

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

1989 Ed.D., Texas A&M University, College Station, TX
1983 M.Ed., Texas A&M University, College Station, TX
1981 B.S., Texas A&M University, College Station, TX

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2006-Current **Director for Educator Licensing**, School of Education, Colorado State University
2001-Current **Associate Professor/Program Chair**, Educational Leadership, Colorado State University
1997-1998 **Visiting Assistant Professor**, Teacher Preparation, Texas A&M University

OTHER POSITIONS

Associate Director, Colorado Partnership for Educational Renewal, 1998-2001

- Program director for consortium of 8 IHEs and 15 school districts
- Grant administrator for foundation and federal grants
- Leadership Associate, Institute for Educational Inquiry, Seattle

Grant Administrator, Department of Education Innovation in Education grant program, Department of Educational Curriculum and Instruction, Texas A&M University, 1995- 1997

- University/School Liaison: South Knoll Professional Development School
- Student Teacher Supervisor
- University Instructor: Reading/Language Arts
- University Site Coordinator: NEA/TEI national research project

Assistant Principal/Academic Coordinator, South Knoll Elementary, College Station, TX
College Independent School District, 1992-1995

- Curriculum coordinator: preK - 4th grade campus
- Teacher evaluator/appraiser

Instructor, Developmental Reading, Blinn College, 1989-1992

Graduate Assistant, Principals' Center, Texas A&M University, Summer Academies, 1984-1989

Classroom Teacher, Bryan, TX, Bryan Independent School District, Elementary, 1981-1989

CURRENT JOB DESCRIPTION

15 % Teaching 35 % Research/Creative Activity 15 % Service/Outreach 35 % Admin

TEACHING

<u>Year</u>	<u>Semester</u>	<u>Course No./Title</u>	<u>Cr. Hrs.</u>	<u>Enrollment</u>
2001	Fall	VE610/ Supervision and Evaluation	3	6
2001	Fall	ED687DV/Internship - Principal	3	17
2001	Fall	ED693BV/Seminar - Principal	1	17
2002	Spring	ED687DV/Internship - Principal	3	17
2002	Spring	ED693BV/Seminar - Principal	1	17
2002	Spring	Ed525D/Reading Literacy(Project Promise)	2	13
2002	Spring	ED693FV/Leadership Capstone (Sterling)	2	17
2002	Summer	ED602/Action Research (TEAM) – co-taught	1.5	11
2002	Summer	ED693FV/Leadership Capstone	2	17
2002	Summer	ED645/Leadership and Ethics	3	23
2002	Summer	ED646/School Culture and Climate	2	23
2002	Summer	ED602/Action Research (Pueblo) – co-taught	1	25
2002	Fall	VE610/Supervision and Evaluation	3	20
2002	Fall	ED687DV/Internship - Principal	3	23
2002	Fall	ED693BV/Seminar - Principal	1	23
2002	Fall	ED693FV/Leadership Capstone (Pueblo) -co-taught	1	25
2003	Spring	ED602/Action Research – co-taught	1	9
2003	Spring	ED687DV/Internship - Principal	3	23
2003	Spring	ED693BV/Seminar - Principal	1	23
2003	Summer	ED693FV/Leadership Capstone	2	23
2003	Summer	ED602/Action Research (TEAM) – co-taught	1.5	11
2003	Summer	ED645/Leadership and Ethics	3	22
2003	Summer	ED646/School Culture and Climate	2	22
2003	Summer	ED647/School Resource Management	3	22
2003	Fall	VE610/Supervision and Evaluation	3	21
2003	Fall	ED687DV/Internship - Principal	3	23
2003	Fall	ED693BV/Seminar - Principal	1	23
2004	Spring	ED687DV Internship - Principal	3	23
2004	Spring	ED693 Principalship Seminar	1	23
2004	Spring	ED619 Curriculum Development	1	12
2004	Summer	ED693FVLeadership Capstone	2	23
2004	Summer	ED 645Leadership and Ethics	3	22
2004	Summer	ED 647School Culture and Climate	2	22
2004	Summer	ED 646 Resource Management	3	22
2004	Fall	VE610 Supervision and Evaluation	3	11
2004	Fall	ED687D Internship - Principal	3	23
2004	Fall	ED648AProfessional Learning Com.	1	23
2005	Spring	ED687DVPrincipalship Internship	3	23
2005	Spring	ED693 Principalship Seminar	1	23
2005	Summer	ED693FVLeadership Capstone	2	23
2005	Summer	ED 645Leadership and Ethics	3	17
2005	Summer	ED 645Leadership and Ethics (Thompson Cohort)	3	22
2005	Fall	VE610 Supervision and Evaluation	3	23
2005	Fall	ED687DV Internship - Principal	3	23
2005	Fall	ED648AProfessional Learning Com.	1	18
2005	Fall	ED648AProfessional Learning Com. (Thompson)	1	17
2006	Spring	ED648B	1	18
2006	Spring	ED648B (Thompson)	1	18
2006	Spring	ED687DV Internship – Principal	3	15
2006	Summer	ED648C	2	15
2006	Summer	ED648C (Thompson)	2	22
2006	Summer	ED645 Leadership and Ethics	3	23
2007	Spring	ED648B	1	18

2007	Spring	ED648B (Thompson)	1	18
2007	Summer	ED648C	1	15
2007	Summer	ED648C (Thompson)	1	22
2007	Fall	ED648A Seminar	1	35
2007	Fall	ED648ASeminar (Thompson)	1	28

PUBLISHED WORKS

Books:

Wiseman, D., Knight, S. & Cooner, D. (2004). *Becoming a teacher in a field-based setting: An introduction to education and classrooms* (3rd ed.). Belmont, CA: Wadsworth Publishing Company .

Wiseman, D., Knight, S. & Cooner, D. (2002). *Becoming a teacher in a field-based setting: An introduction to education and classrooms* (2nd ed.). Belmont, CA: Wadsworth Publishing Company.

Wiseman, D., Cooner, D., & Knight, S. (1999). *Becoming a teacher in a field-based setting: An introduction to education and classrooms*. Belmont, CA: Wadsworth Publishing Company.

Refereed Journal Articles:

Dickmann, E. & Cooner, D. (2007). Effective strategies for developing and fostering positive relationships between principals and school-based police officers. *The AASA Journal of Scholarship & Practice*.

Dickmann, E., Cooner, D & Dugan, J. (2007). The Alumni Survey: Program Implications for School Leaders. *Journal of Educational Research & Policy Studies*, 7 (1), 76-83.

Tjardes, F., & Cooner, D. (in press). Hitting the mark: Motivational strategies that work for struggling adolescent readers. *Colorado Reading Council Journal*.

Cooner, D. (2006). Internship reflections on critical incidents. *Academic Exchange Quarterly*, 10 (2), 22-26.

Cooner, D., & Dickmann, E. (2006). Assessing principal internships and habits of mind: The use of journey mapping to enhance reflection. *Innovate Journal of Online Education*, 2 (4).

Cooner, D., Quinn, R., & Dickmann, E. (in press). Becoming a school leader: Voices of transformation from principal interns. *International Electronic Journal for Leadership in Learning*.

- Tochterman, S., Cooner, D., & Lehmann, J. (2005). Stages of preservice development for teachers of students with emotional disabilities. *The Teacher Educator, 41*, 75-94.
- Cooner, D., Tochterman, S., & Garrison-Wade, D. (2004). Preparing principals for leadership in special education: Applying ISLLC standards. *Connections: Journal of Principal Preparation and Development, 6*, 19-24.
- Cooner, D., & Tochterman, S. (2004). Life inside a professional development School: What experienced teachers learn. *The Teacher Educator, 39*, 184-195.
- Thompson, S., & Cooner, D. (2001). Grand rounds – Not just for doctors. *Action in Teacher Education, 23*, 84-87.
- Wiseman, D., Knight, S., & Cooner, D. (2000). Using collaborative teacher research to determine the impact of professional development school activities on elementary students' math and writing outcomes. *Journal of Teacher Education, 51*, 26-38.
- Schverak, A., Coltharp, C., & Cooner, D. (1998). Teacher research: Using content analysis to evaluate the success of a professional development school. *Educational Forum, 62*, 172-177.
- Stevenson, C., Cooner, D., & Fritz, A. (in press). Self Perceptions of Standards Acquisition during the Principal Internship. *International Electronic Journal for Leadership in Learning*.
- Wiseman, D., & Cooner, D. (1996). Discovering the power of collaboration: The impact of school-university partnership on teaching. *Teacher Education and Practice, 12*, 18-27.
- Fox, M., & Cooner, D. (1990). Arbitration: Preparing for success. *Collective Negotiations, 19*, 253-260.

Refereed Chapters in Books:

- Tochterman, S., Puig, M., & Cooner, D. (2005). An interprofessional response to migrant students at risk of dropping out: The Roosevelt High School pilot program. In I. Guadarrama, J. Ramsey, & J. Nath (Eds.), *Volume II: Research in professional development schools: Advances in community thought and research*. Greenwich, CT: Information Age Publishing.
- Cooner, D., & Wiseman, D. (2001). Writing buddies: Linking school and university teachers in language arts methodology instruction. In J.E. Many (Ed.), *Handbook of instructional practices for literacy teacher-*

educators: Examples and reflections from the teaching lives of literacy scholars (pp.61-67). Mahwah, NJ: Lawrence Erlbaum Associates, Inc.

CONTRACTS & GRANTS

Grant Proposals Funded

- 2005-2006 *Mapping the Journey Toward Tenure*, College of Applied Human Sciences, \$6,827
- 2004-2005 Grant Advancement Award, School of Education, \$1350
- 2004-2005 Research Advancement Award, School of Education, Colorado State University, \$1435
- 2001-2002 Scholarship Advancement Award, Colorado State University, \$500
- 2002-2003 Scholarship Advancement Award, Colorado State University, \$500
- 2002-2003 Contract and Grant Award, Colorado State University, College of Applied Human Sciences, \$1000
- 1999-2001 *Quality Teachers for All*, U.S. Department of Education, principal investigator, \$350,000
- 1996-1997 *Sharing Teacher Research in Partnership Schools*, Sid Richardson Foundation, principal investigator, \$10,000
- 1995-1996 *Assessing Student Progress in Partner Schools*, Sid Richardson Foundation, principal investigator, \$10,000
- 1995-1997 *Innovation in Education*, U.S. Department of Education, principal investigator, \$375,000

Grant Proposals Not Funded

- 2005-2006 *Quality Literacy Teachers for All*, US Department of Education, \$1,428,311
- 2005-2006 *CSU Collaborative Literacy Course Design*, The Pharos Fund, \$16,310
- 2005-2006 *Developing Strategic Thinking in School Principals*, US Department of Education, \$1,204,753
- 2004-2005 *Request for Summer Support Award from the College of Applied Human Sciences*, \$6344
- 2004-2005 *Developing Strategic Thinking in School Principals: Habits of Mind that Lead to Student Achievement*, Institute of Education Sciences, \$1,160,008
- 2003-2004 *Quality Schools for All – Preparing Principals for Leadership in Special Education*, Department of Education, OSERS, \$524,427
- 2002-2003 Career Enhancement Proposal, Colorado State University, \$4,450
- 2002-2004 *Ventures in Leadership, Wallace – Reader’s Digest*, \$45,942
- 2001-2002 *Quality Schools for All – Preparing for Leadership in Special Education*, Department of Education, \$792,491

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

- Joint Research Taskforce of Educational Leadership, member, 2006
- Colorado Association of School Executives (CASE), member, 2006-2007
- Principal Content Advisory Committee, member, National Evaluation Systems (NES) and the Colorado Department of Education (CDE), 2006-2007
- Colorado Association of Professors of School Administrators (CAPSA),

- President, 2003-2005
- CAPSA, member, 2001-2005
 - Advisory Council Member, NEA, Teacher Education Initiative Project
 - Advisory Member, Standards for Professional Development School Project, NCATE
 - New Jersey Writing Project, 1994
 - Certified Trainer, Problem Solving Module; Texas Education Association: 1992
 - Texas Teacher Appraisal Training: 1991
 - Mid-Management Certificate: Aug., 1989
 - Advanced Instructional Leadership Training: 1987
 - Instructional Leadership Training: 1986
 - Reading Specialist Certificate: Aug, 1984
 - Supervisory Certificate: Aug., 1984
 - American Educational Research Association, member
 - International Reading Association, member
 - American Educational Research Association, member
 - Author's Guild, member
 - Mystery Writers of America, member
 - Society of Children's Book Writers and Illustrators, member

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Denver Community Leadership Forum, 2000-2001
- Leadership Associate, Institute for Educational Inquiry, 2000-2001
- College of Education Dean's Roundtable, Outstanding Teaching Award, Texas A&M University, 1994
- Cum Laude Graduate, Texas A&M University, 1981

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

- July 2007 Mapping the Journey Toward the Principalship: A mixed methods design. Mixed Methods Conference, Fitzwilliam College, Cambridge, UK.
- Aug., 2007 Home Alone: Principal Mentorship. Colorado Association of School Executives, Annual Conference, Breckenridge, CO
- April 2007 Journey Mapping the Principal Internship: A Longitudinal Study of Habits of Mind. American Educational Research Association, Chicago, IL
- Feb., 2007 Journey Mapping the Principal Internship: A Longitudinal Study of Habits of Mind. Invited Keynote. eTECH Ohio, Annual Conference, Columbus, OH
- April 2006 The Impact of Funding on Leadership Preparation: A Research Synthesis. American Educational Research Association, San Francisco, CA

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS (Continued)

- April 2006 Assessing Principal Internships and Habits of Mind: The Use of Journey Mapping to Enhance Reflection. American Educational Research Association, San Francisco, CA
- Nov. 2004 Assessing Principal Internships and Habits of Mind: The Use of Journey Mapping to Enhance Reflection. University Council for Educational Administration, Annual Conference, Kansas City, MO
- Feb. 2002 A Collaboratively Developed Model for Enhancing School Improvement and Student Achievement: Political, Practical, and Moral Dimensions. American Teachers of Education, National Conference, Denver, CO
- Feb. 2002 A Collaboratively-Developed Model for Enhancing School Improvement and Student Achievement: Political, Practical, and Moral Dimensions. American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, Annual Conference, New York, NY
- Feb. 2002 Implications for Higher Education and P-12 Schools as They Create Alternative Experiences to Support and Strengthen Beginning Teachers. American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, Annual Meeting, New York, NY
- Feb. 1998 The Lessons and Challenges of School-University Inquiry. Conversation on Change. American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA
- April 1997 Publishing the Story: What You Need to Know to Get Started. National Council of Teachers of English, Spring Conference, Charlotte, NC
- March 1997 Common Methods of Achieving Effective PDS Partnerships: A 7 University Study. American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL
- Feb. 1996 Exploring and Networking Professional Development Schools. American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education Pre-Conference Workshop, Chicago, IL
- Nov. 1995 A Project for Integrating Teacher Preparation and Continuing Professional Development. National Network for Educational Renewal, Annual Conference, New York, NY
- Nov. 1995 Assessing Student Progress in Partner Schools. Coalition of Essential Schools, Fall Forum, New York, NY

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS (Continued)

March 1995 A Project for Integrating Teacher Preparation and Continuing Professional Development. A Conference on Documentation and Assessment in Professional Development School Partnerships, NCREST, Boston, MA

May 1993 Initiating a School/University Partnership and the Benefits to Teachers and Students Involved. International Reading Association Convention, Annual Conference, San Antonio, TX

COMMITTEES

2006-2007 Leadership Committee, School of Education

2005-2007 Executive Committee, School of Education

2001-2006 Graduate Programs Committee, School of Education

2001-2004 Educational Leadership Committee, School of Education

2003-2005 Evaluation Advisory Council, Poudre School District

2002-2003 Mary Scott Lecture Series Committee Member, Colorado State University, College of Applied Human Sciences

2002-2003 Promotion and Tenure Committee Member, School of Education

STUDENT ADVISING/GRADUATE SUPERVISION

GRADUATE STUDENTS:

Current Graduate Advisees:

41 Non-degree/Licensure Only

49 MEd

18 PhD

Name (Med, Licensure, PhD)

Kathryn Ault (Licensure)
David Baker (Licensure)
Erich Becker (Licensure)
Karen Bennett (Licensure)
Joan Brockway (Licensure)
Richard Bryant (Licensure)
Ronda Buck (Licensure)
Kevin Carbaugh (Licensure)
Richard Cieminski (Licensure)
Theresa Clements (Licensure)
Georgianna Dawson (Licensure)
Valerie Dordreill-Killen (Licensure)
Matthew Engleking (Licensure)
David Grubbs (Licensure)
Ginger Hazel (Licensure)
Rhonda Hudson (Licensure)
David Hunn (Licensure)
Jackson Stephanie (Licensure)
Garry Keller (Licensure)
Robert Larson (Licensure)
Gary Light (Licensure)
Michael Mazurana (Licensure)
Kristi Mease (Licensure)
Anne Messerli-Aisenbrey (Licensure)
Douglas Moses (Licensure)
Thomas Myers (Licensure)
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Laurel Pascoe (Licensure)
Carmen Polka (Licensure)
Coralee Prutzman (Licensure)
Cynthia Quirk (Licensure)
Gregory Sage (Licensure)
Janelle Saya (Licensure)
Angela Schendel-Keedy (Licensure)
Jon Sharp (Licensure)
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Harris Sonnenberg (Licensure)
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Scott Titterington (Licensure)
Diane While (Licensure)
Amy Wyndelts (Licensure)

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Debra Audet (Med)
Mark Barry (Med)
Robert Bates (Med)
Bradley Beauprez (Med)
Louann Blacketer (Med)
Stephen Boese (Med)
Jennifer Bogdanich (Med)
Stephen Bowman (Med)
Matthew Braateb (Med)
Kendra Brody (Med)
Jeffery Brubaker (Med)
Katie Campbell-Frederick (Med)
Brian Faulkner (Med)
Frank Fowler (Med)
Matthew Guenther (Med)
Sandra Haire (Med)
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Sari Kimbell (Med)
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Kristi Mease (Med)
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Katie Nagle (Med)
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Robert Piccaro (Med)
Brian Pohl (Med)
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Jami Robinson (Med)
Jennifer Roth (Med)
Kathryn Sather (Med)
Jennie Schilling (Med)
Emily Steele (Med)
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Aimee, Washam (Med)
Dustin Washam (Med)
Carmen Williams (Med)
Donald Williams (Med)
Brian Woll (Med)

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Wanda Beauman (PhD)
Lamberto Caro (PhD)
Kori Donalson (PhD)
Heidi Fredrikson (PhD)
Andrea Fritz (PhD)
Brenda Gifford (PhD)
Linda Kuzmich (PhD)
Leanna Noonan (PhD)
Darin Olson (PhD)
Julie Olson (PhD)
Manuel Ortega (PhD)
Coralee Prutzman (PhD)
William Siebers (PhD)
Nicole Stansfield (PhD)
Cerissa Stevenson (PhD)
Faith Tjardes (PhD)
Cynthia Wiley (PhD)

Current Graduate Committee Memberships (excluding those chaired):

1 # MEd

1 # PhD

Graduate Committee Memberships (for past 5 years, not including those above)

37 # MEd

2 # PhD

Graduate Degrees Completed Under My Supervision (past 5 years):

2007

Tanya Alcaraz, M.Ed.
Debra Audet, M.Ed.
Bradley Beauprez, M.Ed.
Stephen Boese, M.Ed.
Stephen Bowman, M.Ed.
Elizabeth Bromstrup, M.Ed.
Jeffrey Brubaker, M.Ed.
Brian Faulkner, M.Ed.
Julie Geiman, M.Ed.
Melanie Mierzwa, M.Ed.
Brian Pohl, M.Ed.
Timothy Renn, M.Ed.
Sherri Riffle, M.Ed.
Jami Robinson, M.Ed.
Jennifer Roth, M.Ed.
Kathryn Sather, M.Ed.
Jennie Schilling, M.Ed.
Scott Titterington, M.Ed.
Thomas Torres, M.Ed.
Kristen Trezise, M.Ed.
Dierdre Cook, Ph.D.

Alison Shore, Ph.D.

2006

Matthew Brungardt M. Ed.
Scott Burke M. Ed.
Andrea Fritz M. Ed.
Robert Jones M. Ed.
Wayne Modellmog M. Ed.
Cathy Nelson M. Ed.
Hilarie Scantling M. Ed.
Thomas Schachet M. Ed.
Rana Schroden M. Ed.
Christine Smith M. Ed.

2005

Michael Baker, M.Ed.
Magee Deidre Ph.D.
Patrick Dillow M. Ed.
William Ernest M. Ed.
Marci Henry M. Ed.
Kathleen Hix M. Ed.
Christopher Lake M. Ed.
John Passantino M. Ed.
Daniel Seegmiller M. Ed.
Scott Wright M. Ed.

2004

Daniel Cox M. Ed.
Celeste DiIorio M. Ed.
Matthew Guenther M. Ed.
John Knight M. Ed.
Christine Manzanares M. Ed.
Manuel Montano M. Ed.
Cerissa Netter M. Ed.
Jeremy Roell M. Ed.
Jennifer Sheldon M. Ed.
Celeste Sultze M. Ed.

2003

Joe Anastasia, M.Ed.
Heidi Frederikson, M.Ed.
Brett Larsen, M.Ed.
George Osborne, M.Ed.
Kris Roberts, M.Ed.
Maria Thomas, M.Ed.
Anna Waido, M.Ed.
Sherry Walker, M.Ed.