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Academic Degrees

Ed.D 2022 Winona State University

Education

Dissertation Title: Serving a System or Learners: The Preparation, Practices, and Perceptions of General Education Teachers and Special Education Teachers

M.A. 2020 Saint Mary's University of Minnesota

Special Education

B.A. 2016 Saint Mary's University of Minnesota

Elementary Education (K-6)

Minor: Spanish

Dean's List

Research and Teaching Interests

Primary: The gap between general education and special education

Secondary: Grading systems; mental health in students; the impact of demographic data in future teachers

University Experience

Assistant Professor (2020-present), Education Studies Department
College of Education, Winona State University, MN

Undergraduate Courses: Classroom Management (EDFD 400), Human Development and Learning (EDFD 400), Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment (EDFD 440)

Graduate Courses: Learning Environments (EL 651), Connected Educator, Connected Classroom (EL 656)

Professional Licensure/Public Early Childhood and Elementary School Experience

MN Elementary Education K-6 License, File Folder Number: 499953

Teachers On Call Substitute—September 2022-Present

Bonner Elementary School, Stewartville, MN

Kingsland Elementary School, Spring Valley, MN

First Grade Teacher—August 2019-June 2022

Bonner Elementary School, Stewartville, MN

Summer School Teacher—August 2021, July 2019, July 2018

Bonner Elementary School, Stewartville, MN

Bear Cave Intermediate School, Stewartville, MN

Third Grade Teacher—August 2018- June 2019

Bear Cave Intermediate School, Stewartville, MN

Kindergarten Teacher—August 2017-June 2018

Bonner Elementary School, Stewartville, MN

Preschool Teacher—January 2017-May 2017

Saint Felix Catholic School, Wabasha, MN

Awards

Of the Month (OTM) Campus Award for National Residence Hall Honorary—October 2022

Winona State University, Winona, MN

STEM Grant of \$300.00—Fall 2020

Bonner Elementary School, Stewartville, MN

Academic Appointments and Service

Advisor, Elementary Education—August 2022-Present

Winona State University, Winona, MN

Academic Affairs and Curriculum Committee (A2C2)—August 2023—Present

Winona State University, Winona, MN

Member of the Teacher Education Assembly (TEA)—August 2022-August 2023

Winona State University, Winona, MN

Speaker for Winona State University's Doctoral Program—July 2022

Winona State University, Winona, MN

Elementary Education Teacher Search Committee—Summer 2019, Summer 2022

Bonner Elementary School, Stewartville, MN

PBIS Committee—August 2017-August 2021

Bonner Elementary School, Stewartville, MN

Bear Cave Intermediate School, Stewartville, MN

Science Committee—August 2020-June 2022

Bonner Elementary School, Stewartville, MN

Sunshine Committee—August 2021-June 2021

Bonner Elementary School, Stewartville, MN

Published Work

Baule, S., Mayer, S., Swanson, A., Beasley, L., Sinning, M., (2023) Confronting imposter syndrome on campus. *ECampusNews*

Mayer, S. (2023) Book Review of Teaching with a Social, Emotional, and Cultural Lens by Nancy Markowitz and Suzanne Bouffard. *Essays in Education*

LeMieux, R.; Brichacek, L.; Chaison, D.; Fillman, S.; Holmes, B.; Leisen, M.; Luthens, D.; Mayer, S.; Parker, D.; Stolpa, T.; Tamke, D.; Washington, E.; Willis, K.; and Wolfe, S., (2020) "Doctor of Education Newsletter 2020", Education Doctorate Newsletters.

In Press

Schul, J., Mayer, S. Choosing what's public: The choice movement in American public education

In Review

Mayer, S. The preparation of general education and special education teachers within an elementary school

In Process

Anderson, A., Barofsky, K., Mayer, S., Pinter, E., Schock, D. Becoming a teacher: Influences, motivation, and impact

Schul, J., Mayer, S. Choosing what's public: The choice movement in American public education

Mayer, S. The preparation of general education and special education teachers within an elementary school

Mayer, S. The practices of general education and special education teachers within an elementary school

Mayer, S. The deficiencies of the preparation of general education teachers

Completed Conference Presentations

2024 Leveraging Generative AI in Educational Settings: Case Studies from Field—Steve Baule, Laura Beasley, Shauna Mayer, Matt Flugum, Patrick Leepore—Effordability Summit, Menomonie, WI

- 2023 Classroom Management After the Pandemic—Small Schools Conference, Lanesboro, MN
- 2023 The Secret Ingredients to Classroom Management Using Technology—TCEA Elementary Technology Conference, Galveston, TX
- 2023 The Free Secret Ingredients to Classroom Management—Effordability Summit, Menomonie, WI.

In Review Conference Presentations

- 2024 AI for Elementary Teachers—Open Education Conference, Providence, RI

Professional Development and Conference Attendance

- 2024 Using AI to Enhance Accessibility of Course Resources, Menomonie, WI
- 2024 Power of AI, Menomonie, WI
- 2024 Policy Considerations When Using Artificial Intelligence, Winona, MN
- 2023 Reading, Saint Paul, MN
- 2023 Teacher of the Year, Micheal Houston, Saint Paul, MN
- 2023 Keynote Brittany Wagner, Saint Paul, MN
- 2023 Harnessing AI For Teachers, Lanesboro, MN
- 2023 Tech Up the Math, Galveston, TX
- 2023 The Feedback Loop: Improve Your Efficacy with Formative Assessment Tools, Galveston, TX
- 2023 Teach Like a Wizard: Canva Magic, Hacks, and Tricks, Galveston, TX
- 2023 Extra Credit: It's Not Just for Students, Galveston, TX
- 2023 Affordability in Academia: Exploring Inclusive Access (IA) as an Affordability Tool, Menominee, WI
- 2022 Living in the Middle of Everywhere: Resident Recruitment in Rural America, Brainerd, MN
- 2022 Legislative Lessons: What's Next for Rural Schools? Brainerd, MN
- 2022 Boost Student Motivation with Data-Driven SEL, Brainerd, MN
- 2022 Cultivate Respectful Workplace, Brainerd, MN
- 2022 Exercise Students' Critical and Creative Thinking, Brainerd, MN
- 2022 Are You Comfortable in Your Shoes, Brainerd, MN
- 2022 Restorative Practices as a Community Initiative, Brainerd, MN
- 2022 Student Mental Health, Saint Paul, MN

- 2022 History in Education, Saint Paul, MN
- 2022 Time Management and Classroom Engagement Collaborative Session, Saint Paul, MN
- 2022 Purpose to Practice-Building An Effective Assessment Plan, Stewartville, MN
- 2021 Becoming Self-Aware, Stewartville, MN
- 2021 Just Look Up! 5 Live-Saving Phrases EVERY Educator Needs to Hear! Stewartville, MN
- 2019 Fountas and Pinnell Guided Reading Training, Stewartville, MN
- 2020 Cultural Competency: A Deeper Dive into Self-Reflection and Personal Bias, Stewartville, MN
- 2020 Energizer Staff/Buy In/Commitment, Stewartville, MN
- 2019 Fountas and Pinnell Classroom Implementation Support, Owatonna, MN
- 2019 Science Standards Workshop, Rochester, MN
- 2019 Reading Professional Development, Stewartville, MN
- 2019 Marching Off the Map: Understanding and Equipping Generation Z, Kasson, MN
- 2019 Metacognition: The Secret to Engaging and Inspiring Students, Kasson, MN
- 2019 Effective Questioning for Deeper Learning, Kasson, MN
- 2019 Formative Assessment In A Brain-Compatible Classroom: How Do We Really Know They're Learning, Kasson, MN
- 2019 Seven Habits of Highly Effective People and therefore Highly Effective Teams, Kasson, MN
- 2019 What is PLC 2.0 and Why Are We Here? Kasson, MN
- 2019 Connecting to the Connected: Creating a Vision of Learner in the "Right Now" Generation, Kasson, MN
- 2019 Prepared for Life: Pushing Boundaries and Challenging the Status Quo. Kasson, MN
- 2019 Using Dialogue to Enhance Learning, Kasson, MN
- 2019 Trauma, Turbulence & Tumbleweeds: Building Strength, Resiliency Through Adversity, Kasson, MN
- 2019 What Can We Do When We Are Brave Together, Kasson, MN
- 2019 Building Resilient Communities, Stewartville, MN
- 2019 Responding to Student Anxiety in the Classroom: A Positive Approach, Stewartville, MN

Written Grants

2024 WSU Foundation Special Project

P-12 Involvement (Teaching and Supervising)

2024 Teaching: Bear Cave Intermediate, Stewartville, MN (4th Grade) 3 hours

2023 Teaching: Bonner Elementary, Stewartville, MN (K) 8 hours

2023 Teaching: Bonner Elementary, Stewartville, MN (SPED, 1st Grade) 8 hours

2022 Teaching: Bonner Elementary, Stewartville, MN (2nd Grade) 8 hours

2022 Teaching: Bear Cave Intermediate, Stewartville, MN (5th Grade) 8 hours

2022 Teaching: Kingsland Elementary, Spring Valley, MN (SPED, P.E.) 4 hours

2022 Supervising Students: Jefferson Elementary, Winona, MN (K, 1, 2, 3, 4) 2 hours