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## Education

1990-1994 Doctor of Philosophy, Educational Psychology, University of California, Santa Barbara  
1990-1993 Master of Arts, Educational Psychology, University of California, Santa Barbara  
1973-1974 Teaching Credential (K-8), Seattle Pacific University, Seattle, WA  
1970-1973 Bachelor of Arts: cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa, University of Washington, Seattle, WA

## Area of Specialization

Intrinsic Motivation to Learn, Educational Psychology, Literacy, Classroom Management

## Experience

- 2009-present **Assistant Professor**, Westmont College, Santa Barbara, CA  
Coursework
- ED 110/111: Educational Psychology
  - ED 170: Reading and Language Arts Instruction
  - ED 171: Content Area Literacy
  - ED 181: Windows into Teaching
  - ED 190: Student Teaching Seminar
  - ED 195: Student Teaching Supervisor
  - ED 109: Liberal Studies Senior Seminar
  - ED 160: Computers for the Classroom Teacher
- Adviser to about 25 students/year
- 2008-2009 **Academic Dean**, Providence Hall High School, Santa Barbara, CA
- Supported faculty through training, observation, and mentoring
  - Restructured school curriculum to align with California Department of Education and University of California requirements
  - Coordinated course schedule to meet needs of students and faculty
  - Facilitated the WASC accreditation process
- 2006-2008 **Assistant Professor and Site Coordinator**, Multiple Subject Teaching Program, Azusa Pacific University, Ventura Regional Center, CA  
Coursework
- Methods of Teaching Humanities
  - Student Teaching Seminar and Supervisor
- 1995-2006 **Adjunct Professor**, Advanced Studies, Azusa Pacific University  
Coursework
- Current Issues in Education
  - Creative and Collaborative Leadership
  - Family, School, Community Connections
- 2002-2006 **University Supervisor and Part-time Lecturer**  
California State University at Channel Islands, Camarillo, CA  
Coursework
- Guiding Behavior in Multilingual/Multicultural and Inclusive Classrooms

- 1996-2006      **Adjunct Professor, Education and Leadership**, Westmont College, Santa Barbara  
Coursework
- Elementary Curricula in Crosscultural Classrooms
  - Secondary Curricula, Classroom Management and Instruction
  - Content Area Reading in the Secondary School
  - Foundations in Education
  - Introduction to Leadership
- 1994-1998      **Gifted and Talented Coordinator**, Hope School District, Santa Barbara, CA
- Designed and taught programs for gifted and talented students: Great Thinkers, Current Issues, Archaeology, and Aerospace
- 1980-present      **Educational Leadership Consultant** (Independent)
- Conceived of, designed, and taught specialized leadership programs for student leaders and student activity advisors
  - Invited to present keynote addresses, workshops, and seminars in 26 states and Canada
  - Taught programs on communication skills, public speaking, time management, goal setting, and strategies to involve students in the learning process
- Partial List of Clients
- Bellevue High School Baccalaureate, Bellevue, WA
  - CA Association of Director of Activities, Anaheim, CA
  - CA Association of Student Councils Leadership Camps, UCSB, Stanford, Davis
  - California State University at Stanislaus Leadership Conference, Stanislaus, CA
  - Empire Public Schools Faculty Inservice, Duncan, OK
  - Future Homemakers of America, California, West Virginia, Minnesota, Arkansas
  - Georgia Future Business Leaders of America, Atlanta, GA
  - Illinois Association of Student Councils, Waterloo, Montana Association of Student Councils, Missoula, MT
  - Indiana Association of Student Councils, Indianapolis, IN
  - National Association of Workshop Directors, Nashville, TN
  - National Leadership Training Center, Champ Cbeley, CO
  - National Student Leadership Conference, La Honda, CA
  - Nevada Association of Student Councils, Winnemucca, NV
  - New Mexico Vocational Student Organization, Albuquerque, NM
  - Oklahoma Association for Student Councils, Oklahoma City, OK
  - Oregon Activity Advisors Association, Eugene, OR
  - Pennsylvania Association of Student Councils, Pittsburg, PA
  - Texas Association of Student Councils, Amarillo, TX
  - Toronto School Spirit Conference, Toronto, Canada
- 1974-1980      **Educator**, Los Gatos School District, Los Gatos, CA
- Taught grades 2-8
  - Advised student council
  - Received Outstanding Service Award (1979)

## Professional Organizations

Association of Christian Schools International  
 Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development  
 California Association of Student Councils  
 California Council on Teacher Education  
 California Reading Association  
 Christians in Teacher Education  
 Hosted a colloquium at Westmont, May 2010  
 CORE – Consortium on Reading Excellence  
 International Christian Community in Teacher Education  
 International Society for Technology in Education ·  
 National Association of Workshop Directors

## Professional Development (Conferences, Workshops, Webinars)

January 2012 Accelerating Long-Term English Learner Achievement, SB County Office of Education  
 Nov. 2010, 2011 Association of Christian Schools International Convention, Anaheim, CA  
 May 2011 Helping Students Motivate Themselves, Education Week webinar  
 May 2011 10 Free Technology Tools for Teaching, CCCU webinar  
 May 2011 Association of Christian Schools International Forum, Colorado Springs, CO  
 March 2011 Assoc. of Supervision and Curriculum Development Conference, San Francisco, CA  
 February 2011 Academic Oral Language Workshop, Santa Barbara County Office of Education  
 October 2010 California Reading Conference, Riverside, CA  
 August 2010 Authentic Learning Conference, Santa Barbara, CA  
 May 2010 International Community for Christians in Teacher Education Conf., La Tourneau, TX  
 May 2010 Colloquium for Professors in Teacher Education, Westmont College, CA  
 March 2010 CCTE (California Commission on Teacher Credentialing) Conference, San Jose, CA  
 February 2010 CORE (Consortium on Reading Excellence) Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA  
 August 2009 RICA (Reading Instruction Competence Assessment) Training Conference, Ventura, CA

## Publications

2012 “The Power to Choose.”  
 -- article set for 2012 Spring publication in *Christian Teacher Educator*

2012 “Fanning a Spark: Teacher talk which ignites intrinsic motivation to learn”  
 – article set for 2012 Winter publication in *Christian Teacher Educator*

2011 “Motivational Flip: Teacher Talk to enhance intrinsic motivation to learn” monograph in  
*2011 Forum for Christian Teacher educators: What role does Christian Higher Education play in the changing landscape of education?* Colorado Springs, CO: Purposeful Design Publications.

2011 “Students’ Perspective on Intrinsic Motivation to Learn: A model to guide educators.”  
 e-journal, *International Christian Community of Teacher Educators*.

2010 “Motivational Motor: Designing situations to propel students’ intrinsic motivation”  
 e-book, *Cross Examination of the Core: An Interdisciplinary Focus on Authentic Learning*. Edited by Phil Fitzsimmons and Edie Lanphar (Fitzsimmons, P. & Lanphar, E., Ed.). Antonia Publishing: Santa Barbara.

2010 “Optimal Classroom Experiences: Crafting situations to promote intrinsic motivation to learn.” Blind peer-reviewed article. Authentic Learning Symposium

1994 *Situational Motivation: Structuring classrooms to enhance intrinsic motivation to learn*.  
 Unpublished Dissertation, University of California, Santa Barbara.

1993 *Motivational mindsets: Insider perspective on intrinsic motivation to learn*.  
 Unpublished Master’s Thesis, University of California, Santa Barbara.

1992 *Leadership Alive*. Publisher: California Association of Student Councils, Oakland, CA.

## **Presentations**

- November 2011 "Teacher Talk Inventory"  
Association for Christian Schools International Convention, Anaheim, CA
- October 2011 "Seismic Shift: *What am I to do?* to *Who am I to be?*"  
Presentation at Westmont's Career and Life Planning Retreat,  
Mission Renewal Center
- September 2011 "Intentionality in faith, relationships, and learning."  
Chapel Talk for first year students, Westmont College, Santa Barbara, CA
- May 2011 "Motivational Flip: Teacher talk to enhance intrinsic motivation to learn"  
Forum for Christian Teacher Educators, Colorado Springs, CO
- January 2011 "Brain Boost: Strategies to guide gifted students."  
Teacher Training, Orcutt School District, CA
- November 2010 "Igniting Intrinsic Motivation to Learn"  
Association of Christian Schools International Convention, Anaheim, CA
- August 2010 "Using Your Strengths"  
StrengthsQuest Training, Westmont College Library Staff, Santa Barbara, CA
- August 2010 "Optimal Classroom Experiences"  
Authentic Learning Symposium, Santa Barbara, CA
- May 2010 "Situational Motivation: Structuring Classrooms to Enhance Intrinsic Motivation to Learn," International Christian Community in Teacher Education, LeTourneau University, Texas
- 1991-2010 Tri-County GATE Leadership Conference, Keynote Speaker  
Westmont College, Santa Barbara
- April 2010 "Engagement Strategies to Enhance Equity and Excellence"  
BTSA (Beginning Teacher Support Assessment) program  
Santa Barbara County Office of Education
- March 2010 "Careers in Teaching,"  
Dos Pueblos High School Career Day, Goleta, CA
- January 2010 "Empowering Gifted Students to Think Creatively and Critically"  
Two presentations: Parents and Teacher Training, Orcutt School District, CA
- November 2009 "Cultivating Professionalism at School"  
Association of Christian Schools International Convention, Anaheim, CA
- Annually 1982-2009 Leadership Training Workshop for Anaheim High School Leadership Academy,  
Anaheim, CA

**SERVICE****Service to Westmont College**

October 2011	Attended as faculty to support Career and Life Planning Retreat on God's Will.
September 2011	Gave presentation on ePortfolios to Internship class.
August 2011	Led "Group Leaders Training" for 18 Westmont student leaders
April 2011	Interviewed an Resident Director candidate
Spring 2011	Participated in interview for "Athletics" at Westmont which featured a credential student
Spring 2011	Served on Search Committee for Dean of Admissions (hired Silvio Vasquez)
January 2011	Served on Review Team for the Campus Life Office
2010-2011	Served as Faculty Secretary and wrote minutes for each faculty meeting
September 2010	Gave StrengthsQuest presentation for Internship Class
August 2010	Gave presentation at New Faculty Workshop
August 2010	Gave StrengthsQuest training workshop for the library staff
2010-present	Serve on Volunteer Team for Earthquake Preparedness Committee
Once/year	Interview Monroe Scholar candidates
Once/year	Attend Westmont Women's Tea sponsored by Diversity area
Twice/year	Host preview day students in my class. Write follow-up email.
Once/year	Judge debates in "Passion and Civility" Speech and Debate Tournament
Yearly	Attend numerous athletic, drama, musical, and art events to support students

**Service to Westmont Department of Education**

December 2011	Hosted Liberal Studies/Education Christmas Party in our home
October 2011	Presented our first "Excellence in Education" awards at Homecoming gathering
Fall 2011	Made connections with Azusa Pacific University and discussed possible partnership
Summer 2011	Developed and wrote "Addressing Concerns" for our Credential Student Handbook
Summer 2011	Studies and wrote summary of how to obtain added authorizations for teaching
Spring 2011	Helped improved department website (added videos, new photos, testimonies)
Spring 2011-current	Serve as Departmental Recruitment Specialist
Spring 2011	Worked closely with Greg Smith to develop six online assessments
Spring 2011	Led departmental effort to move portfolios to electronic version
October 2010, 2011	Helped facilitate Educator Connections at Church of the Nazarene
April 2010	Reformatted 4-year plans for each credential. Posted online.
Spring 2010	Developed a Partnership List of over 100 connections in local schools
Spring 2010	Developed new course "Windows into Teaching" to cultivate interest in teaching
December 2009	Hosted Liberal Studies/Education Christmas Party in our home
Fall 2009	Developed ten flyers for Education Department (for each discipline)
October 2009	Hosted "A Taste of Teaching" to generate interest in the Credential Program
2009-2010	Let a student live in our home rent-free so she could attend Credential Program

**Service to the Community and local Church**

November 2011	Member, California Alliance for Teacher Preparation Partnerships, SB County
November 2011	Facilitator, "Let's Talk Teaching" day. 45 local students attended, Westmont
September 2011	Speaker, opening convocation for Providence Hall, Santa Barbara, CA
2011, 2010	Expert program evaluator, Murdock Trust Christian School K-12 Initiative, Portland, OR
May 2011	Interview, Partners in Education Mock Interview Day, Santa Barbara High School for EL
May 2010	Presenter at Career Day, Dos Pueblos High School, Goleta, CA
1998-present	Member and Homegroup Leader, Santa Barbara Community Church, Santa Barbara, CA
2011	Gave presentation for Working Moms, Santa Barbara, CA
2009, 2011	Presenter for Mothers of Preschoolers, Goleta Presbyterian Church, CA
2002-2003	Mentor, Rescue Mission Rehabilitation Center, Santa Barbara, CA
1987-1989	PTA President, Washington Elementary School, Santa Barbara, CA
1985-1986	Chair of Pastor Seeking committee, Trinity Lutheran Church, Santa Barbara, CA