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Education

- April 2014 Walden University
Ed.D. in Administration Leadership in Teaching and Learning
Dissertation: Parents' Role in the Early Head Start Children's Language Development
- May 1998 Troy University
M.S. in Educational Leadership
- May 1996 University of Mount Olive
B.S. Business Administration: Management and Organizational Development

Additional Professional Training and Studies

- 2015 Social & Behavioral Research Training – Collaborative Institutional Training
2009 South Carolina Department of Education (SCDE), Aspiring Principal Program
2008 Advanced Via Individual Determination (AVID) Train-the-Trainer Training
- 2007 SCDE, Beaufort County School District Train-the-Trainer Assisting,
Developing, and Evaluating Professional Teaching (ADEPT)
2007 Beaufort County School District, Train-the-Trainer, Spanish for Schools

Areas of Specialization and Interest

Adult Learning and Literacy - Effective Teaching and Learning for Underrepresented and Diverse Learners
Children Development - Parent Involvement, Head Start Programs, Development Theories, Learning Theories, Early Childhood Education
Critical Race Theory - Culturally Responsive Teaching and Learning
Reading Education - Developmental Reading, Corrective Reading, Remedial Reading, Teacher Education, Reading and the Language Arts
Research and Development - Quantitative Analysis, Qualitative Analysis, Educational Materials and Resources, Management and Organizational Change, Special Education, Alternatives in Education

Professional Experience

- 2018-present Lecturer & University Supervisor, California State University, Long Beach
- Department of Teacher Education, Courses taught: EDEL 482-Student Teaching in Diverse Classrooms, EDEL 472-Teaching-Learning History/Social Studies, EDEL 058-(Pilot-Compton) Learning

Foundations for the Teaching Profession, EDEL 300- Cultural Linguistics Diversity in Schools, EDEL 200- Becoming a teacher

- Department of Liberal Studies: L/ST 111- Critical Thinking Skills
- Department of Educational Leadership: Research
- Department of Communications- Comm 355-Communications in the Classroom
- UDCP- 402-Equity Access and Inclusive Education, UDCP 420 – K- 8 Student Teaching General Education

2009-2015 Literacy Lead, Coach One Educational Services
2006-2009 Assistant Principal, Bluffton High School
2005-2006 Assistant Principal, Whale Branch Elementary School
2004-2005 Assistant Principal, Michael C. Riley Elementary School
Elementary School
2002-2004 Instructional Leader, Curriculum School Leadership Team, James J. Davis
Elementary School
1999-2000 Lead Teacher, 6th Grade, Whale Branch Middle School
1995-1999 Manpower Support Branch Chief, Supervisory Management Analyst
18th Wing Manpower & Quality Office, USAF, Okinawa, Japan
1993-1994 Special Projects Planner Manager, Neuse River Council of Governments
1992-1993 Assistant Service Delivery Area Director, Neuse River Council of Governments
1989-1992 Employment and Training Workforce Project Director, Beaufort-Jasper
Economic Opportunity Commission
1983-1989 Employment and Training Case Manager, Beaufort-Jasper Economic
Opportunity Commission

Professional Organizations and Community Service

- National Head Start Association
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Local Chapter, Los Angeles South Bay Alumnae Chapter
- National United Methodist Church Leadership Pastoral Representative
- Walden Global Days of Service
- Beaufort County Literacy Council
- Beaufort County Voters Registration Council

Workshops and Conferences Presentations

- First Church United Methodist, Compton, CA, 2017, EDEL 058 Pilot Program Partnership
- 28th National Head Start Parent Conference and Institute, 2011, New Orleans, LA.
- Beaufort-Jasper Economic Opportunity Commission Head Start Parent Training, 2010
- Region IV Head Start Parent Annual Conference, 2010, Myrtle Beach, SC.
- Fayetteville State University Educational Leadership Department, Doctoral Candidate Writing Workshop, 2010, Fayetteville, NC.
- Sheldon Township Community and Leadership Forum 2003 and 2004, Sheldon, SC.

- Beaufort County School District Board, Reading First Program, 2004, Beaufort, SC
- Manpower and Quality Presenter 1998, Vancouver Canada,

Publications

Journal

Davis, S., Reese, L., & Griswold, C. (2020). My Narrative is Not What You Think It Is: Experiences of African Americans in a Doctor of Education Program. *International Journal of Doctoral Studies*, 15, 199-216.

Dissertation

Griswold, C.S. (2014). Parents' Role in the Early Head Start Children's Language Development.

References will be submitted upon request