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EDUCATION

ED.D. Social and Philosophical Foundations of Education, Rutgers University
M.A. Administration and Supervision, Kean University
B.A. Elementary Education, Kean University
CERTIFICATE-University of Delaware-National Science Defense Grant for Mathematics
CERTIFICATE-Rutgers Labor Center-Arbitration and Negotiations

BIOGRAPHY

My goal as always been to teach as I believe it is one of the noblest professions. Teaching provides those committed to the profession the ability to engage in a variety of learning experiences for one's own benefit and to the benefit of others.

Sharing information with students, participating in good professional development, being part of professional learning communities enhances one's knowledge base. Of course, having a love of learning and then taking part in all that academe has to offer provide advantages that has made my teaching career at Kean one of success. Having been recognized as part of the Distinguished Alumni Program at Kean was one highlight of my career at the university over the decades.

Knowing that through my teaching experiences -others under my tutelage has gone on to be successful in their own right. This is what education is all about-putting out productive citizens of society -an aim that has not change since ancient Greek and Roman times.

I have always been a life-long learner and instill that in work with young people. They will be the ones to replace us to carry on the torch of learning.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE/RESEARCH

Management and curriculum design continues to be a main area of focus. I am concentrating on providing curriculum offerings for such organizations as Rotary International and UNICO. My past work has been with the Civil Air Patrol in the design of curriculum packages for school use.

COURSES TAUGHT

EMSE-3140 - SOCIAL STUDIES AND CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

EMSE-2800-SOPHOMORE FIELD EXPERIENCE

EMSE-2900-SENIOR SEMINAR

EMSE-4810-CLINICAL PRACTICE

EDUC-3000 CURRICULUM, EVALUATION, AND THE LEARNER

EL 5502-PUBLIC SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION I

EL 5503-PUBLIC SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION II

EL 5606-SCHOOL SUPERVISION AND ORGANIZATIONAL THEORY

EL 5607-SUPERVISION AND EVALUATION OF INSTRUCTION

EL 5613-CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT AND EVALUATION -THEORY AND PRACTICE

EL 5614-CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT AND EVALUATION OF INSTRUCTION

EL 5030-EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH

Professional Experiences

Evaluator-Inspector General for Civil Air Patrol- United States Air Force

Director of Aerospace Education for the Northeast Region -Civil Air Patrol-Maxwell AFB/McGuire AFB

Executive Assistant to the Vice-President for Academic Affairs-Kean University

Assistant to the Dean -School of Education

Assistant to the Dean of students-Kean

Assistant Director-Student Teaching and Placement

Committees

Graduate Curriculum Committee/Research Committee

Graduate Colloquium/Course Revision/Student Retention

Academic Review Committee/UCTV Future Teacher Academy Program

Social Studies CAEP Committee

Praxis II-Dean's Eligibility and Process Committee

Professional Organizations

Society of Educators and Scholars-journal reviewer and author

Union County Education Association

New Jersey Education Association

New Jersey Alliance for Social Studies

Alpha Delta Kappa-National Honorary Association for Female Educators

Phi Delta Kappa-served as first president

New Jersey Council of Professors of Educational Administration

New Jersey Association of Italian American Women

Rotary International-District Governor for District 7475

LISTINGS

Community Leaders and Noteworthy Americans

Personalities of America

The Book of Honor

Who's Who in American Women

International Who's Who of American Women

Honors

Boy Scouts of America-2013 Tribute to Women Award

Distinguished Alumni-Kean-2017

Service Award-Fanwood-Scotch Plains Rotary 2020