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Education

Boston University, Boston, MA
Certificate of Advanced Graduate Study, Special Education, 1994

University of Southern Maine, Gorham, ME
Master of Science, Educational Administration, 1988

University of Southern Maine, Gorham, ME
Bachelor of Science, Elementary Education, 1984

Professional Experience

Superintendent of Schools
Hatfield Public Schools, 2021-2024 (Retired)

Student Services Administrator
Holliston Public Schools, 2020 to 2021

Assistant Superintendent of Schools for Student Services, Malden, MA
Malden Public Schools, 2019 to 2020

Interim Director of Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment, Leicester, MA
Leicester Public Schools, 2017 – 2019

Interim Superintendent of Schools, Leicester, MA
Leicester, MA, August, 2017

Director of Student Services, Leicester, MA
Leicester Public Schools, 2016 – 2019, 1604 Students

Executive Coach, North Brookfield, MA
North Brookfield Public Schools, 2015 - 2016
Coaching and Mentoring Director of Special Education

Superintendent of Schools, Bolton, MA
Nashoba Regional School District, 2003 to 2015, 3471 Students, PK – 12

Superintendent of Schools, Gray, ME
MSAD #15 (Gray, New Gloucester), 1999 – 2003, 2200 Students, K-12

Superintendent of Schools, Pownal, ME
MSAD #62, 1996 – 1999, 260 Students, PK – 12

Director of Special Education, Pownal, ME
MSAD #62, 1993 – 1999

Principal, Pownal, ME
MSAD #62, 1993 – 1999

Assistant Principal, Windham, ME
Windham School Department, Manchester Arlington Intermediate School, 1990-91

Teaching Principal, Gorham, ME
Gorham School Department, Little Falls School, 1988 – 1990
Taught Grade 4, self-contained classroom

Teacher, Gorham, ME
Gorham School Department, Village Elementary School, 1984 – 1988; 1991 – 1993; Taught grades four, five and six, self-contained classroom

Relevant Professional Experiences and Achievements

Legislative Committee, MASS, 2021- 2024
Connecticut Roundtable

Foundation Budget Review Commission
Boston, MA
Appointed Member, 2014-2016

Career and Vocational Education Task Force
Malden, MA Department of Elementary and Education, 2012 -2013

Worcester County Superintendents' Association
Worcester, MA, President, 2015, Vice President, 2014-2015, Treasurer, 2013 – 2014

Assabet Valley Collaborative Board
Marlborough, MA, Chairman, 2009 – 2015, Member, 2003 - 2015

Business, Legislature, Education Exploratory Delegation
Finland/Sweden, October, 2013

American International College
Adjunct Faculty, Leadership, Law and Special Education Courses
2007- 2011, 2015
Springfield, MA

MASC/MASS Panel Member

Research on Adolescent Sleep Patterns and the Impact on Start Times, 2008
Hyannis, MA

New England Accreditation of High Schools and Colleges
Drury High School, October 2013
North Adams, MA

Saugus High School, October 2010
Saugus, MA

Walpole High School Team Member, October 2008
Walpole, MA

York High School Team Member, October 2002
York, ME

Teachers[21] Lecturer – Special Education Institute on Autism
Norton, MA, Taught a 24 Hour Course, 2005

New England Commission on Superintendent/School Board RelationshipsCommittee Member, 2001-2003, Bedford, MA

University of New England
Adjunct Faculty, Division of Continuing Professional Education, 1996 – 2002
Biddeford, ME

Maine Department of Education, Division of Special Education
Program Review Participant, 1994 and 2001
Skowhegan, ME / Windham, ME

Boise State University
Visiting Speaker, *Alternatives in Assessment*, June 1993
Boise, ID

Institute for Democracy in Education
Co-Presenter, *Using Foxfire as an Alternative to Tracking,* June 1992
Athens, OH

University of Southern Maine
Instructor, *Foxfire,* Summer 1991, Fall 1991, Fall 1992
Gorham, ME

ATLAS (*Authentic Teaching and Learning for All Students*
Participant, Grant Writing Committee, April 1992
Gorham, ME

Gorham School Department
Presenter, *Special Education Study: Recommendations for Change*, April 1992
Gorham, ME

Brunswick School Department

Presenter, *Cooperative Learning in Language Arts,* November 1991
Brunswick, ME

Windham School Department
Windham, ME
Presenter, *Alternative Assessment,* Exceptionality Course
(November 1989, 1990)

New England Regional Symposium on Special Education
Presenter, *Curriculum Based Assessment,* October 1988
Bangor, ME

References

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Licenses

Superintendent / Assistant License, Massachusetts
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Administrator of Business, Massachusetts
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