# Jennifer Young Wagner Southern Wesleyan University

School of Education

### **Academic Identification**

#### **Universities Attended**

Clemson University, Clemson, SC

## PhD Curriculum and Instruction, Special Education (2014).

Award: Federally Funded Roadmap to Excellence for School and University

Leaders in Teaching and Scholarship (RESULTS) Leadership Project

Grant Recipient, full tuition and stipend (2009 – graduation).

Dissertation: The Facilitated Individualized Education Program Process: State

Perspectives

Major Advisor: Joseph B. Ryan

<u>Committee</u>: Janie Hodge, Antonis Katsiyannis, Windsor Sherrill

# MEd Special Education, Learning Disabilities (1998).

Award: Federally Funded Master's Early Literacy Personnel Preparation

Grant Recipient, full tuition (1997-1998).

## BA Secondary Education, Social Sciences (1996).

<u>Award</u>: *Cum laude*; Graduated first in major

Furman University, Greenville, SC

# MA Administration and Supervision (2003).

Award: Furman Fellow, District Funded Administration and Supervision

Personnel Preparation Grant Recipient, full tuition (2002-2003).

#### **Academic Positions**

**Center Director, Project CREATE** (**July 2014 – present**). Southern Wesleyan University; Central, SC.

**Coordinator of Special Education (July 2014 – present).** Southern Wesleyan University; Central, SC.

**Assistant Professor, Early Childhood Special Education (August 2013 - present).** Southern Wesleyan University; Central, SC.

Graduate/Research Assistant (2012-2013). Assistant on Ideal Systems-Ready Community Gap Analysis-Refocused GAP Analysis for the Institute for Child Success: Identifying Gaps in Community-based Resources and Describing the Ideal Systems Associated with

- Comprehensive Health and Education Factors for Healthy Child Development and School Readiness in Greenville County, South Carolina. Clemson University; Clemson, SC. Error! Reference source not found.
- Graduate/Research Assistant (2011-2012). Assistant on Health, Education, and Human Development funded interdisciplinary grant titled Early Childhood Obesity Prevention and Healthy Living Network Project, in conjunction with personnel from Parks, Recreation, Tourism, and Management and Health Education. Clemson University; Clemson, SC.
- Graduate/Research Assistant (2009-2012). Assistant on Professional Development for Algebra Progress Monitoring Project (federally funded grant) in conjunction with personnel from Clemson University, Iowa State University, and George Mason University. Clemson University; Clemson, SC.
- Assistant Principal (2008-2009). Alexander Elementary School; Greenville County Schools; Greenville, SC.
- Assistant Principal (2003-2007). Robert E. Cashion Elementary School; Greenville County Schools; Greenville, SC.
- **Special Education Teacher (1998 2003).** Resource grades K 5. Monaview Elementary School; Greenville County Schools; Greenville, SC.

# **Work Experience**

- Independent Contractor (2013, summer). Researcher on Gap Analysis in conjunction with Clemson University and the Institute for Child Success: Identifying Gaps in Communitybased Resources in Bamberg, Barnwell, and Williamsburg Counties, South Carolina.
- Independent Contractor (2013, spring). Researcher on Gap Analysis for the Institute for Child Success: Identifying Gaps in Community-based Resources in Greenville County, South Carolina.
- Interim Director/Research Assistant, ClemsonLIFE (2013-present). Direct a two year program incorporating functional academics, independent living, employment, and social/leisure skills with the goal of producing self-sufficient young adults. Clemson University; Clemson, SC.
- Internship (2011, summer). Assisted Ombudsman in Office of Exceptional Children. South Carolina Department of Education; Columbia, SC.
- Continuous Improvement Coordinator (2007-2008). Greenville County Schools; Greenville, SC.

## **Teaching Certifications**

**SC:** Certificate Number 182379 (valid 07/01/2011 to 06/30/2016) Social Studies (Highly Qualified, secondary); Special Education – Learning Disabilities; Elementary Principal (K - 12); Elementary Supervisor (K - 12).

South Carolina ADEPT/TEAM Evaluator: Assisting, Developing, Evaluating Professional Teaching in Team-Based Evaluation and Assistance Model. SC Department of Education, Office of Teacher Education and Certification.

### Research

### **Refereed Articles**

- Hughes, E. M., Hunt-Barron, S., Wagner, J. Y., & Evering, L. (2014). Using young adult literature to develop content knowledge of autism for preservice teachers. The Teacher Educator, 49(3), 208-224.
- Stegelin, D. A., Anderson, D., Kemper, K., Wagner, J. Y., & Evans, K. (2014). Exploring daily physical activity and nutrition patterns in early learning settings: Snapshots of young children in head start, primary, and after-school settings. Early Childhood Education Journal, 42(2), 133-142.
- Stegelin, D. A., Evans, K., & Wagner, J. Y. (2013). A qualitative study of daily physical activity in community-based learning settings with recommendations for teachers and administrators. Teacher Education Journal of South Carolina, 29-35.
- Correa, V. I., & Wagner, J. Y. (2011). Principals' roles in supporting the induction of special education teachers. Journal of Special Education Leadership, 24(1), 17 - 25.
- Wagner, J. Y., & Katsiyannis, A. (2010). Special education litigation update: Implications for school administrators. NASSP Bulletin, 94(1), 40 - 52.

# **Unpublished Works**

- Bauer, D., Hammond, A., Sarria, M., Tully, E., & Wagner, J. Y. (2008, spring). Alternative programs. Evaluated alternative programs effectiveness, reported results to Assistant Superintendent. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- Wagner, J. Y. (2008, March). Pandemic flu. Researched and compiled information regarding safety procedures if district experiences pandemic flu epidemic. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- Wagner, J. Y. (2003 2007). Robert E. Cashion student handbook. Greenville County Schools, SC.

### **Refereed Conference Presentations/Posters**

### National/International

Stegelin, D. A., Wagner, J. Y., & Evans, K. (2013, February). An Exploratory Study of Daily Physical Activity and Nutrition Patterns in Early Learning Settings: Snapshots of Young

- Children in Head Start, 4K-Primary, and After-School Settings. Paper accepted at the Early Childhood Play, Practice, and Policy Conference, Clemson, SC.
- Hodge, J., Wagner, J. Y., & Reed, D. (2012, April). Facilitated Individualized Education Program Team Meetings: Benefits, Concerns, and Satisfaction of Participants. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Council for Exceptional Children Convention, Denver, CO.
- Wagner, J. Y., Hughes, E., & Hunt-Barron, S. (2012, April). Using Fiction With Preservice Educators to Facilitate Understanding of Autism Spectrum Disorder. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Council for Exceptional Children Convention, Denver, CO.
- Hughes, E. M., Hunt-Barron, S., Wagner, J. Y., & Evering, L. C. (2011, Dec.). The Power and Promise of Literature to Enhance Student Motivation and Teacher Understanding of Autism. Paper presented at the 61<sup>st</sup> annual Literacy Research Association Conference, Jacksonville, FL.
- Hughes, E. M., Gambrell, L. B., Hunt-Barron, S., Wagner, J. Y., Evering, L. C., Massey, C., & Ramey, D. (2011, Nov.). Using Young Adult Literature to Explore Teachers' Attitudes and Understandings of Students with Autism. Paper presented at the 55th annual Association of Literacy Educators and Researchers Conference, Richmond, VA.
- Conroy, T., Yell, M., Correa, V., & Wagner, J. Y. (2011, April). Parents and Professionals Speak about Involvement in the IEP Process. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Council for Exceptional Children Convention, Baltimore, MD.
- Collins, J. C., & Wagner, J. Y. (2011, Feb.). A Single Subject Investigation of the Efficacy of Discrete Prompting Technology. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the 2011 Midwest Symposium for Leadership in Behavior Disorders, Kansas City, MO.
- Stegall, J. B., Wagner, J. Y., Collins, J. C., & Stecker, P. M. (2010, Oct.). Progress monitoring for middle and secondary mathematics and content-area vocabulary. Paper presented at the 32<sup>nd</sup> annual meeting of the International Conference on Learning Disabilities, Myrtle Beach, SC.
- Wagner, J. Y., Stegall, J. B., Stecker, P. M., & McCall, A. (2010, Oct.). Implementing peerassisted learning. Paper presented at the 32<sup>nd</sup> annual meeting of the International Conference on Learning Disabilities, Myrtle Beach, SC.
- Stegall, J. B., & Wagner, J. Y. (2010, April). Strategies for teaching phonological awareness. Paper presented at the Early Childhood Play, Practice, and Policy Conference, Clemson, SC.

# State/Regional

- Stegelin, D. A., Evans, K., & Wagner, J. Y. (2014, Oct.). Daily physical activity and nutrition patterns: Snapshots of young children in head start, primary, and after-school settings. Paper presented at the Early Childhood Research Symposium, Columbia, SC.
- Stegelin, D., & Wagner, J. Y. (2013, Oct.). Community resources: Building the ideal systems/ready communities for optimal child development and school readiness and identifying GAPS in services in urban and rural areas in South Carolina. Paper presented at the South Carolina Early Childhood Research Symposium, Greenville, SC.
- Stecker, P. M., Hodge, J., Wagner, J. Y., Stegall, J. B., & Collins, J. C. (2011, Feb.). Developing vocabulary-matching measures to monitor progress in content-area subjects. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the South Carolina Federation of the Council for Exceptional Children, Myrtle Beach, SC.
- Collins, J. C., Wagner, J. Y., & Ryan, J. B. (2011, Feb.) The Use of Assistive Technology to Promote Socially Relevant Eating Behavior. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the South Carolina Federation of the Council for Exceptional Children, Myrtle Beach, SC.
- Wagner, J. Y., Stegall, J. B. (2011, Feb.) Utilizing Peer-Assisted Learning Strategies in Reading for First Graders. Poster presented for TED poster session at the annual meeting of the South Carolina Federation of the Council for Exceptional Children, Myrtle Beach, SC.
- Collins, J. C., & Wagner, J. Y. (2011, Feb.) Teaching Time Management Skills Using Assistive Technology and Self-Monitoring. Poster presented for TED poster session at the annual meeting of the South Carolina Federation of the Council for Exceptional Children, Myrtle Beach, SC.
- Wagner, J. Y., Stecker, P. M., Hodge, J., Green, J. M., & Baughan, C. J., (2010, Feb.). *Using* vocabulary matching for monitoring student progress in middle/secondary content areas. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the South Carolina Federation of the Council for Exceptional Children, Myrtle Beach, SC.
- Moore, S., Blackmon, A., Young, J., Hodge, J., & Stecker, P. M. (1998, Feb.). Enhancing literacy in the home. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the South Carolina Federation of the Council for Exceptional Children, Myrtle Beach, SC.

### **Non-Refereed Conference Presentations**

#### Local

- **Wagner, J. Y.** (2014, March). Report on analysis of three rural counties: Bamberg, Barnwell, and Williamsburg. Paper presented at Institute for Child Success Research Committee, Greenville, SC.
- Wagner, J. Y. (2013, Sept.). Institute for child success: GAP analysis project update. Paper presented at United Way Board Meeting, Greenville, SC.

- Stegelin, D. A., & Wagner, J. Y. (2012, Oct.). Early childhood obesity prevention and healthy living network project. Health, Education and Human Development Fall Research Forum – Faculty Led Roundtable Presentations, Clemson, SC.
- Stegelin, D. A., Wagner, J. Y., Anderson, D., Evans, K., & Amalfitano, K. (2011, Oct.). Early childhood obesity prevention and healthy living network project. Health, Education and Human Development Fall Research Forum - Faculty Led Roundtable Presentations, Clemson, SC.
- Collins, J. C., Wagner, J. Y., & Ryan, J. B. (2010, April). Using assistive technology to reduce eating time for student with intellectual disability. Poster presented at the Twelfth Annual College of Health, Education and Human Development Research Forum, Clemson, SC.
- Wagner, J. Y. (2008, March). Greenville County Schools' success rate. Presentation to the school board regarding how many students would be considered high school graduates if the graduation rate calculation definition changed, Greenville County Schools, SC.

# **Teacher Inservice/Workshops**

- **Wagner**, J. Y. (2008 2009). *Safety training for all*. Presented new safety regulations, evacuation routes, procedures for drills to faculty and staff at Alexander Elementary School. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- Wagner, J. Y. (2007, fall). Navigating the district SACS process. Multiple presentations of new district SACS procedures and expectations to district personnel along with faculty and staff from Golden Strip Career Center, Hughes Academy, and League Academy. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- **Wagner**, **J. Y.** (2007 2008). *Understanding AYP and PACT scores*. Presentations conducted at Hollis Elementary, Summit Drive Elementary, and Welcome Elementary Schools for faculty and staff to understand AYP regulations and performance gains on PACT. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- Wagner, J. Y. (2007, Aug.). Understanding MAP scores. Presentation to 2<sup>nd</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> grade teachers at Chandler Creek Elementary School on MAP scores from fall to spring, 2006 and implications for instruction and PACT. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- **Wagner, J. Y.**, & Shealy, D. (2006 2007). *Safety training for all*. Presented new safety regulations, evacuation routes, procedures for drills to faculty and staff at Robert E. Cashion Elementary School. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- Wagner, J. Y. (2005, spring). FISH! A school climate initiative. Book discussion over the spring semester for Robert E. Cashion faculty and staff to discuss school-based issues and form a plan of action to increase school morale and improve school climate. Greenville County Schools, SC.

- Wagner, J. Y. (2003, Feb.). CogAt and ITBS: Understanding 2<sup>nd</sup> grade test scores. Training for 2<sup>nd</sup> grade teachers and parents at Monaview Elementary School on understanding test results and implications of scores. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- Wagner, J. Y. (2002 2003). Facilitating communication in the school. Inservice for Monaview Elementary School faculty and staff for working together in collaborative groups. Greenville County Schools, SC.

### **Grants**

- Wagner, J. Y. HEHD Graduate Student Travel Grant (\$1,000) for the International Council for Exceptional Children Convention, Denver, CO. (2012).
- **Wagner, J. Y.** Eugene T. Moore School of Education Travel Grant Recipient (\$300 \$500) for the South Carolina Federation of the Council for Exceptional Children, International Conference on Learning Disabilities, and Literacy Research Association Conference. (2009, 2010, 2011).
- Principal investigator, Wagner, J. Y. Hands-On-Greenville, secured workers for one day in designated year to work on specified school projects, Greenville, SC. (2004, 2005, 2009).
- Principal investigator, Wagner, J. Y. Safety is first, \$500 (per year) safety grant by Greenville County Schools, Greenville, SC. (2004, 2005, 2009).
- Principal investigator, Wagner, J. Y. After-school tutorial grant, \$10,243 awarded by South Carolina State Department of Education, Columbia, SC. (2004 – 2005).
- Principal investigator, Wagner, J. Y. First Day, \$250 awarded by the Alliance for Quality Education. Greenville, SC. (2004).
- Principal investigator, Wagner, J. Y. HIPP fund for wilson reading, \$500 awarded by the Special Education Department, Greenville County Schools, Greenville, SC. (2003).

## **Honors and Awards**

- Phi Delta Kappan (PDK) Emerging Leader Award (2011-2012). Presented by Phi Delta Kappa. Bloomington, IN.
- Clemson University's Continuing Distinguished Graduate Student Award (2011). \$7,500 award for excellence in research. Clemson, SC.
- Outstanding Graduate Student Award in Teacher Education (2011). Presented by the College of Health, Education, and Human Development. Clemson, SC.
- Barbara Bradford Scholarship award recipient (2010). South Carolina Council of Administrators of Special Education. Columbia, SC.

College of Health, Education, and Human Development (HEHD) Dean's Graduate Student Advisory Committee (2009 - 2010). Clemson, SC.

Webmaster's Choice Awards (personal and school web pages) (2009, 2004, 2003).

Reviewer for South Carolina Technical Assistance Fund Plans (2008). Columbia, SC.

Southern Association of Colleges and Schools site visitor (2007). Madison County Schools, NC.

Manchester Who's Who Among Executive and Professional Women (2006).

Monaview Elementary Teacher of the Year (2003). Greenville County Schools. Greenville, SC.

South Carolina Department of Education, Curriculum and Instruction Facilitator – invited (2003). Columbia, SC.

Greenville County Teacher of the Year Second Runner-Up (2002-2003). Greenville, SC.

Council for Exceptional Children, Rookie Teacher of the Year (2002).

**Principal's Award for Service** (2001). Monaview Elementary, Greenville County Schools. Greenville, SC.

## **Teaching – Southern Wesleyan University**

Instructor of Record, Undergraduate

Characteristics of Learning Disabled (EDUC 4233). (2015, spring; 2014, fall).

Characteristics of Intellectually Disabled (EDUC 3243). (2015, spring).

Methods of Teaching Mild to Moderate Intellectually Disabled in the Content Areas (EDUC 3253). (2014, fall).

Methods of Teaching Elementary Math (EDUC 2043). (2014, spring).

Characteristics of Emotional Behavioral Disorders (EDUC 4243). (2014, spring).

Honors Research (HNRS 4993). (2014, spring; 2014, fall).

Honors Research Project (HNRS 4901). (2014, spring; 2014, fall).

Pre-Clinical Experience (EDUC 4502). (2014, 2013, fall).

Clinical Experience I (EDUC 4628). (2014, spring).

Clinical Experience II (EDUC 4638). (2014, spring).

Introduction to the Exceptional Child (EDUC 3203). (2015, 2014, 2013, fall; 2014, spring).

Teaching Reading in the Middle and Secondary Schools (EDUC 3273). (2014, 2013, fall).

Teaching Reading in General and Special Education (EDUC 4043). (2014, 2013, fall).

Instructor of Record, On-Line, Undergraduate

Foundations of Education (EDUC 2113). (2014, summer).

Instructor of Record, On-Line, Graduate

Assessment of Exceptional Learners (EDSP 5213). (2015, 2014, summer).

Methods of Teaching Learning Disabled (EDSP 5243). (2015, summer).

**Guest Lecturer** 

**Introduction to Exercise Science** (EXSC 1003). (2013, fall)

# **Teaching – Clemson University**

# **Instructor of Record**

Creative Inquiry in Education (ED 397 016). (2013, spring).

Directed Teaching in Secondary Education, Social Studies (ED SEC 448). (2012, spring).

**Directed Teaching in Special Education** (ED SP 498). (2012, spring; 2011, spring).

Introduction to Special Education (ED SP 370 001, ED SP H 370). (2011, spring; 2010, fall).

## Co-Taught

Assessment of Students with Mild Disabilities (ED SP 821, ED SP 491). (2013, spring).

**Introduction to Special Education** (ED SP 370 002). (2010, spring).

Teaching Reading to Students with Mild Disabilities (ED SP 494 001). (2009, fall).

**Teaching Assistant** 

**Special Education Field Experience** (ED SP 496). (2010, fall).

**Directed Teaching in Special Education** (ED SP 498). (2010, spring).

**Invited Guest Lecturer** 

Family, Community, and School Relations (ED EC 220). (2011, fall).

### Service

## Service to Field of Scholarship

**Proposal Reviewer** (2011, summer). *National CEC 2012 Convention and Expo*, Teacher Education (TED) topic area.

Literacy Research Association (LRA) Yearbook Doctoral Student Review Board (2012, spring; 2011, spring)

**Proposal Reviewer** (2010, summer). *National CEC 2011 Convention and Expo*, Instructional Design and Strategies topic area.

Journal Reviewer (2010, summer - present).

Educational Administration Quarterly

LD Forum

National Association of Secondary School Principals (NASSP) Bulletin Teacher Education Journal of South Carolina.

Co-Guest Reviewer (2010 - 2011), After School Matters. Reviewed articles for refereed journal.

Co-Guest Reviewer (2010, spring). Exceptional Children. Reviewed article for refereed journal

### **Service to Profession**

- Sutton, J., Wieler, A., Apel, K., Bausmith, S., Boggs, A., Flynn, S., Jeffries, C., Johnson, G., Marshall, K., McCuen, L., O'Connor, D., Pae, H., Skinner, M., Stecker, P., Stuart, J., Wagner, J., & West, T. (2014, fall). *CREATE: Centers for the Re-Education and Advancement of Teachers in Special Education and Related Services Personnel of South Carolina, Annual report for Year 11, 2013–2014* (Technical report No. 14-01). Columbia, SC: South Carolina Department of Education, Office of Special Education Services and Office of Educator Evaluation and Effectiveness.
- Conroy, T., Yell, M., Correa, V., & **Wagner, J. Y.** (2010, spring). *Parents and Professionals Speak about Involvement in the IEP Process*. Transcribed parent focus groups recordings. Clemson University; Clemson, SC.
- Stecker, P. M., Hodge, J., & Geer, J. (1997, fall). Using Classwide Peer Tutoring to Accommodate

Student Diversity. Session leader for presentation at the Clemson Reading Conference. Clemson University; Clemson, SC.

## **Service to School/District**

- Safety Committee (2008 2009, 2003 2007). Chair of committee to educate school faculty and staff for disaster preparedness at both Robert E. Cashion Elementary and Alexander Elementary Schools. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- External Review Committee (2007 2008, 2002 2003). Worked with district and school faculty and staff on preparing for ERT review, including school improvement plan goal development and documentation of results. Alexander Elementary, Berea High, Carolina High, Monaview Elementary, and Woodmont Middle Schools. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) Committee (2007 2008). Worked with faculty and staff at Sevier Middle School to shape and develop plan for SACS visit. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- **Portfolio Committee** (2004 2007). Worked in conjunction with faculty and staff to compile written document of school improvement initiatives at Robert E. Cashion Elementary School. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- **Discipline Committee** (2004, spring). Chair of committee to develop school-wide discipline plan at Robert E. Cashion Elementary School. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- Awards Committee (2003 2007). Developed, planned, and coordinated nine-weeks and end-ofyear awards banquets for students at Robert E. Cashion Elementary. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- Curriculum Committee (2002 2003). Chair of committee to determine academic focus for school improvement in area of reading, writing, and spelling at Monaview Elementary School. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- **Vision Committee** (2001 2002). An elected position focused on improving school climate and student outcomes at Monaview Elementary School. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- **Special Education Department** (1998 2003). Chair of department, responsible for scheduling all new and interim IEP meetings, coordinated team meetings, liason between principal and department at Monaview Elementary School. Greenville County Schools, SC.
- Faculty Council (2008 2009, 1999 2007). Co-chaired council comprised of representatives from every department in school to discuss school issues and plan professional development at Alexander Elementary and Robert E. Cashion Elementary Schools. Greenville County Schools, SC.

Title I Committee (2008 – 2009, 1998 – 2004).

# **University Service**

- EDUC 5293 Behavior Management (2014). Developed on-line master's course. Southern Wesleyan University, SC.
- Clemson Life (2010 2011). Volunteer and coordinated volunteer opportunities for undergraduate students to mentor, tutor and coach students with intellectual disabilities enrolled in a college program. Clemson University, SC.
- Stecker, P. M., & Riccomini, P. (2002). *Using Audio and Video Clips of K-12 Students to Enhance Preservice Teachers' Experience: An Innovative Instructional Strategy*. Assisted with teacher preparation technology modules. Clemson University, SC.
- Stecker, P. M. (2001). Research Assistant for project *Technical Adequacy of Decodable Names Lists*, Dr. Pamela M. Stecker, Principal Investigator, Clemson University, SC.

## **Community Service**

- Anderson District 1 Parent Spokesperson, West Pelzer Elementary School (Title I School) (2014-2015). Talk to media if an issue occurs involving the school. West Pelzer, SC.
- **School Improvement Council Chairperson, West Pelzer Elementary School** (Title I School) (2013-2014, 2014-2015). Coordinated community members/parent representatives to develop a Bringing Up Good Manners initiative school-wide. West Pelzer, SC.
- **Vacation Bible School, Augusta Road United Methodist Church** (2014, summer). Assisted fourth and fifth grade students through "Workshop of Wonders". Pelzer, SC
- **West Pelzer T-Ball** (2012, 2013). Assist coach with base coaching, running in correct order to bases, batting, batting line-up, and snack schedule. West Pelzer, SC.
- **Meals on Wheels** (2013). Help deliver, with youth from Grace United Methodist Church, meals to local community shut-ins. Williamston, SC.
- **School Improvement Council, West Pelzer Elementary School** (Title 1 school) (2013). Community member/parent representative who helps make decisions about the vision and mission of the school. West Pelzer, SC.
- **PTA Room Mom, West Pelzer Elementary School (Title 1 school)** (2012). Organize parties, chaperone field trips, read books, volunteer in classroom, and secure learning materials for kindergarten students. West Pelzer, SC.
- **West End Community Development Center** (2011, Feb.). *3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Chocolate Charity Ball.* Volunteered to assist with the selling of raffle tickets to raise money for the after school

tutoring program for at-risk students. Greenville, SC.

Grace United Methodist Church (2010 – 2011, 2013). *Learn It, Live It!* Directed youth and children's program, in conjunction with Clemson undergraduate students. Williamston, SC.

# **Professional Organization Membership**

Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development, ASCD (2002 - present)

Council for Exceptional Children, CEC (1997 - 2003, 2008 - present)

Divisions: Council of Administrators of Special Education (CASE)

Division for Early Childhood (DEC)

Division for Learning Disabilities (DLD)

Division for Research (CEC-DR)

Teacher Education Division (TED)

Council for Learning Disabilities, CLD (2010 - present)

Golden Key National Honor Society (1995)

International Reading Association, IRA (1999 - 2001)

Kappa Delta Pi (1996)

Literacy Research Association (2011 – present)

Phi Delta Kappa (2011 – present)

Phi Sigma Pi National Honorary Fraternity (1994)

South Carolina Association of School Administrators, SCASA (2002 - present)

# **Professional Development**

## Classes/Courses

eSWU6: On-line preparation course to write/develop on-line courses. Southern Wesleyan University (2014, spring).

Introduction to Curriculum and Instruction for Gifted and Talented Students (EDUC 5533). Southern Wesleyan University (2015, spring).

## Office of Teaching Effectiveness and Innovation Classes

Finding grant opportunities and learning how to determine funder's priorities/portfolios (2010, September).

Blackboard Learn (2010, August).

*Getting started with NVivo* – 8 (2010, April).

Teaching well with the case study method and problem-based learning (2010, March).

Adobe connect (2009, September).

*Making student peer and self-assessment work* (2009, August).

### Presentations/Telesiminars/Webinars

- Woosnam, M. (2012, December). *NVivo 10 Basics*. Presentation sponsored by Eugene T. Moore School of Education. Clemson, SC.
- Wouri, D. (2011, November). *Working With Children In Poverty: A First Steps Initiative*. Presentation sponsored by Eugene T. Moore School of Education. Clemson, SC.
- Ryan, J. B., & Couvillion, M. (2011, October). *Successful Tips on Writing for Practitioner Journals*. Presentation sponsored by Eugene T. Moore School of Education. Clemson, SC.
- Gambrell, L., & Katsiyannis, A. (2011, September). *Ask The Editors*. Presentation sponsored by Eugene T. Moore School of Education. Clemson, SC.
- Fowler, M., & McCave, E. J. (2011, February). *Professional Enrichment Grant Applicant Workshop*. Presentation sponsored by Clemson Graduate Student Government. Clemson, SC.
- Deno, S. (2010, November). Experimental Teaching: An Essential Approach to Finding What Works for Individual Students in Special Education. Webinar sponsored by The Council For Exceptional Children.
- Bradley, R. (2010, October). Informal round table discussion with Dr. Bradley and other doctoral students in special education at the College of Health, Education and Human Development Resource Forum. Clemson, SC.
- Nieto, S. (2010, October). *Preparing Educators for Diversity: Closing Learning Gaps*. Conference on Advancing Latino Achievement in Society (ALAS). Clemson, SC.
- Schatschneider, C. (2010, October). *An Introduction to Hierarchical Linear Modeling*. Webinar sponsored by The Council For Exceptional Children.
- Silverman, S. (2010, October). *Developing as a Researcher: From Graduate Student to Tenured Professor*. Webinar sponsored by the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance (AAHPERD).
- Wolery, M. (2010, October). *Single-Case Methods: Selecting and Using Appropriate Designs*. Webinar sponsored by The Council For Exceptional Children.
- Huston, T. (2010, September). *Teaching What You Don't Know: The Top Ten Survival Strategies So You Can Have a Sane Semester.* Webinar sponsored by Emphasis on Excellence.
- Metts, M. (2009, September). *Meeting for the Advisory Council on the Education of Students with Disabilities*. SC Advisory Council Meeting. Columbia, SC.
- Conroy, M. A. (2009, August). *Early Intervention Strategies for Young Children with Autism.* Early Childhood (Special Education) Conference. Clemson, SC.

#### References

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