

Eva M. Zygmunt-Fillwalk

Comprehensive Vita

I. EDUCATION

- 2003 **Ph.D.** Elementary Education, Early Childhood Education. Ball State University.
- 1997 **M.Ed.** Curriculum and Instruction, Early Childhood Education. University of Minnesota.
- 1986 **B.A.** Elementary Education and **B.A.** French. Clarke College. Magna Cum Laude

II. PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2003- **Associate Professor**, Department of Elementary Education, Ball State University, Muncie, IN
- 2000-2003 **Graduate Assistant**, Department of Elementary Education, Ball State University, Muncie, IN
- 2001 **Instructor**, Child Development Program, Ivy Tech State College, Muncie, IN
- 1996-1999 **Executive Director**, Minnesota Association for the Education of Young Children (MnAEYC), St. Paul, MN
- 1995-1998 **Instructor**, Child Development Careers Program, Minneapolis Community and Technical College, Minneapolis, MN
- 1990-1996 **Child Care Coordinator**, Pillsbury Neighborhood Services, Minneapolis, MN
- 1988-1990 **Assistant Director and Lead Teacher**, Small World Preschool/Day Care, Iowa City, IA
- 1986-1988 **Cultural Studies Instructor**, Johns Hill Magnet School, Decatur, IL

III. RESEARCH, PUBLICATION AND SCHOLARLY PRODUCTIVITY

A1. Professional Publications

(* Denotes refereed publication)

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2011, July 12). [Review of the book *Grow Your Own Teachers: Grassroots Change for Teacher Education*]. *Teachers College Record*, <http://www.tcrecord.org/Content.asp?ContentId=16475>

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2011). Building family partnerships: The journey from preservice preparation to classroom practice. *Journal of Early Childhood Teacher Education*, 32(1), 84-96.

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Clark, P. (2010). "I didn't think I was biased": Pre-service and practicing teachers confront their attitudes about race and privilege. *Teaching Tolerance*, 37.

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., Malaby, M., & Clausen, J. (2010). The imperative of contextual cognizance: Preservice teachers and community engagement in the Schools and Communities Project. *Teacher Education Quarterly*, 37(2).

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. & Huffman, R. (In press). A picture literally is worth a thousand words. *National Association of Laboratory Schools Journal*.

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2009). Living the questions: Deconstructing interdisciplinary higher education and the subject of poverty through a "community of truth". *Journal of Poverty*, 13, 1-19.

*Clark, P., & Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2008). Ensuring school readiness through a successful transition to kindergarten: The Indiana Ready Schools Initiative. *Childhood Education*, 84(5), 287-294.

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Staley, L. (2007). Kids speaking up for kids: Advocacy by children, for children. *Childhood Education*, 83(4), 199-205.

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Clark, P. (2007). Becoming multicultural: Raising awareness and supporting change in teacher education. *Childhood Education*. 83(5), 288-293.

- Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. & Woods, A. (2007). Preparing Teachers – Empowering Families. *Childhood Education*, 83(5), 308-D.
- Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. & Staley, L. (2007, May). Resolution for Childhood Participation. Approved at the 2007 Association for Childhood Education International Annual Conference and Exhibition, Tampa, FL. *Childhood Education*, 83(5), 308-N.
- *Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2006). The difference a course can make: Preservice teachers' perceptions of efficacy in working with families. *Journal of Early Childhood Teacher Education*, 27(4), 327-342.
- *Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Leitze, A. (2006). Promising practices in teacher education: The Ball State University Urban Semester. *Childhood Education*, 82(5), 283-288.
- *Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2006). Encouraging school success through family involvement. *Childhood Education*, 82(4), 226-F.
- *Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2005). Disequilibrium and Reconstruction: The urban encounter as catalyst for preservice teachers' cultural transformation. *Journal of Early Childhood Teacher Education*, 26(2), 133-147.
- *Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Bilello, T. E. (2005). Parents' victory in reclaiming recess for their children. *Childhood Education*, 82(1), 19-23.
- *Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2002). [Review of the book *Brain research and childhood education*]. *Journal of Early Childhood Teacher Education*, 23(2), 204-205.
- Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Matlock, R. (2002). Video Script. *Language foundations*. Indiana Department of Education.
- Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Matlock, R. (2001) From crib to kindergarten. (Sixteen-week series of articles). *The Star Press*.
- Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (1998). Appendix Four: Resources. In Heidemann, S. & Hewitt, D. *The optimistic classroom* (pp. 231-234). St. Paul, MN: Redleaf Press.
- Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (1998). Research Appendix. *Hopes & dreams, challenges & strengths: What Minnesota families value*. St. Paul, MN: Minnesota Parenting Association.

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (1996). Video Script / Editor. *Building bridges: Effectively communicating through conflict*. Minneapolis, MN: The University of Minnesota.

B. Professional Presentations

(* Denotes refereed presentation)

National

Clark, P., & Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (February, 2011). *Using the Teaching Diverse Students Initiative website to affect change in teacher education*. American Association of Colleges of Teacher Education Conference. San Diego, CA.

*Clark, P., Mucherah, W., Talib, N., Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Clausen, J. (April, 2011). *Preservice teacher change in community-based field experience*. Paper presentation at the American Educational Research Association Conference. New Orleans, LA.

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Clark, P. (2010, May). *A close encounter with personal bias: Teacher responses to the Implicit Association Test*. Paper presentation at the American Educational Research Association Conference. Denver, CO.

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., Huffman, R., Perrine, S., & Kildall, K. (2010, April). *A picture literally is worth a thousand words: Using documentation to increase family involvement*. Presentation at the National Association of Laboratory Schools Annual Conference. Muncie, IN.

*Clark, P., & Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2010, February). *Using the TDSI website to affect change in teacher education*. Paper presentation at the American Association of Teacher Education Conference. Atlanta, GA.

*Staley, L., Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., Szecsi, T., Duarte, G., Swiniarski, L., Burnett, J., & Hardin, B. (2009, March). *Empowering children's global citizenship*. Presentation at the ACEI 2009 Annual Conference and Exhibition. Chicago, IL.

*Putnam, M., Clark, P., Stroud, J., & Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2009, February). *Divide and conquer: Using collaboration as a tool to prepare for an accreditation visit*. American Association for

Colleges of Teacher Educator Annual Conference and Exhibition
(February, 2009). Chicago, IL.

- *Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2008, March). *Living the questions: Deconstructing interdisciplinary higher education and the subject of poverty through a community of truth*. Poster presentation at the American Educational Research Association 2008 Annual Meeting, New York, NY.
- *Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2007, November). *Building family partnerships: The journey from pre-service preparation to classroom practice*. Poster presentation at the 2007 NAEYC Conference, Chicago, IL.
- *Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2007, November). *Building family partnerships: The journey from pre-service preparation to classroom practice*. Presentation at the 2007 NAECTE Fall Conference, Chicago, IL.
- *Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Staley, L. (2006, November). *The difference a course can make: Preserve teachers' perceptions of efficacy in working with families*. Poster presentation at the 2006 NAECTE Fall Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- *Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., Staley, L., & Swiniarski, L. (2006, November). *"Let me help!" Fostering active global citizenship among young children*. Presentation at the 2006 NAEYC Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- *Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., Staley, L. (2006, November). *Listen to the children: The power of young voices*. Presentation at the 2006 NAEYC Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- Zygmunt-Fillwalk. (2006, October). *Panelist: The end of hunger and homelessness*. On-line forum of the Simple Society Alliance for Human Empowerment, Nashua, NH
- *Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Staley, L. (2006, April). *Kids speaking up for kids: Advocacy by children, for children*. Presentation at the ACEI 2006 Annual Conference and Exhibition, San Antonio, TX
- *Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Staley, L. (2006, April). *Global Forum*. Presentation at the ACEI 2006 Annual Conference and Exhibition, San Antonio, TX
- *Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Staley, L. (2005, April). *And how are the children? The state of the world's children, 2005*. Presentation

at the ACEI 2005 Annual Conference and Exhibition, Washington, DC

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Staley, L. (2005, April). *Global Forum*. Presentation at the ACEI 2005 Annual Conference and Exhibition, Washington, DC

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2005, April). *Beyond open house: Expanding the definition of family involvement*. Presentation at the ACEI 2005 Annual Conference and Exhibition, Washington, DC

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2004, April). *Potential for change: The effects of curricular intervention on preservice teachers' attitudes toward multicultural teaching and learning*. Presentation at the ACEI 2004 Annual Conference and Exhibition, New Orleans, LA

State

King, E., Clark, P., Scaife, W., & Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (June, 2011). *We are the ones we've been waiting for: Maximizing student success through public partnership*. Indiana Urban Schools Association Conference. Indianapolis, IN.

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2010, September). *Promoting family engagement*. Presentation at Ball State Early Childhood Conference. Muncie, IN

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., Clark, P., Clausen, J., Bader, G., Malaby, M., Mucherah, W., Williams, D., Mauer, E., & Tenhundfeld, L. (2009, October). *Schools within the context of community*. Presentation at the Governor's Conference on Service and Volunteerism. Indianapolis, IN.

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2009, September). *Creative experiences for young children*. Presentation at Ball State Early Childhood Conference. Muncie, IN

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Clark, P. (2009, April). *Close encounters: Promoting cognitive and affective transformation in teacher education*. Presentation at the University of Southern Indiana 2009 4th Annual Multicultural Seminar. Evansville, IN.

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Huffman, R. (2009, April). *A picture literally is worth a thousand words: Using documentation to increase family involvement*. Presentation at the 2009 IAEYC Indiana Early Childhood Conference. Indianapolis, IN.

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Huffman, R. (2008, April). *Beyond field experience: University students living and learning in the kindergarten classroom*. Presentation at the 2008 IAEEYC Indiana Early Childhood Conference, Indianapolis, IN.

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2007, April). *What do I get? Classroom rewards as an obstacle to real learning*. Presentation at the 2007 IAEEYC State Conference. Indianapolis, IN

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2006, March). *From where I come: Valuing culture in early childhood programs*. Presentation at the 2006 IAEEYC State Conference. Indianapolis, IN

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2006, March). *The dinosaurs ate all the pirates up: Young children and the development of logic*. Presentation at the 2006 IAEEYC State Conference. Indianapolis, IN

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2005, March). *Building bridges: Effectively communicating through conflict*. Presentation at the 2005 IAEEYC State Conference. Indianapolis, IN

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2004, March). *Beyond open house: Expanding the definition of family involvement*. Presentation at the 2004 IAEEYC State Conference. Indianapolis, IN

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2003, March). *Potential for change: Preservice teacher attitudes toward multicultural teaching and learning*. Presentation at the IAEEYC Annual Conference, Indianapolis, IN

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2002, March). *Stress, resiliency, and the role of the early childhood educator*. Presentation at the IAEEYC Annual Conference, Indianapolis, IN

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (1998, October). *Director credentialing in Minnesota*. Presentation at the Minnesota Association for the Education of Young Children 1998 Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Robinson, N. (1998). *Quality early education*. Presentation at the Minnesota Alliance of Youth Conference, Minneapolis, MN

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Kolb, K. (1997). *Building bridges: Effectively communicating through conflict*. Presentation at the Minnesota Association for the Education of Young Children's 39th Conference on Children and Families, Minneapolis, MN

Regional

King, E., Clark, P., Scaife, W., & Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (March, 2011). *We are the ones we've been waiting for: Maximizing student success through public partnership*. Superintendents' Commission for the Study of Demographics and Diversity Annual Regional Conference. Tinley, Park, IL.

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., Clark, P., Scaife, W., & King, E. (2011, March). *We are the ones we're been waiting for: Maximizing student success through public partnership*. Superintendents' Commission for the Study of Demographics and Diversity Annual Regional Conference, Tinley Park, IL

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Matlock R. (2001, November). *Using the media to encourage developmentally appropriate caregiving*. Presentation at the Head Start Region V 2001 Conference, Indianapolis, IN

Anderson, D., & Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (1992). *Empowering families through staff development*. Presentation at the United Neighborhood Centers of America Midwest Conference, Cleveland, OH

Local

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2009, March). *Children and poverty*. Presentation to staff at Huffer Memorial Children's Center. Muncie, IN

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2006, October). *Problem solving through creative expression*. Presentation to Head Start Action Inc, Muncie, IN

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Staley, L. (2005, April). *And how are the children? The state of the world's children, 2005*. Presentation to Ball State University Education in Action, Muncie, IN

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2004, October). *Beyond open house: Expanding the definition of family involvement*. Presentation to the Ball State University Student Education Association, Muncie, IN

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2004, February). *Beyond open house: Expanding the definition of family involvement*. Presentation to the Ball State University Student Education Association, Muncie, IN

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2003, November). *Stress, resiliency and the role of the early childhood educator*. Presentation at the ECAEYC Fall Workshop, Muncie, IN

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2003, October). *Beyond open house: Expanding the definition of family involvement*. Presentation at the Ball State University 2003 Early Childhood Conference, Muncie, IN

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2003, March). *Potential for change: Preservice teacher attitudes toward multicultural teaching and learning*. Presentation at the Ball State University Urban Semester Retreat, Muncie, IN

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2002, October). *Stress, resiliency, and the role of the early childhood educator*. Presentation at the Ball State University Early Childhood Conference, Muncie, IN

*Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (2001, September). *Implications of multicultural intervention on early childhood educators' attitudes toward diversity*. Presentation at the Ball State University 2001 Early Childhood Conference, Muncie, IN

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E., & Whiteman, A. (1998). *Director credentialing in Minnesota*. Presentation at the Duluth Association for the Education of Young Children 1998 Annual Conference, Duluth, MN

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (1997). *Building bridges: Effectively communicating through conflict*. Workshop presented at Resources for Child Caring, St. Paul, MN

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (1997). *Overcoming the odds: Encouraging resilience in young children*. Workshop presented at Resources for Child Caring, St. Paul, MN

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (1996). *Overcoming the odds: Encouraging resilience in young children*. Workshop presented at the City Leadership Academy, Minneapolis, MN

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (1995). *Children and Play*. Workshop presentation at the City Leadership Academy, Minneapolis, MN

Zygmunt-Fillwalk, E. (1993). *Child care quality, accessibility, and affordability*. Presentation at the Women's Day Conference, Bethel Lutheran Church, Minneapolis, MN

C. Grants Received

(* Denotes research grant)

(** Denotes competitive grant)

Research

**(*) MuncieP3 After School Program (with Dr. Pat Clark) (2011). Ball Brothers Foundation. (39,900).

**(*) Provost's Immersive Learning Grant (with Dr. Pat Clark) (2010). Schools Within the Context of Communities, Ball State University, Muncie, IN (\$36,805)

**(*) Provost's Immersive Learning Grant (with Dr. Jon Clausen and Renee Huffman) (2010). Connecting National Education Standards to the SMART Table®. Ball State University, Muncie, IN (\$12,298)

**(*) 21st Century Community Learning Center Grant (with Dr. Pat Clark) (2010). Muncie P3, Indiana Department of Education, Indianapolis, IN (\$954,000)

**(*) Provost's Immersive Learning Grant (with Dr. Pat Clark) (2008). Schools Within the Context of Communities, Ball State University, Muncie, IN (\$70,673)

** (*) Summer Assessment Grant (with Dr. Pat Clark and Dr. Mike Putman) (2008). Assessment of Learning Outcomes. Ball State University, Muncie, IN (\$300)

Summer Teaching and Learning Grant (2008). Development of EDEL 100 and EDEL 244 as Core Curriculum courses under the WISER+ designation. Ball State University, Muncie, IN (\$700)

Award for Technology. (2007). Institute for Digital Intermedia Arts and Animation. (\$1,460). Center for Media Design. Ball State University.

** (*) Virginia Ball Center for Creative Inquiry (2006). Voice and Vision: Poverty From the Inside Out. Ball State University, Muncie, IN (\$20,000)

**(*) New Faculty Internal Grant (2005). Preparing Teachers for Family / School Collaboration. Ball State University, Muncie, IN (\$4,539)

** (*) Graduate Research Grant. (2002). "Potential for Change: The Effects of Curricular Intervention on Preservice Education Students'

Attitudes Toward Multicultural Teaching and Learning": Office of Academic Research and Sponsored Programs. Ball State University, Muncie, IN (\$462)

Training

Foundations Training. (2007). (co-authored with Dr. Patricia Clark, Associate Professor of Elementary and Teresa Matlock, Child Care Collection). Indiana Department of Education. (\$55,000). Indiana Department of Education.

**Ready to Learn / Ready Schools Grant. (2005). (co-authored with Dr. Patricia Clark). Indiana Family Social Services Administration. (\$164,483) (Received August 2006 after request to revise and resubmit due to FSSA administrative change).

**Director Credentialing. (1999). The Bush Foundation, St. Paul, MN

**Early Childhood Professional Development. (1999). The McKnight Foundation, Mpls, MN

**Leadership Development. (1999). Midwest Association for the Education of Young Children

**Early Childhood Professional Development. (1999). MN Department of Children, Families & Learning, St. Paul, MN

**Conference Research. (1998). Midwest Association for the Education of Young Children

**Membership Research. (1998). NAEYC: Washington, DC

**Parent Outreach. (1998). MN Department of Children, Families & Learning, St. Paul, MN

**Early Childhood Professional Development. (1998). The McKnight Foundation, Mpls, MN

**Early Childhood Professional Development. (1998). The Aimee and Patrick Butler Family Foundation, St. Paul, MN

**Director Credentialing. (1998). The Bush Foundation, St. Paul, MN

**Early Childhood Professional Development. (1998). MN Department of Children, Families & Learning, St. Paul, MN

****Violence Prevention Training.** (1997). Midwest Association for the Education of Young Children

****Violence Prevention Training.** (1997). NAEYC: Washington, DC

****Child Abuse Prevention.** (1995). MN Department of Human Services, St. Paul, MN

****Building Renovation.** (1994). Greater Minneapolis Day Care Association, Minneapolis, MN

****Building Renovation.** (1993). Greater Minneapolis Day Care Association, Minneapolis, MN

****Building Renovation.** (1992). Greater Minneapolis Day Care Association, Minneapolis, MN

****Early Childhood Creative Dramatics.** (1991). Minneapolis Arts Commission, Minneapolis, MN

Community Grants

****Roy C. Buley Center Summer Kaleidoscope Program** (with Dennis Trammell) (2011). Ball Brothers Foundation. (28,025).

****Roy C. Buley Center Summer Kaleidoscope Program** (with Dennis Trammell). (2010). United Way of Delaware County. (5,000).

****Roy C. Buley Center Summer Kaleidoscope Program** (with Dennis Trammell) (2010). Ball Brothers Foundation. (5,000).

****Roy C. Buley Center Operating Funds** (with Dennis Trammell). (2010). Ball Brothers Foundation. (10,000).

E. Professional Growth Activities

American Educational Research Association (AERA) Annual Meeting. (April, 2011). New Orleans, LA.

American Association of Colleges of Teacher Education (AACTE) Annual Meeting. (February, 2011). San Diego, CA.

American Educational Research Association (AERA) Annual Meeting. (April, 2010). Denver, CO.

American Association of Colleges of Teacher Education (AACTE) Annual Meeting. (February, 2010). Atlanta, GA.

Association for Childhood Education International Annual Conference. (March, 2009). Chicago, IL.

American Association of College of Teacher Education (AACTE) Annual Meeting. (February, 2009). Chicago, IL.

Southern Poverty Law Center Teaching Diverse Student Initiative. (September, 2008). Washington, DC.

American Educational Research Association (AERA) Annual Meeting. (March, 2008). New York, NY.

American Association of Colleges of Teacher Education (AACTE) Annual Meeting. (February, 2008). New Orleans, LA.

National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC) Annual Conference and Exhibition. (November, 2007). Chicago, IL

Indiana Association for the Education of Young Children (INAEYC) Annual Conference. (March, 2007). Indianapolis, IN

Writing and Voicing Performing for Radio. David Candow, Canadian Broadcast Company. (March, 2007). Virginia Ball Center for Creative Inquiry. Muncie, IN

Bridges Out of Poverty. (February, 2007). Purdue Extension Services. Virginia Ball Center for Creative Inquiry, Muncie, IN

Learn Chicago: Poverty Beyond the Skyline. (February, 2007). Chicago Center for Urban Life and Culture, Chicago, IL

Introduction to BSU Geospatial Mapping Center. (February, 2007). Bracken Library. Muncie, IN

Savage Unrealities: Uncovering Classism in Ruby Payne's Framework. Paul Gorski, EdChange. (January, 2007). Virginia Ball Center for Creative Inquiry. Muncie, IN

Poverty in Delaware County. (January, 2007). TEAMwork for Quality Living. Muncie, IN

iMovie Training. (January, 2007). Virginia Ball Center for Creative Inquiry.

Interviewing and Writing for Public Radio. (January, 2007). Marcus Jackman, Indiana Public Radio. Muncie, IN

National Association of Early Childhood Teacher Educators (NAECTE) Fall Conference. (November, 2006). Atlanta, GA.

National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC) 2006 Annual Conference. (November, 2006). Atlanta, GA.

All Children Ready to Learn: The Role of Assessment and Accountability. (November, 2006). Indiana University, Indianapolis, IN

The Success Express: Indiana Student Education Association Fall Conference. (October, 2006). Indianapolis, IN

Poverty Simulation. (October, 2006). TEAMwork for Quality Living, Muncie, IN

Association for Childhood Education International (ACEI) Annual International Conference. (April, 2006). San Antonio, TX

Indiana Association for the Education of Young Children (INAEYC) Annual Conference. (March, 2006). Indianapolis, IN

“Ladies and Gentleman, Start Your Engines!” Giving Faculty a “Jump Start” into Online Course Development. (January, 2006). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Diversity Associates Program. (August-May, 2005). Indiana Higher Education Telecommunication System. Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Indiana Association for the Education of Young Children (INAEYC) Annual Conference. (March, 2005). Indianapolis, IN

Association for Childhood Education International (ACEI) Annual International Conference. (April, 2005). Washington, DC

Alpha / Beta Seminar. Ball State University Office of Teaching and Learning. (April, 2005). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Diversity Roundtable of Indiana (November, 2004). Indianapolis, IN

InQsit Training. Ball State University Libraries. (2004, October). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Master Grantsmanship. Ball State University Office of Academic Research and Sponsored Programs. (2004, May). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Association for Childhood Education International (ACEI) Annual International Conference. (April, 2004). New Orleans, LA

Alpha / Beta Seminar. Ball State University Office of Teaching and Learning. (April, 2004). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Combating Academic Dishonesty. Ball State University Teaching and Learning Alpha Seminar 195.02. (2003, November). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Developing and Using Multimedia Teaching Tools. Ball State University Teaching and Learning Alpha Seminar 195.02. (2003, November). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Teaching in the Affective Domain. Ball State University Teaching and Learning Alpha Seminar 195.02. (2003, November). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

National Association for the Education of Young Children Annual Conference. (2003, November). Chicago, IL

Classroom Assessment: Understanding What Students Understand. Ball State University Teaching and Learning Alpha Seminar 195.02. (2003, October). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Learning Assessment Module Project (LAMP). Professional Development Seminar (2003, October). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Copyright in the College Classroom. Ball State University Teaching and Learning Academy Alpha Seminar 195.01 (2003, October). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Dream Weaver Training (2003, July). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Indiana Association for the Education of Young Children Annual Conference. (2003, March). Indianapolis, IN

Ball State University Early Childhood Conference. (2002, October). Muncie, IN

Indiana Association for the Education of Young Children Annual Conference. (2002, March). Indianapolis, IN

Dr. T. Berry Brazelton Lecture. (2001). Indianapolis, IN

Dr. David Elkind Lecture. (2001). Muncie, IN

Indiana Association for the Education of Young Children Annual Conference. (2001, March). Indianapolis, IN

Ball State University Early Childhood Conference. (2000, October). Muncie, IN

Indiana Association for the Education of Young Children Annual Conference. (2000, March). Indianapolis, IN

National Association for the Education of Young Children Leadership Conference. (1999, April). Washington, DC

National Association for the Education of Young Leadership Conference. (1998, April). Atlanta, GA

National Association for the Education of Young Leadership Conference. (1997, April). Atlanta, GA

National Association for the Education of Young Annual Conference. (1997, November). Dallas, TX

IV. SERVICE

A. Ball State Committees

University

University Assessment Committee (2009-)

Provost's Immersive Learning Advisory Committee (2008-)
(Secretary, 2008-)

Sponsor: Student United Way (2009-)

University Senate (2005-2009) (Secretary, 2007-08; Vice Chair, 2008-09)

University Senate Agenda Committee (2007-2009)

Faculty Council (2005-) (Vice Chair, 2007-08)

President's Immersion Learning Showcase (September, 2008)

Indiana Commission on Higher Education Annual Faculty Leadership Conference (March, 2008)

Faculty Council Agenda Committee (2007-2008)

University Academic Freedom and Ethics Committee (2006-2008)

University Salary and Benefits Committee (2005-2008)

University Governance and Elections Committee (2005-2009) (Chair, 2008-09)

Guest speaker: *Valuing culture*. (October, 2007). CAPAsia Study Group V. Ball State University, Muncie, IN.

Women's Week 2006 Planning Committee

Professional Affairs Council (2004-5)

Undergraduate Education Committee (substituting for Dr. Scott Popplewell during Spring Semester, 2004)

Undergraduate Education Committee (substituting for Dr. Melinda Schoenfeldt during Fall Semester, 2003)

College

Teachers College Alumni Board (2008-)

Teachers College Curriculum Committee (2006-)
(Secretary, 2009-2010)

Burris Laboratory School-School Improvement Committee (2008 - 2010)

1st Grade Search Committee (2008). Burris Laboratory School.

Presenter, Valuing diversity in education. School Psychology Practicum. (March, 2008). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Presenter: Diversity Policy Institute Seminar: Addressing poverty in Delaware County through community mobilization (November, 2007). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Presenter: Student Education Association: *Inequality in education: An examination of poverty from the inside out* (October, 2007). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Co-sponsor: Student Education Association (2006-2010)

Co-presenter (with Dr. Patricia Clark): Teachers College Diversity Seminar: *Fostering an understanding and respect for diversity through field experience.* (Sept, 2006). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Department

Curriculum Committee (2006-) (Chair 2007 -)

Early Childhood Program Area Leader (2010 -)

Early Childhood Conference Committee (2003-)

Salary and Benefits Committee (2007-2010)

Search and Screen Committee (2005-2007)

Recognition Committee (2003-) (Appointed temporary Chair Fall 2004)

Ad hoc Committee on Issues Related to IRB (2005)

Guest Speaker. EDEL 450 (June, 2007). *Effectively communicating through conflict.*

Guest Speaker. EDEL 450 (June, 2007). *Early education for global citizenship.*

Guest Speaker. EDEL 799 (2005, September) *Disequilibrium and Reconstruction: The urban encounter as catalyst for preservice educators' cultural transformation.*

Guest Speaker. EDEL 231 (2004, October) *Urie Bronfenbrenner and the Ecology of Human Development*

Department syllabus conceptual framework written for EDEL 630, EDEL 640, EDEL 648, and EDEL 641 (October, 2004)

Salary Committee (elected to 6 month Spring 2004 term)

Guest Speaker. ID705 (2003, September) *Processes Related to Exams, the Proposal, and Completing and Defending the Dissertation*

Advanced Graduate Status Committee (Student Representative (2001-2003)

Doctoral Committees

Dana Kaminsky (2009 -). Early Childhood Education Departmental Representative

Emery Peck (2008-). Early Childhood Education Departmental Representative

Anthony Kline (2008-2011). Early Childhood Education Departmental Representative

Rebekah Baker. (2007-). Chair.

Patricia Gillespie. (2006-2009). Early Childhood Education Departmental Representative

Jennifer Mohr. (2005-2008). Early Childhood Education Departmental Representative

Pamela Sebur. (2005-2009). Early Childhood Education Departmental Representative

Amanda Slonaker. (2006-2009). University Representative

Dorothy White. (2006-2008). University Representative

Advisor to Honors Thesis

Hillarie Thomas, Early Childhood Education (2011)

Emily Mauer, Early Childhood Education (2011)

Sarah Marty, English Literature (2008)

Naila Mattingly, Urban Planning (2008)

B. Professional Service Activities at National, Regional, State, and Local Levels

National

Co-developer (2008). Southern Poverty Law Center *Teaching Diverse Student Initiative*.

ACEI Representative to the United Nations (2004-2007). Association for Childhood Education International (ACEI)

Public Affairs Committee. (2004-). Association for Childhood Education International (ACEI)

NGO Working Group on Education Under UNICEF: Corresponding Secretary. (2004-05). UNICEF

State

Indiana Commission on Childhood Poverty. (2010 -2011). State of Indiana

Month of the Young Child Co-Chair. (2003). Indiana Association for the Education of Young Children

Month of the Young Child Co-Chair. (2002). Indiana Association for the Education of Young Children

Early Childhood Indicators of Progress (Contributing Editor) (1999). St. Paul, MN: MN Department of Children, Families and Learning

Child Care Day at the Capitol Planning Committee (1999). St. Paul, MN: Child Care WORKS

Federal Child Care and Development Fund Advisory Committee. (1999). St. Paul, MN: MN Department of Children, Families and Learning

Family Friendly Child Care Grant Reader and Advisory Committee (1999). St. Paul, MN: MN Department of Children, Families and Learning

Training Clarification Task Force (1999). St. Paul, MN: MN Department of Children, Families and Learning

Trainers and Leadership Conference Planning Committee (1999). St. Paul, MN: MN State Resource and Referral Network

Child Care Financing Commission Advisory Committee (1998-1999). St. Paul, MN: Child Care WORKS

Director Credentialing Advisory Committee (1998-1999). St. Paul, MN:
Minnesota Association for the Education of Young Children

Early Benchmarks / Indicators of Progress Editorial Committee (1998-1999). St. Paul, MN: MN Department of Children, Families and Learning / Minnesota Association of Early Childhood Teacher Educators / Minnesota Association for the Education of Young Children

Head Start / Child Care Partnerships Advisory Committee. (1998-1999).
St. Paul, MN: MN Department of Children, Families and Learning

Valuing Women's Work Advisory Committee (1998-1999). St. Paul, MN:
Child Care WORKS

At Home Infant Care Program Advisory Committee (1998). St. Paul, MN:
MN Department of Children, Families and Learning

Child Care Assistance Fund Advisory Committee (1998). St. Paul, MN:
MN Department of Children, Families and Learning

Federal Child Care and Development Fund Advisory Committee (1998).
St. Paul, MN: MN Department of Children, Families and Learning

Early Childhood Program Administrator Skills and Knowledge
(Contributing Editor) (1998). St. Paul, MN: Minnesota Association for
the Education of Young Children

Early Childhood Teacher Licensure Standards (Contributing Editor)
(1998). St. Paul, MN: MN State Board of Teaching

Child Care Regulatory Committee Advisory Committee (1997-1998). St.
Paul, MN: MN Department of Children, Families and Learning

Child Care WORKS Board Member (1997-1998). Minneapolis, MN

Local

Co-facilitator of Children's Programming (February, 2005). Muncie
Coming Together, Muncie, IN

Child Development Careers Advisory Committee (1999). Minneapolis,
MN / St Paul, MN: Minneapolis Community and Technical College / St.
Paul Technical College

PICA Head Start Education Advisory Committee (1999). Minneapolis,
MN

C. Professional Consultancies

1. *Multicultural Issues in the Classroom*. (2008, April). Metropolitan School District of Warren Township. Indianapolis, IN
2. *Culturally Responsive Teaching* (co-presented with Donna Carlross Williams). (2006, September). Elwood Community Schools. Elwood, IN
3. *Diversity Training*. (2004, November; 2005, July; 2005, September). CASA of Grant County, Marion, IN

D. Professional Services Rendered to Community or Civic Organizations

1. Co- Chair (2007-). United Way of Delaware County Community Solutions Team: Financial Stability and Basic Needs
2. Member (2007-). United Way of Delaware County Community Solutions Committee
3. Member (2006-2007). Mentorship Taskforce of Partners for Community Impact and the United Way of Delaware County, Muncie, IN
4. Member (2006-2010). Eliminating Poverty Initiating Committee (EPIC). Convened by TEAMwork for Quality Living and the Center Township Trustee's Office, Muncie, IN
5. Participant (2006-2010). Overcoming Poverty Together (OPT) bi-monthly dinners. Convened by TEAMwork for Quality Living and the Center Township Trustee's Office, Muncie, IN
6. Chair (2006-2007). Eliminating Poverty Initiating Committee Subcommittee on Education. Convened by TEAMwork for Quality Living and the Center Township Trustee's Office, Muncie, IN
7. Community Ally (2006-). Circles of Support. Convened by TEAMwork for Quality Living and the Center Township Trustee's Office, Muncie, IN

8. Member (2006-2008). Muncie Ready Schools Transition Team, Muncie, IN
9. Interviews / Press Releases Related to Research
 - a. The older the student, the less parents are involved at school. (2008, October 13). *The Star Press*, pg. 2A.
 - b. Recess is more than play. (2007, October 8). *The Star Press*, pg. 1D.
 - c. Recess: Sliding into history books? (2007, September 17). *The Indianapolis Star*.
 - d. When I grow up: Kids share their dreams for the future. (2007, July 8). *The Star Press, Life Section*, p. 12-13.
 - e. Focus on others: An inside look at poverty. (2007, April 21). *The Star Press*, pg. 1A.
 - f. BSU students help fight poverty. (2007, April 6). *The Ball State Daily News*, p. 2.
 - g. Support needed for early childhood education. (2005, October 25). *The Star Press*, pg. 6A.
 - h. Books, popsicles and t-shirts help preschoolers make jump to kindergarten. (2005, October 13). *The Star Press*, pg. 1A.
 - i. Ball State leads pilot program, helps kids transition to kindergarten. (2005, October 12). *The Herald Bulletin*, section d, pg. 1-2.
 - j. Ball State leads national pilot program, helps children transition to Kindergarten. (2005, October, 5). *Ball State University Newscenter*.
 - k. Student teachers get taste of urban schools. (2005, August, 29). *Indianapolis Business Journal*.
 - l. We are all welcome here: Inviting ideas to help teachers draw *all* families into the school community. (2004, October). *Scholastic Instructor*, p. 23-26.
 - m. The key to parity: Training teachers. (2004, October 17). *The Fort Wayne Journal Gazette*.
 - n. The color of learning. (2003, Aug. 4). *The Indianapolis Star*, p. E1. E8.
 - o. Urban study improves teacher attitudes. (2003, May 28). Northridge, CA: KCSN.
 - p. Urban semester may diversity teachers. (2003, May 27). *The Herald Bulletin*, p. A3.

- q. BSU: Urban study improves attitudes on diversity issues. (2003, May 20). *The Star Press*, p. 7A.
- r. Study shows urban semester improves attitudes regarding diversity. (2003, May 16). *Ball State University Newscenter*.

V. OTHER

A. Professional Memberships

American Educational Research Association
 Phi Kappa Phi (invited and inducted, 2006, November)
 National Association for the Education of Young Children
 Midwest Association for the Education of Young Children
 Indiana Association for the Education of Young Children
 East Central Association for the Education of Young Children
 Association for Childhood Education International
 Phi Delta Kappa International
 National Association of Early Childhood Teacher Educators
 National Education Association
 Organisation Mondiale pour L'Education Prescholaire (OMEP)

B. Honors and Awards

Michael C. Ellis Excellence in Volunteer Leadership Award (2011).
 United Way of Delaware County, Indiana.

Teachers College Outstanding Service Award (2010-2011). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Outstanding Junior Faculty Member Award (2007-2008). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Cambridge Who's Who Among Executive and Professional Women, (2007-08 Edition)

Outstanding Teachers College Teaching Award Nominee, (2005-2006). Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Outstanding Child Care Center Director Award, (1995). Greater Minneapolis Day Care Association, Minneapolis, MN

Phyllis Colwell Award in Recognition of Exemplary Performance, (1994). Pillsbury Neighborhood Services, Minneapolis, MN