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Ph.D. Emphasis: Occupational and Technical Studies
Technology Education

Program Entrance Date: February 2007

Current Job: Adjunct Faculty, Engineering Division, Southwest Virginia Community College
Adjunct Faculty, Workforce Development, New River Community College

Projected Job: Associate Professor at a University or Program Leader of an exciting project!

Future Aspirations: Read something for fun, ride my railroad motorcar on the narrow gauge rails of Colorado, and complete my Appalachian Trail hike.

Previous Education

<u>College(s)</u>	<u>Study Area</u>	<u>Degree(s)</u>	<u>Year</u>
Virginia Tech	Vocational Technical Education	M.S.	1998
Virginia Tech	Industrial Arts Education	B.S.	1983
Southwest Virginia Comm. College	Drafting/Design Technology	A.A.S.	1979

Presentations

Educating Joe the Plumber: A Statewide Delivery System for Retraining Trades Professionals, New Horizons Conference, Roanoke, 2008

Taking the "Junk" out of Adjunct, New Horizons Conference, Roanoke, 2006

Hands-on Learning in the Classroom, Virginia Middle School Conference, Richmond, 1993

Publications

Four online curricula for the Virginia Community College system (VCCS) and the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation (DPOR). The training is required of all plumbers, electricians, HVAC technicians and gas fitters in the Commonwealth as a condition of license renewal every two years. <http://vccs.elitewebinc.com>

Professional Organizations and Committees

Epsilon Pi Tau (EPT) International Honorary for Professions in Technology

Gold Key International Honor Society

International Technology Education Association (ITEA)

Iota Lambda Sigma (Workforce Honorary)

National Center for Construction Education and Research (NCCER)

North American Railcar Operators Association (NARCOA)

Awards/Achievements

Technology in Education (T.I.E.) Award – 3rd Place, VCCS New Horizons Conference, 2009

Virginia Community College System's Chancellor's Award for Workforce Development, 2008

Silver Beaver Award, Boy Scouts of America, 2004

