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EDUCATION

Chicago - John Marshall Law School, 2020

Juris Doctorate - The University of Illinois

[JCCF]) to create a culture placing all stakeholders at the forefront of conversation and decision-making.

- € Programmatic accreditation compliance: Support campuses in reaffirmation of accreditation with Higher Learning Commission (HLC); Professional Educator Licensing & Standards Board (PELSB); and National Alliance of Concurrent Enrollment (NACEP).

Significant Accomplishments:

- € Created the Inaugural System-wide Annual Accreditation and Assessment Conference where faculty, staff, administrators from Minnesota State with leadership from the Higher Learning Commission provided best-practices in creating and maintaining a culture of assessment.
- € Implemented strategic cost savings and a reorganization of the Academic Affairs Division that captured a cost savings of \$350,000 without negatively impacting employees.
- € Re-organized the Academic Affairs Unit to be more productive and effective to serve system campuses
- € Redesigned NOI/Program Approval Process to be more user friendly, provide more efficiency in the program approval timeline and program quality assurance
- € Designed System-wide program review process that aligns with regional accreditation standards to support in system-wide practices for quality assurance
- € Implemented 25 Transfer Pathways to support in student retention across the system.
- € Leading Minnesota State multi-prong approach to Law Enforcement Education Reform
- € Co-convening Minnesota State Taskforce on Law Enforcement Education Reform to assist in preparing culturally competent peace officers
- € Leading redesign of Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal 7: Human Diversity to help ensure Minnesota State students experience course(s) that directly address issues of racism and social injustice.
- € Developed infrastructure for Twin Cities Baccalaureate planning to provide student access to a full range of baccalaureate programs and services
- € Creation of a Tackling Transfer Toolkit to support in transfer from our 2 years to 4 years institutions to increase transferability and student retention within the system
- € Leading in the revision of Education Transfer Pathways to support in transferability for education students
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Served on Provost's Council; Member of University Graduate Council; Member of University Accreditation Steering Committee; and Member of Distance Education Committee

- € Supported University in regional accreditation compliance: Higher Learning Commission.
- € Chair University-wide committees: Chaired Program Review Committee; Chaired University Assessment Committee; Chaired Curriculum Work Group; Co-Chaired Retention and Student Success Committee
- € Provided oversight for the curriculum development and approval process, and helped to identify and develop new programs that met the needs of business, industry and student demand.
- € Member of faculty negotiations team using Interest-Based Bargaining, which led to the successful ratification of the collective bargaining agreement.
- € Assisted in development, recommended and revised academic policies and procedures that support student success and completion.

Significant Accomplishments:

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Dean of Graduate School of Education and Tenured Associate Professor, New York Institute of Technology, Old Westbury, New York, 2012-2013

Responsibilities:

- € Supervised a highly collaborative team: Chair of Elementary Education, Chair of Education Leadership, Chair of School Counseling, and Director of Field Placement.
- € Led academic strategic planning with outcomes focused on improving recruitment and retention.
- € Served on New York Institute of Technology campus-wide teams: V

- € Served as member of the CEURE: Curriculum Taskforce for the School of Education at Buffalo State-State University of New York (SUNY) recommended updates, approval or non-approval of courses and programs offered by the School that met accreditation standards set by regional and specialized agencies (e.g. NCATE, AACTE, CEC)
- € Served as Chair of the Faculty Development Committee for the Teacher Education Unit

Significant Accomplishment-organizational

2020-2023 Higher Education Representative, Special Education Advisory Panel, MN Dept. of Education

Board Positions (Selected Sample)

- 2020-present Board of Directors-Minnesota Education Equity Partnership
- 2016-2017 Board of Directors-Lighthouse Academies of Northwest Indiana
- 2014-2016 Executive Board Member-Illinois DDEL
- 2013-2014 Board of Directors- American Conference of Academic Deans
- 2012-2013 Secretary- New York State ACE Women’s Network Executive Board
- 2009-2010 Chair - Citizen Action of New York Board
- 2010 Member- Afro-American Historical Association Board of Directors
- 2007-2008 Secretary- Board of Trustees Pinnacle Charter School

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- 2010 Faculty and Staff Award for the Promotion of Respect for Diversity and Individual Difference, Buffalo State College-SUNY
- 2009 Award of Recognition from The Exceptional Education Department, Buffalo State College
- 2009 Faculty and Staff Award for the Promotion of Respect for Diversity and Individual Difference, Buffalo State College-SUNY

Book One: McPherson, S. & Blue, E. (2015). *Students, Environment, Task and Technology Tools (SETT) for the Digital Learner*. Nova Science Publishing Inc.

Obiakor, F.E, Bakken, J.P., & Rotatori, A.F. (Eds)

Green, S.L.,

- Institute of Technology, Old Westbury New York
- 2010 How to Effectively Use Culturally Responsive Teaching,
Teacher/Leader Quality Partnerships Summer Program, Daemen
College, Buffalo, New York
- 2008 Culture and Parenting. Healthy Family Niagara, Niagara Falls, New York

Research Grant Activity

Grant Facilitation

- 2018 Tackling Transfer Grant. Supported by: Aspen Institute's College Excellence Program, Sova, and HCM Strategists, through a grant from the Great Lakes, Joyce, and Kresge & ECMC Foundation
- 2019 Minnesota State System-wide Programming and Quality Assurance. Sponsored by: Lumina Foundation.

Grant Reviewer

- 2020 State of Minnesota Governor's Education Emergency Relief Fund (GEER Fund)

Grants Submitted

- 2015 Hearst foundation
- 2014 W.F. Kellogg' Foundation
- 2014 Association of American Colleges & Universities & Teaching to Increase Diversity and Equity in STEM Program
- 2013 Google - Computer Science for High School (CS4HS)
- 2013 AERA: Hosting Research Conference
- 2012 Carnegie Corporation of New York, Teaching and Human Capital Management
- 2011 Circles of Care V: Infrastructure Development for Children's Mental Health Systems in American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN) Communities (CFDA) No.: 93.243
- 2010 Provost Incentive Grant, Buffalo State College
- 2010 Carnegie Corporation—Improving Reading in Middle School Grades
- 2009 Spencer Foundations Research Grant
- 2009 The American Educational Research Association Research Grant
- 2008 OSERS/OSEP--Personnel Development to Improve Services and Results for Children with Disabilities, US Department of Education

CEC State/Provincial Unit Leadership Institute, CEC Headquarters, Arlington, VA, 2009 CEC Leadership Institute for States/Provinces, CEC Headquarters, Arlington, VA, 2008

Other Scholarly Activities (Selected Sample)

Reports & White Papers

Green, S.L., & Cates, K. (2011). Case Studies of Students Enrolled In AdvancePath Academics: An Alternative to the Traditional High School Program

Gormley-Budin, S., Rafferty, L., **Green-Stephen, S.**, & Ramos Zagarrigo, A. (2009). Examining Disproportionality in BPS: Collaborative Project between: Buffalo Public Schools and the Exceptional Education Department of Buffalo State College

Press Conferences (Selected Sample)

2010 Race Matters Press Conference, Alliance For Quality Education

2009 Economic Stimulus Bill Effects on Education in WNY, Alliance for Quality Education

2009 No More Budget Cuts to Education in WNY, Alliance for Quality Education

Media Interviews (Selected Sample)

2020 Minnesota State Taskforce on Law Enforcement Education Reform, Times (U.K.) Higher Education magazine with Jon Marcus

2020 Minnesota State Taskforce on Law Enforcement Education Reform, Leighton Broadcasting with Seth Coburn

2020 Former CPD chief tapped for law enforcement education reform task force, Pine Journal with Jamey Malcomb

2020 The Circle: Black Women in Higher Education, YouTube Channel Series

2014 Preparing Effective Teachers: Urban Broadcast Media, UBM Talk Radio Show: Another Perspective with Dr. Leon Finney Jr.

2010 No More Cuts to Education: Traveling to Syracuse: WGRZ Channel 2, WKBW Channel 7 and WIVB Channel 4, Buffalo New York

2010 What Would the Cut to Education Mean for Buffalo? Public News Service: News in the Public Interest

Curriculum Development (Selected Sample)

€ Bachelor's Degree and Juris Doctorate (3 # r, iversity and John Marshall # aw School

€ Master of Science in Adolescence Special Education, School of E

Southwestern University

2005 School, Society and Diversity, EDU 40-553. (Adjunct Professor)

State University of New York College at Buffalo (graduate and undergraduate courses)

- 2006 Foundations for Teaching Students with Disabilities EXE 360 (Spring)
- 2006 Behavior Management EXE 362 (Spring)
- 2006 Field Experience: Foundations for Teaching Students with Disabilities EXE 361 (Spring)
- 2006 Field Experience: Behavior Management EXE 363 (Spring)
- 2007 Practicum in Special Education EXE 420 (Fall)
- 2007 Foundations for Teaching Students with Disabilities EXE 360 (Fall)
- 2007 Behavior Management EXE 362 (Fall)
- 2007 Field Experience: Foundations for Teaching Students with Disabilities EXE 361 (Fall, 2007)
- 2007 Field Experience: Behavior Management EXE 363 (Fall)
- 2008 Adapting Instruction for Students with Mild Disabilities-Adolescent EXE 503 (graduate course, Spring)
- 2008 Adapting Instruction for Students with Mild Disabilities-Childhood EXE 503 (graduate course, Spring)
- 2008 Incorporating Technology into Special Education EXE 375 (Spring)
- 2008 Foundations for Teaching Students with Disabilities EXE 360 (Fall)
- 2008 Behavior Management EXE 362 (Fall)
- 2008 Field Experience: Foundations for Teaching Students with Disabilities EXE 361 (Fall)
- 2008

- 2007-2010 Member, Student Health Advisory Committee
- 2007-2010 Member, School of Education: Curriculum Committee
- 2007-2010 Member, School of Education: Diversity and Social Justice Task Team

The University of Alaska-Anchorage

- 2012 Chair, Search Committee Interim Chair Department of Teaching and Learning
- 2012 Chair, Search Committee Interim Chair Counseling and Special Education
- 2012 Member, Search Committee Interim Associate Dean, College of Education
- 2012 Member, Search Committee Director of Counseling and Special Education
- 2012 Member, Search Committee Vice Provost for Undergraduate Academic Affairs
- 2011-2012 NCATE Coordinator, College of Education
- 2011-2012 Member, Assessment and Accreditation, College of Education
- 2011-2012 Member, Course and Curriculum Committee, College of Education
- 2011-2012 Member, Graduate Council, University of Alaska Anchorage
- 2011-2012 Member, Teacher Education Council, College of Education
- 2011-2012 Member, College Advisory Board, College of Education
- 2011-2012 Member, Doctoral Advisory Committee, College of Education
- 2011-2012 Member, Ad hoc Doctoral Proposal Committee, Graduate Council Committee
- 2011-2012 Member, Graduate Student Orientation Committee
- 2011-2012 Member, Hooding Ceremony Committee
- 2011-2012 Member, Leadership Team, College of Education
- 2011-2012 Policy Advisory Committee

New York Institute of Technology

- 2012-2013

2020-present	Tri- Convener, Minnesota State Taskforce on Law Enforcement Reform
2020-present	Co-Chair, Minnesota State Law Enforcement Planning and Advising Commission
2020-present	Teacher Education Committee
2019-present	State University Workgroup for Equity and Inclusion (SUWEI)
2019-present	Student Success Advisory Group
2019-present	Tackling Transfer Advisory Group
2019-present	Diversity and Inclusion Council
2018-present	Academic Affairs Council
2018-present	Academic Equity Committee
2018 present	Transfer Governance Team
2018 -present	Academic and Students Affairs Leadership Team
2018-2019	Professional Education Distributed Learning (PEDL) Advisory Board
2018 -present	Academic Affairs Unit Leadership Team
2018-present	Developmental Education Steering Committee
2018-present	Academic and Student Affairs Advisory Group
2018-present	Joint Committee on Credentialing Fields

Professional (Selected Sample)

2020	Reviewer, State of
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2010	Copy Editor, Journal of African American Males in Education
2010	Advisory Panel, Teacher Compass created by Pearson Education
2010	Reviewer, Division A, Leadership for School Improvement, AERA
2009-2016	Editorial Board, Journal of Multicultural Teaching and Learning
2009-2010	President of New York State Council for Exceptional Children
2008-2009	President Elect of New York State Council for Exceptional Children
2008	Reviewer, SAGE Publications