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Professor & Founding Director, Emerita
Excellence in Teaching Program
University of Nevada, Reno

Personal Data

Born August 20, 1955, Hartsville, S.C.

Married: Larry J. Kramer

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Reading Education and Linguistics, University of North Texas, Denton, August 1988

Title of Doctoral Dissertation: "I like the name but not the soup!" An Ethnographic Study of the Metalinguistic Sentience of Young Gifted Children: Its Reflection of Their Cognitive Ability and Its Relationship to Their Literacy Acquisition and Literacy Learning

M.S., Elementary Education and Linguistics, North Texas State University, Denton, August 1982

Title of Master's Thesis: The Effect of Teacher Participation in Writing Assignments on Children's Attitudes Towards Writing and on Children's Abilities to Write

B.A., Stephens College, Columbia, Missouri, May 1977

Graduated from Tates Creek Senior High School, Lexington, Kentucky, January 1973

SPECIALIZED TRAINING/CONTINUING EDUCATION

"Emergenetics," City of Reno Manager & Supervisor Toolkit, offered by Amplitude, LLC, September 2007

"Getting Things Done," David Allen Company, Seattle (WA), November 2006

"Emergenetics," City of Reno Manager & Supervisor Toolkit, offered by Amplitude, LLC, September 2006

"The Business of Coaching," CoachVille 3rd Annual Conference, Orlando (FL), June 2004

Enfish Certification Training, Hemphill Productivity Institute, December 2003

Working toward certification as a teleclass leader, December 2003 - present.

Working toward certification as a life/leadership coach through CoachVille, September 2003 - present.

Seminar, "Let's Talk Patents, Trademarks, & Copyrights," A Rocket Science Press Seminar, Reno (NV), March 2003

Seminar, "Developing the 7 Habits of Highly Effective People," Franklin Covey, San Francisco (CA), December 2002

Certification, "Focus—Achieving Your Highest Priorities," Franklin Covey, November 2002

Certification, "Paper Tiger Authorized Consultant Program," Barbara Hemphill & Associates, Concord (CA), October 2002

Seminar, "Creative Training Techniques I" (with Bob Pike), The Bob Pike Group, San Antonio (TX), June 2002

Workshop, "On the Brink of a Book," National Speakers Association, Phoenix, AZ, April 2002

Faculty Development, "Designing a Course with WebCT," Excellence in Teaching Program/Teaching and Learning Technologies, University of Nevada, Reno, May 2001

Faculty Development, "Web Page Design," Excellence in Teaching Program/Teaching and Learning Technologies, University of Nevada, Reno, February 2001

Certification Workshop, "What Matters Most for Palm Computing Organizers®," Franklin Covey, Salt Lake City, August - September 2000

Certification Workshop, "What Matters Most®," Franklin Covey, Salt Lake City, August 2000

Workshop, "What Matters Most®," Franklin Covey, Reno, April 2000

Faculty Development, "Why Don't They Learn Like I Do? An Exploration of Teaching and Learning Styles," Excellence in Teaching Program, University of Nevada, Reno, March 2000

Faculty Development, "Webcourse Design Workshop," Excellence in Teaching Program, University of Nevada, Reno, February - May 2000

Public Information Resources, Inc., "Learning and the Brain: Using Brain Research to Reshape Classroom Practice," Boston, November 1999

American Productivity & Quality Center, "Faculty Instructional Development: Supporting Faculty Use of Technology in Teaching: Best Practices," Houston, November 1998

Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development Conference on Teaching and Learning: The Assessment-Instruction Connection, Orlando, FL, October 1997

Western Workshop, National Speakers Association, Los Angeles, February 1997

Western Workshop, National Speakers Association, San Francisco, February 1996

"Project Management," Fred Pryor Seminars, Reno, November 1995

"Syllabus '95: The Use of Technology in the Curriculum," Sonoma State University (CA), July 1995

"Training the Trainer," Fred Pryor Seminars, Reno, November 1994

"Directions for Classroom Research in Literacy," sponsored by the National Council of Teachers of English Assembly on Research, Chicago, February 20-22, 1987

"Cultural Literacy and Reading," Federation of North Texas Area Universities Educational Institute, Dallas, February 24-28, 1986 [directed by Shirley Brice Heath, Stanford University]

"Ethnography of School Learning and Teaching," American Educational Research Association Winter Training Institute, Orlando, January 20-22, 1986 [directed by Frederick Erickson, Michigan State University]

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

Professor & Founding Director (Emerita), granted December 2003, University of Nevada, Reno

Founding Director, Excellence in Teaching Program, a unit of the Office of the Provost, University of Nevada, Reno, May 1998 through December 2003

Faculty Fellow, Project Learning Links, College of Education, University of Nevada, Reno, 2001

Professor, Reading/Language Arts and Gifted Education, University of Nevada, Reno, promotion effective July 1, 1996 (Graduate Faculty)

Special assignment from Vice President for Academic Affairs office during the 1997-98 school year: determine interest and need for a faculty teaching/learning center on campus (½-time assignment)

Academic Project Director, Secondary Literacy Cohort Master's Degree Program, funded through SB 204, distance education program presented in conjunction with on-campus program, Spring 1996-Spring 1999

President and Founder, Emphasis on Excellence, Inc., a seminar, coaching, and consulting company, Reno, NV, 1995 to present

Associate Professor (with tenure), Reading/Language Arts and Gifted Education, University of Nevada, Reno, July 1, 1991 to present (Graduate Faculty; November 1988 to 2003 when I became professor emerita)

Awarded Faculty Development Leave for 1995-96 academic year

Special courses/programs taught outside the department:

THE WAVE, for incoming university freshmen (Transitioning into Higher Education/Widening Access Via Experience), Summer 1996
THE WAVE, for incoming university freshmen, Summer 1995
THE WAVE Pilot Program, for incoming university freshmen, Summer 1994
ENGL 102/University Seminar Pilot Program, Fall 1993

Courses taught in the Department of Curriculum and Instruction:

CI 207: "Exploration of Children's Literature"
CI 300: "Teaching Reading and Language Arts in the Elementary School"
CI 468: "Teaching Reading and Language Arts in the Lower Elementary Grades"
CI 469: "Teaching Reading and Language Arts in the Upper Elementary Grades"
CI 602: "Reading and Language Arts in the Lower Elementary Grades"
CI 604: "Reading and Writing in the Secondary School"
CI 607: "Book Selection for Children"
CI 608: "Book Selection for Young Adults"
CI 621: "Teaching Reading to Older Students"
CI 666: "Foundations of Literacy"
CI 683: "Vocabulary Development/Word Study"
CI 683: "Developing a Teaching Portfolio"
CI 687: "Special Topics: Reading and Writing in Mathematics"
CI 687: "Special Topics: Content Area Reading/Writing"
CI 687: "Special Topics: Reading for Gifted Students"
CI 687: "Special Topics: Teaching Gifted Students in the Regular Classroom"

CI 715: "Education of the Gifted"

CI 771: "Seminar in Elementary Education: Metacognition"

CI 772: "Curriculum Development in Gifted Education"

CI 773: "Seminar in Secondary Education: Advanced Secondary Reading"

CI 791: "Special Topics in Curriculum & Instruction/Research"

Assistant Professor, Reading/Language Arts and Gifted Education, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1988 to June 30, 1991 (Graduate Faculty); Acting Program Head, Reading and Language Arts, Fall 1989

Adjunct instructor, East Texas State University, Alternative Certification Program (Dallas I.S.D.), Secondary School Reading/Reading in the Content Areas for Mathematics teachers, Summer 1988

North Texas State University/Meadows Excellence in Teaching Program, Graduate Fellow, June 1984-May 1988

Adjunct instructor, Division of Early Childhood, Elementary, and Reading Education, North Texas State University, Fall 1984 through Spring 1988.

Adjunct instructor, Division of Secondary Education, North Texas State University, Spring 1985 through Spring 1988.

Teacher, ORACLE Program (Optimum Reading, Attention, Comprehension, Learning Efficiency), Southern Methodist University Reading Center, Summer 1985, Summer 1986, Summer 1987

English, History, Analytical Reading and Reasoning classroom teacher, Talented and Gifted Magnet High School, Dallas (Texas) Independent School District, January 1983-May 1984

Third grade self-contained remedial classroom teacher, Dallas (Texas) Independent School District, 1981-January 1983

Third grade self-contained classroom teacher, Dallas (Texas) Independent School District, 1980-1981

Taught graduate course on teaching students how to write, Northeast Missouri State University, Kirksville, Summer 1980

Designed and conducted an eight week writing course for students, grades four through nine, Jefferson City, Summer 1980

Second grade and fifth grade Language Arts teacher, Jefferson City (Missouri) Public Schools, 1977-1980

Title I Remedial Reading and Mathematics teacher, Jefferson City (Missouri) Public Schools, Summer 1979

Title I Remedial Reading and Mathematics teacher, Columbia (Missouri) Public Schools, Summer 1977, 1978

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Society for Training and Development (member since 2004)

Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (member since 1990)

eWomenNetwork (member since 2006)

International Association of Coaches (member since 2004)

International Reading Association (member since 1978)

National Association of Professional Organizers (member since 2002)
Member: Golden Circle since December 2003

National Speakers Association (Professional Member since 1996)

Phi Delta Kappa (member since 1977)

The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi (member since 1985)

Professional and Organizational Development Network in Higher Education (member since 1998)

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

Lyons, Richard, McIntosh, Meggin, and Kysilka, Marcella. (2003). Teaching College in an Age of Accountability, Boston: Allyn & Bacon.

Margaret E. McIntosh and Roni Jo Draper, Write Starts: 101 Learning Logs for the Mathematics Classroom, Dale Seymour Publications, 1997.

M. Jean Greenlaw and Margaret E. McIntosh, Educating the Gifted: A Sourcebook, Chicago: American Library Association, 1988.

CHAPTERS/APPENDICES/CONTRIBUTIONS IN BOOKS

McIntosh, M. E., & Draper, R. J. (2004). Questions to ask yourself while planning an engaging mathematics lesson. In M. F. Chappell, J. Choppin, & J. Salls (Eds.), *Empowering the beginning teacher of mathematics: High School* (p. 16). Reston, VA: National Council of Teachers of Mathematics.

Draper, R. J., & McIntosh, M. E. (2004). Using learning logs in mathematics classrooms. In M. F. Chappell, J. Choppin, & J. Salls (Eds.), *Empowering the beginning teacher of mathematics: High School* (p. 24). Reston, VA: National Council of Teachers of Mathematics.

Appendix, "549 Writing Formats," in Susan D. Lenski and Jerry L. Johns, Improving Writing: Resources, Strategies, and Assessments, 2000, pp. 266-269.

M. Jean Greenlaw and Margaret E. McIntosh, "Science Fiction and Fantasy in the Reading Program," in Bernice E. Cullinan (ed.), Children's Literature in the Reading Program, Newark, Delaware: International Reading Association, 1987, pp. 111-120.

E-PUBLICATIONS (SUBSCRIPTION)

"Top Ten Productivity Tips," Weekly ezine sent to subscribers throughout the world; www.TopTenProductivityTips.com (started in December 2005).

"Keys to Keeping Chaos at Bay," Weekly ezine sent to subscribers throughout North America, www.KeepingChaosatBay.com (started in December 2006).

CURRICULUM PUBLICATIONS/OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Curriculum materials, *Learning Logs for the Content Area Classroom*, (e-book) Pumpernickel Publishing, 2007

Curriculum materials, *80 Alternatives to Book Reports*, (e-book) Pumpernickel Publishing, 2006

Curriculum materials, *50 Questions to Ask About Any Novel*, (e-book) Pumpernickel Publishing, 2006

Curriculum materials, *Learning Logs for Subs*, (e-book) Pumpernickel Publishing, 2006

Cassette Tape set, "Effective Time & Paper Management for School Administrative Teams," 1998, Emphasis on Excellence, Inc.

Blackline masters, *Read Faster/Comprehend More: How to Do It and How to Teach It*, 1996, Emphasis on Excellence, Inc.

Assessment, Margaret E. McIntosh and D. LaMont Johnson, *Key Concerns in Team Teaching Rating Scale*, Educational Testing Service Test Collection and Tests in Microfiche, February 1995.

Blackline masters, *An Integrated Language Arts Unit on The Giver*, 1995, Emphasis on Excellence, Inc.

Blackline masters, *Vocabulary and Concept Development in Geometry: A Study of Greek and Latin Word Roots*, 1994, Emphasis on Excellence, Inc.

Blackline masters, *Literature-Based Writing*, 1993, Emphasis on Excellence, Inc.

Blackline masters, *Learning Logs for Classroom Teachers and Substitute Teachers*, 1992, Emphasis on Excellence, Inc.

Blackline masters, Margaret E. McIntosh, *Teaching Characterization, with a Special Look at Strong Female Protagonists*, Palo Alto, CA: Dale Seymour Publications, 1988.

Blackline masters, M. Jean Greenlaw and Margaret E. McIntosh, *Metaphor: The Language of Magic*, Palo Alto, CA: Dale Seymour Publications, 1988.

ON-LINE PUBLICATIONS/ARTICLES

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Look Out For Procrastination Time Thieves!"
<http://EzineArticles.com/?id=720583> (September 2007)

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Increasing Productivity by Using Signs for Yourself and Others (So You Should Have Some Handy!)" <http://EzineArticles.com/?id=728753> (September 2007)

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Look Out For People Who Are Time Thieves!"
<http://EzineArticles.com/?id=721615> (September 2007)

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Look Out For Self-Distraction Time Thieves!"
<http://ezinearticles.com/?id=721629> (September 2007)

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Look Out For Gossip Time Thieves!"
<http://ezinearticles.com/?id=729622> (September 2007)

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Educators - Be Good to Yourself!"
<http://ezinearticles.com/?id=728674> (September 2007)

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Look Out For Time Thieves!"
<http://ezinearticles.com/?id=717538> (September 2007)

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Look Out for Headache Time Thieves!"
<http://EzineArticles.com/?id=721649> (September 2007)

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Look Out for Drop-In Visitor Time Thieves!"
<http://EzineArticles.com/?id=721576> (September 2007)

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Look Out For Email Time Thieves!"
<http://ezinearticles.com/?id=720281> (September 2007)

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Look Out for Telephone Time Thieves!"
<http://ezinearticles.com/?id=720469> (September 2007)

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Educators - What Image Do You Want to Project?"
<http://ezinearticles.com/?id=713228> (September 2007).

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Keeping Chaos at Bay - Don't Shunt Tasks,"
<http://ezinearticles.com/?id=713372> (September 2007).

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Keeping Chaos at Bay - Cleaning Up and Clearing Out Your Email Backlog in Deleted and Sent Items," <http://ezinearticles.com/?id=713749> (September 2007).

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Keeping Chaos at Bay - Cleaning Up and Clearing Out the Old Email Backlog in Your Inbox," <http://ezinearticles.com/?id=713786> (September 2007).

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Educators - Create a Not-to-Do List,"
<http://ezinearticles.com/?Educators---Create-a-Not-to-Do-List&id=713247>
 (September 2007).

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Student teachers (interns) and their lead teachers don't just wear "one hat at a time," One Hat at a Time Newsletter,
<http://www.onehatatatime.com/meggin.htm> (April 4, 2005).

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Pushing a Rope: Maneuvering through an Instructional Session: Strategic Course Planning," NASJE (National Association of Judicial Educators) News, 20:1, Winter 2005, http://nasje.unm.edu/current-newsletter/resources_01.htm (January 30, 2005).

Article, Meggin McIntosh, "Pushing a Rope: Maneuvering through an Instructional Session: Introduction and Overview," NASJE (National Association of Judicial Educators) News, 19:4, Fall 2004, http://nasje.unm.edu/current-newsletter/resources_01.htm (November 8, 2004).

MAGAZINE/PERIODICAL PUBLICATIONS/ARTICLES

Article, Margaret E. McIntosh and Roni Jo Draper, "Using Learning Logs in Mathematics: Writing to Learn," Mathematics Teacher, 94, October 2001, pp. 554-557.

Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Formative Assessment in Mathematics," The Clearing House, 71, November/December 1997, pp. 92-96.

- Article, "Margaret E. McIntosh, "Communicating Mathematically: Introduction," The Clearing House, 71, September/October 1997, pp. 7-8 (I was guest editor for this issue).
- Article, "Margaret E. McIntosh, "Guide Students to Better Comprehension of Word Problems," The Clearing House, 71, September/October 1997, pp. 26-32.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh , "500+ Writing Activities for the Middle School Mathematics Classroom," Mathematics Teaching in the Middle Grades, March 1997, pp. (partially reprinted in Factorial, Winter 1997, Vol. 29, No. 2, 16+.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh and Roni Jo Draper, "Logging on Daily," Writing Teacher, November 1996, pp. 26-29
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh , "Families: Children's First Writing Teachers," Writing Teacher, 10, September 1996, pp. 6-7.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Time Management for Teachers," Instructor Magazine, August 1996, pp. 74-75
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh and Roni Jo Draper, "Using the Question-Answer Relationship Strategy to Improve Students' Reading of Mathematics Texts," Clearing House, 69, January/February 1996, pp. 154-162.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh and Roni Jo Draper, "Applying the Question-Answer Relationship Strategy in Mathematics," Journal of Adolescent and Adult Literacy (formerly Journal of Reading), 39, October 1995, pp. 120-131.
- Interview, Margaret E. McIntosh , "Steve and Susan Tchudi Respond to the Question: Why Write?" Writing Teacher, 9, Fall 1995, pp. 3-6.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Poetry for Children," Writing Teacher, 8, May 1995, pp. 23, 26-28.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Word Roots in Geometry?" Mathematics Teacher, 87, October 1994, pp. 510-515.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh and LaMont Johnson, "An Instrument to Facilitate Communication About Key Concerns for Team Teachers," Clearing House, 67, January/February 1994, pp. 152-154.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh and Donald R. Bear, "Directed Reading-Thinking Activities to Promote Learning through Reading in Mathematics," Clearing House, 67, September/October 1993, pp. 40-44.
- Article, Martha Combs and Margaret E. McIntosh, "Teachers in Transition: Dilemmas We Face As We Challenge Our Histories," Contemporary Issues in Reading, Spring 1993, pp. 115-122.

- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "An Interview with Shane Templeton," Writing Teacher, January/February 1993.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh and Susan Vaughn, "Extra! Extra! Special Supplement to the Clearing House News: Unit Resource Notebooks Put Teachers in a Bind(er)," Clearing House, 66, September/October 1992, pp. 19-21.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh and Donald R. Bear, "Successfully Attracting Rural Teachers to Participate in a Master's Degree Program—Offered in Their Own Backyard," The Reading Professor, Fall 1991, 14-19.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "No Time for Writing in Your Class?" Mathematics Teacher, 84, September 1991, pp. 423-433. [portions reprinted in Mathematical Ideas, 7th ed, HarperCollins, 1994]
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Can Reading and Writing Be Nourishing? Sure They Can When the Topic is Food!" Writing Teacher, April/May 1991, pp.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "'Don't be a sit-down, shut-up kind of teacher!' Letters to Future Teachers from Current High School Students," The Clearing House, 64, March/April 1991, 243-245.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Teaching a Unit Resource Notebook in the Secondary/Content Area Reading and Writing Methods Class," The Reading Professor, 12, Fall 1990, 26-31.
- Article reprint, Margaret E. McIntosh and M. Jean Greenlaw, "Fostering the Post-Secondary Aspirations of Gifted Urban Minority Students," from Roeper Review, in Sandra L. Berger (Ed.), Flyer File on Gifted Students, ERIC/CEC, 1990.
- Article, Donald Bear and Margaret E. McIntosh, "Directed Reading-Thinking Activities: Four Activities to Promote Thinking and Study Habits in Social Studies," The Social Studies, October 1990, 54, 385-388.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Using Children's Literature with Middle School Readers," Focus: Teaching English Language Arts, Spring 1989, 15, 55-60. [The entire issue went through a refereeing process at NCTEnglish and is distributed by the Council].
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "'If I Were in Charge of the World' and Other Poems to Stimulate Writing," Writing Teacher, April/May 1989, 2, 41-43.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Kindergarten: Journey to a Foreign Country," Educating Able Learners: Discovering and Nurturing Talent, January/February 1989, 14, 5,10.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Gifted Children in Literature: Good Reading for Able Learners," Challenge, January/February 1989, 7, 50-52.

- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh and M. Jean Greenlaw, "Ladies First: Teaching Characterization through Strong Female Protagonists in High Fantasy Literature," The ALAN Review, Winter 1988, 15, 47-50.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Helping Students Assess Their Own Creative Reading Behavior," Gifted Child Today, March/April 1988, 11, 53-54.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh and M. Jean Greenlaw, "Predictable Books for Preschool Gifted," Gifted Child Today, November/December 1987, 10, pp. 16-20
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Investigating Language in Young Children," Gifted Students Institute Quarterly, Fourth Quarter 1987, 12, pp. cover, 4-5.
- Article, M. Jean Greenlaw and Margaret E. McIntosh, "Metaphor: The Language of Magic," The Clearing House, December 1986, 60, pp. 161-165.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh and M. Jean Greenlaw, "Fostering the Post-Secondary Aspirations of Gifted Urban Minority Students," Roeper Review, November 1986, 9, pp. 104-107.
- Article, B. DeLin DuBois and Margaret E. McIntosh, "Reading Aloud to Students in Secondary History Classes," The Social Studies, September/October 1986, 77, pp. 210-213.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "An Ethnographic Study of the Metalinguistic Awareness of Young Children," Gifted Students Institute Quarterly, Fourth Quarter 1986, 9, pp. 5-6 +.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Enhancing Readers' Analysis by Synthesis Abilities," Reading-Canada-Lecture, Fall 1986, 4, pp. 171-176.
- Article, M. Jean Greenlaw and Margaret E. McIntosh, "Literature for Use with Gifted Children," Childhood Education, March/April 1986, 62, pp. 281-286.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Critical and Creative Reading for High School Students Using Kurt Vonnegut's "Harrison Bergeron", " The ALAN Review, Spring 1986, 13, pp. 68-70+.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Inference Research: Lessons for Practitioners," The Education Digest, December 1985, 51, pp. 54-56.
- Article, M. Jean Greenlaw and Margaret E. McIntosh, "Good Books for Gifted Readers," Tempo, Spring 1985, 5, pp. 14, 25-26.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "What Do Practitioners Need to Know About Current Inference Research?" The Reading Teacher, April 1985, 38, pp. 755-761.
- Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Reading Instruction for Gifted Secondary Students," Centering Teacher Education, August 1984, 1, pp. 19-21.

Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Oh, Greetings and Readings: Using Lloyd Alexander's Chronicles of Prydain to Teach Creative and Critical Reading," Challenge, September-October 1983, 2, pp. 33-36.

MAGAZINE/PERIODICAL PUBLICATIONS/TEACHING IDEAS

Teaching idea, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Ending with a Bang/Part II," The Teaching Professor, 9, June/July 1995, p 6.

Teaching idea, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Idea Exchange: Making the Best Out of a Bad Situation: A Writing Stimulus for a Terrible Day," Writing Teacher, 1, December/January 1987/1988, pp. 45-46.

Teaching idea, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Idea Exchange: A Dried Pea: Using Direct Experience to Stimulate Writing," Writing Teacher, 1, December/January 1987/1988, 43-44.

Teaching idea, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Idea Exchange: Turning Your Students Into "Jolly Letter Writers," Writing Teacher, 1, October/ November 1987, p. 45.

Teaching idea, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Short and Snappy: Answering Questions About Words," Livewire, October 1986, pp. 11-12.

Numerous teaching ideas published in Good Apple, Learning, Teacher, and Instructor magazines, and by the Continental Press, 1978-1982

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

Egbert, Dwight, Bebis, George, McIntosh, Meggin, LaTourrette, Nancy, and Mitra, Aniruddha, "Computer Vision Research as a Teaching Tool in CS1," ASEE/IEEE Frontiers in Education Conference, November 2002, Boston (MA)

ERIC DOCUMENTS

Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "Why We Need to Watch, Look, and Listen When Young Children Write: What We Can Learn from Them About Their Language," ERIC Documents, April 1989, ED 299 566.

Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "The Efficacy of Teacher as Researcher: A Testimonial," ERIC Documents, June 1987, ED 278 015

Article, M. Jean Greenlaw and Margaret E. McIntosh, "Literature for Use with Gifted Children," ERIC Documents, September 1985, ED 265 721

Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "High Fantasy Literature as a Genre for Gifted Children and Youth," ERIC Documents, October 1984, ED 244 473.

Article, Margaret E. McIntosh, "An Historical Look at Gifted Education as it Relates to Reading Programs for the Gifted," ERIC Documents, October 1984, ED 244 472.

GRANTS

Awarded National Science Foundation Grant (Co-Principal Investigator; G. Bebis (PI), D. Egbert, M. McIntosh, E. Jacobson, Co-PIs), "Combined Research-Curriculum Development in Computer Vision," 2000 - 2003, \$497,751.

Awarded Faculty Enhancement Grant through office of the Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs—Undergraduate Instruction, University of Nevada, Reno, "Instructional Development, Effectiveness, and Attitude Seminars (IDEAS) for Professors," 1997-98, \$4000

Awarded Dwight D. Eisenhower Professional Development Program Grant, PR:OGRAMS (Project Results: Obtaining the Goal of Raising Achievement in Mathematics and Science), 1997-98, \$18,000

Awarded Faculty Enhancement Grant through office of the Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs—Undergraduate Instruction, University of Nevada, Reno, "Instructional Development, Effectiveness, and Attitude Seminars (IDEAS) for Professors," 1996-97, \$3875

Awarded Dwight D. Eisenhower Professional Development Program Grant, PR:OGRAMS (Project Results: Obtaining the Goal of Raising Achievement in Mathematics and Science), 1996-97, \$11,326

Awarded Faculty Enhancement Grant through office of the Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs—Undergraduate Instruction, University of Nevada, Reno, "Instructional Development, Effectiveness, and Attitude Seminars (IDEAS) for Professors," 1994-95, \$3875

Awarded International Reading Association's Gertrude Whipple Professional Development Program Grant, "Teaching the Use of Reading and Writing Strategies for the Enhancement of Learning in Middle School and High School Mathematics Classrooms," 1989, \$3,000.

Awarded University of Nevada, Reno Junior Faculty Research Award, "Applications of the Model for Classifying the Evidence Provided by Children of Their Metalinguistic Sentience," 1988-1989, \$9,000.

Awarded Gifted Students Institute Grant-in-Aid, "An Ethnographic Study of the Metalinguistic Awareness of Young Gifted Children: Its Reflection of Cognitive Ability and Its Relationship to Reading Acquisition and Reading Learning," 1986-1987, \$2,000.

Awarded National Council of Teachers of English Research Foundation Grant-in-Aid, with M. Jean Greenlaw, "An Ethnographic Study of the Metalinguistic Awareness of Young Gifted

Children: Its Reflection of Cognitive Ability and Its Relationship to Reading Acquisition," 1986-1987, \$5,877.

Awarded North Texas State University faculty research grant, with M. Jean Greenlaw, "An Ethnographic Study of the Metalinguistic Awareness of Young Gifted Children," 1986-1987, \$3,500.

Awarded North Texas State University faculty research grant, with M. Jean Greenlaw, "High Fantasy Literature and Inference Development," 1985-1986, \$2,100.

Awarded North Texas State University faculty research grant, with M. Jean Greenlaw, "Using Literature to Increase the Ability to Draw Inferences," 1984-1985, \$4,100.

Awarded grant for research on the gifted, with M. Jean Greenlaw, North Texas State University/Texas Woman's University Chapter, Phi Delta Kappa, 1983, \$300.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES/SERVICE

Evaluator, WINSET (Workforce Initiative for Nevada Students in Engineering and Technology; an NSF-funded project), Western Nevada Community College, 2003 - 2004

Consulting Editor, The Clearing House, Heldref Publications, 2003

Ex-Officio Board Member, Coral Academy of Science Charter School, Reno, NV 2002-2003

Reviewer, Book Manuscript on Culturally Diverse Children's Literature, Allyn & Bacon Publishers, November 2002

Member, Advisory Board, Nevada Association for the Gifted and Talented, 2002-2003

Reviewer, Book Manuscript on Children's Literature, Allyn & Bacon Publishers, July 2002

Reviewer, Book Manuscript on Children's Literature, Allyn & Bacon Publishers, June 2002

Consulting Editor, The Clearing House, Heldref Publications, 2002

Committee Member, Nevada Semenza Christian Teaching Award, Reynolds School of Journalism, University of Nevada, Reno, Spring 2001

Consulting Editor, The Clearing House, Heldref Publications, 2001

Reviewer, Book Manuscript on Children's Literature, Allyn & Bacon Publishers, 2001

Consulting Editor, The Clearing House, Heldref Publications, 2000

Event Coordinator, "Your Own Way: A Daylong Event for 8th Grade Girls in the WCSD," a joint service of Professional Saleswomen of Nevada, Partners in Education, Junior Achievement, and the University of Nevada, Reno, Fall 1999 - Spring 2000

Member, Excellence in Education Committee (to choose a Washoe County School District teacher each month to be honored for excellent teaching), a joint service of Channel 4, Northern Nevada Medical Center, and Sierra Schools Credit Union 1999 - 2000

Facilitator, Racial Justice Institute, Board Retreat, YWCA, June 1999

Panel Member, "Raising the Bar for Our Students and Employees/Education vs. Training," Leadership Reno-Sparks Alumni Meeting, Desert Research Institute, June 1999

Consulting Editor, The Clearing House, Heldref Publications, 1999

Referee, Mathematics Teacher, National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, 1999

Referee, Mathematics Teaching in the Middle School, National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, 1999

Member, Excellence in Education Committee (to choose a Washoe County School District teacher each month to be honored for excellent teaching), a joint service of Channel 4, Northern Nevada Medical Center, and Sierra Schools Credit Union 1998-1999 school year

Event Coordinator, "Your Own Way: A Daylong Event for 8th Grade Girls in the WCSD," a joint service of Professional Saleswomen of Nevada, Partners in Education, Junior Achievement, and the University of Nevada, Reno, Fall 98 - Spring 99

Member, Publications Committee, International Reading Association, 1998-99

Consulting Editor, The Clearing House, Heldref Publications, 1998

Referee, Mathematics Teacher, National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, 1998

Referee, Mathematics Teaching in the Middle School, National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, 1998

Member, Editorial Advisory Board, Writing Teacher, 1998

Member, Gifted and Talented Advisory Council, Washoe County School District, 1997-98

Reviewer, Book Manuscript on Gifted Education, Harcourt Brace College Publishers, 1998

Founding Member, Board of Trustees, Sage Ridge School, Reno, NV, 1997-98

Invited Guest Editor, The Clearing House, August/September 1997 issue; Themed issue: *Communicating Mathematically*

Reviewer, Book Manuscript on Content Area Literacy, Houghton Mifflin, 1997

Member, Executive Committee, Excellence in Education, Inc. (creating a new private middle school for the Reno area)

Consulting Editor, The Clearing House, Heldref Publications, term beginning January 1997

Member, English/Language Arts Standards Advisory Board, Nevada Department of Education, 1997

Referee, Mathematics Teacher, National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, 1996-97

Referee, Mathematics Teaching in the Middle School, National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, 1996-97

Reviewer, Book proposal and partial manuscript on Content Area Literacy, Houghton Mifflin, 1996

Member, Editorial Advisory Board, Writing Teacher, 1996-97

Referee, Mathematics Teacher, National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, 1995-96

Referee, Mathematics Teaching in the Middle School, National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, 1995-96

Reviewer, Book Prospectus/Children's Literature, Delmar Publishing Company, 1995

Member, Editorial Advisory Board, Writing Teacher, 1995-96

Referee, Mathematics Teacher, National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, 1994-95

Referee, Mathematics Teaching in the Middle School, National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, 1994-95

Founding Member, Friends of the College of Education, University of Nevada, Reno, 1995

Member, Nevada State Committee of the Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges, Visiting Accreditation Team, McQueen High School, Reno, March 1995

Member, University Distinguished Teaching Award Selection Committee, University of Nevada, Reno, 1994-95

Member, Editorial Advisory Board, Writing Teacher, 1994-95

Member, Summer School Advisory Committee, University of Nevada, Reno, 1994-95

Reviewer, Book Prospectus/Children's Literature, Delmar Publishing Company, 1994

Member, Steering Committee, Hug High School (Reno) Restructuring Team, 1993-94

Member, Departmental Award for Teaching Selection Committee, University of Nevada, Reno, 1993-94

Member, Portfolio Teaching Mentor Program, University of Nevada, Reno, 1993-94

Referee, Mathematics Teacher, 1993-94

Member, Editorial Advisory Board, Writing Teacher, 1993-94

Chair, Summer School Advisory Committee, University of Nevada, Reno, 1993-94

President, University of Nevada, Reno Chapter of Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, 1992-1993

Team Resource Person, Washoe County School District Personal Education Plan Advisory Team for Gifted and Talented Students, 1993

Member, Editorial Advisory Board, Writing Teacher, 1992-93

Chair, Summer School Advisory Committee, University of Nevada, Reno, 1992-93

Guest reviewer for articles related to mathematics, Research in the Teaching of English, 1992-1993

College of Education Faculty Advisor, Phi Delta Kappa, 1992-1993

Vice-President, University of Nevada, Reno Chapter of Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, 1991-1992

Member, Editorial Advisory Board, Writing Teacher, 1991-92

Intellectual Freedom Officer, Nevada, IRA Intellectual Freedom Committee, 1991-1992

Member, State Research Advisory Council, Gifted and Talented, 1991-1992

Ex-Officio Director, Association for Educational Excellence, Reno, Nevada, 1990-1991, 1991-1992, 1992-1993

Member, Editorial Advisory Board, Writing Teacher, 1990-91

Secretary, University of Nevada, Reno Chapter of Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, 1990-1991

Member, Task Force to Review Licensure for Teachers of the Gifted and Talented, State of Nevada, Department of Education, 1990

Member, Steering Committee for 1992 Southwest Regional Conference of the National Council of Teachers of English

Member, Review Committee, The Mind's Eye Literary Magazine, 1990

Proposal reviewer, 1990 National Reading and Language Arts Conference, Miami, Florida

Curriculum and Instruction and Fantasy Bibliographer for The Year's Work in Children's Literature Studies, 1989

Treasurer, University of Nevada, Reno Chapter of Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, 1989-1990

Member, Committee on English Language Arts in Rural Schools, National Council of Teachers of English, 1989-1991

Proposal reviewer, 1989 National Reading Conference, Austin, Texas

Social Studies/Special Education curriculum consultant, Arlington I.S.D., Spring and Summer 1988

Program Chair, Doctoral Students' Assembly of N.C.T.E., 1986-1987

Founding member (and co-author of constitution and by-laws) of National Council of Teachers of English Doctoral Students Assembly

Chair, National Reading and Language Arts Educators Conference Program Selection Committee, 1986, 1987

Member, National Reading and Language Arts Educators Conference Steering Committee, 1985-1987

Member, Texas State Council/IRA Conference Signs Committee, March 1985

Member, National Reading and Language Arts Educators Conference Program Selection Committee, 1985

Member, N.T.S.U. Selection Committee of the 1985 Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities

Co-Chairperson, N.T.S.U. Reading Conference, February 1985

Alternate Delegate to Regional Convention, Phi Delta Kappa, District III, 1984-1985

Research Representative, N.T.S.U./T.W.U. Chapter, Phi Delta Kappa, 1984-1985, 1985-1986

Member, International Reading Association Young Authors Committee, 1984-1985, 1985-1986

Consultant to the National Council of Teachers of English Commission on the Education of Teachers of Reading, 1984-1986

Curriculum writer (for the gifted), Dallas Independent School District, 1983

Co-Editor of Worth Reading, N.T.S.U. Reading Newsletter, 1982-1983, 1983-1984, 1984-1985

Membership Chairperson, Jefferson City National Education Association, 1979-1980

President, Northeast Uniserv District, Missouri National Education Association, 1979-1980

Language Arts Co-Chairperson, Jefferson City Public Schools, 1978-1979, 1979-1980

AWARDS AND HONORS

Nominated for Professional Saleswomen of Nevada's Professional Saleswoman of the Year Award, 2000

Certificate of Recognition (based on nomination by others on campus), Women's Resource Center, National Women's History Month, March 2000

Recipient, 1998 Regents' Teaching Award, University and Community College System of Nevada

Nominated for 1997 Regents' Teaching Award, University and Community College System of Nevada

Honored as College of Education's Senior Scholar's most influential teacher, University of Nevada, Reno Alumni Association Senior Scholars Awards Dinner, Spring 1995

Awarded First Annual Students' Choice Award by students in College of Education, Student National Education Association, April 1995

Recognized at Manzanita and Juniper Residence Halls' 1st Annual Favorite Faculty Reception, University of Nevada, Reno, April 1995

Named as Official Announcer for University of Nevada, Reno graduation ceremonies, May 1994 - May 1999

Named as honorary member, Golden Key Honor Society, University of Nevada, Reno, November 1993

Named as Nevada Professor of the Year, sponsored by the Council for Advancement and Support of Education, September 1993

Nominated by University of Nevada, Reno for the 1993 United States Professor of the Year, sponsored by the Council for Advancement and Support of Education, June 1993

Honored as College of Education's Senior Scholar's most influential teacher, University of Nevada, Reno Alumni Association Senior Scholars Awards Dinner, Spring 1993

Named one of "Nevada's Most Wanted Professional Women," American Lung Association, January 1993

Recipient, Distinguished Teaching Award, University of Nevada, Reno, 1992

Named "Woman of Achievement" by Nevada Women's Foundation, 1992

First Runner Up, Distinguished Teaching Award, University of Nevada, Reno, 1991

Recipient, Cashell Teaching Award, College of Education, University of Nevada, Reno, 1991

Finalist, Distinguished Teaching Award, University of Nevada, Reno, 1990

Finalist, Cashell Teaching Award, College of Education, University of Nevada, Reno, 1990

Recipient, "Top Prof" Award, given by the N.T.S.U. Mortar Board Society, November 1987

Recipient, Stephens College Alumnae Outstanding Achievement Award for 1987

Member, Delta Kappa Gamma Honor Society for Women Educators, Iota Chapter

Excellence in Teaching Award, Jefferson City National Education Association, 1979-1980

Chosen by faculty and students of Stephens College to be the Baccalaureate speaker and to receive the honorary bachelor's hood, May 1977

Listed in Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities, 1975-1976, 1976-1977, 1983-1984, 1985-1986, 1987-1988, 1988-1989

TELESEMINARS (TAUGHT FOR PROFESSIONALS IN VARIOUS FIELDS)

Teleseminar (90 minutes), "Maximize Your Marketing Efforts When You're Short of Cash and Clients," September 2007

Teleseminar (Three 90 minute sessions), "Deputize...Then Delegate," July - August 2007

Teleseminar (90 minutes), "I Just Want to Be Whelmed," June 2007

Teleseminar (90 minutes), "Determining Your Value: Energy Charting for Your Professional and Personal Life," May 2007

Teleseminar (90 minutes), "Deliberately Designing Your Professional Presence," April 2007

Teleseminar (90 minutes), "Making a Break for It!" April 2007

Teleseminar (90 minutes), "Setting Up Your Business: The Have-to-Have's and the Nice-to-Have's," March 2007

Teleseminar (90 minutes), "Knowing and Operating from Your Strengths," March 2007

Teleseminar (90 minutes), "Developing a Curriculum Vita," February 2007

STAFF DEVELOPMENT PRESENTATIONS/CONSULTATIONS

BUSINESS/PROFESSIONAL COMMUNITY

Professional Development, "Make a Difference (and Make Money) Teaching Teachers," (www.MakeaDifferenceandMakeMoney.com), An Emphasis on Excellence Seminar, Reno (NV), July 2007

Professional Development, "Make a Difference (and Make Money) Teaching Teachers," (www.MakeaDifferenceandMakeMoney.com), An Emphasis on Excellence Seminar, Reno (NV), June 2007

Professional Development, "Getting Organized (GO)" Seminar, (with Rena Hanks), Reno (NV), May 2007

Professional Development, "Getting Organized (GO)" Seminar, High Tech Center/Great Basin College, Elko (NV), March 2007

"8-Hour Miracle™" for CPA at a large construction and building management enterprise, January 2007

Professional Development, "Getting Organized (GO)" Seminar, High Tech Center/Great Basin College, Elko (NV), August 2006

Professional Development, "Getting Organized (GO)" Seminar, (with Rena Hanks), Morrison University, Reno (NV), June 2006

Professional Development, "Getting Organized (GO)" Seminar, (with Rena Hanks), University Inn, University of Nevada, Reno, February 2006

Professional Development, "Getting Organized (GO)" Seminar, (with Rena Hanks), University Inn, University of Nevada, Reno, November 2005

Continuing Education, NxLevel for Entrepreneurs, "Make a Break for It! Why Leave a Safe, Secure, and Prestigious Position (Why Not?!)" Nevada Small Business Development Center, April 2005

Continuing Education for Professional Certificate Programs, "Time and Paper Management," Extended Studies, University of Nevada, Reno, Elko (NV), April 2004

Continuing Education, "Mastering Leadership Competencies: Producer Role," Extended Studies, University of Nevada, Reno, April 2004

Continuing Education, "Mastering Leadership Competencies: Coordinator Role," Extended Studies, University of Nevada, Reno, March 2004

Professional Development, "Input, Throughput, Output: Managing What Comes In, What Gets Done, and What Goes Out," an Emphasis on Excellence, Inc. Seminar, Reno (NV), February 2004

Luncheon Keynote, "Using a Not-to-Do List: Determining What Does and Doesn't Need to Be Done," Reno-Sparks Chamber of Commerce, Reno (NV), February 2004

Leadership Development, "Keeping Chaos at Bay: Proactive & Realistic Strategies for Time, Paper, and Life Management for Women," WeACT (Women Executives Accelerating Change Today), Reno (NV), February 2004

Leadership, Management, Supervisory Team (of the Atlantis), "10 Key Practices for Keeping Chaos at Bay," Atlantis Casino Resort, Reno (NV), January 2004

Continuing Education for Professional Certificate Programs, "Time and Paper Management," Extended Studies, University of Nevada, Reno, November 2003

Staff Development, "Read Faster/Remember More," Part of the Results-Based Leadership Series offered by St. Mary's Learning Institute, St. Mary's Health Network (Community), Reno, November 2003

Staff Development, "Input, Throughput, Output: Managing What Comes In, What Gets Done, and What Goes Out," Part of the Results-Based Leadership Series offered by St. Mary's Learning Institute, St. Mary's Health Network (Community), Reno, October 2003

Continuing Education, "Mastering Leadership Competencies: Producer Role," Nevada State Bank, Extended Studies, University of Nevada, Reno, October 2003

"8-Hour Miracle™" for The Media Center, October 2003

Staff Development, "Getting from To Do...to Done," Part of the Results-Based Leadership Series offered by St. Mary's Learning Institute, St. Mary's Health Network (Community), Reno, September 2003

Continuing Education, "Mastering Leadership Competencies: Coordinator Role," Nevada State Bank, Extended Studies, University of Nevada, Reno, September 2003

Continuing Education, "Mastering Leadership Competencies: Producer Role," Nevada State Bank, Extended Studies, University of Nevada, Reno, June 2003

Continuing Education, "Mastering Leadership Competencies: Coordinator Role," Nevada State Bank, Extended Studies, University of Nevada, Reno, May 2003

Continuing Education for Professional Certificate Programs, "Time and Paper Management," Extended Studies, University of Nevada, Reno, April 2003

Staff Development, "Focus—Achieving Your Highest Priorities," Part of the Results-Based Leadership Series offered by St. Mary's Learning Institute, St. Mary's Health Network (Community), Reno, March 2003

Sales Training, "Managing Your Time, Paper, and Information—Yes! It Can Be Done!" BoothCreek Resorts, Northstar (CA), February 2003

Staff Development, "Getting It Done Right—the First Time!" IT Department, St. Mary's Health Network, Reno, January 2003

Staff Development, "Focus—Achieving Your Highest Priorities," Part of the Results-Based Leadership Series offered by St. Mary's Learning Institute, St. Mary's Health Network (Community), Reno, January 2003

Staff Development, "Getting It Done Right—the First Time!" Part of the Results-Based Leadership Series offered by St. Mary's Learning Institute, St. Mary's Health Network (Community), Reno, January 2003

Staff Development, "Getting It Done Right—the First Time!" Part of the Results-Based Leadership Series offered by St. Mary's Learning Institute, St. Mary's Health Network (Community), Reno, May 2002

Continuing Education for Professional Certificate Programs, "Time and Paper Management,"
College of Extended Studies, University of Nevada, Reno, May 2002

Staff Development, "Getting It Done Right—the First Time!/Results-Based Leadership Series"
St. Mary's Learning Institute, St. Mary's Health Network (internal), Reno, May 2002

Continuing Education for Professional Certificate Programs, "Time and Paper Management,"
College of Extended Studies, Day Zimmerman Hawthorne Corporation, Hawthorne (NV),
May 2002

Staff Development, "Managing Your Time, Managing Your Paper (Yes, It Can Be Done!)," Bible,
Hoy, & Trachok Law Firm, Reno (NV), September 2001

Staff Development, "What Matters Most®," Thornton Enterprises, Reno (NV), September 2001

Continuing Education for Professional Certificate Programs, "Time and Paper Management,"
College of Extended Studies, University of Nevada, Reno, April 2001

Manager Training, "Managing Your Time, Managing Your Paper (Yes, It Can Be Done!)" Carson
Valley Inn, Minden (NV), March 2001

Professional Development, "Read Faster and Remember More," Emphasis on Excellence, Inc.
public seminar, Carson City (NV), July 2000

Staff Development, "Managing Your Time, Managing Your Paper (Yes, It Can Be Done!),"
Emphasis on Excellence, Inc. public seminar, Carson City (NV), June 2000

Staff Development, "How to Increase Your Personal and Professional Power," Successful
Images, Reno (NV), January 2000

In-Service, "Presentation Skills for Women," University of Kansas, Edwards Campus, Business
Community, June 1999

In-Service, "Critical and Creative Thinking about Supervision," University of Kansas, Edwards
Campus, MBA and MA Students, June 1999

In-Service, "Critical and Creative Thinking: The Same or Different—and Does It Matter?"
University of Kansas, Edwards Campus, MBA and MA Students, April 1999

Speaker, "Tips for Managing Your Time and Staying Organized," St. Mary's Health Promotions
Network, May 1998

Speaker, "Self-Imposed Organizational Strategies for the Organizationally Challenged,"
Professional Saleswomen of Nevada Seminar Series, May 1998

Speaker, "Enhancing Business Management for a More Effective Organization," American Warehousing Association, Advanced Course, The Center for Logistics Management, University of Nevada, Reno, September 1997

Staff Development, "Time Management," American Warehousing Association, Advanced Course, The Center for Logistics Management, University of Nevada, Reno, September 1996

Professional Development, "Managing the Office for Efficient Production," Roseman Advertising, Reno, July 1996

Professional Development, "Increasing Efficiency and Effectiveness with a Planning System," Roseman Advertising, Reno, June 1996

Professional Development, "Active Learning (What other kind is there, right?!)" Great Basin Trainers Association Conference, Winnemucca (NV), May 1996

Professional Development, "Maintaining a Professional and Productive Desk and Filing System," Roseman Advertising, Reno, May 1996

Professional Development, "Time and Paper Management for Professionals," Executive Skill Builders Series, Division of Continuing Education, University of Nevada, Reno, March 1996

Professional Development, "Read Faster, Comprehend More," Executive Skill Builders Series, Division of Continuing Education, University of Nevada, Reno, February 1996

Staff Development, "Time Management for Managers," Electro-Tech, Inc., Sparks (NV), January 1996

Professional Development, "Read Faster, Comprehend More," Executive Skill Builders Series, Division of Continuing Education, University of Nevada, Reno, October 1995

Professional Development, "Read Faster, Comprehend More," Executive Skill Builders Series, Division of Continuing Education, University of Nevada, Reno, September 1995

Staff Development, "Time Management," American Warehousing Association, Advanced Course, The Center for Logistics Management, University of Nevada, Reno, September 1995

Staff Development, "Time Management," Coca-Cola Non-Carbonated Beverages Management Skills Development Course, The Center for Logistics Management, University of Nevada, Reno, January 1995

GOVERNMENT AGENCIES/ASSOCIATIONS

Leadership Development, "Focus: Achieving Your Highest Priorities through Increased Effectiveness and Efficiency," City of Reno (NV) Manager & Supervisor Toolkit Seminar, October 2007

Leadership Development, "What's in Your Toolkit Now?" City of Reno (NV) Manager & Supervisor's Toolkit Seminar, May 2007

Leadership Development, "Deputize...then Delegate," City of Reno (NV) Manager & Supervisor Toolkit Seminar, February 2007

Leadership Development, "Focus: Achieving Your Highest Priorities through Increased Effectiveness and Efficiency," City of Reno (NV) Manager & Supervisor Toolkit Seminar, March 2007

Leadership Development, "Project Management," City of Reno (NV) Manager & Supervisor Toolkit, January 2007

"8-Hour Miracle"™, USDA Forest Service, Portland (OR), November 2006

Leadership Development, "Effective, Productive, Exciting, and (Gasp) Worthwhile Meetings," City of Reno (NV) Business Update, August 2006

Leadership Development, "Managing Your Stress, Your Time, and Your Life," City of Reno (NV) Manager's and Supervisor's Toolkit Seminar, June 2006

Leadership Development, "Deputize...then Delegate," City of Reno (NV) Manager's and Supervisor's Toolkit Seminar, March 2006

Leadership Development, "Effective, Productive, Exciting, and Worthwhile Meetings," City of Reno (NV) Manager's and Supervisor's Toolkit Seminar, February 2006

Leadership Development, "Keeping Chaos at Bay," City of Reno (NV), January 2006

Staff Development, "Focus: Achieving Your Highest Priorities through Increased Effectiveness and Efficiency," Bureau of Land Management (Mineral Adjudication Division), Reno (NV), November 2005

Staff Development, "Increasing the Pass Rate on Civil Service Exams, Part 3," City of Reno (NV), June 2005

Leadership Development, "Keeping Chaos at Bay," City of Reno (NV), April 2005

Leadership Development, "Deputize...then Delegate," City of Reno (NV) Manager's and Supervisor's Toolkit Seminar, March 2005

Staff Development, "Keeping Chaos at Bay," Administrative Aide Retreat, City of Reno (NV), March 2005

Leadership Development, "Managing Information Overload," City of Reno (NV), March 2005

Professional Development, "Be the Emperor/Empress of Your Email: Command Its Appearance, Control Its Impact, Conclude Its Fate," Sierra Nevada Chapter of American Records Managers and Administrators (ARMA), Sparks (NV), September 2004

Staff Development, "Increasing the Pass Rate on Civil Service Exams, Part 2," City of Reno (NV), August 2004

Staff Development, "Increasing the Pass Rate on Civil Service Exams," City of Reno (NV), June 2004

Management/Business Update, "How Productive Are You and Your Employees?" City of Reno (NV), March 2004

Staff Development, "Time and Paper Management: Increase Your Effectiveness and Efficiency," City of Reno (NV), February 2004

Staff Development, "Time and Paper Management: Increase Your Effectiveness and Efficiency," City of Reno (NV), January 2003

Staff Development, "Time and Paper Management: Increase Your Effectiveness and Efficiency," City of Reno (NV), February 2002

Staff Development, "How to Keep All the Plates Spinning...No Matter What "Shape" You're In!" Mojave County Department of Health and Human Services, Kingman (AZ), August 2001

Continuing Education, "Developing Performance Objectives," Nevada POST (Peace Officers Standards and Training), Carson City (NV), June 2001

Staff Development, "Managing Your Time, Managing Your Paper (Yes, It Can Be Done!)" Washoe County Library, Reno (NV), March 2001

Staff Development, "Managing Your Time, Managing Your Paper (Yes, It Can Be Done!)" Washoe County Human Resources Department, Reno (NV), February 2001

Staff Development, "Managing Your Time, Managing Your Paper (Yes, It Can Be Done!)" Washoe County Human Resources Department, Reno (NV), December 2000

Staff Development, "Building Time Management Skills as a Team...No Matter What "Shape" You're In!" USDA/Nevada Farm Services Agency, Reno (NV), November 2000

Staff Development, "Stress Management—What "Shape" Are You In?" Clark County Libraries, Las Vegas (NV), June 2000

Staff Development, "Developing Performance Objectives," Nevada Peace Officers, Reno (NV), May 2000

UNIVERSITY/COLLEGE COMMUNITY

Faculty Development, "Fierce Conversations: Their Value and Their Necessity," "Conciliating the Tiger," and "Energized, Efficient, and Engaging Classes," University of Texas, El Paso (TX), January 2007

"8-Hour Miracle"™, Grant-funded special project office, University of Nevada, Reno, November 2006

Faculty Development, "Keeping Chaos at Bay (Even When They Keep Speeding Up the Line!)" Brigham Young University, Provo (UT), October 2006

Staff Development, "Keeping Chaos at Bay (Even When They Keep Speeding Up the Line!)" Garden City Community College (KS), August 2006

Staff Development, "Building a Strengths-Based Team (Focusing on Strengths vs. "Addressing" Weaknesses), Faculty of Education, Brock University, St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada; February 2006

Staff Development, "Building a Strengths-Based Team (Focusing on Strengths vs. "Addressing" Weaknesses), Faculty of Education, Brock University, St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada; videoconferenced class, January 2006

Faculty Development, "Time/Stress Budget Out of Whack? Get Control of the Budget!" Denison University, Granville (OH), October 2005

Staff Development, "Keeping Chaos at Bay (Even When They Keep Speeding Up the Line!)" State University of New York (SUNY) Geneseo, August 2005

Staff Development, "Keeping Chaos at Bay (Even When They Keep Speeding Up the Line!)" New Mexico State University, Las Cruces (NM), May 2005

Faculty & Graduate Student Development, "Keeping Chaos at Bay (Even When They Keep Speeding Up the Line!)" New Mexico State University, Las Cruces (NM), May 2005

Faculty & Graduate Student Development, "Keeping Chaos at Bay (Even When They Keep Speeding Up the Line!)" University of Texas, El Paso (TX), May 2005

Staff Development & Consulting, "Filing What You Have, Finding What You File," CASAT, University of Nevada, Reno, March - May 2005

Staff Development, "Focus—Achieving Your Highest Priorities," CASAT, University of Nevada, Reno, January 2005

Faculty & Staff Development, "A Quest for Selfishness: Achieving Consciousness, Clarity, and Conviction about the Value, Necessity, and Power of being Selfish," a seminar & coaching event co-sponsored by Emphasis on Excellence, Inc. & Pillar Consulting, LLC, University of Nevada, Reno (NV), January - March 2005

Faculty & Staff Development, "Keeping Chaos at Bay: Productive and Realistic Strategies for Time, Paper, and Life Management," Denison University, Granville (OH), October 2004

Faculty & Staff Development, "Be the Emperor/Empress of Your Email: Command Its Appearance, Control Its Impact, Conclude Its Fate," Denison University, Granville (OH), October 2004

Faculty Development, "Handling Hordes: Teaching Large Classes Effectively," Excellence in Teaching Program, University of Nevada, Reno, August 2004

Staff Development, "Feeding the Tiger: Do You Have a Choice?" University of Nevada, Reno, College of Liberal Arts Staff Retreat, Reno (NV), August 2004

Staff Development, "Using Our Head (Brain) When We Teach (and that means not just using our head!)" Summer Institute for Addiction and Prevention Studies, CASAT (Center for the Application of Substance Abuse Technologies), Las Vegas (NV), August 2004

Staff Development, "Keeping Chaos at Bay: Productive and Realistic Strategies for Time, Paper, and Life Management," Shawnee State University, Portsmouth (OH), May 2004

Dinner Presentation, "Creating Your Not-to-Do List," Shawnee State University, Portsmouth (OH), May 2004

Staff Development, "Keeping Chaos at Bay: Productive and Realistic Strategies for Time, Paper, and Life Management," Marshall University, Huntington (WV), April 2004

Faculty Development, "Designing an Effective Syllabus," Geriatric Interdisciplinary Summer Internship (GISI) workshop, University of Nevada School of Medicine, Reno (NV), February - March 2004

Faculty Development, "Making the First Day Successful," through the Excellence in Teaching Program, University of Nevada, Reno, January 2004

Staff Development, "Becoming a Strengths-Based Organization," CASAT (Center for the Application of Substance Abuse Technologies), University of Nevada, Reno, December 2003

Faculty Development, "Using Active Learning Strategies in the University Classroom," University of Nevada, Reno, October 2003

Leadership Training, "Developing a Strengths-Based Organization," CASAT (Center for the Application of Substance Abuse Technologies), University of Nevada, Reno, October 2003

Faculty Development, "Keeping Chaos at Bay: Proactive and Realistic Strategies for Time, Paper, and Life Management," Ohio University-Southern Faculty and Administrators, Ironton (OH), September 2003

Faculty Development, "Managing Time, Paper, and Information: Creating a Productive Professional (and Personal) Life," Ohio University Faculty, Athens (OH), September 2003

Faculty Development, "Productivity and Promise(s)," Ohio University Administrators, Athens (OH), September 2003

Staff Development, "Priorities, Passions, Pleasures, & Promises: Doing What You Need to Do, Doing What You Want to Do," Food for Health and Soul, University of Nevada Cooperative Extension, Las Vegas (NV), September 2003

Staff Development, "Keeping Chaos at Bay: Proactive Strategies for Managing Your Time" Nevada Food Stamp Nutrition Education Plan, Reno (NV), August 2003

Faculty Development Series, IDEAS for Professors (Instructional Development, Effectiveness, and Attitude Seminars), University of Nevada, Reno, August - November 2003

Staff Development, "Responding to Classroom Predicaments," Graduate School Instructional Development Program, University of Nevada, Reno, August 2003

Faculty Development, "Developing an Excellent Syllabus," University of Nevada, Reno, August 2003

Training, "Priorities, Passions, Pleasures, & Promises: Doing What You Need to Do, Doing What You Want to Do," Alumni Relations, University of Nevada, Reno, July 2003

Faculty Development, "Developing Effective Assignments," University of Nevada, Reno, July 2003

Staff Development, "Read Faster/Remember More," University of Nevada, Reno, June 2003

Staff Development, "Focus—Achieving Your Highest Priorities," University of Nevada, Reno, April 2003

Staff Development, "Increasing Engagement (and Learning!) through Interactive Lectures," Food for Health & Soul, University of Nevada Cooperative Extension, Las Vegas (NV), March 2003

Faculty Development, "Managing Your Time, Paper, and Information—Yes! It Can Be Done!" New Mexico State University Teaching Academy, Las Cruces (NM), February 2003

Staff Development, "Leadership in Difficult Times," UNR Foundation, University of Nevada, Reno, January 2003

Faculty Development, "The Semester Ahead—Getting Started on the Right Foot," University of Nevada, Reno, January 2003

Staff Development, "Responding to Classroom Predicaments," Graduate School Instructional Development Program, University of Nevada, Reno, January 2003

Staff Development, "Let's Get Organized!" Nevada Food Stamp Nutrition Education Plan, Las Vegas (NV), January 2003

Faculty Development, "Developing a Teaching Portfolio," University of Nevada, Reno, September - October 2002

Staff Development, "Managing Your Time, Managing Your Paper (Yes, It Can Be Done!)," University of Nevada, Reno, August 2002

Faculty Development, "Increasing Student Engagement (and Learning) Using Interactive Lectures," University of Nevada School of Medicine, August 2002

Faculty Development, "Developing an Excellent Syllabus," University of Nevada, Reno, August 2002

Faculty Development, "Handling Hordes: Teaching Large Classes Effectively," University of Nevada, Reno, August 2002

Faculty Development, "Developing Effective Assignments," University of Nevada, Reno, July 2002

Staff Development, "Read Faster/Remember More," University of Nevada, Reno, July 2002

Faculty Development, "Teaching Critical Thinking and Deep Learning," (facilitation) University of Nevada, Reno, June 2002

Staff Development, "Teaching Adult Learners," Western Center for the Application of Substance Abuse Technologies (Western CAPT), University of Nevada, Reno, June 2002

Faculty and Staff Development, "What Matters Most[®]," University of Nevada, Reno, April 2002

Faculty Development, "Maximizing Program Effectiveness Using Compressed Video," Cooperative Extension, University of Nevada, Reno, March 2002

Faculty Development, "Fostering Critical and Creative Thinking: A Workshop for the College of Engineering and the Mackay School of Mines," University of Nevada, Reno, February - March 2002

Staff Development, "Responding to Classroom Predicaments," Graduate School Instructional Development Program, University of Nevada, Reno, January 2002

Staff Development, "Communicating Effectively (No Matter What "Shape" You're In!)," Student Services, University of Nevada, Reno, November 2001

Staff Development, "What Matters Most®," Western Center for the Application of Substance Abuse Technologies (Western CAPT), University of Nevada, Reno, November 2001

Faculty and Staff Development, "What Matters Most®," University of Nevada, Reno, October 2001

Faculty Development, "Preparing for (and Having) a Great Semester," (for College of Education LOAs and new faculty), University of Nevada, Reno, August 2001

Faculty Development, "First Day of Class," New Faculty Orientation, University of Nevada, Reno August 2001

Staff Development, "Responding to Classroom Predicaments," Graduate School Instructional Development Program, University of Nevada, Reno, August 2001

Faculty and Staff Development, "What Matters Most®," University of Nevada, Reno, July 2001

Staff Development, "Effectively Teaching Adult Learners," Center for the Application of Substance Abuse Technologies (CASAT), University of Nevada, Reno, June 2001

Faculty and Staff Development, "What Matters Most®," University of Nevada, Reno, April 2001

Staff Development, "Real Time Demands with Declining Resources: How Can We Manage Time and Paper?" 2001 Student Services Symposium, University and Community College System of Nevada, April 2001

Faculty Development, "Developing a Teaching Portfolio," University of Nevada, Reno, March/April 2000

Faculty Development, "Developing Effective Assignments," University of Nevada, Reno, February/March 2001

Faculty Development, "Helping Students Become Strategic Learners," Western Nevada Community College, Carson City (NV), January 2001

Faculty Development, "Developing an Effective Syllabus," University of Nevada, Reno, January 2001

Faculty and Staff Development, "What Matters Most®," University of Nevada, Reno, a special workshop for deans, department chairs, and administrative assistants, January 2001

Staff Development, "Responding to Classroom Predicaments," Graduate School Instructional Development Program, University of Nevada, Reno, January 2001

Faculty and Staff Development, "What Matters Most®," University of Nevada, Reno, January 2001

Staff Development, "Effectively Teaching Adult Learners," Western Center for the Application of Substance Abuse Technologies (Western CAPT), University of Nevada, Reno, December 2000

Faculty Development, "Developing Performance Assessments," Quality Undergraduate Education (QUE) Project, Sponsored by the Education Trust and the National Association of System Heads (NASH), Nevada State Meeting, Reno, December 2000.

Faculty and Staff Development, "What Matters Most®," University of Nevada, Reno, November 2000

Staff Development, "Team Building: Geometric Psychology," Truckee Meadows Community College, Reno (NV), October 2000

Faculty Development, "Developing a Teaching Portfolio," University of Nevada, Reno, October 2000

Faculty Development, "Effective Teaching," University of Nevada School of Medicine, Las Vegas (NV), September 2000

Faculty Development, "Preparing for (and Having) a Great Semester," (for LOAs and new faculty), University of Nevada, Reno, August 2000

Faculty Development, "Becoming a Faculty Consultant," University of Nevada, Reno, August 2000 - May 2001

Faculty Development, "First Day of Class," New Faculty Orientation, University of Nevada, Reno August 2000

Faculty Development, "Developing an Effective Syllabus," University of Nevada, Reno, August 2000

Staff Development, "Responding to Classroom Predicaments," Graduate School Instructional Development Program, University of Nevada, Reno, August 2000

Faculty Development, "Developing an Effective Syllabus," Western Nevada Community College, August 2000

Staff Development, "Time Management for Home and Office," Cooperative Extension Retreat, Mesquite (NV), August 2000

Faculty Development Series, IDEAS for Professors (Instructional Development, Effectiveness, and Attitude Seminars), University of Nevada, Reno, July 2000

Faculty Development, "How to Teach Teachers Effectively—and Make Money at the Same Time," University of Nevada, Reno, June 2000

Faculty Development, "Effectively Teaching Educators," Northwest Regional Professional Development Program/University of Nevada, Reno, May 2000

Faculty Development, "Developing Effective Assignments," University of Nevada, Reno, May 2000

(Future) Faculty Development, "Effective Presentation Skills," Social Psychology club (Ph.D. students), University of Nevada, Reno, March 2000

Faculty Development, "How Do You Know When Someone Understands?" Family Medical Center Physicians, University of Nevada School of Medicine, March - April 2000

Speaker, "Using Active Learning Strategies to Engage Your Audience," training for Your Own Way Presenters, Junior Achievement, March 2000

Faculty Development, "Using Active Learning Strategies in the College Classroom," Western Nevada Community College, February 2000

Faculty Development, "Evaluating a Teaching Portfolio: A workshop for Deans, Department Chairs, and Members of Promotion/Tenure Committees," University of Nevada, Reno, February 2000

Faculty Development, "Teaching Students to be Strategic Learners," Great Basin College (NV), January 2000

Faculty Development, "Designing an Excellent Syllabus," Truckee Meadows Community College (NV), January 2000

Faculty Development, "Making the First Day Successful," Western Nevada Community College, January 2000

Faculty Development Series, IDEAS for Professors (Instructional Development, Effectiveness, and Attitude Seminars), University of Nevada, Reno, January - March 2000 (f2f and via Distance Education)

Faculty Development, "Teaching Students to be Strategic Learners," First Year Experience Faculty, University of Nevada, Reno, January 2000

Staff Development, "Responding to Classroom Predicaments," Graduate School Instructional Development Program, University of Nevada, Reno, January 2000

Faculty Development, "Designing an Excellent Syllabus," University of Nevada, Reno, January 2000

Faculty Development, "Developing a Teaching Portfolio," University of Nevada, Reno, September/October 1999

Faculty Development, "Developing Effective Assignments," University of Nevada, Reno, September/October 1999

Speaker, "Becoming a Strategic Learner," Chemical Engineering First Year Experience class, August 1999

Faculty Development, "Developing Effective Assignments," Great Basin College, Elko (NV), August 1999

Faculty Development, "Seminars for New Faculty," University of Nevada, Reno, August - December 1999

Faculty Development, "Becoming a Faculty Consultant," University of Nevada, Reno, August - February 2000

Speaker, "The First Day of Class," New Faculty Orientation, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1999

Staff Development, "Responding to Classroom Predicaments," Graduate Student Instructional Development Program, Fall Training, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1999

Faculty Development, "Developing an Effective Syllabus," University of Nevada, Reno, August 1999

Faculty Development, "Read Faster/Comprehend More," University of Nevada, Reno, July 1999

Faculty Development Series, IDEAS for Professors (Instructional Development, Effectiveness, and Attitude Seminars), University of Nevada, Reno, July 1999

Staff Development, "What is Your E-Value," College of Education, University of Nevada, Reno, July 1999

Staff Development, "Learning Outcomes," Student Services, University of Nevada, Reno, July 1999

Faculty Development/Consulting, "Teaching for Critical and Creative Thinking," William Allen White School of Journalism and Mass Communications, University of Kansas, April 1999

Facilitator, Task Force on Teaching and Learning Excellence, University of Nevada School of Medicine, Las Vegas, February - May 1999

Faculty Development, "Peer Evaluation," Department of Nutrition, University of Nevada, Reno, March 1999

Faculty Development, "Developing Effective Assignments, Advanced Level," University of Nevada, Reno, February - March 1999

Faculty Development, "Developing a Teaching Portfolio," University of Nevada, Reno, February - March 1999

Faculty Development, "Teaching for Understanding," "Collaborative Learning," and "Learning Styles," Mackay School of Mines, University of Nevada, Reno, January - March 1999

Faculty Development, "Developing Effective Assignments," University of Nevada, Reno, January/February 1999

Faculty Development Series, IDEAS for Professors (Instructional Development, Effectiveness, and Attitude Seminars), University of Nevada, Reno, January - March 1999

Staff Development, "Responding to Classroom Predicaments," Graduate Student Instructional Development Program, Fall Training, University of Nevada, Reno, January 1999

Faculty Development, "Developing an Effective Syllabus," Great Basin College, January 1999

Faculty Development, "Active Learning," Great Basin College, January 1999

Faculty Development, "Developing an Effective Syllabus," University of Nevada, Reno, January 1999

Faculty Development, "Developing Critical and Creative Thinking," William Allen White School of Journalism & Mass Communications, University of Kansas, October 1998

Faculty Development Series, IDEAS for Professors (Instructional Development, Effectiveness, and Attitude Seminars), University of Nevada, Reno, August - October 1998

Faculty Development, "Evaluating a Teaching Portfolio," (taught with Marsha Read), University of Nevada, Reno, Fall 1998

Faculty Development, "Developing a Teaching Portfolio" (taught with Marsha Read), University of Nevada, Reno, Fall 1998

Faculty Development, "Designing Effective Assignments," University of Nevada, Reno, Fall 1998

Speaker, "The First Day of Class," New Faculty Orientation, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1998

Staff Development, "Responding to Classroom Predicaments," Graduate Student Instructional Development Program, Fall Training, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1998

Faculty Development, "Developing an Effective Syllabus," University of Nevada, Reno, July 1998

Faculty Development, "Ensuring Active Engagement in Freshmen Classes," University of Nevada, Reno, June 1998

Faculty Development, "Time and Paper Management for University Faculty," University of Nevada, Reno, July 1998

Faculty Development, "Read Faster/Comprehend More," University of Nevada, Reno, June 1998

Facilitator, "Developing Teaching Portfolios," University of Nevada, Reno, March/April 1998

Speaker, "Quick Tips for Staying Organized," Wellness Center Series, March 1998, University of Nevada, Reno

Speaker, "What do you do to keep your audience from falling asleep?"; "Your teaching personality can either be the problem...or the solution;" "Using questions to engage learners and facilitate their learning," (3 presentations) CMPP 760/Communications in Pharmacology and Physiology, January & February 1998

Faculty Development Series, IDEAS for Professors (Instructional Development, Effectiveness, and Attitude Seminars), University of Nevada, Reno, January - April 1998

Staff Development, "Responding to Classroom Predicaments," Graduate Student Instructional Development Program, Spring Training, University of Nevada, Reno, January 1998

Speaker, "The First Day of Class," New Faculty Orientation, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1997

Staff Development, "Responding to Classroom Predicaments," Graduate Student Instructional Development Program, Fall Training, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1997

Faculty Development Series, IDEAS for Professors (Instructional Development, Effectiveness, and Attitude Seminars), University of Nevada, Reno, August - November 1997

Faculty Development, "Read Faster/Comprehend More," University of Nevada, Reno, July 1997

Faculty Development, "Time and Paper Management for University Faculty," University of Nevada, Reno, July 1997

Staff Development, "Efficiency & Organization for Office Managers and Secretaries," College of Education Staff Council Retreat, May 1997

Faculty Development, "Fostering Critical Thinking Through Excellent Instruction," Reynolds School of Journalism, University of Nevada, Reno, March 1997

Faculty Development Series, IDEAS for Professors (Instructional Development, Effectiveness, and Attitude Seminars), University of Nevada, Reno, January - April 1997 (1 section offered, 30 professors accepted; waiting list)

Staff Development, "Responding to Classroom Predicaments," Graduate Student Instructional Development Program, Spring Training, University of Nevada, Reno, January 1997

Discussion leader, "What Can I Accomplish with a Syllabus?" Faculty Senate Brown Bag Forums on Teaching, November 1996

Speaker, "The First Day of Class," New Faculty Orientation, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1996

Staff Development, "Responding to Classroom Predicaments," Graduate Student Instructional Development Program, Fall Training, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1996

Professional Development, "Read Faster and Comprehend More! A Seminar for Professors" University of Nevada, Reno, May 1996

Professional Development, "Six Hat Thinking," Maynard Institute, Reynolds School of Journalism, April 1996

Staff Development, "Responding to Classroom Predicaments," Graduate Student Instructional Development Program, Spring Training, University of Nevada, Reno, January 1996

Faculty Development Series, IDEAS for Professors (Instructional Development, Effectiveness, and Attitude Seminars), University of Nevada, Reno, January - April 1996 (2 sections offered, 30 professors accepted into each section; waiting list for both sections)

Staff Development, "Read Faster, Comprehend More," Division of Continuing Education, University of Nevada, Reno, December 1995

Faculty Development Series, "Fostering Critical Thinking Through Excellent Instruction," Reynolds School of Journalism, University of Nevada, Reno, November 1995 - April 1996

Faculty Development Series, "Facilitating Critical Thinking in the Journalism Classroom," Reynolds School of Journalism, University of Nevada, Reno, August - October 1995

Staff Development, "Facilitating Learning through Strong Openings and Closings," Graduate Student Instructional Development Program, Spring Training, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1995

Speaker, "The First Day of Class," New Faculty Orientation, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1995

Staff Development, "Facilitating Learning through Strong Openings and Closings," Graduate Student Instructional Development Program, Spring Training, University of Nevada, Reno, January 1995

Staff Development, IDEAS for Professors (Instructional Development, Effectiveness, and Attitude Seminars), University of Nevada, Reno, January - May 1995 (one section offered, 30 professors accepted, waiting list of 30+)

Discussion leader, "What Can I Accomplish with a Syllabus?" Faculty Senate Brown Bag Forums on Teaching, November 1994

Staff Development, "Facilitating Learning through Strong Openings and Closings," Graduate Student Instructional Development Program, Fall Training, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1994

Discussion leader, "What Can I Accomplish with a Syllabus?" Faculty Senate Brown Bag Forums on Teaching, April 1994

Staff Development, "Facilitating Learning through Strong Openings and Closings," Graduate Student Instructional Development Program, Spring Training, University of Nevada, Reno, January 1994

Staff Development, "Developing Strong Openings and Closings for Instruction," Graduate Student Instructional Development Program, Fall Training, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1993

Faculty Development, "Determining What is Important/Doing What is Important," a workshop sponsored by the Associate Vice President for Instructional Enhancement, University of Nevada, Reno, January 1993

Faculty Development, "Managing Your Desk/Managing Your Files," a workshop sponsored by the Associate Vice President for Instructional Enhancement, University of Nevada, Reno, November 1992

Faculty Development, "Involving Students in Learning," New Faculty Orientation, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1992

Staff Development, "Active Participation," Graduate Student Instruction Development Program, University of Nevada, Reno, Fall Training, August 1992

Faculty Development, "Getting Students Involved Right at the Beginning of Your Classes," New Faculty Orientation, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1991

Staff Development, "Teaching to the Objective/Active Participation," Graduate Student Instructional Development Program, University of Nevada, Reno, August, 1991

Staff Development, "Teaching to the Objective" and "Active Participation," Graduate Student Instructional Development Program, University of Nevada, Reno, January 1991

Staff Development, "Teaching to the Objective" and "Active Participation," Graduate Student Instructional Development Program, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1990

K-12 TEACHERS, ADMINISTRATORS, AND SCHOOLS

Staff Development, "So, What's Your Story?!" Dayton High School Back-to-School Kickoff, Dayton (NV), August 2007

Staff Development, "So, What's Your Story?!" Reed High School Back-to-School Kickoff, Reno (NV), August 2007

Staff Development, "Pez, Popcorn, and Princesses: Professional Presence," Washoe County School District Administrative Assistants and Secretaries, Reno (NV), August 2007

"8-Hour Miracle"™, Title I Offices, Washoe County School District, Reno (NV), July - September 2007

Train-the-Trainer, "Owning Words for Literacy™," Nevada Reading First, Weeklong seminar, Reno (NV), June 2007 and then follow-up teleseminars & consulting with the trainers throughout Fall 2007/Spring 2008

"8-Hour Miracle"™, World Languages & ELL, Washoe County School District, Reno (NV), May 2007

Train-the-Facilitator, "Fierce Conversations: Their Value and Their Necessity," Washoe County School District Administrators, Reno (NV), May - June 2007; continued consulting at Squaw Valley in August 2007 and throughout Fall 2007

Staff Development, "Surviving and Thriving (with Your Students!) in the Noah's Ark that is Your Classroom: Differentiated Instruction/Part II," White Pine (NV) County School District, May 2007

Staff Development, "GO! Getting Organized," Lincoln County (NV) School District, May 2007

Leadership Development, "Fierce Conversations: Their Value and Their Necessity," Washoe County School District Elementary Administrators, Reno (NV), April 2007

Staff Development, "Owning Words for Literacy™," McQueen High School Staff Development Day (2 separate workshops for like departments), Reno (NV), April 2007

Staff Development, "Making Mentoring Work...Well," Elko County School District, Elko (NV), March 2007

Staff Development, "Surviving and Thriving (with Your Students!) in the Noah's Ark that is Your Classroom: Differentiated Instruction/Part I," White Pine (NV) County School District, March 2007

Staff Development, "Owning Words for Literacy™/Part Ib," Keller Middle School, Las Vegas (NV), February 2007

Staff Development, "Coaching, Collaborating, & Consulting: New Roles & New Responsibilities," Humboldt County School District, Winnemucca (NV), January 2007

Train-the-Trainer, "Owning Words for Literacy™," Nevada Reading First, Screening and selection of candidates; teleseminars, consulting, leading up to the summer training, January - May 2007

Staff Development, "Coaching, Collaborating, & Consulting: New Roles & New Responsibilities," Northeastern Nevada Regional Professional Development Program, Elko (NV), January 2007

"8-Hour Miracle"™, Associate Superintendent's Office, Washoe County School District, Reno (NV), November 2006

Staff Development, "Making Mentoring Work...Well," Elko County School District, Elko (NV), October 2006

Leadership Development, "Being a Strengths-Focused Person and then Building Strengths-Based Teams," 5-Workshop Series, Regional Center for Teaching and Learning, Reno (NV), October 2006 - May 2007

Staff Development, "Hovering is NOT Reading," 4-Workshop series, Dayton High School, Dayton (NV), September 2006 - March 2007

Staff Development, "Owning Words for Literacy™/Part I," Keller Middle School, Las Vegas (NV), August 2006

Staff Development, "TREASURE MAP™: Teaching Reading/Enthusiasm, Application, and Secrets for Uncommon Reading Effectiveness...Making Achievement Possible," 5-workshop series offered for 10 middle schools throughout the 2006-2007 school year, Washoe County School District, Reno (NV), August 2006 - April 2007

Leadership Development, "Strong Leadership by Reading First Principals (RFPs)", sponsored by Nevada Reading First, Las Vegas (NV), Fall 2006 - Spring 2007 (3-workshop series)

Leadership Development, "Literacy Leaders & Coaches (LLCs)", sponsored by Nevada Reading First, Las Vegas (NV), Fall 2006 - Spring 2007 (3-workshop series)

Staff Development, "Owning Words for Literacy™!: Developing Students' Vocabulary for Increased Achievement in Reading," Part 2; taught 7 times throughout the state during Fall 2006 & Spring 2007 (sponsored by Nevada Reading First)

Staff Development, "Owning Words for Literacy™!: Developing Students' Vocabulary for Increased Achievement in Reading," Part 1; taught 9 times throughout the state during Fall 2006 (sponsored by Nevada Reading First)

Staff Development, "Coaching, Collaborating, & Consulting: New Roles & New Responsibilities," Humboldt County School District, Winnemucca (NV), August 2006

Staff Development, "Nevada Reading First Intensive for New Literacy Leaders & Coaches (LLCs)", sponsored by Nevada Reading First, Las Vegas (NV), August 2006

Leadership Development, "Fierce Conversations: Their Value and Their Necessity," Washoe County School District Secondary Administrators, Squaw Valley (CA), August 2006

Leadership Development, "Creating an Environment and an Attitude for Developing Achievement through Literacy," Hug High School Administrators and Department Leaders, Squaw Valley (CA), August 2006

Staff Development, "Being Positive, Being Playful, Being Productive," Administrative Professionals, Washoe County School District, Reno (NV), June 2006

Staff Development, "Creating Classrooms that Support (and Coaching for) Comprehension," Clark County School District, Las Vegas (NV), May 2006

Staff Development, "Creating Dynamic Schools through Mentoring, Coaching, and Collaboration: A workshop for coaches of new teachers," Elko County School District, Elko (NV), May 2006

Staff Development, "Coaching, Collaborating, & Consulting: New Roles & New Responsibilities," Northeastern Nevada Regional Professional Development Program, Elko (NV), May 2006

Staff Development, "Supporting Reading Across the Curriculum in the Middle School: The Vital Role of Administrators," Washoe County (NV) School District; 4 sessions as part of the SB 404 Grant, April - June 2006

Staff Development, "Making Mentoring Work...Well," Elko County School District, Elko (NV), April 2006

Staff Development, "Take a Taxicab to Your Destination! Increasing Achievement, Collegiality, and Productivity," Grace Warner Elementary School, Reno (NV), March 2006

Staff Development & Coaching, "Owning Words for Literacy™!: Developing Students' Vocabulary for Increased Achievement in Reading, Part II" Owyhee Combined Schools, Owyhee (NV), March 2006

Staff Development, "Owning Words for Literacy™!: Developing Students' Vocabulary for Increased Achievement in Reading, Part I" Douglas County School District, Minden (NV), February 2006

Staff Development, "Owning Words for Literacy™!: Developing Students' Vocabulary for Increased Achievement in Reading, Part I" Clark County School District, Las Vegas (NV), February 2006

Staff Development, "Owning Words for Literacy™!: Developing Students' Vocabulary for Increased Achievement in Reading, Part I" Owyhee Combined Schools, Owyhee (NV), September 2005

Leadership Development, "'Principaled' Time, Paper, Information, and Life Management," Washoe County School District Principals Academy, Reno (NV), September 2005 - February 2006

Leadership Development, "Strong, Focused, "Fierce" Leadership in Nevada Reading First Schools: Tools for the Principals" part of Nevada's Reading First Grant, Nevada Department of Education, Las Vegas (NV), September 2005 - May 2006 (a six-part series of day-long workshops)

Leadership Development, "Building Individual and Team Strengths and Capacities," part of Nevada's Reading First Grant, Nevada Department of Education, Las Vegas & Reno, August 2005 - May 2006 (an eight-part series of day-long workshops)

Staff Development, "Owning Words for Literacy™!: Developing Students' Vocabulary for Increased Achievement in Reading," Part 2; taught 10 times throughout the state during Fall 2005 - Spring 2006 (sponsored by Nevada Reading First)

Staff Development & Consulting, "Increasing Learning and Literacy in the Middle School Classroom," Carson City (NV), August 2005 - May 2006

Staff Development, "Owning Words for Literacy™!: Developing Students' Vocabulary for Increased Achievement in Reading," Part 1; taught 14 times throughout the state during Fall 2005 - Spring 2006 (sponsored by Nevada Reading First)

Staff Development, "Take a Taxicab to Your Destination! Increasing Achievement, Collegiality, and Productivity," Elmcrest Elementary School, Reno (NV), August 2005

Staff Development, "Nevada Reading First Intensive for New Literacy Leaders & Coaches (LLCs)", sponsored by Nevada Reading First, Las Vegas (NV), August 2005

Staff Development, "Keeping Chaos at Bay," Administrative Professionals, Washoe County School District, Reno (NV), June 2005

Staff Development & Consulting, "Distinguished Differentiated Instruction for Deserving Middle School Students (Hint: They're ALL Deserving!)" Carson City (NV), March - May 2005

Staff Development, "Making Mentoring Work...Well," Northeast Nevada Technology Consortium, Elko (NV), February 2005

Staff Development, "Consulting, Collaborating, & Coaching" (for lead teachers & their interns), Northeast Nevada Regional Professional Development Program, Elko (NV), February 2005

Staff Development, "Serving the Deserving (Note: They're All Deserving)," Clark County School District, Las Vegas (NV), January 2005

Staff Development, "Owning Words for Literacy!: Developing Students' Vocabulary for Increased Achievement in Reading," Part 2; taught 10 times throughout the state during Spring 2005 (sponsored by Nevada Reading First).

Staff Development, "Increasing Student Learning and Achievement through Content Literacy Strategies," West Wendover High School, Wendover (NV), December 2004 - April 2005

Staff Development, "The Mentoring Relationship," Northeast Nevada Technology Consortium, Elko (NV), October 2004

Professional Development, "Shameless Self-Promotion: Of Yourself, Your School, and Your Staff," Principals Academy, Washoe County (NV) School District, September 2004

Staff Development, "Take a Taxicab to Your Destination! Increasing Achievement, Collegiality, and Productivity," Esther Bennett Elementary School, Reno (NV), September 2004

Leadership Development, "Building Individual and Team Strengths and Capacities," part of Nevada's Reading First Grant, Nevada Department of Education, Las Vegas, Reno, & Elko (NV), September 2004 - June 2005 (an eight-part series of day-long workshops)

Staff Development, "Owning Words for Literacy!: Developing Students' Vocabulary for Increased Achievement in Reading," Part I; taught 14 times throughout the state during Fall 2004 - Spring 2005 (sponsored by Nevada Reading First).

Leadership Development, "'Principaled' Time, Paper, Information, and Life Management," Washoe County School District Principals Academy, Reno (NV), September 2004 - February 2005

- Staff Development, "Raising Achievement, Eliminating Gaps," West Wendover Elementary School, Wendover (NV), September 2004 - April 2005 (7-part series)
- Staff Development, "Transforming Schools: Motivated Teachers and Motivated Learners," Southside Elementary School, Elko (NV), September 2004 - April 2005 (7-part series)
- Staff Development, "Read Faster/Remember More! Learn It and Teach It!" McQueen High School, Reno (NV), August 2004
- Staff Development, "Take a Taxicab to Your Destination! Increasing Achievement, Collegiality, and Productivity," Caughlin Ranch Elementary School, Reno (NV), August 2004
- Staff Development, "Developing Vocabulary through and FOR Reading," Clark County School District, Las Vegas (NV), June 2004
- Staff Development, "Time Management & Team Building," Clark County (NV) School District, May 2004
- Staff Development, "Input, Throughput, Output: Managing What Comes In, What Gets Done, and What Goes Out," Nye County (NV) School District, May 2004
- Staff Development, "Promoting Content Area Reading and Learning," Jackpot (NV), April 2004
- Professional Development, "Shameless Self-Promotion: Of Yourself, Your School, and Your Staff," Principals Academy, Washoe County (NV) School District, April 2004
- Staff Development, "Aligning Curriculum & Assessment," Churchill County School District, Fallon (NV), March - May 2004
- Staff Development, "Developing Vocabulary through and FOR Reading," Clark County School District, Las Vegas (NV), March 2004
- Staff Development, "The Mentoring Relationship," Northeast Nevada Technology Consortium, Elko (NV), March 2004
- Facilitation, "Developing a 5 Year Strategic Plan," State Consortium/Regional Professional Development Programs, Reno (NV), February 2004
- In-Service, "To Do, Doing, Done: Determining and Accomplishing Tasks, Projects, and Goals that Matter Most," an Emphasis on Excellence, Inc. seminar, Reno (NV), January 2004
- In-Service, "Developing Performance Assessments, Part II," Lincoln County School District (NV), January 2004
- In-Service, "Developing Performance Assessments," Lincoln County School District (NV), November 2003

In-Service, "To Do, Doing, Done: Determining and Accomplishing Tasks, Projects, and Goals that Matter Most," an Emphasis on Excellence, Inc. seminar, Elko (NV), October 2003

Staff Development, "The Care and Feeding of the Noah's Ark That Is Your Classroom: Differentiating Instruction," Jackpot (NV), October 2003 - January 2004

Staff Development, "Mapping the Journey," Nevada Reading Excellence Act Literacy Leaders, University of Nevada, Reno and University of Nevada, Las Vegas, September 2003 - April 2004

In-Service, "Vocabulary Development," Yerington Elementary School (NV), August 2003

In-Service, "Under the Big Top: Increasing Achievement through Differentiated Instruction in the Block Schedule," El Dorado County Union High School District (CA), August 2003

In-Service, "Keeping Chaos at Bay: Proactive and Realistic Strategies for Time, Paper, and Life Management," Washoe County (NV) School Counselors and Psychologists, August 2003

In-Service, "To Do, Doing, Done: Determining and Accomplishing Tasks, Projects, and Goals that Matter Most," Lincoln County (NV) School District, July 2003

In-Service, "The Care and Feeding of the Noah's Ark That Is Your Classroom: Differentiating Instruction," an Emphasis on Excellence, Inc. seminar, Reno (NV), June 2003

In-Service, "The Case of Missing Time," an Emphasis on Excellence, Inc. Seminar, Reno (NV), June 2003

In-Service, "Under the Big Top: Increasing Literacy Achievement through Differentiating Instruction," Four Middle Schools in the Washoe County School District, Reno (NV), June 2003

In-Service, "Increasing Students' Achievement through Reading in the Content Areas," Coral Academy of Science Charter School, Reno (NV), June 2003

In-Service, "Focus—Achieving Your Highest Priorities," Nevada Reading Excellence Act, University of Nevada, Reno, April 2003

In-Service, "The Case of Missing Time," an Emphasis on Excellence, Inc. Seminar, Reno (NV), March 2003

Staff Development, "Learning Vocabulary for Life—Not Just for the Test," Yerington (NV) Intermediate School, February 2003

Staff Development, "Differentiating Instruction," Lincoln County (NV) School District, February 2003

Staff Development, "Mentoring for Success," Northeast Technology Consortium, Elko (NV), January 2003

In-Service, "Thriving in the Block Schedule," Pershing County Middle School, Lovelock (NV), January 2003

In-Service, "Differentiating Instruction: Increased Learning Through the Use of Varied Strategies," Carson City School District (NV), January - February 2003

In-Service, "The Care and Feeding of the Noah's Ark That Is Your Classroom: Differentiating Instruction," Lincoln County School District (NV), November 2002

In-Service, "The Care and Feeding of the Noah's Ark That Is Your Classroom: Differentiating Instruction," Carson City School District (NV), October - November 2002

In-Service, "The Care and Feeding of the Noah's Ark That Is Your Classroom: Differentiating Instruction," Humboldt County School District (NV), September 2002

Staff Development, "Becoming Leaders," Nevada Reading Excellence Act, (locations throughout the State of Nevada), September 2002 - May 2003

Staff Development, "Improving Reading and Learning in All Curriculum Areas," Yerington Intermediate School, Yerington (NV), August 2002

Staff Development, "Increasing Student Engagement and Learning," McQueen High School, Reno (NV), August 2002

Staff Development, "Positive Image- and Self-Projection for Women," Humboldt County School District, Winnemucca (NV), August 2002

In-Service, "The Main Course: Reading," University of Nevada, Reno, August 2002

In-Service, "BYOB! Bring Your Own Brain: Learning, the Brain, and the Classroom," University of Nevada, Reno, July 2002

Professional Development, "How to Effectively Teach Teachers—and Make Money at the Same Time!" University of Nevada, Reno, July 2002

In-Service, "What Matters Most® for Educators," University of Nevada, Reno, July 2002

In-Service, "Outstanding, Practical Strategies to Increase Reading Achievement," Seminars for Educational Excellence, Chicago (IL), Grand Rapids (MI), and Detroit (MI), May 2002

In-Service, "The Care and Feeding of the Noah's Ark That Is Your Classroom: Differentiating Instruction," Humboldt County School District (NV), February - March 2002

In-Service, "Keeping All the Plates Spinning: Organization Tips, Tools, & Techniques," Sun Valley Elementary School, Reno (NV), February 2002

In-Service, "The Care and Feeding of the Noah's Ark That Is Your Classroom: Differentiating Instruction," Washoe County School District (NV), February - March 2002

In-Service, "What Matters Most® for Educators," University of Nevada, Reno, January 2002

In-Service, "Differentiating Instruction to Increase Student Learning," Carson City School District (NV), November 2001 - February 2002

In-Service, "Increasing Students' Writing Abilities," Caliente Elementary School and CO Bastian High School, Lincoln County School District (NV), November 2001

In-Service, "Dramatically Increase Students' Reading Achievement (and Watch Their Test Scores Soar!) Seminars for Educational Excellence, Ontario (CA) and Anaheim (CA), October 2001

In-Service, "Increasing Students' Writing Abilities," Panaca and Pioche Elementary Schools, Lincoln County School District (NV), October 2001

In-Service, "Increasing Learning Through Standards-Based Classrooms," Churchill County School District (all elementary schools, the junior high, and the high school), September - November 2001

In-Service, "Increasing the Achievement of All Students Through Content Area Reading Strategies," Washoe County School District (NV), September 2001 - February 2002

In-Service, "Increasing the Achievement of All Students Through Content Area Reading Strategies," Mendive Middle School, Washoe County School District (NV), August 2001

In-Service, "Increasing Reading Achievement Across the Curriculum," Lone Pine School District (CA), August 2001

In-Service, "Leading Standards-Based Schools," Churchill County School District Administrators, August 2001

In-Service, "What Matters Most® for Educators," Rural Summer Institute, Nevada Department of Education, Elko (NV), July 2001

Professional Development, "How to Effectively Teach Teachers—and Make Money at the Same Time!" University of Nevada, Reno, July 2001

In-Service, "What Matters Most® for Educators," University of Nevada, Reno, July 2001

In-Service, "Prepare Your Students' Brains for School's Main Course: Reading," University of Nevada, Reno, June 2001

In-Service, "BYOB! Bring Your Own Brain: Learning, the Brain, and the Classroom," University of Nevada, Reno, June 2001

In-Service, "Effective Teaching in the Block," North Valleys HS, Washoe County School District, Reno (NV), June 2001

Staff Development, "The Language of Leadership Training Institute for Site Trainers," Northern Nevada Regional Professional Development Program, Elko (NV), June 2001

In-Service, "What Matters Most®," Douglas County (NV) School District Administrators, June 2001

In-Service, "Improving Reading and Learning in ALL Curriculum Areas," Mendive Middle School, Reno (NV), May 2001

In-Service, "Read Faster, Remember More," Seminars for Educational Excellence, Portland (OR), April 2001

In-Service, "What Matters Most® for Educators," University of Nevada, Reno, March 2001

In-Service, "Creating Good Spellers," Lincoln County School District (NV) Elementary Staff, March 2001

In-Service, "Vocabulary Development for Life, Not Just for the Test," Lincoln County School District (NV) Secondary Staff, March 2001

In-Service, "Teaching the Noah's Ark that is Your Classroom," Carson Valley Middle School Institute Day, Carson City (NV), February 2001

In-Service, "Why Teach Well?" St. Teresa's Catholic School, Carson City (NV), January 2001

In-Service, "Effective Presenting and Facilitating," IDEA Team, Nevada Department of Education/Washoe County School District, January 2001

In-Service, "Effective Teaching in the Block Schedule," Reed High School, Reno (NV), January 2001

In-Service, "Presenting a Positive and Professional Image," a presentation for student interns, College of Education, University of Nevada, Reno, December 2000

In-Service, "Reading, Writing, Speaking, Listening, Viewing, and Representing: Can I Do It All?," Lincoln County School District Elementary Staff (NV), November 2000

In-Service, "Reading in Every Curriculum Area, For ALL Students," Lincoln County School District Secondary Staff (NV), November 2000

- In-Service series, "Differentiating Instruction," Carson City School District (NV), October 2000 - May 2001
- In-Service, "Teaching Students to Read Faster and with Better Comprehension," Lincoln County School District, Caliente (NV), September 2000
- In-Service, "Project TELL (Teachers Emphasizing Learning and Literacy)" GOALS 2000, Churchill County School District, September 2000 - March 2001
- In-Service, "Prepare Your Students' Brains for School's Main Course: Reading," University of Nevada, Reno, August 2000
- In-Service, "BYOB! Bring Your Own Brain: Learning, the Brain, and the Classroom," University of Nevada, Reno, August 2000
- In-Service, "Teaching with the Brain in Mind" Part I and Part II," Rural Summer Institute, Nevada Department of Education, Elko (NV), July 2000
- In-Service, "Differentiating the Curriculum/Strategies to Increase Reading Achievement," SELECT 6-Upper Elementary, Middle School, and High School/GOALS 2000, Douglas County School District, June 2000 - March 2001
- In-Service, "Differentiating Instruction," Incline Elementary School, Incline Village (NV), June 2000
- Consulting, "Curriculum Development," Incline Academy, Incline Village (NV), May 2000
- In-Service, "Active Learning," Washoe County School District IDEA Team and Regional Trainers, April 2000
- In-Service, "Targeting Your Learners (A train-the-trainer program)," Nevada Department of Education/Washoe County School District IDEA Team training, March 2000
- In-Service, "Teaching the Gifted Student in the Regular Classroom," Sierra Nevada Academy (charter school), Washoe County School District (NV), March 2000
- In-Service, "Content Area Literacy," Lincoln County School District (NV), February 2000
- In-Service, "Presenting Effectively to Adult Learners (and specifically to educators)," Nevada Department of Education/Washoe County School District IDEA Team training, February 2000
- In-Service, "Read Faster/Remember More: How to Do It and How to Teach It," Lincoln County School District (NV), January 2000 (includes demonstration lesson with students, workshop for parents, and workshop for teachers and administrators)
- In-Service, "Differentiating Instruction," Lincoln County School District (NV), September 1999

In-Service, "Differentiating the Curriculum/Strategies to Increase Reading Achievement,"
SELECT 5-Elementary/GOALS 2000, Douglas County School District, July 1999 - March
2000

Staff Development, "Standards Implementation Workshop: Writing to Learn," Nevada
Department of Education, Carson City, August 1999

In-Service, "Project TELL (Teachers Emphasizing Learning and Literacy)" GOALS 2000, Churchill
County School District, August 1999 - March 2000

In-Service, "Differentiated Instruction: Continuing..." WCSO Summer Institute, Nevada
Department of Education, Reno (NV), August 1999

In-Service, "Differentiated Instruction: Getting Started," WCSO Summer Institute, Nevada
Department of Education, Reno (NV), August 1999

In-Service, "Differentiated Instruction: Continuing..." Rural Summer Institute, Nevada
Department of Education, Elko (NV), July 1999

In-Service, "Differentiated Instruction: Getting Started," Rural Summer Institute, Nevada
Department of Education, Elko (NV), July 1999

In-Service, "Differentiating the Curriculum/Strategies to Increase Reading Achievement,"
SELECT 5-Secondary/GOALS 2000, Douglas County School District, June 1999 - March
2000

Professional Development, "How to Effectively Teach Teachers—and Make Money at the Same
Time!" University of Nevada, Reno, June 1999

In-Service, "Teaching with the Brain in Mind," Manogue High School, Reno (NV), January - May
1999

In-Service, "Differentiating Instruction," Lincoln County School District (NV), February 1999

In-Service, "Using Reading Strategies to Improve the Learning of Students at Hug High School,"
Washoe County School District (NV) Institute Day, February 1999

In-Service, "Teaching with the Brain in Mind," Zephyr Cove Elementary School & Kingsbury
Middle School, November 1998

In-Service, "Teaching with the Brain in Mind," Douglas County School District, October 1998

In-Service, "Aligning Curriculum and Assessment," Churchill County Junior High School, October
1998

In-Service, "Using What We Know About the Brain to Help Our Children Learn: Workshops for Parents," Douglas County School District, August - September 1998

In-Service, "Image Projection for Educators," (taught with Christine Lazzarini), Reno & Douglas County (NV), September & October 1998

In-Service, "Effective Time and Paper Management," Manogue High School, Reno (NV), November - December, 1998

In-Service, "Differentiating Instruction/GOALS 2000," a series of train-the-trainer presentations in Churchill County School District, August 1998 - March 1999

In-Service, "Creating a Positive School Climate," Hug High School, WCSD, Reno (NV), August 1998

In-Service, "Developing Performance Assessments," Manogue High School, Reno (NV), August - October 1998

In-Service, "Differentiated Instruction," Northeast Counties Special Education Consortium, Elko (NV), August 1998

In-Service, "Increasing Reading Achievement in the Intermediate Grades," University of Nevada, Reno, July 1998

In-Service, "Preceptorship for Preceptors (Training for Trainers)/Elementary," Douglas County School District/Nevada 2000, July/August 1998

In-Service, "Time Management for Families," Churchill County School District Family Resource Center, June 1998

In-Service, "Increasing Reading Achievement in the Intermediate Grades," University of Nevada, Reno, June 1998

In-Service, "Preceptorship for Preceptors (Training for Trainers)/Secondary," Douglas County School District/Nevada 2000, June 1998

In-Service, "Fire Up Middle School Students to Read," Grand Prairie (TX), June 1998

In-Service, "Reading, Writing, Listening, Speaking, Viewing, & Representing: How Can I Do It All? Intermediate Grades," Grand Prairie (TX), June 1998

In-Service, "Reading, Writing, Listening, Speaking, Viewing, & Representing: How Can I Do It All? Middle School," Grand Prairie (TX), June 1998

In-Service, "What Counts as Progress in Reading and Writing? Middle School," Grand Prairie (TX), June 1998

In-Service, "Reading in Every Curriculum Area--for All Secondary Students," Grand Prairie (TX), June 1998

In-Service, "Using Picture Books to Incite & Inspire Excellent Writing," Washoe County School District Institute Day, March 1998

In-Service, "Teaching Students to Read and Learn from their Mathematics Books, Part 2," Washoe County School District, February 1998

In-Service, "Increasing Reading Achievement in the Middle Grades," Traner Middle School, February 1998

In-Service, "Image Projection for Educators," (taught with Christine Lazzarini), Reno & Douglas County (NV), January & February 1998

In-Service, "High Standards and High Expectations--the Way to Go!" Sparks High School, January 1998

In-Service, "Increasing Reading Achievement in the Intermediate Grades," Sponsored by Project READ, Washoe County School District/North Valley Elementary Schools, January 1998

In-Service, "Teaching Students to Read and Learn from their Mathematics Books, Part 1," Washoe County School District, December 1997

In-Service, "Time & Paper Management for Educators," Washoe County School District Institute Day, November 1997

In-Service, "Active Learning for the Learning Combatant," An Emphasis on Excellence, Inc. Seminar, Fallon (NV), October 1997

In-Service, "Classroom Management Strategies for the Professional Teacher," Carson City School District, October 1997

In-Service and Facilitation, "Aligning Curriculum and Assessment," A GOALS 2000 Project, Churchill County School District, September 1997 - May 1998

In-Service, "Content Area Reading Strategies," Project READ, Washoe County School District, September 1997

In-Service and Consultation, "Improving Instructional Effectiveness," Bishop Manogue High School, Reno (NV), August 1997 - May 1998; includes a total of 6 days of in-service, parent education meetings, and demonstration teaching, consultation with teachers and administrators, and teacher observations.

In-Service, "More Effective Strategies for Teaching in a Block Schedule," Churchill County High School, Fallon (NV), August 1997

In-Service, "Aligning Curriculum and Assessment," Churchill County School District, Fallon (NV), August 1997

In-Service and Consultation, "SELECT (3): Spectrum of Educational Learning Experiences for Children and Teachers," Douglas County School District, GOALS 2000: Educate America Act, Professional Development Activities, June 1997 - April 1998, including the following presentations as well as 5 days of in-classroom support, observation, follow-up, and demonstration teaching.

"Teaching Students to Be Strategic Learners: A Train the Trainers Workshop," Douglas County School District, June 1997

"Helping Your Child Learn: A Presentation for Parents," Douglas County School District/Valley Schools, September-October 1997 (3 presentations)

"Helping Your Child Learn: An Advanced Presentation for Parents," Douglas County School District/Lake Schools, October 1997

"Coaching for Growth: A Presentation for Administrators," Douglas County School District, September & November 1997

"Teaching Students to Learn," Douglas County School District, All high school and middle school teachers, November 1997

"Teaching Students So That They Can Meet and/or Exceed the Competencies," Douglas County School District, January-March 1997

In-Service and Consultation, "Reading and Writing in Mathematics and Science," funded by a Dwight D. Eisenhower Professional Development Program Grant, **PR:OGRAMS (Project Results: Obtaining the Goal of Raising Achievement in Mathematics and Science)**, Carson City and Lyon County School Districts (NV), July 1997 - May 1998
Includes 5-day intensive training, July 1997

- 5 ½ day follow-up/training sessions, September 1997 - March 1998
- 5 ½ day presentations for parents (one in Carson City and 4 in Lyon County)
- 13 days in the classroom—follow-up, consultation, demonstration lessons, etc., September 1997 - May 1998

In-Service, "Aligning Curriculum and Assessment," Churchill County School District, Fallon (NV), June 1997

In-Service, "Effective Strategies for Teaching in a Block Schedule," Churchill County High School, Fallon (NV), June 1997

Consultation, "Designing a Secondary Reading Program," Grand Prairie I.S.D. (TX), June 1997

In-Service/Consultation, "Improving Students' Reading in the Secondary School," Grand Prairie I.S.D. (TX), June 1997 (included 1 day-long presentation and 2 days of facilitating curriculum writing)

In-Service, "Differentiating Instruction," Scarselli Elementary School, Minden (NV), May 1997

In-Service, "Strategic Creativity for Educators," An Emphasis on Excellence, Inc. Seminar, Minden (NV), March 1997

In-Service, "Time & Paper Management for Teachers," Washoe County School District Institute Day, March 1997

In-Service, "Metacognition: Let's Think About Our Thinking," Washoe County School District Institute Day, March 1997

In-Service, "Effective Time and Paper Management for Educators," An Emphasis on Excellence, Inc. Seminar, Minden (NV), February 1997

In-Service, "Strategic Creativity for Educators," An Emphasis on Excellence, Inc. Seminar, Reno (NV), February 1997

In-Service, "Addressing the Learning Needs of Gifted Students in the Regular Classroom," Carson City School District Teacher Institute Day, February 1997

In-Service, "Matching Curriculum and Assessment—What a Concept!" (3 day-long sessions) Churchill County (NV), January/February 1997

In-Service, "Read Faster/Comprehend More: How to Do It and How to Teach It," An Emphasis on Excellence, Inc. Seminar, Minden (NV), January 1997

Seminar, "Effective Time and Paper Management for Administrators, Part II," Lyon County School District (NV), January 1997

In-Service, "Increasing Effectiveness in the Classroom—Organization Makes a Difference!" Incline Village (NV), January 1997

Seminar, "Increasing Administrative Efficiency and Effectiveness through Time and Paper Management: A Workshop for School Administrators," An Emphasis on Excellence, Inc. Seminar, Reno (NV), October 1996

Seminar, "Effective Time and Paper Management for Administrators, Part I," Lyon County School District (NV), September 1996

Seminar, "Increasing Administrative Efficiency and Effectiveness through Time and Paper Management: A Workshop for School Administrators," An Emphasis on Excellence, Inc. Seminar, Winnemucca (NV), September 1996

In-Service and Consultation, "SELECT (2): Spectrum of Educational Learning Experiences for Children and Teachers," Douglas County School District, GOALS 2000: Educate America Act, Professional Development Activities, September 1996 - April 1997, including the

following presentations as well as 14 days of in-classroom support, observation, follow-up, and demonstration teaching.

- "Helping Your Child in Mathematics: A Presentation for Parents," Douglas County School District/Valley Schools, September 1996
- "Helping Your Child in Mathematics: A Presentation for Parents," Douglas County School District/Lake Schools, September 1996
- "Coaching for Growth: A Presentation for Administrators," Douglas County School District, September 1996
- "Teaching Students Who Are Above Average in Ability," Douglas County School District, October 1996
- "Teaching Students Who Are Below Average in Ability," Douglas County School District, November 1996

In-service, "Increasing Efficiency and Effectiveness through Better Time and Paper Management," Winnemucca (NV), August 1996 (presentations at 2 elementary schools)

In-Service and Consultation, "Reading and Writing in Mathematics and Science," funded by a Dwight D. Eisenhower Professional Development Program Grant, PR:OGRAMS (Project Results: Obtaining the Goal of Raising Achievement in Mathematics and Science), Douglas County School District (NV), August 1996 - April 1997

- Includes 5-day intensive training, August 1996
- 5 ½ day follow-up/training sessions, September 1996 - February 1997
- 10 days in the classroom—follow-up, consultation, demonstration lessons, etc., September 1996 - March 1997

Seminar, "Increasing Administrative Efficiency and Effectiveness through Time and Paper Management: A Workshop for School Administrators," An Emphasis on Excellence, Inc. Seminar, Reno (NV), July 1996

Staff Development, "Read Faster/ Comprehend More: How to Do It and How to Teach It," University of Nevada, Reno, June 1996

Presentation, "Reading Science," Reno Summer of Discovery/Science Institute for Girls, University of Nevada, Reno, June 1996

In-Service and Facilitation, "Teaching Middle School Students to be Strategic Learners," Grand Prairie Independent School District, May 1996

In-Service, "Creating Novel Units for Middle School Readers," Grand Prairie Independent School District, May 1996

In-Service, "Teaching Students to Define, Recognize, Produce, and Appreciate Metaphor," Northern Nevada Writing Project, Washoe County School District (NV), April 1996

In-Service, "Time Management for Teachers," Galena High School (NV), April 1996

In-Service, "Just How Do I Teach My Students to Read and Learn from the New Mathematics Books?" Middle School and High School Mathematics Teachers, Washoe County School District (Nevada), March-April 1996

In-Service, "Teaching Students to Read Faster and Comprehend More," Wooster High School (NV), March 1996

In-Service, "Using Reading and Study Guides to Improve Learning in Social Studies," Galena High School (NV), March 1996

In-Service, "SELECT: Spectrum of Educational Learning Experiences for Children and Teachers: Differentiating the Curriculum for Elementary, Middle, or High School Students," (3 presentations) Douglas County School District (Scarselli Elementary School, Kingsbury Middle School, Douglas High School) GOALS 2000: Educate America Act, Professional Development Activities, February-March 1996

In-Service, "SELECT: Spectrum of Educational Learning Experiences for Children and Teachers: Differentiating the Curriculum," Douglas County School District, GOALS 2000: Educate America Act, Professional Development Activities, February 1996

In-Service and Demonstration Teaching, "Teaching Middle School Students to be Strategic Learners through Reading," Grand Prairie (TX) I.S.D., January 1996

In-Service, "SELECT: Spectrum of Educational Learning Experiences for Children and Teachers," Douglas County School District Administrators, GOALS 2000: Educate America Act, Professional Development Activities, January 1996

In-Service, "Teaching Gifted Students in the Heterogeneously-Grouped High School," Galena High School (NV), December 1995

In-Service, "Teaching Reading and Learning Strategies to High School Students," Washoe County School District (NV), November - December 1995

Presentation, "Reading Faster and Remembering More of What You Read," Campus Cruise '95 for G/T Elementary Students, University of Nevada, Reno, November 1995

Presentation, "Reading Faster and Remembering More of What You Read," Early Outreach '95 for G/T Middle School Students, University of Nevada, Reno, November 1995

In-Service and Demonstration Teaching, "Teaching Middle School Students to Make Meaning from Expository Text," Grand Prairie (TX) I.S.D., November 1995

In-Service and Demonstration Teaching, "Engaging Middle School Students in Reading," Grand Prairie (TX) I.S.D., September 1995

Facilitator, "Developing an Integrated Curriculum: English/Language Arts and World History," Galena High School, September 1995

- Staff Development, "Classroom Management for Beginning Elementary and Secondary Teachers," University of Nevada, Reno, July 1995
- Staff Development, "What Do I Do the Summer Before My First Year of Teaching?" University of Nevada, Reno, June 1995
- Facilitator, "Multicultural Curriculum Concerns," Galena High School English Department, May 1995
- Continuing Education, "Teaching the Gifted Student in the Regular Classroom," Eagle Valley Middle School, Carson City, March - May 1995
- In-Service, "Alternative Education: Definitions, Strategies, and Goals," Wooster High School, Reno, March - April 1995
- Staff Development, "Addressing the Various Learning Styles of High School Students through Differentiated Learning Tasks," Lyon County (NV), March 1995
- Staff Development, "Time and Paper Management for Teachers," University of Nevada, Reno, February 1995
- In-Service, "Reading and Writing in the Content Areas," Northern Nevada Writing Project, Reno, February 1995
- In-Service, "Exciting Writing," Roger Corbett Elementary School, Reno, February 1995 (sponsored by Apple School Supply, Sparks)
- In-Service, "Improving the Reading and Comprehension Skills of High School Students," McQueen High School, Reno, February 1995
- Facilitation, "How to Best Serve At-Risk, Alternative Education Students," Wooster High School, Reno, January 1995
- Self-Improvement, "How to Increase Your Reading Speed and Improve Your Comprehension," University of Nevada, Reno, January 1995
- Self-Improvement, "How to Increase Your Reading Speed and Improve Your Comprehension," University of Nevada, Reno, January 1995
- Self-Improvement, "How to Increase Your Reading Speed and Improve Your Comprehension," University of Nevada, Reno, November 1994
- Staff Development, "Connecting Reading and Writing," a presentation to principals, Grand Prairie I.S.D. (TX), November 1994

Staff Development, "The Reading/Writing Connection in the Upper Elementary Grades," Grand Prairie I.S.D. (TX), November 1994

Staff Development, "Pre-reading Strategies for Alternative Education Students," Sparks High School, September 1994

Staff Development, "Time and Paper Management for Teachers," University of Nevada, Reno, September 1994

Staff Development, "Classroom Management for Beginning Elementary and Secondary Teachers," University of Nevada, Reno, August 1994

Staff Development, "What Do I Do the First Two Weeks of School?" University of Nevada, Reno, July 1994

Staff Development, "How Should You Spend the Summer Before Your First Year of Teaching?" University of Nevada, Reno, May 1994

In-service, "Time and Paper Management for Teachers," Churchill County (Nevada) School District, March 1994

Continuing Education, "Reading and the Gifted," Eureka (Nevada), March/April 1994

Staff Development, "Time and Paper Management for Teachers," University of Nevada, Reno, February 1994

Staff Development, "Six Thinking Hats/A Tool to Facilitate Thinking About Restructuring," Hug High School (Reno), February 1994

Staff Development, "Classroom Management for Beginning Elementary and Secondary Teachers," University of Nevada, Reno, January 1994

In-service, "What Can a High School Do to Change Student Behaviors and Attitudes?" Reed High School, Washoe County School District, January 1994

In-service, "Using Frank Williams' Creativity Model to Develop Curriculum to Motivate Underachieving Gifted, At-Risk Students," Clark County School District, December 1993

In-service, "Strategies for Learning in Mathematics," Jacksonville (Texas) Independent School District, October 1993

In-service, "Reading and Writing Strategies in Mathematics," Lyons Township High School, Western Springs (Illinois), August 1993

In-service, "Motivating Bright, Unmotivated Students," Squaw Valley Academy, Squaw Valley (CA), August 1993

In-service, "Alternative Strategies for Alternative Students," Washoe County School District, August 1993

Staff Development, "Time and Paper Management for Teachers," University of Nevada, Reno, August 1993

Staff Development, "What Do I Do the First Two Weeks of School?" University of Nevada, Reno, August 1993

Staff Development, "Classroom Management for Beginning Secondary Teachers," University of Nevada, Reno, July 1993

Staff Development, "Using Children's Books as Stimuli for Writing," Northern Nevada Writing Project, June 1993

Staff Development, "How Should You Spend the Summer Before Your First Year of Teaching?" University of Nevada, Reno, May 1993

Staff Development, "Time and Paper Management for Teachers," University of Nevada, Reno, May 1993

Continuing Education, "Time and Paper Management for Teachers," Winnemucca (Nevada), April 1993

Staff Development, "Using Question-Answer Relationships to Enhance Reading in Mathematics," Billingshurst Middle School, March 1993

Staff Development, "Alternative Assessment Techniques," Reno High School, February 1993

Staff Development, "Time and Paper Management for Teachers," University of Nevada, Reno, January 1993

In-service, "Alternative Strategies for Alternative Students," Washoe County School District, January 1993

Staff Development, "Addressing the Learning Needs of Gifted/At-Risk Students in the Elementary School." Clark County School District, December 1992

Staff Development, "Reading Strategies for Mathematics," Billingshurst Middle School, Reno, November 1992

Staff Development, "Implementing Reading and Writing Strategies in the Mathematics Classroom," Lyons Township High School, Western Springs (Illinois), October 1992

In-Service, "Education for Gifted Students: Superfluous or Essential?" Humboldt County School District (Nevada), October 1992

Staff Development, "Reading Strategies for Use in the High School and Middle School Mathematics Classroom," Plano (Texas) Independent School District, September 1992

Staff Development, "Addressing the Learning Needs of Gifted (and not-so-gifted) Students at the High School Level," Incline High School, Incline Village (Nevada), August 1992

Workshop, "Time Management for Teachers," Start Fresh-Reno, Nevada Department of Education, August 1992

Staff Development, "Getting a Handle on Time and Paper Management: A Workshop for Educators," University of Nevada, Reno, August 1992

Workshop, "Developing Concepts by Teaching Greek and Latin Word Roots in the Geometry Classroom," University of Nevada, Reno, August-September 1992

Staff Development, "What Do I Do the First Two Weeks of School?" University of Nevada, Reno, August 1992

Workshop, "Team Teaching in the Primary Grades," University of Nevada, Reno, July 1992

Continuing Education, "Foundations of Literacy," Ely (Nevada), June 1992

Staff Development, "Using Reading and Writing Strategies in Mathematics," Carrollton-Farmers Branch (Texas) I.S.D., June 1992

Staff Development, "How Should You Spend the Summer Before Your First Year of Teaching?" University of Nevada, Reno, May 1992

In-Service, "Addressing the Learning Needs of Students in Alternative Education Programs," Washoe County School District (Nevada), February/March 1992

Continuing Education, "Content Area Reading Strategies," Fallon, and Winnemucca (Nevada), February - March 1992

Staff Development, "Time and Paper Management for Elementary School Teachers: How to Manage Your Time, Your Paper, and Your Grading," University of Nevada, Reno, January 1992

Staff Development, "Time and Paper Management for Middle School Teachers," Swope Middle School, Washoe County School District (Nevada), December 1991

Continuing Education, "Reading Across the Curriculum," Eureka (Nevada), November 1991

Staff Development, "Addressing the Needs of Middle School Gifted Students," Washoe County School District, November 1991

Continuing Education, "Reaching and Teaching the Gifted," Winnemucca and Fallon (Nevada), September/October 1991

Staff Development, "Time and Paper Management for Middle School and High School Teachers: How to Manage Your Time, Your Paper, and Your Grading," University of Nevada, Reno, August, 1991

Staff Development, "Developing a Game Plan for the First Two Weeks of School, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1991

Staff-Development, "Team Teaching with Reduced Numbers of Pupils in the Primary Grades," Carson City School District, July and August, 1991

Staff Development, "What Do I Do the Summer Before My First Year of Teaching?" University of Nevada, Reno, June, 1991

Workshop presenter, "Vocabulary Development in Mathematics," Nevada Science and Math Alliance Workshop, Reno, April, 1991

Staff Development, "Managing the Paperload and Grading in Middle School," Washoe County School District, Institute Day, April 1991

Staff Development, "Building Comprehension by Integrating a Whole Language Perspective in the Elementary Classroom," Washoe County School District, Institute Day, April 1991

Staff Development, "Modifying the Curriculum for Teaching Gifted Students in the Regular Content Classroom," Quincy High School, Quincy, California, March 1991

Staff Development, "Strategies for Teaching and Learning in First Grade Classrooms with Reduced Numbers of Pupils," Fallon (Nevada), January 1991

Staff Development, "Enhancing Reading Comprehension," Nevada Coalition of Adult Literacy Programs, Reno, November 1990

Staff Development, "Developing a Portfolio System for Evaluating Writing," Battle Mountain (Nevada) High School, November 1990

Staff Development, "Strategies for Modifying the Curriculum for Gifted Students in the Regular Classroom," Sierra-Plumas Unified School District, Sierra City, California, October 1990

Staff Development, "Modifying the Curriculum for Secondary Gifted Students," Dayton (Nevada) High School, October 1990

Continuing Education, "Education of the Gifted," Elko, September, October, and November, 1990

Staff Development, "Enhancing the Reading Ability of At-Risk Students (a 9-part series)," Washoe High School (Reno), September, 1990 - May, 1991

Staff Development, "Strategies and Activities to Enhance Thinking Skills in First Grade Classrooms with Reduced Numbers of Children," Douglas County School District, September 1990

Staff Development, "Developing and Maintaining Positive Relations with Parents," Reno, September 1990

Staff Development, "What is Whole Language and Why Should I Know About It?" Virginia Palmer Elementary School, Reno, September 1990

Staff Development, "Strategies to Enable Secondary School Students to Read and Learn from Text," Battle Mountain, August 1990

Staff Development, "How Do I Develop a Game Plan for the First Two Weeks of School?" Reno, August 1990

Staff Development, "Secondary School Reading," Fernley High School, Fernley, May 1990

Staff Development, "How Should I Spend the Summer Before My First Year of Teaching?" Reno, May 1990

Continuing Education, "Reading and Study Strategies for Remedial Students in Secondary School," Reno, April 1990

Staff Development, "Developing a Literature-Based Curriculum," Seeliger Elementary School, Carson City, March 1990

Staff Development, "Classroom Management Strategies for Gifted Students," Washoe County School District G/T teachers, October 1989

Staff Development, "I Can Read the Words But I Don't Know What They Say," training for tutors of adult illiterates, sponsored by the Center for Learning and Literacy, Reno, October, 1989

Staff Development, "Training for Tutors: Teaching Reading and Mathematics to Middle School and High School Students," Reno Junior League sponsored workshop, September 1989

Continuing Education, "Reading and Writing in the Content Areas: Strategies for Improving Students' Learning," Gardnerville, Nevada, September 1989

Staff Development, "Curriculum Considerations for the Gifted," Washoe County (Nevada) School District, September 1989

Continuing Education, "Reading and Writing for the Remedial Student, K-12," Elko, Nevada, April/May 1989

Continuing Education, "Strategies to Improve Students' Reading and Writing Abilities, K-12," Eureka, Austin, and Lovelock, Nevada, September/October 1988

Staff Development, "Ensuring Active Learning in Social Studies," Arlington I.S.D., August 1988

Professional Development, "How to Spend the Summer Before Your First Year of Teaching," sponsored by MEM-Korp., May 1988

Staff Development, "Using Literature in the Secondary Classroom," Lewisville I.S.D., April 1988

Staff Development, "Modifying the Curriculum for Both Ends of the Continuum: A Seminar for Secondary School Teachers," Coppell I.S.D., February 1988

Staff Development, "Extending the Basal with Language and Literature," Mesquite I.S.D., November 1987

Staff Development, "Reading, Writing, and Literature Across the Curriculum," Mesquite I.S.D., November 1987

Advanced Academic Training, "How to Develop and Maintain Positive Relations with Parents," sponsored by Ft. Worth I.S.D., October 1987

Staff Development, "Keeping 25 Children Appropriately Occupied in Your Classroom," Mesquite I.S.D., October 1987

Advanced Academic Training, "How to Keep 25 Children Appropriately Occupied in Your Classroom," sponsored by Ft. Worth I.S.D. September, 1987

Staff Development, "Writing Across the Curriculum, K-12, Whitewright I.S.D., August 1987

Staff Development, "Using Literature in the English Class to Reinforce Reading and Vocabulary Development," Garland I.S.D., August 1987

Staff Development, "Using the Language Experience Approach to Enable the Learning Disabled," Dean Learning Center, Dallas, August 1987

Advanced Academic Training, "How to Develop a Game Plan for the First Two Weeks of School," sponsored by Ft. Worth I.S.D., August 1987

Professional Development, "How to Spend the Summer Before Your First Year of Teaching," sponsored by MEM-Korp., Denton, May 1987

Staff Development, "Current Metacognition Research: Implications for Chapter I Secondary Students," Albuquerque (New Mexico) Public Schools, March 1987

Staff Development, "Teaching Comprehension Strategies Measured by the TEAMS," Region X Education Service Center, January 1987

Professional Development, "Writing Strategies: Primary Grades," Ft. Worth I.S.D., December 1986

Professional Development, "Writing Strategies: Intermediate Grades," Ft. Worth I.S.D., November 1986

Staff Development, "Teaching TEAMS Objectives: Main Idea, Sequence, Drawing Conclusions, and Cause-Effect," Keller I.S.D., August 1986

Staff Development, "Teaching Vocabulary to Middle School and High School Students in the Reading and English Class," Carrollton-Farmers Branch I.S.D., August 1986

Staff Development, "Teaching Reading to Gifted Students, K-12," an Arlington private school, April 1986

Staff Development, "Creative Reading, Writing, and Thinking through the Use of Children's and Young Adult Literature," Hurst-Euless-Bedford I.S.D., March 1986

Advanced Academic Training, "Using Children's Literature Effectively (Grades K-8)," Region X Education Service Center, November 1985, December 1985, January 1986

Advanced Academic Training, "Meeting Students' Reading/Learning Needs in Heterogeneous Classrooms (Grades 1-6)," Arlington I.S.D., October 1985

Staff Development, "Extending the Basal for the Gifted," Hurst-Euless-Bedford I.S.D., August 1985

Staff Development, "Practical Applications of Current Metacognition Research," Grand Prairie I.S.D., August 1985

Staff Development, "Practical Applications of Current Schema Theory Research," Grand Prairie I.S.D., August 1985

Staff Development, "Heterogeneous Classrooms Where Everyone Learns," Region IX Education Service Center Consultant, June 1985

Staff Development, "Strategies for Teaching Reading and Literature Skills and Concepts," Region X Education Service Center Consultant, Bonham I.S.D., Grand Prairie I.S.D., Greenville I.S.D., Garland I.S.D., Fall 1984

Staff Development, "Content Area Reading for Chapter I Students," Wilmer-Hutchins Independent School District, August 1984

Staff Development, "Prepare Them to Write--Prewriting," Grapevine Independent School District, August 1983

Staff Development, "Direct Teaching Strategies," Dallas Independent School District, August 1983

Staff Developments for various Dallas schools on teaching writing to elementary school students, 1980-1983

Taught workshops about using learning activities and learning centers to pre-service and in-service teachers for various school districts and colleges in central Missouri, 1978-1980

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS/INVOLVEMENTS

INTERNATIONAL

Speaker, "Teaching Mathematics Educators about Using Reading and Writing Strategies to Enhance Learning," 2nd North American Conference on Adult and Adolescent Literacy, International Reading Association, Banff, Alberta, Canada, March 1991

Speaker, "Cultural Diversity and Cooperation," International Reading Association World Congress, Pre-Congress Institute, London, England, July 1986

NATIONAL

Speaker, "Managing Time, Paper, and Information: Dream, Nightmare, or Reality?" Pre-conference Institute, POD (Professional and Organizational Development Network in Higher Education) National Conference, Atlanta (GA), October 2002

Speaker (with Richard Lyons), "A Proven Initiative for Improving Student Accountability Outcomes," POD (Professional and Organizational Development Network in Higher Education) National Conference, Atlanta (GA), October 2002

Speaker, "Teaching College Students to Be Strategic Learners," College Reading and Learning Association, 34th Annual Conference, Spokane (WA), October 2001

Speaker, "Developing Strategic Learners," College Reading and Learning Association, 33rd Annual Conference, Reno (NV), November 2000

Speaker, "Effective Time and Paper Management," NAFEM (North American Association of Food Equipment Manufacturers) Sales and Marketing Conference, Kansas City, June 1999

Speaker, "Understanding Spelling and Schooling Among 1009 Ninth Graders," Forty-Sixth Annual Meeting National Reading Conference, Charleston, S.C., December 1996

Speaker, "Active Learning for the Mathematically 'Learning Combatant'," Extended Session, Seventy-Fourth Annual Meeting, National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, San Diego, April 1996

Speaker, "Increasing the Reading Speed and Comprehension of Older Students: Ideas to Use and Ideas to Share with Others," Poster Session, International Reading Association Fortieth Annual Convention, Anaheim, May 1995

Speaker, "Improve Learning in Geometry: Interdisciplinary Study of Greek and Latin Word Roots," Minicourse presentation, Seventy-Second Annual Meeting, National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, Indianapolis, April 1994

Speaker, "The Development of Content Specific Orthographic Knowledge: A Look at Vocabulary in Geometry," 43rd Annual Meeting of the National Reading Conference, Charleston, December 1993

Speaker, "Meeting the Learning Needs of Gifted Children and Young Adults--Using Geometric Psychology," National Association for Gifted Children, Annual Convention, Atlanta, November 1993

Speaker, "Appropriate Literature for Gifted Learners," Thirty-Eighth Annual Convention, International Reading Association, San Antonio, May 1993

Speaker, "Alternative Strategies for Gifted Students in Alternative High School Programs," Annual Convention, National Association for Gifted Children, Los Angeles, November 1992

Speaker, "What Do Greek and Latin Roots Have to Do With Geometry? A Case for (and Some Ideas for) Interdisciplinary Study of the Vocabulary of Geometry," National Council of Teachers of English Annual Convention, Louisville, November 1992

Speaker, "Reading and Writing in the Science Classroom," National Science Teachers Association National Convention, Reno, December 1991

Speaker and Pre-Conference Session Chair, "Teaching the Use of Reading and Writing Strategies for the Enhancement of Learning in Middle School and High School Mathematics Classrooms--A Gertrude Whipple Program Development Project," International Reading Association, Thirty-Sixth Annual Convention, Las Vegas, May 1991

Speaker, "Words, Wonder, and Wisdom in the Intermediate Grades: Putting the "Know" in Word Knowledge" Symposium: "Strategies at Work in the Content Areas: Formal and Informal Applications in the Intermediate Classroom," International Reading Association, Thirty-Fifth Annual Convention, Atlanta, May 1990

Speaker, "Reading and Writing Strategies for At-Risk Students: How English/Language Arts Teachers Can Assist Learning Throughout the School," National Council of Teachers of English, Spring Convention, Colorado Springs, March 1990

Chair, "Our Endangered World: Integrating Science Across the Seventh Grade Curriculum," National Council of Teachers of English, Spring Convention, Colorado Springs, March 1990

Chair, "Folklore: The Magic Touch to Literacy Development," National Council of Teachers of English, Spring Convention, Colorado Springs, March 1990

Chair, "Text Processing," National Reading Conference, Austin, December 1989

Chair, "Three Perspectives on Spelling Curriculum and Instruction," National Council of Teachers of English, Annual Convention, Baltimore, November 1989

Speaker, "Successful Strategies for Serving Gifted Students in Rural Schools," National Rural Education Association, Annual Conference, Reno, October 1989

Presider, "Rural Regular and Special Education Teachers' Perceptions of Teaching Hyperactive Students," National Rural Education Association, Annual Conference, Reno, October 1989

Speaker, "Why Teacher Educators Should Do Their Own Assignments," National Council of Teachers of English, Spring Conference, Charleston, South Carolina, March 1989

Discussant, "Orthographic Awareness Reflected in Metalinguistic Observation, Levels of Response to Literature and Writing Fluency, Divergent Trends within One Classroom," National Reading Conference, Tucson, November 1988.

Consultant, "ALAN at Fifteen: At the Heart of Adolescent Literature," National Council of Teachers of English, Annual Convention, St. Louis, November 1988

Speaker, "Fantasy: "Invadist" not Escapist Literature for Young Adults," National Council of Teachers of English, Annual Convention, St. Louis, November 1988

Speaker, "What Does the Metalinguistic Awareness of Young Gifted Children Tell Us?" Gifted Students Institute Annual Spring Conference, April 1988

Associate Chair, "Reading, Writing, Talking, and Thinking," National Council of Teachers of English, Annual Convention, Los Angeles, November 1987

Speaker, "Assessing the Metalinguistic Content of Young Children's Oral Language," National Council of Teachers of English/Doctoral Students' Assembly, Annual Convention, Los Angeles, November 1987

Speaker, "Reading Aloud to Students in Middle School and High School Social Studies Classes," National Social Science Association, Fall Meeting, Dallas-Ft. Worth, October 1987

Speaker, "Teaching Reading and Language Arts Pre-Service Teachers About Direct Instruction: Modeling the Process," National Reading and Language Arts Educators' Conference, Kansas City, October 1987

Co-Chair and Speaker, "The Year of the Reader: Does She Have a Model? Strong Female Protagonists in High Fantasy Literature," Pre-Convention Institute, International Reading Association, Anaheim, May 1987

Speaker, "Eliciting the Use of Metaphor in Elementary School Students--Production," National Council of Teachers of English, Spring Conference, Louisville, March 1987

Speaker, "Strong Female Characters in High Fantasy Literature for Young Adults," Assembly on Literature for Adolescents, National Council of Teachers of English, Annual Convention, San Antonio, November 1986

Speaker, "Surviving a Doctoral Program: What Sacrifices You Can Expect to Make as a Doctoral Student," National Council of Teachers of English/Doctoral Students' Assembly, Annual Convention, San Antonio, November 1986

Speaker, "Changing Pre-Service and In-Service Teachers' Perceptions of the Reading Process Through Metalinguistic/ Metacognitive Awareness Interviews with Students," National Reading and Language Arts Educators Conference, Kansas City, September 1986

Speaker, "Gifted Children in Literature," Preconvention Institute, Thirty-first Annual Convention, International Reading Association, Philadelphia, April 1986

Speaker, "Using High Fantasy Literature with Gifted Elementary, Middle, and High School Students to Develop Critical and Creative Reading, Writing, and Thinking," Annual Convention, Council for Exceptional Children, New Orleans, April 1986

Discussion leader, "Coffee and Conversation: For Doctoral Students Only," National Council of Teachers of English, Spring Conference, Phoenix, March 1986

Speaker, "Strategies Which Enable Students to Really Learn the Vocabulary Their Teachers are Trying to Teach," National Council of Teachers of English, Spring Conference, Phoenix, March 1986

Speaker, "Science Fiction and Fantasy Books Worth Teaching to Teens," Assembly on Adolescent Literature Workshop, National Council of Teachers of English, Philadelphia, November 1985

Speaker, "One Boy Reading: Perceptions of the Process," National Reading and Language Arts Educators Conference, Kansas City, September 1985

Speaker, "High School Students' Response to Fantasy: Reading and Writing," Preconvention Institute, Thirtieth Annual Convention, International Reading Association, New Orleans, May 1985

Recorder, "Sentence Combining and Beyond," National Council of Teachers of English, Spring Conference, Houston, March 1985

Chair/Recorder, "Enhancing Written Language Development--Is It Possible?" National Council of Teachers of English, Spring Conference, Houston, March 1985

Chair/Recorder, "What Do Children Understand About Their Own Compositions?" National Council of Teachers of English, Spring Conference, Houston, March 1985

Discussion leader, "Coffee and Conversation: For Doctoral Students Only," National Council of Teachers of English, Spring Conference, Houston, March 1985

Speaker, "An Naturalistic Study in Metalinguistics: Similarities and Differences Between Verbally Gifted Students Who Are Fluent in the Production of Humor," National Reading and Language Arts Educators' Conference, Kansas City, September 1984

Chair, "Black Images in Children's Fiction: A Slide Presentation," Spring Conference, National Council of Teachers of English, Columbus, April 1984, Elementary Section

Speaker, "Extending the Reading Abilities of the Average to Above Average Reader," Spring Conference, National Council of Teachers of English, Columbus, April 1984, Secondary Section

Chair, "Quality for All Through the Experiences of Literature," 73rd Annual Convention, National Council of Teachers of English, Denver, November 1983

REGIONAL

Speaker, "Succeeding with Lateral Leadership: Strengthen Yourself, Strengthen Others," Western Extension Leadership Development Conference, Portland (OR), June 2006

Speaker, "Succeeding with Lateral Leadership: Strengthen Yourself, Strengthen Others," Western Extension Leadership Development Conference, Park City (UT), May 2004

Speaker, "Setting SMART Goals: If You Don't Have a Destination, Any Road Will Take You to Nowhere," Western States Leadership Conference, Reno (NV), June 2001

Speaker, "Setting SMART Goals: If You Don't Have a Destination, Any Road Will Take You to Nowhere," Society of Women Engineers Western Regional Conference, University of Nevada, Reno, February 2001

General Session Speaker, "Managing Your Time, Managing Your Paper," Western Regional WIC Directors Conference, Reno (NV), September 2000

Speaker, "Learning Mathematics by Communicating Mathematically: Reading and Writing Strategies," Western Regional Conference of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, Reno (NV), November 1998

Speaker, "Reading and Writing Strategies that Improve Learning In Secondary Mathematics Classes," Western Regional Conference of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, Salt Lake City (UT), February 1997

Speaker, "Reading and Writing Strategies that Improve Learning In Middle and High School Mathematics Classes" Central Regional Conference of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, Kansas City (MO), October 1996

Speaker, "Reading and Writing Strategies that Improve Learning in Middle and High School Mathematics Classes," Canadian Regional Conference, National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, Vancouver, B.C., August 1996

Speaker, "Teaching Gifted Students in the Regular Classroom," Western Regional Middle Level Consortium Conference, February 1996

Speaker, "Improving Learning in Geometry through the Study of Greek and Latin Word Roots," Central Regional Conference of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, Springfield (MO), October 1995

Speaker, "Vocabulary and Concept Development in Geometry: An Interdisciplinary Approach," Southern Regional Conference of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, Tulsa, October 1994

Speaker, "Helping Students Read and Learn from Their Mathematics Textbooks: How Reading Teachers Can Work with Mathematics Teachers," Fifteenth West Regional International Reading Association Conference, Reno, February 1994

Chair, Luncheon Speaker Committee, Fifteenth West Regional International Reading Association Conference, Reno, February 1994

Speaker, "Help Students Read and Learn From the UCSMP Textbooks with Question-Answer Relationships," Western Regional Conference of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, San Francisco, February 1994

Speaker, "Using Reading and Writing Strategies to Facilitate Learning in the Geometry Classroom," Western Regional Conference of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, Las Vegas, February 1993

Speaker, "Interdisciplinary Word Study: Involving the Whole School in Building Vocabulary Across the Curriculum," Southwest Regional Council of Teachers of English/Language Arts, Reno, October 1992

Speaker, "Using Reading and Writing Strategies to Enhance the Learning in Mathematics Classrooms," Southwest Regional Conference of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, Albuquerque, November 1991

Speaker, "Using Computers to Help Teach Composition," Southwest Regional Conference for Teachers of English/Language Arts, Park City, Utah, October 1990

Speaker, "Strategies to Promote Metacognitive Awareness (and Thereby Improve Reading Ability) in Secondary Level Chapter I Students," Sixteenth Southwest Regional Conference, International Reading Association, Oklahoma City, February 1988

Speaker, "Using High Fantasy Literature to Develop the Inferencing Abilities of Gifted Middle School Students," Fourteenth Southwest Regional Conference, International Reading Association, San Antonio, January 1986

Speaker, "Developing Gifted Secondary Students' Abilities to Make Inferences Through the Use of High Fantasy Literature," Thirteenth Southwest Regional Conference, International Reading Association, Albuquerque, January 1985

Speaker, "Creative Reading and Writing Using Literature of the New Southwest," Southwest Regional Conference for Teachers of English, Albuquerque, October 1984

Speaker, "Using Sentence Combining to Improve the Reading Comprehension of Elementary Students," Twelfth Southwest Regional Conference, International Reading Association, Little Rock, October 1983

STATE

Speaker, "Managing the Time of Your Life;" "Great Brains Don't Think Alike;" and "Grow Your Creativity," Diocese of Reno Annual Conference, Reno (NV), January 2003

Speaker, "Leadership in the 21st Century," University of Nevada Cooperative Extension Statewide Conference, Reno (NV), October 2002

Speaker, "Keeping All the Plates Spinning: Time and Paper Management," Nevada School Food Service Association Annual Conference, South Lake Tahoe (CA), June 2002

Speaker, "Personal and Professional Productivity: Organize Yourself and Your Life," Nevada Escrow Association Convention, Reno (NV), February 2002

Speaker, "Classroom Management," "Designing Effective Lessons," "Organize and Simplify Your Life," "Setting SMART Goals," Diocese of Reno Annual Conference, Reno (NV), January 2002

Speaker, "What Matters Most[®]," Nevada Rural Educators' Conference, Elko (NV), July 2001

Speaker, "Teaching the Noah's Ark that is Your Classroom," Nevada Department of Education Mega-Conference, Las Vegas, March 2001

Speaker, "Time and Paper Management for Busy, Busy, Busy Educators (Yes, It Can Be Done!)" Nevada Department of Education Mega-Conference, Las Vegas, March 2001

Speaker, "Managing Your Time and Paper in a Changing E-conomy: Who Predicted a Paperless Office, Anyway?!" Nevada Library Association, Reno (NV), October 2000

Speaker, "Differentiating Instruction" and "Teaching with the Brain in Mind," Nevada Department of Education Mega Conference, Lake Tahoe, March 2000

Speaker, "Shameless Self Promotion," Nevada Library Association Annual Conference, Elko (NV), October 1999

Speaker, "Consider How to Improve Your Time and Paper Management Skills—and Improve Your Life," Nevada Dietetic Association Annual Meeting, Reno (NV), April 1999

Keynote Speaker, "Motivation: Is It Ours to Give?" Nevada Association for Gifted Children Fifth Annual Conference, Reno, March 1997

Speaker, "Using the QAR Strategy in Social Studies and Language Arts: An Interdisciplinary Approach," Nevada State Council of Teachers of English State Conference, Reno, October 1994

Speaker, "Constructive Activism: A Workshop for Parents of Gifted Students," Nevada Association for Gifted Children Third Annual Conference, Reno, October 1994

Leader, "Using Six Thinking Hats to Facilitate Creativity," Creativity Night, Nevada Association for Gifted Children Second Annual Conference, Las Vegas, June 1993

Speaker, "The Mathematics/Linguistics Connection," Nevada Mathematics Leaders Conference, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1992

Speaker, "Content Reading Strategies for Secondary Teachers," Thirteenth Annual Nevada Reading Week, Nevada State Department, February 1992

Speaker, "Identifying Young Gifted Children," Northern Nevada Early Childhood Educators' Conference, Reno, October 1990

Speaker, "Strategies Teachers Can Use to Enable Students to Read and Learn from the Social Studies Textbook," Northern Nevada Council for the Social Studies/Nevada State Department Conference, March 1990

Speaker, "A Travel Guide to Picture Books for Teachers, K-12," Annual Nevada Reading Week Conference, Reno, January 1990

Speaker, "Kicking Off the New School Year with Literature," Nevada State Department, Reno, August 1989

Speaker, "Why Children's Literature: Ideas for Elementary and Secondary Teachers," Tenth Annual Nevada Reading Week Conference, Reno, January 1989

Speaker, "A Case for the Introduction and Adoption of a New Term: Metalinguistic Sentience," Fourteenth Annual Reading Research Conference of the Washington Organization for Reading Development, Seattle, March 1989

Speaker, "Teaching Vocabulary in the Content Areas: Social Studies, Mathematics, and Science," State Conference, Silver State Reading Association, Las Vegas, March 1989

Speaker, "Enhancing the Vocabulary Development of College Bound Middle and High School Students," State Conference, Utah Council of the International Reading Association, March 1989

Speaker, "Strategies for Ensuring That Students Learn Vocabulary--for Life, Not Just for a Test," State Convention, Nevada State Council of Teachers of English, Sparks, October 1988

Speaker, "Enhancing the Vocabulary Development of Below Average Children," Eighteenth Annual Conference, Texas Council for Exceptional Children, San Antonio, July 1988

Speaker, "Teaching Vocabulary to College Bound Middle School and High School Students: Strategies I Know Will Work Because I've Tried Them!" Sixteenth Annual Convention, Texas State Council International Reading Association, Ft. Worth, March 1988

Speaker, "Research Report: An Ethnographic Study of the Metalinguistic Awareness of Young Gifted Children," Fifteenth Annual Convention, Texas State Council International Reading Association, El Paso, February 1987

Speaker, "Teaching Metaphor to Enhance the Reading Comprehension of Elementary and Middle School Students," Fifteenth Annual Convention, Texas State Council International Reading Association, El Paso, February 1987

Speaker, "Teaching for Critical Thinking Using Children's Literature," Texas Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development, Fort Worth, November 1986

Speaker, "Ensuring that Students Learn Vocabulary--For Life, Not Just for the Test," Texas Joint Council of Teachers of English, Fort Worth, February 1986

Speaker, "Using High Fantasy Literature to Increase Gifted High School Students' Abilities to Draw Inferences," Fifteenth Annual Conference, Texas Council for Exceptional Children, Fort Worth, July 1985

Speaker, "Learning Characteristics of Gifted Students as They Affect Reading Instruction," Thirteenth Annual Conference, Texas State Council International Reading Association, Dallas, March 1985

Speaker, "Creative and Critical Reading for Gifted (and Not So Gifted) High School Students," Twelfth Annual Convention, Texas State Council International Reading Association, Corpus Christi, March 1984

Speaker, "Improving Reading Comprehension Through Sentence-Combining Activities," Eleventh Annual Convention, Texas State Council International Reading Association, Houston, March 1983

LOCAL

Speaker, "Setting SMART Goals," Northern Nevada Autism Society of America, Reno (NV), April 2001

Speaker, "Reading and Writing Strategies for the Middle School Mathematics Classroom," Washoe County Middle School Conference, November 1994

Conference chair, The Second Annual Reading and Language Arts Conference sponsored by the College of Education, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1990

Speaker, "Adapting Content Area Reading Strategies to a Sports Literature Class," and "What Parents Can Do to Facilitate their Children's Success in School," The Second Annual Reading and Language Arts Conference, Reno, August 1990

Speaker, "Parenting Gifted Children: Techniques for Helping Your Child Take Advantage of Their Talents and Opportunities," Third Annual Parent Day, Washoe County School District, January 1990

Speaker, "What Parents Can Do to Help Their Children Excel in School," Nevada Family Living Conference, Sparks, October 1989

Speaker, "Kicking Off the New School Year with Literature," Nevada Department of Education, Reno, August 1989

Conference chair, The First Annual Reading and Language Arts Conference sponsored by the College of Education, UNR, August 1989

Speaker, "Teaching Metaphor to Intermediate, Middle, and High School Students," and "Good Informational (Non-Fiction) Books: A Booklist for Parents and Teachers," First Annual Reading and Language Arts Conference, Reno, August 1989

Panelist, "Literacy in the 1990's," Teacher Advisory Board Roundtable on Teacher Education, Reno, April 1989

Speaker, "Informational Books for Young Readers," Sierra Nevada Council/IRA, Reno, January 1989

Discussion group leader, "Good Literature to Share with Adults/Parents as Readers," Literacy in Nevada--A Cornucopia of Needs: Focus on Secondary and Adult Learners," State Education Policy Seminar, University of Nevada - Reno, October 1988

Speaker, "Beginning Reading for Gifted Young Children," Eighth Annual N.T.S.U. Early Childhood Symposium, Denton, June 1985

Speaker, "What Current Inference Research has to Say to Intermediate Classroom Teachers," N.T.S.U. Reading Conference, Denton, February 1985

Speaker, "Teaching Reading in the High School English Class," N.T.S.U. Secondary Education Conference, Lewisville, September 1984

Speaker, "Critical and Creative Reading for Gifted Secondary Students," Summer workshop, North Texas Council of International Reading Association, Plano, August 1984

Speaker, "Priming the Pump: Prepare them to Write--Prewriting," Second Annual Elementary Education Conference, N.T.S.U., November 1982

INVITED ADDRESSES/SPEECHES/PRESENTATIONS

Dinner Speaker, "What Are the Keys?" Nevada State Convention, American Association of University Women, Reno (NV), April 2006

Keynote Speaker, "Life is a Bank and Time is the Medium of Exchange," eWomenNetwork, Reno (NV), April 2006

Luncheon Speaker, "15 Ideas to Implement Immediately to Combat Constant Information Inundation," Reno (NV) Lions Club, April 2005

Luncheon Speaker, "Creating a 'Not-to-Do' List," Professional Saleswomen of Nevada, Reno (NV), July 2004

Luncheon Speaker, "Creating a 'Not-to-Do' List," Society of Women Engineers, Reno (NV), June 2004

Luncheon Keynote, "Make Your Mark and See Where It Takes You!", Nevada Brownfields Conference, Sparks (NV), May 2004

Closing Keynote, "Make Your Mark and See Where It Takes You!" Nevada CUPA (College and University Professionals Association) Human Resources Conference, Verdi (NV), March 2004

Speaker, "Keeping Chaos at Bay," Sierra Nevada Club of Printing House Craftsmen, Reno (NV), May 2003

Speaker, "Decluttering for Peace (as well as for a lot of other reasons!)," Heart of the Home, Carson Valley (NV), April 2003

Keynote, "What Kind of Magnet Are You?" Nevada CUPA (College and University Professionals Association) Human Resources Conference, Verdi (NV), March 2003

Keynote, "Let's Get Organized," Nevada Association of Counties (NACO) Annual Conference, Lake Tahoe (NV), November 2002

Keynote, "No Matter What 'Shape' You're In: Character Traits, Personalities, and their Impact on Interaction with Your Governing Body," Nevada Association of Counties (NACO) Annual Conference, Lake Tahoe (NV), November 2002

Speaker, "Time and Paper Management," MOPS (Mothers of Pre-Schoolers), Reno, May 2002

Speaker, "Questions We Need to Ask," Reno-Sparks Assistance League, February 2002

Speaker, "Setting SMART Goals," Professional Saleswomen of Nevada, October 2001

Keynote Speaker, "What Kind of Magnet Are You?" Start Fresh Conference, Nevada Department of Education, August 2001

Speaker, "Setting SMART Goals," Books and Beyond Reading Recognition Program, Little Flower School, Reno (NV), April 2001

Keynote Speaker, "Managing Your Time and Paper Resources (Who Predicted a Paperless Office, Anyway?)" Northern Nevada Human Resources Association, Reno (NV), September 2000

Speaker, "Who Were Your Best Teachers?" Reno South Rotary, January 2000

Opening Keynote Speaker, "Knots in Your Personality," National Assistance League Convention, Seattle (WA), September 1999

Keynote Speaker, "Who Were Your Best Teachers?" University of Nevada, Reno Foundation Fall Meeting, September 1999

Opening Keynote Speaker, "Don't Tie Yourself in Knots Over This!" Start Fresh Conference, August 1999

Keynote Speaker, "Dealing with Differences—Geometrically!" National Assisteens Convention, Scottsdale (AZ), August 1999

Keynote Speaker, "Presentation Skills," Sierra Nevada Chapter of the American Society for Training and Development, October 1998

Keynote Speaker, "Shift Your View: Educators as Entrepreneurs," Finish Fresh Conference, April 1998

Keynote Luncheon Speaker, "You have—and you need—all the different personality shapes in Assistance League!" National Assistance League, District II Conference, Reno (NV), April 1998

Speaker, "Helping Your Children Succeed in School," Kickoff Dinner/Seminar, Washoe County School District/North Valley Elementary Schools, January 1998

Speaker, "Organizing to Work Smarter, Not Harder," Assistance League of Reno-Sparks Annual Retreat, Truckee (CA), August 1997

Speaker, "Time and Paper Management for Professionals," Enrolled Agents, Reno (NV), July 1997

Speaker, "Education at the University in 1997," Golden Grads, University of Nevada, Reno, May 1997

Luncheon Speaker, "Increasing Your Productivity," Professional Saleswomen of Nevada, April 1997

Keynote Speaker, "Self-Imposed Organizational Strategies for the Organizationally Challenged," Professional Secretaries International® Ponderosa Pines Chapter "Day After" Professional Secretaries Day® Seminar, Carson City (NV), April 1997

Keynote Speaker, "Your Teaching Personality Can Be Either the Problem or the Solution" Western U.S. Colleges of Agriculture Teaching Symposium, University of Nevada, Reno, September 1996

Dinner Speaker, "Time and Paper Management Tactics for School Administrators," Douglas County (NV) School Administrators Association, September 1996

Keynote Speaker, "101 (or thereabouts) Ideas to Improve Literacy Achievement in Your Classroom," 12th Annual Reading and Writing Conference, Weber State University, Ogden, UT, June 1996

Speaker, "You Can Read Faster and Comprehend More!" Reno Host Lions Club, Harrah's, Reno, May 1996

Speaker, "Highly Gifted Middle School Students in a High School Setting: Positives and Pitfalls," Galena High School G/T Parents Meeting, November 1995

Speaker, "Study Skills and Time Management," Juniper & Manzanita Residence Halls, University of Nevada, Reno, October 1995

Speaker, "Views on Education Today," Audrey Webb Child Study Center, Stephens College, Columbia, MO, October 1995

Speaker, "Getting Organized," Rotary luncheon, John Ascuaga's Nugget, Reno, July 1995

Speaker, "The 8 R's of Good Teaching," Sierra Council/IRA Officer Installation Dinner, Reno, May 1995

Speaker, "Helping Your Children with Reading and Study Skills," ALERT (Alliance Looking at Educational Reforms Today), Reno, May 1995

Speaker, "Making a Clean Sweep of Your Classroom," Finish Fresh Conference, Nevada State Department of Education, April 1995

Speaker, "Time Management for Graduate Students," Graduate Student Association Graduate Awareness Week, University of Nevada, Reno, April 1995

Speaker, "Excellence in Education," Friends of the College of Education Spring Meeting, University of Nevada, April 1995

Speaker, "Optimism: A Key to Continued Success," Sparks High School Honor Society Induction Ceremony, Sparks (NV) November 1994

Speaker, "Organizing for Efficiency," Washoe County Teachers of Mathematics, October 1994

Speaker, "I Know a Good Teacher," College of Education Advisory Board, September 1994

Speaker, "Leadership Involves Integrity," Reed High School and Sparks High School Student Council Leadership Retreat, Lake Tahoe, NV, August 1994

Speaker, "Getting Organized--This Summer!" Northern Nevada Teachers of English, Reno, May 1994

Speaker, "Optimism: A Key to Your Success," Induction Ceremony, Douglas County High School Honor Society, Minden (NV), May 1994

Opening Session Speaker, "Empower Yourself and Your Students," Fernley (NV) Public Schools, August 1993

General Session Speaker, "Setting SMART Goals for Yourself--As You 'Finish Fresh' and As You Look Down the Road At the Rest of Your Life," First Annual Finish Fresh Conference, Nevada Department of Education, Reno, April 1993

Speaker, "Some Things I Wish I Had Known Then (and a few things I still wish I knew)," Graduate Student Association Graduate Awareness Week, University of Nevada, Reno, April 1993

Speaker, "Attention Parents!! What Do Your Gifted Children Need From You?" Clark County School District, December 1992

Faculty Speaker, "Empowering Yourself--for College and for Life," Second Annual Freshmen Convocation, University of Nevada, Reno, August 1992

Keynote Speaker, "C-crets of Successful Programming for Gifted Students," Nevada Association for Gifted Children Annual Conference, Reno, June 1992

Speaker, "Why Am I Here? And How Can I Manage My Time Since I Am Here?" Phi Delta Kappa, January 1992

Speaker, "Building the Reading Comprehension of Less Skilled Readers," RAD tutors, sponsored by the Children's Cabinet, Reno, January 1992

Speaker, "C-crets of Success," December graduation brunch, University of Nevada, Reno, December 1991

Speaker, "Achieving Your Goals," Straight as an "A"rrow Banquet, Battle Mountain (Nevada), November 1991

Speaker, "Creative Imagination," University of Nevada, Reno Study Skills Center, February 1991

Speaker, "Building Reading Comprehension," RAD tutors, sponsored by Children's Cabinet, Reno, January 1991

Speaker, "Gifted Children and Literature," Association for Excellence in Education, Reno, June 1990

Speaker, "IQ and Other Means of Identifying Gifted Students," PAGES, Incline Village, March 1990

Speaker, "Setting Goals for Now--and for Life," Washoe County School District Intern Program for Gifted High School Students, November 1989

Speaker, "What Is It Like for a Gifted Child in a Classroom for Gifted Students? (and what should you expect?)" Association for Excellence in Education, Reno, June 1989

Speaker, "Parenting a Gifted Child: Harder, Easier, or Different?" Association for Excellence in Education, Reno, May 1989

Speaker, "Maintaining A Warm Fuzzy Classroom in a Cold Prickly Environment," Student Education Association, N.T.S.U., Denton, November 1987

Keynote speaker, "How to Maintain a Warm Fuzzy Classroom in a Cold Prickly Environment," Missouri Student NEA State Convention, Springfield, April 1980