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Degrees Earned

Ph.D. in Educational Leadership and Research, Louisiana State University, 2007

M.Ed. in Curriculum and Instruction, University of Louisiana, 2002

B.B.A. in Accounting, Henderson State University, 1997

Professional Licensure and Certifications

Louisiana Secondary Mathematics Teacher (Type I – Expired 3/26/06)

Louisiana Business Education Teacher (Type I – Expired 3/26/06)

Peer-Review Publications and Artistic Performances/Exhibitions Articles

Hinson, J.M., LaPrairie, K.N., & Heroman, D. (2006). A Failed Effort to Overcome Tech Barriers in a K-12 Setting: What Went Wrong, and Why. *International Journal of Technology in Teaching and Learning*, 2, 152-164.

LaPrairie, K.N. & Hinson, J.M. (2006). When Disaster Strikes Move Your School Online. *Journal of Educational Technology Systems*, 35(2), 209-214.

LaPrairie, K.N. & Hinson, J.M. (2005). Trading Spaces: Transferring Face-to-Face Courses to the Online Environment. *Journal of Interactive Instruction Development*, 18(1), 3-8.

Hinson, J. & LaPrairie, K. (2005). Learning to Teach Online: Promoting Success Through Professional Development. *Community College Journal of Research & Practice*, 29, 483-493.

Research Monographs and Technical Reports

Hinson, J.M., LaPrairie, K.N., & Cundiff, J.M. (2005). One Size Does Not Fit All. *THE Journal*, 32(11), 26-30.

Hinson, J. & LaPrairie, K N. (2005) Learning To Teach Online: The Impact of a Professional Development Model on Teaching And Learning at the Community College Level. In *Proceedings of the Society for Information Technology and Teacher Education International Conference 2005* (pp. 2250-2252). Norfolk, VA: Association for the Advancement of Computing in Education (AACE).

Peer-Review Presentations/Posters

Hinson, J. M., LaPrairie, K. N., & Carroll, E. (2007, August). *Emergency preparedness and e-learning: Recommendations for readiness.* Paper presented at the Society for Applied Learning Technology Conference, Arlington, VA.

- Hinson, J. M., Roussel, L., Richard, E., Lee, R., & LaPrairie K. N. (2006, February). *Creating Online Communities for Students, Teachers, and Parents: Here's How!* Louisiana Association of Computer Using Educators' Annual Conference (LACUE), Baton Rouge, LA.
- Hinson, J.M. & LaPrairie, K N. (2006, April). *Bridging the Digital Divide: A Model for Providing Home Internet Access to Underserved Children.* Paper presented at the American Educational Research Association 2006 Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA.
- LaPrairie, K. N. & Hinson, J.M. (2005, August). *Trading Spaces: Transforming Face to-Face Courses to the Online Environment*. Paper presented at the Society for Applied Learning Technology Conference, Arlington, VA.
- Hinson, J. & LaPrairie, K N. (2005, March). Learning to Teach Online: The Impact of a Professional Development Model on Teaching and Learning at the Community College Level. Paper presented at the Society for Information Technology and Teacher Education International Conference, Phoenix, AZ.
- LaPrairie, K. & Saidu, P. (2005, February). *Comparing Attitudes toward Mathematics: Online vs. Traditional Classroom Learners.* Paper presented at the Southwest Educational Research Association Conference, New Orleans, LA.
- Dorhauer, J., Guzman, S., & LaPrairie, K. (2004, May). *Trading Spaces: Renovating Face-to-Face Classrooms through a Faculty Technology-Integration Model*. Symposium conducted at the International Conference on Teaching and Learning Excellence (NISOD), Austin, TX.

Work or Professional Experiences

2007 – Present, Assistant Professor, Sam Houston State University

2006-2007, Adjunct Faculty, Louisiana State University

2006 - Course Developer, Kaplan University

2003-2007, Research Assistant, Louisiana State University

2000-2003, Classroom Teacher, Pine Prairie High School, Pine Prairie, LA

1999-2000, Classroom Teacher, Saint Anthony Catholic School, Bunkie, LA

Other Competencies

Committee Chair, Faculty Orientation Committee – Sam Houston State University, 2007-present

Reviewer, American Educational Research Association (AERA) - Division C, 2005-2007

Contributor, National SAFE (School Actions for Emergencies) Website - eSchool News and ISTE, 2006-current