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Curriculum Vitae

Education

Graduate Studies

[Gannon University](#)

Erie, PA

2008-2009

- **Master of Education Degree:** Curriculum and Instruction
- **Cumulative Grade Point Average:** 4.0
- **Recognitions:** Outstanding Graduate Student in Education Award, Outstanding Portfolio Achievement Level

Undergraduate Studies

[Mercyhurst University](#)

Erie, PA

2002-2005

- **Bachelor of Arts Degree:** Elementary Education
 - **Declared Minor:** Psychology
 - **Cumulative Grade Point Average:** 3.921
 - **Recognitions:** Egan Scholarship, Presidential Scholarship, Dean's List (all terms), Kappa Delta Pi Honor Society, Summa Cum Laude Graduate
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Certifications

[Pennsylvania Department of Education](#)

- Level 1 Instructional Certificate: Elementary Education (K-6)
- Level 1 Instructional Certificate: Middle Level Citizenship Ed 7-9
- Student Assistance Program (SAP) K-12

[CITI: Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative](#) (University of Miami, FL)

- Social and Behavioral Human Subjects Research (IRB)

[Pennsylvania Quality Assurance System](#)

- Certified Instructor and Consultant (CIC-1151000)

[Council for Professional Recognition](#)

- CDA Professional Development Specialist

[Handwriting Without Tears](#)

- Handwriting for Preschool / Day Care Providers

[Microsoft Innovative Educator](#)

- Windows 8 in the Classroom
- Teaching with Technology
- Digital Literacy
- 21st Century Learning Design
- Peer Coaching Basics

[Microsoft Innovative Educator Trainer](#)

- Peer Coaching Workshop

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Professional Experience

Curriculum Solution Center, LLC

Director / Owner Erie, PA 2013 - present

Oversee all finances, management, and business elements

Develop standards aligned curriculum upon request from clients

- Funding Factory: K-8 Recycling and E-Waste Curriculum "Ecobuddies"
- YMCA of Erie County "Be Safe, Be Cool"
- Lesson Factory: Seasonal Activities and Writing Prompts

Develop and implement professional development and training programs

- PreK-12 educator in-services
- Parent programs
- Youth assemblies (bullying prevention)

Serve as educational consultant

- Syllabuy.co: blog writer, founder's club member, editor, and consultant

Maintain partnerships with state and national education organizations

- PA Keys: Professional Development Organization (Northwest and Southwest Regional Keys)
- Pennsylvania Department of Education: Act 48 Provider
- National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC): Professional Development Organization (Pittsburgh AEYC Chapter)
- Microsoft Inspired Educator and Partner (in certification process)

Oversee web design and social media interaction

- www.curriculumsolutioncenter.com
- Social media profiles on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), [LinkedIn](#), and [Pinterest](#)

Kelly Educational Staffing

Substitute Teacher Erie, PA 2015 – present

- On call teacher PreK - 12 in Erie's Public Schools, Millcreek Township School District, Girard School District, and Fairview School District

Education-Articles.com

Contributing Writer Online 2015 – present

- Author short articles on current trends and topics in education

Simple K12 Teacher Learning Community

Webinar Presenter Online 2011 - present

- Say This, Not That: Effective Communication to Build Responsible Behaviors in Children
- Developmentally Appropriate Practices for Afterschool Programs
- Being a Teacher-Preneur: Turning What You Know into Cash
- Copyright, Citations, and Intellectual Property: Do's and Don'ts for Selling and Sharing Lesson Plans
- The Parent Protocol: A Plan for Talking about Sensitive Issues with Parents
- The Language of Peer Aggression: Recognizing and Defusing Bullying
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- The Language of Peer Aggression: Encouraging Bystanders to Take Action

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Northwest Evaluation Association

Professional Development Facilitator Nationwide 2014 – 2015

Approved to facilitate the following MAP test workshops:

- Applying Reports
- Essential Reports for Administrators
- Essential Reports for Primary Teachers

Gannon University

Adjunct Lecturer, Graduate Education Erie, PA 2010 - 2011

- **Course Authored:** GUEC 571 Portfolio Assessment
- Course offered 2010-2011 without sufficient enrollment for facilitation

The Ophelia Project

Director of Curriculum and Programming Erie, PA 2009 - 2013

Curricula / Programming Author (*available for free download: [Click Here](#)*)

- STEPS for Early Childhood Centers: Training Program
- CASS: Creating a Safe School K-8, Class Meetings Year 2
- CASS: Concepts for High School
- CyberCool High School

Curricula / Programming Co-Author or Editor (*available for free download: [Click Here](#)*)

- It Has a Name: Relational Aggression
- RAISE Boys: Reduce Aggression, Increase Self-Empowerment
- CyberCool: Middle School
- RAPS: Relationships Are Pathways to Success
- Meaningful Mentoring Matters: Adult Mentor Training
- CASS: Creating A Safe School K-8 Class Meetings Year 1
- STEPS for Parents: Parent Study Guide
- Ophelia Project Youth Ambassadors: Youth Leadership Training

Project Manager and Lead Research Associate:

- CASS: Creating a Safe School K-8 - Research Trial 2010 - 2012
- RAPS: Relationships Are Pathways to Success - Research Trial 2009 - 2012
- STEPS for Early Childhood Centers - Pilot and Evaluation 2012 – 2013

Covenant Preschool

Lead Teacher, Four Year Old Class Erie, PA 2006 - 2009

- **Pre-Literacy Skills:** phonemic awareness, phonics, interactive read-aloud, diction
- **Handwriting:** Handwriting Without Tears Curriculum
- **Pre-Math Skills:** number sense, counting, estimation, place value, sorting, graphing
- **Fine Arts:** music, dance, art
- **Fine and Gross Motor Instruction**

Our Lady of Mount Carmel School

Sixth Grade Teacher Erie, PA 2005 - 2006

- **English:** Grammar and Writing
- **Social Studies:** Project-based World History and Current Events
- **Religion:** Scripture and Mass
- **Art:** Artistic Media
- **Handwriting:** Zaner Bloser Curriculum

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St. Boniface School

Substitute Teacher Erie, PA 2005
Multi-age Instruction: Kindergarten – First Grade, Fourth – Fifth Grade
Middle School Instruction: Social Studies, Science, Math, Language Arts
Art Instruction: Kindergarten – Eighth Grade

Publications

Kraemer-Naser, L.A. (2012). Does a Safe Social Climate Boost Academic Achievement? A Discussion of Literature Demonstrating the Relationship Between Peer Aggression, School Connectedness, Pro-Social Skill Development, and Academic Achievement.

<http://opheliaproject.org/ClimateAndAchievement.pdf>

Kraemer, L.A. (2010). Bully prevention: Testing a new program. Education Week, 29(35), 36-37.

Volunteer Service

YMCA of Greater Erie Metro Childcare Committee Member	Erie, PA	2013 - present
Bully Police USA Pennsylvania Advocate Director	Nationwide	2013 – 2015
Luther Memorial Academy Grant Writer, PTL Vice President, Substitute Teacher	Erie, PA	2012 - present
Mothers Against Teen Violence Workshop Facilitator, Volunteer	Erie, PA	2011 - present
Covenant Preschool Board Member	Erie, PA	2010 – 2013
St. Philip Parish Vacation Bible School Staff, Cantor, Choir, Parish Volunteer	Pittsburgh PA	1991 – present