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EDUCATION

EDD, Arkansas State University, 2016

Major: Educational Leadership

Dissertation Title: Trends in homeschool education: How the face of homeschooling is changing

EDS, Arkansas State University, 2013

Major: Educational Leadership

MLS, Appalachian State University, 2007

Major: Library Science

Thesis Title: Using Cinderella to teach multiculturalism

BA, Arkansas Tech University, 1996

Major: Music Education

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSIGNMENTS

Program Director, Graduate Curriculum & Instruction. (December 1, 2020 - Present).

Program Coordinator, School Library Media Program Coordinator. (August 1, 2015 - Present).

LICENSURES AND CERTIFICATIONS

Apple Teacher, Apple. (August 10, 2019 - Present).

Quality Matters, Marshall University. (March 2018 - Present).

Teaching Certification, West Virginia Department of Education. (August 2, 2017 - June 30, 2020).

Administrator Licensure, West Virginia Department of Education. (September 21, 2017 - June 30, 2018).

Administrator Licensure, Arkansas Department of Education. (January 1, 2013 – December 31, 2017).

Teaching Certification, Arkansas Department of Education. (January 1, 2013 - December 31, 2017).

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Marshall University (2015-Present)

- CI 623, Instructional Models Assess Tech, 2 course
- CI 701, Curriculum Development, 1 course
- CI 797, Curriculum & Instruction Dissertation Research, 4 courses
- EDF 537, MAT Level I Clinical Experience, 3 courses
- EDF 616, Human Development, 2 course
- EDF 637, MAT Level II Clinical Experience, 1 course
- ITL 501, Libraries & the Learning Process, 7 courses
- ITL 502, Library Materials for Adolescents, 5 courses
- ITL 504, Library Materials for Children, 2 courses
- ITL 515, Reference & Bibliography, 1 course
- ITL 580, SpTp: Library Selection of Library Materials, 1 course
- ITL 622, Cataloging, 2 courses
- ITL 625, Library Organization & Administration, 7 courses
- ITL 627, Cataloging & Reference, 3 courses
- ITL 631, Technology and the Library, 5 courses
- ITL 650, Library Practice, 13 courses

Arkansas State University (2014)

- CCED 7003: The Community College, 1 course

Black Rock Schools, Black Rock, AR (2011-2014)

- Music Teacher, K-12
- Coach, High School Softball

Mountain Home Public Schools (2008-2011)

- Media Specialist, Guy Berry 4th Grade Campus, Hackler Middle School 4th-6th grade
- Odyssey of the Mind District Coordinator
- Enhancing Education through Technology Grant (awarded, 2009)

Charlotte Mecklenburg Schools (2006-2008)

- Media Specialist, Winget Park Elementary School K- 6th grades
- Finalist, Charlotte Mecklenburg Media Specialist of the Year (2008)

Alexander Public Schools (2000-2006)

- Band Director/Music Teacher, East Alexander Middle School 6th – 8th grades
- Coach, Cheerleading & Track

Spring Branch Independent School District (1997-1999)

- Band Director, Spring Woods Middle School 6th – 8th grades, Northbrook High School 9th -12th grades

Channelview Independent School District (1996-1997)

- Band Director, Hamblin Middle School, 5th-6th grades

RESEARCH

PUBLISHED INTELLECTUAL CONTRIBUTIONS

Book Chapters

Michulka, D., & McFall, K. (2020). Musical inspirations, explications, interpretations, and impressions in literature for a young scholar (for example, Polish and American works). In Marzena Marczyk (Ed.), (pp. 153-172). Katowice: University of Silesia Press.

Refereed Journal Articles

McFall, K. (2020). Why American Parents Homeschool. *Filoteknos: International Journal of Children's Literature - Cultural Mediation, "Reading - Experiences - Emotions. Books for Children and Young Adults - Theory and Practice of Reception"*, 455-469.

RESEARCH CURRENTLY IN PROGRESS

Diversity Audit Tool for School Library Media Professionals. Currently in stage 2 of rollout.
<http://librarydiversityaudit.com>

"Survey of Teachers' Technology Preparation, Access & Use in Kanawha County Schools" (On-Going)
Writing results: data to use to advocate for more integrated technology in teacher preparation courses.

PRESENTATIONS

Zasacka, Z. (Panelist), Ohar, E. (Panelist), Michulka, D. (Panelist), McFall, K. (Panelist). Historical and Patriotic Socialization in Literary Education [Scholarly project]. In The 15th International Child and the Book Conference. Freie Universität Berlin (virtual). (March 24-26, 2021)

McFall, K., West Virginia Library Association Summer Refresher, "School Library: The Unicorn," WVLA Academic Division, virtual. (May 20, 2020).

McFall, K., Allen, T., Heaton, L., Watson, G., MSERA Annual Meeting, "Appy Hour: Teaching (and fun!) with iPads," Mid South Educational Research Association, New Orleans, LA. (November 6, 2019).

Kuizin, L., McFall, K., Allenger, M. S., 42nd Annual Conf. Eastern Educational Research Association, "The Downside of Social Media," Eastern Educational Research Association, Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. (February 20, 2019).

Larison, I. W., McFall, K., Arneson, R, Sueme, Z. (Presenter Only), Blanco, A., Literacy: The Key to Success, "Let's Talk About Books," West Virginia Reading Association, White Sulphur Springs, WV. (November 15, 2018).

McFall, K., Sueme Durst, Z., Literacy: The Key to Success, "The Key To Diverse Classroom Libraries," West Virginia Reading Association, White Sulphur Springs, WV. (November 15, 2018).

- McFall, K., Lucas-Adkins, C., Jennings, L., 2018 Annual Meeting Mid South Educational Research Association, "Participation of Student with Intellectual Disabilities in Research on Alternatives to School Suspension," Mid South Educational Research Association, Pensacola, FL. (November 7, 2018).
- McFall, K., 2018 Mid South Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, "Why Parents Homeschool," Mid South Educational Research Association, Pensacola Beach, FL. (November 7, 2018).
- Jennings-Knotts, R. L., McFall, K., Lucas-Adkins, C., Williams, J., Humbles, A., Annual AAIDD Meeting, "Participation of Students with Intellectual Disabilities in Research on Alternatives to School Suspension," St. Louis, MISSOURI. (June 26, 2018).
- McFall, K., Larison, I. W., Figures of Memory, "Guiding multicultural education through imagery in children's literature," University of Wroclaw, Wroclaw, Poland. (June 1, 2018).
- McFall, K., International Youth Library Research Summary, "Who's God? Multicultural Awareness through Collection Development," International Youth Library, Munich, Germany. (August 31, 2017).
- McFall, K., Allen, T., West Virginia State Technology Conference, "Advocacy: How to make yourself indispensable," WVSTC, Morgantown, WV. (July 19, 2017).
- McFall, K., 9th Annual School Librarian Symposium, "I read on the job: perception v. reality," Camden-Carroll Library, Morehead State University, Morehead, KY. (June 16, 2017).
- McFall, K., Conference for Academic Research in Education, "Trends in Homeschool Education: How the face of homeschool is changing," University of Las Vegas, Las Vegas, NV. (January 31, 2017).
- Larison, I. W., McFall, K., Sueme Durst, Z., West Virginia Reading Association, "IBBY: The world at our fingertips -- literature for children of all ages," WVRA, Greenbrier, WV. (November 17, 2016).
- McFall, K., Allen, T., West Virginia Higher Education Technology Conference, "Research in Action ... Making it Happen," Morgantown, WV. (September 27, 2016).
- McFall, K., West Virginia State Technology Conference, "One Click Away: Digital Citizenship in the classroom," West Virginia State Technology Conference, Morgantown, WV. (July 2016).

AWARDS AND HONORS

- Fulbright Scholar, Poland (2022-2023). 50/50 Teaching and Research. Topic: Creating faculty learning communities for technology integration for meaningful interactions for pre-service teachers based on survey results of current teachers about their teacher preparation program(s).

RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS

- International Youth Library, Munich, Germany. (Summer, 2017). "Who's God? An Examination & Comparison of images of God and Religious Symbols in the Illustrations of Literature for Children in USA & Elsewhere"
- John Marshall Scholar Research Award, Marshall University. (May 22, 2019). Technology Integrated Learning Preservice Teacher Preparation

AWARDS

Dr. C. Robert Barnett Excellence in Research, College of Education and Professional Development, Scholarship/Research, College of Education and Professional Development. (May 1, 2020).

John Marshall Leadership Cohort, Marshall University. (Spring 2019).

Dr. Dorothy "Dot" Hicks Teaching Award, College of Education and Professional Development. (May 2018).

John and Francis Rucker Graduate Advisor of the Year, Marshall University. (April 24, 2017).

DIRECTED STUDENT LEARNING

Dissertation Committee Chair, Graduate Curriculum & Instruction. (August 2019 – August 2021).

Advised: Thomas Cooper

Teacher Perceptions of the 1:1 Student to device Initiatives and benefits to low-income students

Dissertation Committee Chair, Graduate Curriculum & Instruction. (August 2019 - Present).

Advised: Jennifer Kayrouz

Dissertation Committee Chair, Graduate Curriculum & Instruction. (August 2020 - Present).

Advised: Ashley Perkins

Dissertation Committee Chair, Graduate Curriculum & Instruction. (August 2019 - Present).

Advised: Brittney Riley

Supervised Research, "Makerspace and the Library," Graduate Curriculum & Instruction. (August 15, 2017 - December 15, 2018).

Advised: Bridget Poturnicki

Dissertation Committee Member, "A study of later start times in Arkansas High Schools," Arkansas Tech University. Russellville, AR. (April 5, 2017 - May 15, 2018).

Advised: Lori McKenzie

Supervised Research, "Full STREAM Ahead," Library, Graduate Curriculum & Instruction. (June 15, 2017 - December 31, 2017).

Advised: Melissa Foster

Directed Individual/Independent Study, "Securing Databases based on Student Need," Graduate Curriculum & Instruction. (August 15, 2017 - December 15, 2017).

Advised: Michael Manley

SERVICE

DEPARTMENT SERVICE

Committee Chair, School Library Media Program. (June 1, 2016 - Present).

Committee Member, Math Search Committee. (January 2018 - May 2020).

Committee Member, Search Committee: Educational Foundations Term Faculty. (November 5, 2016 - February 28, 2017).

COLLEGE SERVICE

Diversity & Social Justice CAEP Standard Bearer. (March 2020 - Present).

Committee Chair, Diversity and Social Justice Committee. (August 15, 2016 - August 14, 2019).

Committee Chair, Diversity and Social Justice Committee. (August 15, 2021 - Present).

Committee Member, Diversity and Social Justice Committee. (August 15, 2016 - Present).

Committee Chair, Faculty Review Committee. (August 15, 2019 - May 2020).

Committee Member, Faculty Review Committee. (September 1, 2018 - May 2020).

Committee Member, Graduate Programs Council. (August 1, 2016 - July 31, 2019).

Committee Member, Minority Faculty Fellow Search Committee. (August 15, 2016 - September 1, 2017).

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Committee Member, Provost Search Committee (October 2021- Present)

John Marshall Leadership Fellows Leadership Team. (August 2021-Present)

University Senate Service, Faculty Senate. (April 2020 - Present).

TEDxMarshallU Team. (August 2020 –May 2021).

Title IX Team. (May 2019 – January 2021).

Committee Member, OCR Ad Hoc Committee, Faculty Senate. (August 1, 2018 – June 2021).

Committee Member, Creative Works and Scholarly Activity Council. (September 29, 2017 - Present).

Committee Member, Provost Search Committee. (October 1, 2017 - May 1, 2018).

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Editorial Review Board Member, DKL: Dzieciństwo Literatura i Kultura (Childhood. Literature and Culture). Warsaw, Poland. (June 2018 - Present).

Editorial Review Board Member, Journal of Literary Education. Valencia, Spain. (March 1, 2018 - Present).

Editorial Review Board Member, Filoteknos. Wrocław, Poland. (November 1, 2017 - Present).