

College of Education
Vita
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Office Address

Department of Library Science and Technology
Sam Houston State University



Education

Ed.D. Curriculum and Instruction, University of Houston, 2007

M.L.S. Library Science, Sam Houston State University, 2002

B.S.Ed. Elementary Education/Mathematics, Stephen F. Austin State University, 1984

Professional Licensure and Certifications

Standard Teaching Certificate, State of Texas: Learning Resources Endorsement, PK-12

Provisional Teaching Certificate, State of Texas: Elementary Mathematics Certification, 1-8

Provisional Teaching Certificate, State of Texas: Elementary Self-Contained Certification, 1-8

Provisional Teaching Certificate, State of Texas: English as a Second Language Certification, 1-8

Honors and Awards

College of Education, Sam Houston State University, Grantsmanship Award, 2010.

Areas of Specialization and Competence

Sketchnoting for Education

Online Education

Professional Development

Advocacy for the School Library

Academic Positions

Chair/Professor, Department of Library Science and Technology, Sam Houston State University, 2018-present.

Chair/Associate Professor, Department of Library Science, Sam Houston State University, 2013-2018.

Acting Chair/Assistant Professor, Department of Library Science, Sam Houston State University, 2011-2013.

Assistant Chair/Assistant Professor, Department of Library Science, Sam Houston State University, 2009-2011.

Assistant Professor, Department of Library Science, Sam Houston State University, 2007-2009.

Adjunct Faculty, Department of Library Science, Sam Houston State University, 2004-2007.

Funded External Grants

Weimar, H., & Kuon, T. (2009-2011). South Texas Project (STP) for School Librarians. Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS) funded. Laura Bush 21st Century Grant. Principal investigator with co-program director Dr. Tricia Kuon. \$898,195 over two years. Funded. With matching funds, \$1,016,499.

Professional Publications

Refereed

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2016). Learning with and without technology. *Young Adult Library Services*, 14(2), 20-21.

Weimar, H., & Kuon, T. (2013, Spring). What are some of the best practices for online teaching? *ASCD – PAL Educational Research Journal Online*. (Tier 1 publication; 2,020 words)

Kuon, T., & **Weimar, H.** (2009). Wake up Sleeping Beauty: Strong heroines for today's youngest of women. *Advancing Women in Leadership Journal*, http://advancingwomen.com/awl/awl_wordpress/ (Tier 1 publication; acceptance rate: 15%; 2,000 words; external review)

Books

Perry, K., **Weimar, H.**, & Bell, M. A. (2017). *Sketchnoting in school: Discover the benefits (and fun) of visual note taking*. Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield.

Bell, M. A., **Weimar, H.**, & Van Roekel, J. (2013). *School librarians and the technology department: A practical guide to successful collaboration*. Santa Barbara, CA: Libraries Unlimited.

Book Chapters

Gross, E., & **Weimar, H.** (2022). The school library program and why it matters. In A. M. Pankake, J. Abrego, Jr., & M. H. Abrego (Eds.), *The administration & supervision of special programs in Education*, (4th ed.). Kendall Hunt Publishing Company.

Weimar, H. (2012). What does research tell us about family literacy? In R. Chance & L. Sheneman (Eds.), *Crash course in family literacy programs*. Santa Barbara, CA: Libraries Unlimited.

Non-refereed

Kuon, T., & **Weimar, H.** (2012, September). How does your boss see you? *School Library Journal*, 58(9), pp. 36-39. (Tier 1; invited article; 2,917 words)

Weimar, H. (2011). Living in the material world? Well, virtually I am. In K. Fontichiaro & B.

Hamilton (Eds.), *School libraries: What's now, what's next, what's yet to come*. Smashwords. Retrieved from <http://www.smashwords.com/books/view/96705> (Tier 2; 520 words)

Proceedings

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2017). Sketchnoting: You and your students will benefit. In P. Resta & S. Smith (Eds.), *Proceedings of Society for Information Technology & Teacher Education International Conference* (pp. 1248-1255). Austin, TX, United States: Association for the Advancement of Computing in Education (AACE).

Book Reviews

Reviewed over 65 children's picture books, nonfiction books, and novels for *School Library Connection*, 2012-2018. Many of the reviews may be found at <https://schoollibraryconnection.com>

Research Monographs and Technical Reports

Kuon, T., & **Weimar, H.** (2010). Cultural implications of attending graduate school. Prepared for the Sam Houston State University College of Education. (2,200 words)

Professional Presentations

National/International

Kerby, M., Bivens, J., Burrell, R., Churchill, S., Coutts, P., Crow, S., Harland, P., Lowe, V., Marchesano, G., Moore, P., & **Weimar, H.** (2023, January 26). AASL/CAEP Coordinating Committee presents a virtual training session for the National Recognition Accreditation Process using the ALA/AASL/CAEP School Librarian Preparation Standards (2019) [Webinar]. AASL/CAEP Coordinating Committee.

Weimar, H. & Perry, K. (2021, March 9). Sketchnoting: Enhance your learning. *Massachusetts Library Association Annual Conference*. Malden, MA. <https://www.masslib.org/>

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2020, April). Research says...encourage creativity and doodling in the classroom. *Texas Library Association Annual Conference*. Houston, TX.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2020, April). Research says...encourage creativity and notetaking in the classroom. *Society for Information Technology & Teacher Education 2020*. New Orleans, LA.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2019, August). Introducing sketchnoting to teachers and students. International Sketchnoting Camp. Paris, France.

Weimar, H., & Perry, K. (2019, June). Sketchnoting in school. *American Library Association Annual Conference*. Washington, D. C.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2018, November). Sketchnoting in school. *National Council for Teachers of English 2018 Annual Convention*. Houston, TX.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2018, September). Sketchnoting and education. *International Sketchnote Camp 2018*. Lisbon, Portugal.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2018, March). Sketchnoting: Transforming the way students connect with content. *Transformative Learning Conference*, University of Central Oklahoma, Oklahoma City, OK.

Moore, R., & **Weimar, H.** (2017, August). Recognizing the leadership styles of school librarians that enhance information literacy and innovative programming. *International Association of School Librarians*, Long Beach, CA.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2017, August). Sketchnoting in the school library. *International Association of School Librarians*, Long Beach, CA.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2017, March). Sketchnoting: You and your students will benefit. *Society for Information Technology & Teacher Education*, Austin, TX.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2016, April). Virtual Opportunities for Your School Library. *Texas Library Association 2016 Annual Conference*, Houston, TX.

Weimar, H., & Moore, R. (2016, February). Preparing students for research in higher education in Texas. *Library & Literacy Luau*, Region 5 ESC, Beaumont, TX.

Weimar, H., & Moore, R. (2016, January). Preparing students for research in higher education. *Hawaii International Conference on Education*, Honolulu, HI.

Weimar, H., & Perry, K. (2015, April). What is your school library's virtual presence? *Internet @ Schools East*, Washington D. C.

Bell, M. A., & **Weimar, H.** (2015, February). Digital badges rock with kids. *Texas Computer Education Association*, Austin, TX.

Weimar, H., & Perry, K. (2015, January). What the library of tomorrow can do for you and your students today. *Hawaii International Conference on Education*, Honolulu, HI.

Weimar, H., & Perry, K. (2014, August). Does your school library have a virtual presence? *Clear Creek ISD Librarian In-Service*, Houston, TX.

Weimar, H., & Perry, K. (2014, June). Virtual Learning Commons. *Texas Association of School Library Administrators Annual Conference*, Austin, TX.

Kuon, T., & **Weimar, H.** (2013, November). Game on: Using the latest and greatest to entice patrons and promote literacy. *AASL 16th National Conference & Exhibition*, Hartford, CT. (Tier 1).

Bell, M. A., & **Weimar, H.** (2013, October). I'll show you mine if you show me yours, badging that is. *Internet@Schools at Internet Librarian 2013*, Monterey, CA. (Tier 1).

Bell, M. A., & **Weimar, H.** (2012, October). School Librarian/Tech Specialist collaboration. *Internet@Schools at Internet Librarian 2012*, Monterey, CA. (Tier 1).

Kuon, T., **Weimar, H.**, & Sheneman, L. (2011, October). Administrators' perceptions v. librarians' reality. *American Association of School Librarians*, Minneapolis, MN. (Tier 1)

Weimar, H., & Sheneman, L. (2011, January). Stages of concern: Implementing eReaders as a textbook platform (research poster session). *Association for Library and Information Science Education (ALISE)*, San Diego, CA. (Tier 1)

Weimar, H., & Kuon, T. (2010, January). Granted: Scholarships, librarians, and culture. *Association for Library and Information Science Education (ALISE)*, Boston, MA. (Tier 1)

Regional

Weimar, H., & Perry, K. (2022, November). Encouraging Creativity and Learning through Sketchnoting. *Texas Library Association District 8 Annual Conference*. Houston, TX.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2022, July). Research Says...Encourage Creativity and Doodling When Learning. *Education Service Center, Region 11 Texas Reading Initiative Conference*. Fort Worth, TX.

Gross, E., Brock, R., & **Weimar, H.** (2021, August). Reopening the library after COVID-19. *Goose Creek CISD Professional Development*. Baytown, TX.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2018, November). Sketchnoting in the library. *Texas Library Association District 4 Annual Meeting*. Laredo, TX.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2018, June). Sketchnotes. *Library Camp*. Region Six ESC, Huntsville, TX.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2018, June). Sketchnoting in school: Discovering the benefits of visual Note taking. *Setting the Trend: Librarians as Leaders*. Clear Creek ISD, League City, TX.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2018, January). Introduction to sketchnoting: A live event. *Spring Extravaganza!* Region One ESC, Edinburg, TX.

Weimar, H., & Perry, K. (2017, November). Sketchnoting in schools. *2017 Texas Library Association District 4 Annual Meeting*, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, Edinburg, TX.

Weimar, H., & Perry, K. (2014, September). Virtual presence and the school library. *Lake Country Librarians Conference Region 8 ESC*, Pittsburg, TX.

State/Local

Adair, H., Crane, A., Gross, E., & **Weimar, H.** (2023, January). IL IRL: How school librarians meet their own information needs. *Texas Computer Education Association*. San Antonio, TX.

Gross, E., & **Weimar, H.** (2022, February). School librarians' use of tech, space, time, and resources: Advocating for support from administrators. *Texas Computer Education Association*. Dallas, TX.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2020, April). Research says...encourage creativity and doodling in the classroom. *Texas Library Association Annual Conference*. Houston, TX.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2020, February). Research says... Encourage creativity and doodling in the classroom. *Texas Computer Education Association*. Austin, TX.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2019, April). Sketchnoting: The why and how of visual note taking. *Texas Library Association Tech Camp*. Austin, TX.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2019, March). Sketchnoting in school. *Texas Association for Literacy Education*. Waco, TX.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2019, February). Sketchnoting in school workshop. *Texas Computer Education Association*. San Antonio, TX.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2018, June). Sketchnoting in school: Discovering the benefits of visual note taking. *Setting the Trend: Librarians as Leaders*. Clear Creek ISD, League City, TX.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2018, February). Good books: How to evaluate them and how to find them. *2018 Texas Association for Literacy Education's Annual Conference*, West Texas A&M University, Canyon, TX.

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2017, October). Sketchnoting in School. *Annual Joan Prouty Conference on Early Literacy: Re-Envisioning Literacy for Struggling Readers*., Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX

Perry, K., & **Weimar, H.** (2017, April). Sketchnoting: You and your students will benefit. *Texas Library Association 2017 Annual Conference*, San Antonio, TX.

Weimar, H., Perry, K., & Lesesne, T. (2015, June). What the library of tomorrow can do for your students today. *Texas Elementary Principals and Supervisors Association*, Austin, TX.

Perry, K., **Weimar, H.**, & Lesesne, T. (2015, June). Digital citizenship panel. *Texas Association of Secondary School Principals*. Austin, TX.

Weimar, H., & Perry, K. (2014, August). School libraries and their virtual presence. *Clear Creek ISD Librarian Conference*, League City, TX.

Weimar, H., & Perry, K. (2014, June). What is your school library's virtual presence? *Texas Association of School Library Administrators*, Austin, TX.

Bell, M. A., & **Weimar, H.** (2014, February). School librarians and technology specialists can collaborate. *Texas Computer Education Association Conference*, Austin, TX.

Bell, M. A., & **Weimar, H.** (2013, September). Librarians and Technology Specialists: Can't we all get along? *Jan Paris Bookfest*, The Woodlands, TX.

Claes, J., Hawamdeh, S., Jeng, L. H., Roy, L., and **Weimar, H.** (2013, April). Library education vs. library practice: Are we truly preparing the next generation? *Texas Library Association Annual Conference*, Fort Worth, TX. (Tier 1)

Grissom, S., Kuon, T., Patrick, G. D., & **Weimar, H.** (2013, April). School library avengers: A Model for advocacy. *Texas Library Association Annual Conference*, Fort Worth, TX. (Tier 1)

Bell, M. A., & **Weimar, H.** (2012, October). Why can't we all just get along? *Technology and Curriculum Conference of Aldine*, Houston, TX. (Tier 3).

Sheneman, L., **Weimar, H.**, & Kuon, T. (2011, April). Implementing the Kindle as a textbook platform with students. *Texas Library Association Annual Conference*, Austin, TX. (Tier 1)

Weimar, H., & Kuon, T. (2011, March). Portrayals of women in fairy tales. *Women's Research Forum*. Sam Houston State University. (Tier 3)

Weimar, H. (2010, October). Going Live! Using Elluminate Plan. *Technology, Education and Communication Conference*. Sam Houston State University. (Tier 3)

Weimar, H. (2010, September). The road to tenure. *Rising Stars of the College of Education*.

Sam Houston State University. (Tier 3)

Weimar, H., & Kuon, T. (2010, August). How to win a write and win a large grant. *Rising Stars of the College of Education*, Sam Houston State University. (Tier 3)

Weimar, H. (2009, April). Ethical leadership and the school library. *Texas Library Association*, Houston, TX. (Tier 2)

Bell, M., & Weimar, H. (2009, February). Mr. Gatekeeper: Tear down those walls! *Texas Computer Education Association*, Austin, TX. (Tier 2)

Weimar, H., & Bell, M. (2008, April). Be PRO-active: Encourage professional reading. *Texas Library Association*, Dallas, TX. (Tier 2)

Bell, M., & Weimar, H. (2008, April). Sipping judiciously from the Internet fire hose: Researching in a filtered environment. *Texas Library Association*, Dallas, TX. (Tier 2)

Bell, M., & Weimar, H. (2007, November). Sock it to them with technology resources you already have! *Texas Computer Education Association, Area 2 Conference*, Corpus Christi, TX. (Tier 2)

Bell, M., & Weimar, H. (2007, August). Knocking your socks off with great ideas! *Education Service Center, Region XII*, Waco, TX. (Tier 2)

Bell, M., & Weimar, H. (2007, April). Knock their socks off with great Web 2.0 ideas. *Texas Library Association Conference*, Austin, TX. (Tier 2)

Bell, M., & Weimar, H. (2007, February). Fun, new and free ideas and services via the Internet. *Texas Computer Education Association*. Austin, TX. (Tier 2)

Service

University

Graduate Council	2020-2024
Distinguished Professor Review Committee	2012-2015
Newton Gresham Library Committee	2012-2016
Beatrice Craig Scholarship Committee	2009-2016
Pathfinders Mentoring Program	2015-2016

College of Education

Academic Review Panel Committee	2014-2016
Assessment Committee	2013-2015
Educator Preparation Advisory Council	2013-2016

Center for International Education	2013-2014
Community-Based Learning Committee	2010-2015
Curriculum Committee	2011-2024
Dispositions and Diversity Committee	2011-2014
Facilities Committee	2021-2024
Graduate Faculty Qualifications and Performance Committee	2009-2010
Graduate Professional Concerns Committee	2015-2016
International Affairs Committee	2013-2014
Post-Tenure Review Committee	2014-2019
Principles of Inclusion and Equity Committee	2014-2016
Professional Development Committee	2007-2009
Recruitment Committee	2014-2015
Technology Committee	2008-2014
Tenure and Promotion Policy Committee	2014-2019

Library Science Program

Library Science Program Coordinator	2011-2017
Academic Advisor	2011-2024
Advisory Council	2007-2024
Awards and Scholarship Committee	2007-2024
Curriculum Committee	2007-2024
Facilities and Equipment Committee	2007-2024
Jan Paris Bookfest Committee	2007-2012
Practicum/Internship Coordinator for the Library Science Program	2011-2018, 2020-2024
NCATE/CAEP Committee	2007-2024
Public Relations Committee	2009-2024
Recruitment Committee	2007-2024
School Library Internship Committee, Chair	2011-2018
Search Committee	2007-2024
Strategic Planning Committee, Chair	2009-2024
Technology Committee	2007-2018

American Association of School Librarians (AASL)

AASL CAEP Coordinating Committee	2022-2024
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Service to the Profession

External Reviewer of Promotion Materials, University of Houston- Clear Lake	2022
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Community Service

American Library Association, American Association of School Librarians, NCATE/CAEP Reviewer	2012-2024
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American Library Association, American Association of School Librarians, Advocacy Committee (Appointed position)	2013-2016
American Library Association, American Association of School Librarians, Information Technology Pathfinder Award Committee Award	2008-2009
American Library Association, American Association of School Librarians, Innovative Reading Grant Committee Member	2007-2008
American Educational Research Association, Research, Education Information, and School Libraries SIG, Communications Officer	2008-2010
American Educational Research Association, Research, Education Information, and School Libraries SIG, Reviewer of Conference Presentations	2009-2016
Huntsville Area Literacy Council, Board Member	2008-2024
<i>Library Media Connection</i> , Book Reviewer	2012-2015
LSSL 5366 Library Internship ACE	2009-2024
LSSL 5368 Library Programming for Children and Young Adults ACE	2009-2013
<i>School Library Connection</i> , Book Reviewer	2015-2023
Texas Computer Education Association, Library SIG, President	2006-2007
Texas Library Association, Texas Association of School Librarians, Membership Committee, Chair	2009-2010
Texas Library Association, Texas Association of School Librarians, Webmaster	2009-2016

Professional Memberships

American Library Association	1999-2024
American Association of School Librarians	1999-2024
Educators of School Librarians	2008-2024
Library Instruction Round Table	2019-2024
Association for Library and Information Science Education	2007-2012
Association of Library Services to Children	1999-2021
Association for Educational Communications & Technology	2022-2023
Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development	2010-2022
International Society for Technology in Education	2008-2012
Texas Association of School Librarians	2001-2024
Texas Computer Education Association	2008-2024
Texas Library Association	1999-2024
Textbook & Academic Authors Association	2021-2023
Young Adult Library Services Association	2003-2021