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EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

Doctor of Education in Educational Leadership (ABD)
Western Illinois University, Degree Expected August 2023

Master of Science in Reading
Western Illinois University, 2014

Master of Education in Elementary Education
University of Hartford, 2008

Master of Music in Flute Performance
University of Hartford, 1991

Bachelor of Arts in Flute Performance
Western Illinois University, 1989

CERTIFICATIONS

IL Professional Educator License - K to 9 Self Contained

IL Endorsement K – 12 Reading Specialist

IL Endorsement K – 4 Reading Teacher

UNIVERSITY TEACHING

- Quincy University, 2022 to present
 - ELE 315 Children's Literature (Online) Sp. 2023
 - MSE 523 Children's Literature (Online) Sp. 2023
 - ELE 315 Children's Literature (Online) Fall 2022

K to 12 TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- **Title 1 Reading Specialist** – *West Prairie C.U.S.D. #103*
August 2022 - present
- **MTSS/RtI Coordinator, Reading Specialist, 6th and 7th grade ELA and Literature Teacher & Literacy Coach** – *Built a Middle School RtI/MTSS Program*
West Central C.U.S.D. #235 August 2018 - present
- **Title 1 Teacher** – *West Prairie C.U.S.D. #103*
August 2012 – July 2018
- **Literacy Coach** – *West Prairie C.U.S.D. #103*
March 2014 – June 2015
- **Substitute Teacher** – *Macomb, VIT & Schuyler/Industry Public Schools*
September 2010 – May 2012
- **5th Grade Classroom teacher** filling a one-year leave-of-absence *Edison School, Macomb Public Schools #185 August – June 2009-2010*
- **Flute Faculty**, Hartt School Community Division, University of Hartford, 1992-2008

PEER-REVIEWED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- Illinois Reading Council Conference Spring, 2023
 - *What is Disciplinary Literacy's Place in Elementary School?*
- Illinois Council for the Social Studies, Fall 2022
 - *Disciplinary Literacy Practices Applied to the Social Studies Classroom*

DISTRICT IN-SERVICES

- West Central #235, Biggsville, IL (1/2020)
 - *Disciplinary Literacy for teachers grades 6-12*
- West Central #235, Stronghurst, IL (2/2019)
 - *Strategies for Comprehending Informational Texts for teachers grades 6 to 8*
- West Central #235, Stronghurst, IL (11/2018)
 - *Measures of Academic Progress Growth Assessment (MAP) Analyze Reports for teachers grades 6 to 8*
- West Central #235, Stronghurst, IL (10/2018)
 - *Writing from Sources Answering Text-Based Questions Verbally and in Writing for teachers grades 6 to 8*

- West Central #235, Stronghurst, IL (10/2018)
 - *CCSS Shift Close Reading and Citing Text Evidence Standards 6.1, 7.1, 8.1* for teachers grades 6 to 8
- West Central #235, Stronghurst, IL (4/2018)
 - *Middle and High School RtI/MTSS & Notice and Note Strategies for Informational Reading* for teachers grades 6 to 12
- West Central #235, Biggsville, IL (2/2018)
 - *Read Alouds in the Age of the Common Core, Running Records, Prompting Readers, Developmental Word Work, Introduce Engage NY, and Best Practices for Teaching Writing* for teachers grades K to 5
- West Prairie #103, Colchester, IL (5/2017)
 - *Cueing Systems V → MS and Prompting Readers* for teachers grades K to 4
- West Prairie #103, Colchester, IL (8/2015)
 - *Jan Richardson Next Step in Guided Reading Assessment System* for teachers grades K to 4
- West Prairie #103, Colchester, IL (5/2015)
 - *Exploring the Engage NY English Language Arts Curriculum* for teachers grades K to 4
- West Prairie #103, Colchester, IL (2/2015)
 - *Jan Richardson Videos and Lesson Plans, Guided Discussion and Answered Questions* for teachers grades K to 4
- West Prairie #103, Colchester, IL (9/2014)
 - *Aligning Interactive Read-Alouds with the CCSS* for teachers grades K to 4
- West Prairie #103, Good Hope, IL (8/2014)
 - *Guided Reading Fluent Lesson Modeled* for teachers grades K to 4
- West Prairie #103, Colchester, IL (6/2014)
 - *Guided Reading Early and Transitional Lessons Modeled* for teachers grades K to 4
- West Prairie #103, Colchester, IL (3/2014)
 - *Interactive Read-Alouds, PowerPoint and Active Participation* for teachers grades K to 4

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- International Literacy Association
- Illinois Reading Council
- Illinois Council for the Social Studies

TECHNOLOGY SKILLS

- Google Classroom
- Taught digitally for more than two years
- ProWise Board
- Laptops
- Tablets
- Moodle, Desire 2 Learn

REFERENCES

- Dr. Jim La Prad – Professor of Social Foundations in Education, Dissertation Committee Chair JG-LaPrad@wiu.edu (309) 298-1436
- Mrs. Paula Markey – Retired Superintendent of West Central Consolidated Unit School District #235 markey-paula@wc235.k12.il.us (309) 333-1967
- Mr. Joe Peters – Principal of West Central Middle School until 6/22 currently Assistant Principal of West Central Elementary School peters-joe@wc235.k12.il.us (309) 221-6158
- Mrs. Kim Spiker – Principal of West Prairie North Elementary School spikerk@wp103.org (309) 333-4753