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Professional Experience:

Department Chair, General Education SUM Bible College and Theological Seminary, Eldorado Hills, CA., June 2018-present. Classes taught: Leadership Research Design, Leadership Symposium, Committee service: SUM IRB, SUM MACL Program Review

Online Adjunct Professor SUM Bible College and Theological Seminary, Oakland, CA., August, 2016- present. Classes taught: Capstone, College Research and Writing Methods, Jesus as the Master Teacher, Research Methods and the Spirit, Philosophy of Education, College Writing, Storytelling in Ministry, Foundations of Human Behavior, Leadership Formation and Development. Committees lead: SUM Children's Ministry Concentration and Minor (submitted six syllabi and course outcomes, Nov. 2017.)

Adjunct Professor Tulane-Newcomb College, Teacher Preparation and Certification Program, New Orleans, LA, 2014-2016. Supervised early childhood education student teacher candidates and taught evening classes. Participated in TEAC (Teacher Education Accreditation Council) review. Used Blackboard as course management system.

C.L.A.S.S. Observer, Agenda for Children, Sept. 2015-May, 2016. Observed pre-k classrooms in New Orleans area and scored using CLASS tool, as a contracted employee.

Graduate Teaching Assistant and Grader New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, August, 2014- 2015. Duties included grading Master's level Christian Education papers and projects in children's ministry program for online and on campus courses. Used Blackboard as course management system.

Certified Louisiana Pathways Trainer 2010-Present. Duties include presenting professional training to preschool teachers in areas of child development with Agenda for Children, New Orleans as well as various conferences.

Freelance Writer/Performer/Speaker August 2006-2016. Duties included writing devotions for Lifeway's "Let's Worship" (2010-2014) and "Open Windows" (2015) and performing dramas and speaking to church children's groups and adult groups.

Preschool/Children's Ministry Director, Celebration Church, Metairie, LA. January, 2006-August 2006. Part time duties included training volunteers, developing and directing four weekly programs for birth-5th graders, writing curriculum, and mentoring leaders after Hurricane Katrina.

Ministry Assistant, Celebration Church, Metairie, Louisiana. August 2003 to August 2005. Full time duties included assisting Ministry Coordinator, Care Ministry Director,

and Marketing Director with creating and implementing projects, organizing events, and coordinating the church volunteer drama ministry.

Library Assistant, John T. Christian Library, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, New Orleans. April 2003 to August 2003. Full time duties included electronic cataloging and special collections cataloging.

Library Assistant, Howard Tilton Memorial Library, Tulane University, New Orleans, Louisiana. August 2002 to April 2003. Full time duties included electronic cataloging and data base maintenance.

Library Assistant, Henderson Community College Library, Henderson, Kentucky. January 2002 to June 2002. Part time duties include answering reference questions, creating library curriculum, and assisting students with library instruction.

Staff Librarian, Southwestern Indiana Mental Health Center, Evansville, Indiana. November 2000 to July 2002. Part time duties include conducting psychological research for professional staff, answering reference questions, ordering materials, and cataloging.

Director of Children's, Senior Adult, and Drama Ministries, Audubon Baptist Church, Henderson, Kentucky. August 1998 to August 2001. Part time duties included creating, supervising, and teaching birth through sixth grade church programs, senior adult programs, drama programs, and supervising volunteers working in programs.

Director of Children's and Drama Ministries, Fairview Heights Baptist Church, Portsmouth, Virginia. August 1996 to July 1998. Part time duties included creating, supervising, and teaching birth through sixth grade church programs and drama programs, and supervising volunteers working in programs.

First Grade Teacher, Mount Pleasant Christian School, Chesapeake, Virginia. August 1994 to June 1995. Full time duties included teaching all subjects to first grade students.

First Grade International Teacher, Kazakh-American School, Kazakhstan. September 1993 to July 1994. Full time duties included teaching all subjects to bi-lingual first and second grade students.

Kindergarten Teacher, Millaudon Elementary School, Violet Louisiana. August 1991 to June 1993. Full time duties included teaching all subjects to kindergarten students in public school.

Education:

2015 PhD Christian Education, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary

2013 Master of Theology, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary

2012 University of New Orleans, 18 hours Early Childhood Education, graduate program

2011 Master of Arts in Christian Education, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary

1991 Bachelor of Psychology, Ouachita Baptist University, Arkadelphia, Arkansas

1990 Master of Science in Elementary Education With Specialization in Reading,
Ouachita Baptist University, Arkadelphia, Arkansas

1989 Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education, Ouachita Baptist University,
Arkadelphia, Arkansas