-83	Member, West Virginia Board of Education Basic Skills Task Force.
1983	Member, West Virginia Board of Education Special Education Plan Advisory Committee.
1982	Member, West Virginia Department of Education Pauley vs. Bailey Advisory Committee.
1981-82	Member, West Virginia Autism Planning Task Force.
1978-81, 1985-86	Faculty Representative, WVBOR Advisory Council of Faculty.
1980-81	Vice-President, Faculty Council, WVCOGS.
1980-81	Chair, WVCOGS Program Review Committee.
1977-78	President, Faculty Council, WVCOGS.

1976-77	Member, Board of Directors, National Teacher Corps Mid-South Geographic Network.
1975-77	Member, Board of Directors, National Teacher Corps Research Adaptation Cluster.
1975-76	Member, Board of Directors, National Teacher Corps Mid-Atlantic Geographic Network.
1975	Member, Advisory Committee for TN Science and Humanities Symposium, University of Tennessee.
1973	Recipient, Distinguished Teacher Award, Tennessee Academy of Science
Grant A	ctivities
2009	Director, \$159,699 ITQ grant to provide training in standards-based-math to 50 RESA IV teachers.
2008	Director, \$144,345 ITQ grant to provide training in standards-based math to 50 RESA IV teachers.
2008	Director, \$81,842 ITQ grant to train 25 Raleigh County Teachers in standards-based math.
2007	Director, \$116,016 ITQ grant to train RESA IV teachers in reading comprehension.
2007	Director, \$117,455 ITQ grant to provide training in standards-based math to 50 teachers in Raleigh County.
2006-08	Co-developer/Project Director, \$2,000,000 NSF funded WV Math and Science Partnership grant to increase math and science achievement in five WV school districts.
1998-2006	Chief Administrative Officer, as Dean of the Graduate School of Education and Professional Development, generated more than \$4.5 million annually in external grants and contracts.
2006	Director, \$108,586 ITQ grant to train Raleigh County teachers in reading comprehension.
2006	Director, \$62,758 ITQ grant to provide standards-based math strategies for 25 middle level teachers in RESA IV (2006).
2005-06	Co-developer, \$162,861 West Virginia Department of Education SIG focused on High Quality Professional Development for Teachers Serving Exceptional Students.

2005	Director, \$50,000 grant from the West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission to provide regional access to Reading Education endorsement program.
2005	Director, \$43,348, ITQ grant to train 25 Raleigh County teachers in vocabulary instruction strategies.
2004	Director, \$40,648, ITQ grant to train 25 Raleigh County teachers in vocabulary instruction.
2002-05	Co-developer/Co-director, \$2.1 million three-year grant from IBM Corporation and the West Virginia Board of Education to fund West Virginia Collaborative for Reinventing Education 3.
2002	Co-developer/Co-director, \$139,600 grant from the NBPTS to support state/ regional NBCT training.
2002	Director, \$53,163 EPDP grant to provide biology instruction to teachers in Raleigh County.
2002	Director, \$36,085 EPDP grant to train K-6 teachers in math, Monroe County.
2001-02	Director, \$160,000 (4 grants) from State Priorities Incentive Grant Program to increase access to graduate programs in Special Education, Leadership Studies, Technology and MCE.
2001-02	Director, \$200,000 grant from West Virginia Office of the Secretary of Education to provide collaborative masters degree programs with three undergraduate colleges.
2001	Developer/Co-Director, \$45,780 EPDP grant to train 16 RESA III teachers in Elementary Math.
2001	Director, \$48,103 EPDP grant to train 50 elementary teachers in mathematics, McDowell County.
2001	Director, \$77,636 EPDP grant to provide mathematics training for 75 teachers in an 11 county area.
2001	Director, \$72,065 EPDP grant to train 75 teachers in meteorology, Raleigh County.
2000	Director, \$46,395 EPDP grant to train 50 K-4 teachers in astronomy, Raleigh County.
1999	Developer, $46,120$ EPDP grant to train 50 K-4 teachers in physics, Raleigh County.
1998	Director, \$44,982 EPDP grant to train 50 K-4 teachers in Primary Physics, Raleigh County.

1998	Director, \$20,828 EPDP grant to train 30 K-3 teachers in mathematics, Roane County.
1997	Director, \$30,086 EPDP grant to train 50 K-8 teachers in GEMS, RESA I.
1997	Director, \$42,450 EPDP grant to train 50 teachers in mathematics, Raleigh County.
1997	Director, \$28,278 EPDP grant to train 50 K-4 teachers in mathematics, 50 Kanawha County.
1996	Director, \$42,704 EPDP grant to train 50 teachers in GEMS Program, Raleigh County.
1996	Director, \$28,278 EPDP grant to train 50 teachers in GEMS Program, Kanawha County.
1995	Director, \$41,743 DEMSEA grant to train 50 elementary teachers in Operation Physics/Chemistry, Raleigh County.
1995	Director, \$30,440 DEMSEA grant to train 50 teachers in Operation Physics/ Chemistry, Kanawha County.
1986-93	Chief Administrative Officer, as Dean of the School of Education, Human Services and Humanities, generated more than \$1,000,000 annually in external grants/contracts.
1978-81	Developer and negotiator, as program director of Elementary and Secondary Education (UWVCOGS), of \$30,000 in full-cost contracts with local and regional agencies.
1980-81	Director , ARC grant for \$21,000 to conduct children's services needs assessment.
1980	Developer \$810 COGS Foundation grant to support national conference presentation.
1979	Co-developer, \$1200 COGS Foundation grant to support MCE experimental program.
1977	Developer, \$100,000 USOE Twelfth Cycle Teacher Corps grant between the WVCOGS and the McDowell County.
1976	Developer and Director, \$210,000 USOE Tenth Cycle Teacher Corps continuation grant; \$210,000 grant between the WVCOGS and the Clay County School System.
1975	Coordinator, National Teacher Corps Mid-Atlantic Geographic Network Mini-Proposal Project \$2,700 eight-month grant designed to develop initial phases of a General Education Simulation Model of Curriculum (GESMOC).

Developer and Director, Mobile Environmental Education Laboratory Project; \$30,000 cooperative Tennessee Valley Authority - Kingsport City School System demonstration project.

## Certification

Hold Professional Teaching Certificate with certification in Elementary Education (grades K-8 and 1-9), biology, general science, physics, and history; additional certifications include principal (grades 1-9 and K-8); principal (grades 5-12 and grades 7-12; supervisor of instruction (grades K-12), superintendent (grades K-12), and vocational administration (grades 5-adult).

## **Consultant Activities**

Wide variety of consultant activities involving governing boards, non-profit organizations, state agencies, public school systems, and institutions of higher education. Consultant activities have focused on policy development/analysis, management design, program planning and evaluation, state-level master plan development, developing and implementing management information systems, staff development, systems design, preparation for accreditation visits, and editorial/ writing assignments.

## **Dissertations Directed**

Wildt, J. (2016). A Study of Outcomes Based Educational Interventions and Moral Development of Undergraduate College Students. (Unpublished doctoral dissertation.). Marshall University, Huntington, WV.

Stepp, S. (2016). Evaluating High School Mathematics Performance Measures and Student Attributes for Predicting Remedial Mathematics Success and Student Retention in College (Unpublished doctoral dissertation). Marshall University, Huntington, WV.

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Ferro, K. (2015). Levels of College-Going Culture in Selected West Virginia High Schools as Perceived by Teachers and Counselors. (Unpublished doctoral dissertation). Marshall University, Huntington, West Virginia.

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Thom, C. (2006). A comparison of the effects of mixed-sex vs. single-sex classes on middle school student Achievement. (Unpublished doctoral dissertation). Marshall University, Huntington, WV.

Hodge, J. (2005). A study of the importance and implementation levels of national prekindergarten standards for language and literacy as perceived by West Virginia directors of early childhood centers. (Unpublished doctoral dissertation). West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV.

Dozier, J. (2005). A study of assessment practices as perceived by directors of prekindergarten programs in West Virginia. (Unpublished doctoral dissertation). West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV. Stotler, M. W. (2001). The use of statewide program review results in relation to program review purposes, Approach and governance structure as perceived by academic officers. (Unpublished doctoral dissertation). West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV.

Hall, L. W. (2000). A study of mentoring and the acquisition of the elementary principalship. (Unpublished doctoral dissertation). West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV.

Crist, B. E. (1999). A study of the relationship of the job satisfaction of chief academic officers of institutions of higher education and the perceived leadership style of the institution's president. (Unpublished doctoral dissertation). West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV.

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Cunningham, M. (1996). A study of the relationship between school and district office linkage and the implementation status of key middle level practices. (Unpublished doctoral dissertation). West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV.

Corrigan, A. (1993). A study of coordinating mechanisms between external degree programs and off-campus library services. (Unpublished doctoral dissertation). West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV.

Martin, S. (1993). Management systems as perceived by teachers in improving and declining schools. (Unpublished doctoral dissertation). West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV.

Black, J. A. (1992). West Virginias principals' perceptions of the importance of selected instructional leadership competencies and their desired levels of training. (Unpublished doctoral dissertation). West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV.

Shouldis, M. K. (1991). Promotion practices in engineering technology programs. (Unpublished doctoral dissertation). West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV.

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"Evaluation Strategies and Methodologies Utilized in Public School Environmental Education Programs and Projects - A Report From a National Study," School Science and Mathematics, Vol. 77, No. 2, February 1977.

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"Advanced Placement: A Vehicle for Educational Reform in Small, Rural Secondary Schools," (with G. Green). The Rural Educator, Vol. 11, No. 1, Fall 1989.

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"Inservice Education - A Cooperative Governance Model," (with L. Lentz). Chapter included in A Collection of Inservice Models, monograph published by the Mid-South Teacher Corps Network, April 1978.

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