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CURRICULUM VITA

PROFESSIONAL ADDRESS

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EDUCATION

EDD, 2004.
Institution: Stephen F Austin St University
Specialization/Major: Educational Leadership
Dissertation: A Comparison of Three Programs Serving Third Grade English Language Learners in Texas

MED, 1997.
Institution: Stephen F. Austin State University
Specialization/Major: Mid-Management Administration

BS, 1985.
Institution: Stephen F. Austin State University
Specialization/Major: Elementary Education/Deaf Education

HONORS & AWARDS

PDK Educator of the Year, April 2011
Phi Delta Kappa – Nacogdoches Chapter

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

Associate Dean for Teacher Education
Sam Houston State University, September 7, 2014 – Present

Assistant Superintendent for Academic Services
Nacogdoches ISD, July 1, 2013 – August 1, 2014

Executive Director of Curriculum and Instruction
Nacogdoches ISD, July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013

Assistant Professor
Earned Tenure and Promotion in Spring 2012
Stephen F. Austin State University, June 2008 - June 2012

Assistant Professor
Stephen F. Austin State University, August 2006 - May 200

Principal

Jacksonville I.S.D., July 2000 - July 2006

Assistant Principal**Administrative Intern****Teacher**

Jacksonville ISD, August 1991 - July 1997

Belen Independent School District, January 1989 - June 1989

Garfield Elementary, August 1985 - July 1986

LICENSURES & CERTIFICATIONS

OIT Certified Online Instructor, Office of Instructional Technology SFA, Local. (May 2007 - Present).

Lifetime teaching certifications: Elementary Education (1-8), Deaf Education (PK-12), ECEH (PK-6), and Mid-Management (PK-12)

PUBLICATIONS

Olson Beal, H. K., Nino, M. C., Alford, B. J., Armstrong, N., Dillard, E. D., Gresham, G. J., Griffin, P., Stewart, S., Tareilo, J., Welsh, K. A. (2011). *A layered approach to coaching in a school university partnership: The professional development school as a vehicle for instructional improvement for English language learners*. Texas: TxATE The Forum.

Stewart, S., Tareilo, J. (2011). *Principal Leadership and Involvement: The Missing Element in Addressing College and Career Readiness*. Houston: Connexions NCPEA.
<http://cnx.org/content/m41134/latest/>

Hasbun, T. C., Stewart, S., Alexander, V. C. (2010). *The Effectiveness of Two Reading Models for First and Second Grade Students in Rural Classrooms* (2nd ed., vol. 13, pp. 1-28). The State of Reading: A Journal of the Texas State Reading Association. www.tsra.us/images/sor_spring10.pdf

Ballenger, J., Harris, S., Tareilo, J., Ninness, S., Stewart, S. (2009). *Female Principals and Their Leadership Efforts to Advance Social Justice* (2th ed., vol. 24, pp. 25 - 31). Austin, Texas: Texas Association of School Administrators Professional Journal.

Gottshall, D. L., Nerren, J. W., Abel, C., Delaney, C., Hasbun, T. C., Stewart, S. (2007). *Gottshall early reading intervention: A phonics based approach to enhance the achievement of low performing, rural, first grade boys*. Dallas, Texas: UNT Digital Library. digital.library.unt.edu/ark:/67531/metadc5177

Gottshall, D. L., Abel, C., Delaney, C., Dillard, E. D., Gresham, G. J., Hasbun, T. C., Nerren, J. W., Stewart, S., Abel, C. *Research Intervention - Gottshall Early Reading Intervention (GERI) Study*.

Jenlink, P., Stewart, L., Stewart, S. *Leading for Democracy: Case-Based Leadership Preparation*. Lanham, MD: Roman and Littlefield Education.

Stewart, S., Tareilo, J. (2011). *Redefining Curriculum Leadership for Principals: Perspectives of Texas Administrators* (pp. 249 - 256). Lancaster, Pennsylvania: ProActive Publications.

Trautman, D., Stewart, S. (2009). *Meeting the Challenge of Ending Gender Bias in Public Education* (pp. 57 - 72). Lanham, Maryland: Rowman & Littlefield Education.

Stewart, S. (2009). *Recognition, Identity Politics and the Special Needs Student* (pp. 123 - 142). Lanham, Maryland: Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield Education.

Ballenger, J., Tareilo, J., Niness, S. K., Stewart, S. (2009). *Leadership for Social Justice: Voices of Female School Principals* (vol. 2009, pp. 139-162). Lancaster, Pennsylvania: 2009 NCPEA Yearbook: ProActive Publications.

Hasbun, T. C., Stewart, S. (2010). *Promoting Successful Readers: Scripted Programs vs. a Guided Reading Approach*. Madrid: International Association of Technology, Education, and Development. http://www.iated.org/concrete2/view_abstract.php?paper_id=12903

Hasbun, T. C., Stewart, S. (2010). *Promoting Successful Readers: Scripted Programs vs. a Guided Reading Approach*. Madrid: International Association of Technology, Education, and Development.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Hayes, F. S. (Presenter Only), Stewart, S. (Presenter Only), Alford, B. J. (Presenter Only), Tareilo, J. (Presenter Only), TASA Mid-Winter Conference, "District and University Collaboration: Continuous Learning for All", Texas Association of School Administrators, Austin, TX. (January 28, 2013).

Stewart, S. (Presenter & Author), SERA 35th Annual Meeting, "Writing Chapter Five: The Purpose for Conducting Research", Southwest Educational Research Association, New Orleans, LA. (February 3, 2012).

Stewart, S. (Presenter & Author), NCPEA 65th Annual Summer Conference, "High-Stakes Testing and Accountability: The Role of Leaders in Ensuring Equity for All Learners", National Council of Professors in Educational Administration, Portland, Oregon. (August 3, 2011).

Stewart, S., Tareilo, J., NCPEA 65th Annual Summer Conference, "Principal Leadership and Involvement: The Missing Element in Addressing College and Career Readiness", National Council of Professors of Educational Administration, Portland, Oregon. (August 3, 2011).

Stewart, S. (Chair), AERA 2011 Annual Meeting, "Institutional Capacity and Systems Building Effects", American Educational Research Association, New Orleans, LA. (April 12, 2011).

Stewart, S. (Presenter & Author), SERA 34th Annual Meeting, "Perception Differences in Effective Leadership Skills among Secondary and Elementary Principals in Texas", Southwest Educational Research Association, San Antonio, Texas. (February 4, 2011).

Stewart, S. (Presenter & Author), TASA/TCPEA Conference, "Principal Perceptions of the Level of Curriculum Knowledge and Implementation for New Teachers and the Impact on Teaching Effectiveness", TASA, Austin, Texas. (January 31, 2011).

Stewart, S. (Discussant), TASA/TCPEA Conference, "TCPEA Session II", TASA, Austin, Texas. (January 31, 2011).
Notes: Discussant for this session

Hasbun, T. C. (Presenter & Author), Stewart, S. (Presenter & Author), International Conference on Education 2010- Research, and Innovation, "Promoting Successful Readers: Scripted Programs vs. a Guided Reading Approach", International Association for Technology, Education, and Development, Madrid Spain. (November 15, 2010).

Stewart, S. (Presenter & Author), Tareilo, J. (Presenter & Author), CSOTTE Fall Texas Teacher Education Conference, "Effective Online Teaching in one Texas University Principal Preparation

Program", Consortium of State Organizations for Texas Teacher Education, Houston, Texas. (October 11, 2010).

Gresham, G. J., Alford, B. J. (Presenter Only), Armstrong, N. (Presenter Only), Dillard, E. D. (Presenter Only), Nino, M. C. (Presenter & Author), Olson Beal, H. K. (Presenter Only), Stewart, S. (Presenter Only), Tareilo, J. (Presenter Only), CSOTTE Fall Texas Teacher Education Conference, "Stories that Stick: Faculty ESL Coaches Sharing Successes and Lessons Learned from Communities of Learning in Professional Development Schools", Consortium of State Organizations for Texas Teacher Education, Houston, TX. (October 11, 2010).

Stewart, S. (Presenter & Author), NCPEA Annual Meeting, "Effective Texas Principals' Perceptions of the Impact of the Principal Competencies on Leadership Practice", National Council of Principals in Educational Administration, Washington, D.C. (August 4, 2010).

Hasbun, T. C. (Presenter & Author), Stewart, S. (Presenter & Author), ACEI 2010 International Conference, "Promoting Successful Readers: Scripted Programs vs. a Guided Reading Approach", Association of Childhood Education International, Phoenix, Arizona. (April 28, 2010).

Tareilo, J. (Presenter & Author), Stewart, S. (Presenter & Author), AAIM Conference, "The Principal's Role in Leading Media Endeavors", Arkansas Association of Instructional Media, Hot Springs, AK. (April 19, 2010).

Stewart, S. (Presenter & Author), Tareilo, J. (Presenter & Author), Bright Ideas Conference, "Texas Superintendent's Perceptions of Principals as Curriculum Leaders", Stephen F. Austin State University Research Office, Nacogdoches, Texas. (April 8, 2010).

Stewart, S. (Presenter & Author), Tareilo, J. (Author Only), SERA Annual Meeting, "Texas Superintendent Perceptions: Principals as Curriculum Leaders", Southwest Educational Research Association, New Orleans, LA. (February 18, 2010).

Stewart, S., Texas Reading First Leadership Academy, "Professional Learning Communities", Texas Education Agency, Houston, Texas. (September 22, 2009).
Abstract: I led a discussion on defining Professional Learning Communities and the effects of commercializing this concept.

Stewart, S., Tareilo, J. (Presenter & Author), 2009 NCPEA Annual Conference, "Curriculum Leadership: Roles and Responsibilities of the Campus Principal", National Council of Professors of Educational Administration, San Antonio, TX. (August 6, 2009).

Stewart, L., Stewart, S., 2009 NCPEA Annual Conference, "A Study of One Bully Prevention Program", NCPEA, San Antonio, TX. (August 5, 2009).

Stewart, S. (Presenter & Author), Tareilo, J. (Presenter & Author), 32nd Annual SERA Meeting, "Curriculum Leadership: Roles and Responsibilities of the Campus Principal", Southwest Educational Research Association, San Antonio, TX. (February 5, 2009).

Hasbun, T. C. (Presenter & Author), Stewart, S. (Author Only), Alexander, V. C. (Author Only), SERA 2009 Regional Conference, "Examining the Effectiveness of Two Reading Approaches in First and Second Grade Students", Southwest Educational Research Association, San Antonio, Texas. (February 5, 2009).

Gresham, G. J., Alexander, V. C., Stewart, S., Bright Ideas, "Building the Affective Domain in Online Reading Classrooms", Stephen F. Austin State University, Nacogdoches, Texas. (April 25, 2008).

Gresham, G. J., Stewart, S., Alexander, V. C., 36th Annual Conference of the Texas State Reading Association, Fostering Development of the Affective Domain in Online Literacy Classrooms, Texas State Reading Association, El Paso, Texas. (November 10, 2007).

DISSERTATION COMMITTEES

Kent Willis (2015)
Kim Morrison (2011)
Micah Dyer (2010)
Lana Comeaux (2009)
Marie Davenport (2008)
Jane Simms (2008)
Cade Brumley (2007)
Nicole Bourgeois (2007)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, (2014 – Present)

Phi Delta Kappa International, SHSU chapter, (2016 – Present).

Texas Association of School Administrators, (January 2012 - Present).

Association of Teacher Educators, (2015 – Present).

The Consortium of State Organizations for Texas Teacher Education (2010 – Present).

Phi Delta Kappa International, Vice President of Membership for the local SFA chapter, (2009 - 2012).

American Association of University Women, (August 2010 - September 2013).

National Council of Professors of Educational Administration, (2008 - January 2013).

American Education Research Association, (August 2010 - December 2012).

Research on Women in Education, (August 2009 - December 2012).

Southwest Educational Research Association, (2008 - 2012).

Texas Council of Professors of Educational Administrators, (2008 - 2012).

Higher Education Collaborative, (2006 - 2010).

CONTRACTS, GRANTS, & SPONSORED RESEARCH

Stewart, S. (Supporting), *ENLACE*, Funded, Sponsored by SFA College of Education, Federal, \$1,400,000.00. (2007-2012). I served as curriculum coordinator (compensated) the first three years and served as a university coach (compensated) for two public partner schools with SFA.

Tareilo, J., Stewart, S., *STEPS: Systemic Teacher Educator Preparation Site*, Funded, Sponsored by Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, Stephen F. Austin State University, \$3,000.00. (2011).

Alexander, V. C. (Co-Principal), McCune, S. L. (Co-Principal), Stewart, S. (Supporting), *Implementation of Research-Based Reading Strategies and Best Practices: A Case Study*, Sponsored by James I. Perkins College of Education Faculty Research Academy. (2009).

Stewart, S. (Principal), Tareilo, J. (Co-Principal), *Curriculum Leadership: Roles and Responsibilities of the Campus Principal*, Funded, Sponsored by James I. Perkins College of Education, Stephen F. Austin State University, \$2,000.00. (2008-2009).

Hasbun, T. C. (Principal), Alexander, V. C. (Co-Principal), Stewart, S. (Co-Principal), *Determining the Effectiveness of Two Reading Approaches in Kindergarten through Third Grade Students*, Sponsored by Stephen F. Austin State University, Stephen F. Austin State University. (2007-2008).

Alexander, V. C. (Principal), McCune, S. L. (Co-Principal), Stewart, S. (Co-Principal), *A Study of the Implementation of Research-Based Reading Strategies and Best Practice*, Funded, Sponsored by Office of Research and Sponsored Programs, Stephen F. Austin State University, \$500.00. (2008).

Alexander, V. C. (Co-Principal), McCune, S. L. (Co-Principal), Stewart, S. (Co-Principal), *Pilot Study: A Study of the Implementation of Research-Based Reading Strategies and Best Practices*, Sponsored by James I. Perkins College of Education Faculty Research Academy. (2008).

Gresham, G. J. (Other), Alexander, V. C. (Supporting), Gottshall, D. L. (Supporting), Delaney, C. (Supporting), Abel, C. (Supporting), Welsh, K. A. (Supporting), Hasbun, T. C. (Supporting), Stewart, S. (Supporting), Frederickson, B. (Supporting), *Targeted Reading Intervention (TRI)*, Sponsored by University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Other. (2007-2008).

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE OR VOLUNTEER WORK

Faculty Government and Involvement Sub-committee of the Faculty Senate, Chairperson, approximately +30 hours spent for the year. (August 2011 - 2012).

Activity Description

Set meetings, provide agendas, make recommendations policy changes and present back to the Faculty Senate.

Cost Reduction Task Force Committee, Member. (October 2010 - 2012).

Activity Description

We are charged with developing a cost reduction plan, required by the state, by August 2011. We will continue next year to plan for cost reductions based on state funding.

Faculty Senate, Faculty Senate, approximately 30 hours spent for the year. (August 2010 – 2012).

Activity Description

I served as a member of the senate in 2010 and was elected to serve as Parliamentarian for the 2011 academic year.

University Library/AARC Committee, COE Representative. (August 2010 - Present).

Activity Description

TEC representative for the College of Education, Member, approximately 60 hours spent for the year. (January 2007 - May 2009).

Activity Description

Liaison for the COE faculty and staff in representing and communicating teaching strategies, staff development opportunities, and guest speakers to the university.

New Faculty training program, providing guest speakers for faculty annually, resource center for the TEC, and Teaching Circles.

NCATE site visit, Participant and scheduler. (April 2007).

Activity Description

I Met with preparation team for 2 hours and developed the site schedule for Carpenter Interns. In addition, I facilitated the visit for the NCATE team.

NCATE Benchmark 3 Assessment Committee, Member, approximately 20 hours spent for the year. (October 2011 - Present).

COE Unit Oversight Committee, Member. (August 2010 - Present).

Activity Description

Align assessments

Started this year

NCATE Training, Driver, approximately 18 hours spent for the year. (November 8, 2008 - November 9, 2008).

Activity Description

I had to take a van driving test for SFA, check the van out, drive members to and from Houston Intercontinental Airport, and return vans over the weekend.

ENLACE Grant, Member, approximately 12 hours spent for the year. (January 2007).

Activity Description

Member and narrative writing contributions

NCATE Standard 1, Member, approximately 40 hours spent for the year. (August 2006 - January 2007).

Activity Description

Meeting with committee and writing Element 4 of Standard 1 in preparation for the NCATE accreditation visit.

Parent's Day, Co-chairperson. (September 30, 2006).

Activity Description

Responsibilities included: preparing displays, setting up booth, answering parent and student questions, and recruiting potential students

Diversity Committee, Member, approximately 20 hours spent for the year. (August 2009 - Present).

Activity Description

Recruitment, Administrative Assignment, approximately 20 hours spent for the year. (September 2008 - Present).

Activity Description

I send out flyers and emails to prospective students, meet with prospective students in Jasper, make personal contact with interested candidates, and provide program information to those students.

TExES Review, Administrative Assignment, approximately 18 hours spent for the year. (September 2008 - Present).

Activity Description

I prepare materials, teach and work with candidates, and follow-up on status of the student's passing.

Hiring Committee, Chairperson, approximately 30 hours spent for the year. (December 2010 - March 2011).

Activity Description

As chair of the hiring committee, I collected and disseminated applications, scheduled and led committee meetings, scheduled phone interviews, created an interview protocol, and called and/or sent letters to all applicants.

The committee hired an applicant that would best fit the needs of our department.

P-20 Professional Development Committee, Member, approximately 20 hours spent for the year. (August 2009 - May 2010).
Activity Description

Mock Interviewer for SED 450, Interviewer, approximately 6 hours spent for the year. (November 2008 - April 2009).

Activity Description

I conducted interviews as a principal of a scenario-based secondary school. I interviewed for 30 minutes and debriefed for 10 to 15 minutes.

Elementary Research Committee, Member, approximately 20 hours spent for the year. (September 2007 - September 2008).

Activity Description

Helped to develop other faculty members in conducting research.

Published a list of all faculty members and their interests in research so that they could begin developing projects together.

NISD Parent Literacy Night, participant. (November 2006).

Research participant, Participant in research study for doctoral students, approximately 2 hours spent for the year. (September 26, 2006).

Activity Description

Participated in interview and survey.

Alpha Chi National Honor Society. Sponsor, (August 2010 - Present).

Activity Description

As sponsor, I am responsible for identifying and sending invitations to juniors and seniors that meet qualifications for Alpha Chi. In addition, I will help student leaders in the organization.

TCPEA Awards Committee. Committee Chair, (August 2010 - Present).

Activity Description

I am chairing the 2010-2011 awards committee for TCPEA. My responsibility is to develop the criteria for all four awards. In addition, I will receive all 2011 nominees.

PDK, Nacogdoches, TX. Officer, President, approximately 60 hours spent for the year, (January 2010 - Present).

Activity Description

I organize meetings and assist in ensuring that all business is taken care of. Our organization raises money to support local scholarships for our students, present the Educator of the Year annually, support the International organization and the local community.

Scholarship Awards

RWE National Conference Planning Committee, Houston, Texas. Chair of the Young Women's Research and Entertainment for the 2011 RWE Annual Conference, approximately +60 hours spent for the year, (November 2010 - October 2011).

Activity Description

Organize the Young Women's Research presentations and arrange the entertainment for the conference.

AERA. Reviewer, approximately 10 hours spent for the year, (August 2011).

Activity Description

Reviewed 38 proposals for the 2012 AERA Conference

AERA 2011 Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA. Chair of Roundtable, (April 12, 2011).

Activity Description

The chair of the roundtable is responsible for facilitating and leading the discussions.

SERA. Reviewer, (October 2010).

Activity Description

Reviewed proposals for the 2010 SERA Annual Conference

Teacher Education and Practice Journal. Reviewer, (July 2010).

Activity Description

Reviewed manuscripts for the Teacher Education & Practice Journal

Scholar-Practitioner Quarterly. Reviewer, (January 2010).

Activity Description

Reviewed a manuscript for Scholar-Practitioner Quarterly

Phi Delta Kappa, Nacogdoches, Texas. Officer, Vice President, approximately 36 hours spent for the year, (July 2008 - December 2009).

Activity Description

As the Vice President for Membership I am responsible for recruiting and retaining members to the local chapter for the PDK International organization.

TCPEA. Reviewer, (November 2009).

Activity Description

Review proposals for the 2010 TCPEA Conference within a Conference at TASA MidWinter.

Southwest Educational Research Association, Beaumont, Texas. Reviewer, approximately 12 hours spent for the year, (October 2009).

Activity Description

I reviewed submissions for papers and presentations for the 2010 SERA Conference.

Woden Independent School District, Woden, Texas. Curriculum Audit, approximately 40 hours spent for the year, (March 2009 - September 2009).

Activity Description

Our team made a site-visit, interviewed parents, teachers, and administrators, reviewed transcripts, wrote up the audit, and presented findings to the school board.

The district made changes based on the findings of the curriculum team.

National Council of Professors of Educational Administration, San Antonio, Texas. Member, approximately 28 hours spent for the year, (August 3, 2009 - August 7, 2009).

Activity Description

During the NCPEA Annual Conference, I served at the conference registration table, sold T-shirts, and yearbooks. As a member of TCPEA, the host organization, I helped organize participant bags, and registered conference attendees.

Phi Delta Kappa, Nacogdoches, Texas. Officer, Secretary, approximately 30 hours spent for the year, (July 2007 - June 2009).

Activity Description

As the secretary and a member of the local chapter of PDK, I take the minutes for all meetings and at the banquet and distribute to all members.

NCPEA. Reviewer, (April 2009).

Activity Description

Reviewed proposals for the 2009 NCPEA Annual Conference