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EDUCATION

- Re.D Indiana University, Bloomington, IN. Major: Recreation & Leisure Studies;
Minor: Instructional Systems Technology
- M.S. The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA. Major: Recreation;
Minor: Social Psychology
- B.S. Western Illinois University, Macomb, IL. Major: Physical Education. Minor:
Political Science

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2007-current. Murray State University, Murray, KY. Faculty, College of Health Sciences and Human Services. Associate Professor.

2000-2007. Murray State University, Murray, KY. Assistant Dean and Graduate Coordinator, College of Health Sciences and Human Services. The college includes the following four departments: Nursing; Occupational Safety and Health; Social Work, Criminal Justice and Gerontology; and Wellness and Therapeutic Sciences. Wellness & Therapeutic Sciences includes: Athletic Training, Communication Disorders, Exercise Science, Nutrition, Dietetics and Food Management, Recreation and Leisure Services, and Youth and Nonprofit Leaders. Responsibilities included overseeing college technology, serving as the coordinator of graduate studies, coordinating enrollment management, scholarly activity, and general administrative duties.

1992-2000. Murray State University, Murray, KY. Chair of the Department of Health, Physical Education, and Recreation. The Department included majors in health, physical education, exercise science, and recreation. Minors included all of the major areas plus athletic training and athletic coaching. Primary responsibilities included administering the academic department, scholarly activity, teaching, advising, and managing the Carr Health Building (the principal recreation facility on campus at the time).

1990-1992. Murray State University, Murray, KY. Assistant Professor. Taught 12 hours of classes each semester, advised students, served on committees and participated in professional development and scholarly activities.

1985-1989. The Institute for the Study of Developmental Disabilities, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN. Research Assistant and Research Associate. Primary responsibilities included writing database programs and helping prepare grants for ongoing research and programs at the

Institute. Worked closely with the *Autism Institute* programs including onsite residential program for individuals with autism and severe behavioral disorders.

1981-1984. Indiana University, Bloomington, IN. Research Assistant. Assigned to the American Camp Association (ACA) national headquarters at Bradford Woods. Served as a consultant to the ACA National Standards Board on a project to revise the accreditation standards for camps, including the development of a revised scoring system. Also managed weekend groups using Bradford Woods facilities.

1993-1985. Indiana University, Bloomington, IN. Department of Recreation. Adjunct Instructor. Taught undergraduate outdoor recreation and computer application courses in recreation.

1984. George Williams College, Downers Grove, IL. Taught Microcomputer Applications in Recreation and Parks and Physical Education.

1976-1981. The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA. Research Assistant and Adjunct Instructor. Taught undergraduate outdoor recreation courses: camp leadership and outdoor living skills. Served as a research assistant to Dr. Betty van der Smissen (Recreation) and Dr. Dorothy Harris (Kinesiology)

1978. Apollo High School. Burlington, Iowa. Physical Education teacher. Filled in for a teacher on a temporary leave of absence and taught coed physical education and coached girls' basketball and track and field.

1975. Ft. Madison Community Junior High School. American History teacher. Filled in for a teacher on a leave of absence and taught seven sections of American history.

1973-1974. Georgetown Senior Secondary School. Georgetown, Gambia, Africa. Physical education and geometry teacher. Taught in an upriver high school of 500 African students. Coached girls' basketball, volleyball and track and field.

1970-1973. Toulon-LaFayette Unit #2, Toulon, IL. Physical education and health teacher. Taught boys and girls in grades K through eight. Coached girls' basketball and track and field.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Considerable experience with a wide range of software and Apps. Experience designing WEB pages and EXCEL worksheets. Guided and coordinated College technology plans and efforts.

COURSES TAUGHT AT MURRAY STATE UNIVERSITY

Undergraduate

NLS290:

REC/PHE/HEA099: Freshman Orientation

REC101: Intro. to Recreation and Leisure

REC102: Camp Counseling and Camp Crafts

REC207: Inclusive Recreation

REC302: Advanced Program Leadership

REC303: Community Leisure Organizations
REC311: Outdoor Adventure Activities
REC350: Canoeing and Wilderness Camping
REC401: Research & Evaluation
REC403: Areas and Facilities in HPER
REC405: Org. and Administration of Recreation
REC410: Technology Use in Recreation
REC421: Recreation Internship
REC450: Recreational Use of Natural Resources
REC476: Natural Resource and Park Administration
REC480: Special Problems in Recreation
REC488: Cooperative Education
REC490: National Recreation Sites & Rural Tourism Traveling Workshop
REC499: Senior Seminar
REC565: Interpretive Services in Park
PHE404: Adaptive Physical Education
HEA191: Personal Health
EDP260: Psychology of Human Development
PHE162: Backpacking
REC116: Canoeing

GRADUATE

NLS602: Nonprofit Financial Resource Management & Development
EDU664L Techniques Teaching Environmental Ed.
REC601: Leisure in Society: A Global Perspective
REC/PHE/HEA620: Current Trends & Issues in HPER
REC650: Seminar in HPER
REC/PHE/HEA680: Special Problems

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

National Recreation and Parks Society (NRPS)

- Society of Professional Recreation Educators (SPRE)
- The American Park and Recreation Society (APRS)

Kentucky Recreation and Parks Society (KRPS)

Academy of Leisure Sciences (ALS)

Association of Experiential Education (AEE)

Society of Outdoor Recreation Professionals (SORP)

American Camp Association (ACA)

- Heart of the South Section
- MidStates Camping Conference Steering Committee

World Leisure Organization (WLO)

North American Association for Environmental Education (NAAEE)

- Kentucky Association for Environmental Education (KAEE)

SELECTED COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS

- 2015-present Nonprofit Leadership & Recreation program committee
- 2014-present College of Education & Human Services Tenure Committee
- 2007-2010 Chair, Murray State University NCAA Certification Committee. This committee completes the self-study of athletic department seeking NCAA re-certification.
- 2000-present Chair of College of Health Sciences & Human Services Graduate Studies Committee
- 2000-present College of Health Sciences & Human Services Dean's Council. Comprised of chairs, dean, and assistant dean College of Health Sciences and Human Services
- 2000-present University Assistant Dean's Council
- 2000-present University Institute for International Studies Advisory Committee and Professional Development Committee
- 1992-present American Humanics Advisory Council
- 2004-2005 Chair Asian Faculty travel abroad selection committee. The committee annually selects approximately 10 faculty members to travel to China and South Korea.
- 2003-2004 Steering Committee for the NCAA Interim Certification.
- 1995-2005 Tennessee Valley Authority Employee Dependent Scholarship Committee. Committee awarded full academic scholarships to 12 students who were sons or daughters of TVA employees from the seven state region.
- 1998-2000 University NCAA Certification Steering Committee Chair
- 1996-2007 Captain of Ft. Campbell High School Road's Scholars team
- 1992-1994 University Faculty Senate
- 1993-2000 College of Education Teacher Education Services Review Committee
- 1990-2000 College of Education NCATE Standards Committees

GRANT PARTICIPATION

- 2004 Selection committee member for W.K. Kellogg mini-grants. Selected seven projects for *Best Practices for Integrating Service Learning and American Humanics Competencies*.
- 2004 ImpactPlus YMCA Grant. (\$18,000). Aimed at helping young people use technology to leverage their participation in civic life. Focus on educating and training YMCA staff, community partners, and young people in 21st Century skills. The YMCA Director, three teens and I attended a two and one half day regional training retreat to develop local project.
- 1997 Kellogg Service Learning Grant (\$50,000). Dr. Roger Weis, principal investigator. Wrote materials for training publication.
- 1998 Rural Education Achievement Program Grant. Shared by University of Kentucky, Murray State University, and Duke University (\$1 million+). Dr. Thomas Miller (MSU), principal investigator.
- 1997 Tennessee Valley Authority, Land-Between-the-Lakes, Visitor satisfaction survey (\$6,000).
- 1996 Kentucky Fish and Wildlife Environmental Education Evaluation Grant (\$20,000). Dr. Ruth Jacquot and Dr. Joseph Baust, principal investigators.

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

- Brookhiser, J.K. (2016). *Model of experiential learning in National Parks*. Association of Experiential Education International Conference, Minneapolis, MN, October 27-30, 2016.
- Bartnik, J, Polley, J, Brookhiser, J. & Stidham, B. (2016)Balancing the Business Model with the Social Service Model. National Recreation and Park Association Annual Conference, St. Louis, MO, October 3-10, 2016
- Brookhiser, J.K. (2016). *Model of experiential learning in National Parks*. Kentucky Recreation and Parks Society Annual Conference, Hopkinsville, KY, November 16-18, 2016.
- Brookhiser, J.K. (2015). *Model of experiential learning in National Parks*. Northeastern Recreation Research Symposium, Annapolis, MD, April 14, 2015.
- Brookhiser, J.K. (2013). *Trends in Forest Recreation in USA... Benefits of Forest Recreation*. Keynote address at the South Korean Institute for Forest Recreation Conference in Seoul, South Korea, November 5, 2013.
- Brookhiser, J.K. (2013). Higher Education Challenges & Opportunities. Daegu University Colloquium. November 7, 2013.
- Brookhiser, J.K. & Elizabeth Powell. International Panel on Health Care & Wellness. (2001-present) Organized annual College of Health Sciences & Human Services panel to discuss comparative health care and wellness issues around the globe.
- Brookhiser, J.K. (2005). *Integrating Nature-Oriented Activities in Your Camp*. MidStates Camping Conference, Chicago, IL April 15, 2005.
- Wiggins, M. Erdmann, J., Shipp, L. & Brookhiser, J. (2005, October) Exercise and cancer recovery: Stage 1: Establishing a survivorship program. Colloquium presentation at the Association for the Advancement of Applied Sport Psychology conference, Vancouver, BC, Canada
- Brookhiser, J.K. (2004). *Effective Interpretation Strategies in Natural Areas*. Keynote address at the South Korean Institute for Forest Recreation Conference in Chungju, South Korea, October 8, 2004
- Brookhiser, J.K. & Higginson, B. (2003). *Assessing Student Performance*. St. John's College, Belize City, Belize
- Brookhiser, J.K. & Daniels, Owen (2003). *Managing College & University Intramural Programs*. St. John's College, Belize City, Belize
- Brookhiser, J.K. & Higginson, B. (2002). *Evaluating College Student's Performance*. University of Belize, Belize City, Belize.
- Brookhiser, J.K. (2000) *Hiring... It's the most important thing we do!* American Camp Association MidStates Conference, Chicago, IL.
- Brookhiser, J.K. (1997). *Inclusive Recreation and Parks Programming... Everyone's Business*. Kentucky Recreation and Parks Conference.
- Brookhiser, J.K. (1996, April). *Evaluation in organized camping*. American Camp Association Basic Camp Director's Institute, Chicago, IL.
- Higginson, B., English, L., & Brookhiser, J. (1995) *Multiple Intelligence Teaching Strategies*. Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD) national conference, Baltimore, MD.
- Brookhiser, J. K. and Broughton, J. C. (1994, October) *Wilderness canoe camping*. Kentucky Recreation and Parks Society Annual Conference, Louisville, KY.

- Brookhiser, J. K. (1994, January). *Developing behavior management plans for recreational agencies serving children*. Southern District of the Alliance for Health, Physical Education, and Recreation annual conference, Nashville, TN.
- Brookhiser, J.K. (1994, March). *Outdoor Living Skills in camp settings*. American Camp Association Kentucky-Tennessee workshop, Pleasantville, TN.
- Brookhiser, J. K. (1994, April). *Helping children learn to manage their behavior at camp*. American Camp Association MidStates Conference, Chicago, IL.
- Brookhiser, J.K. (1994, April). *Evaluation in organized camping*. American Camp Association Basic Camp Director's Institute, Chicago, IL.
- Brookhiser, J. K. (1994, April). *Values of camping*. American Camp Association Basic Camp Director's Institute, Chicago, IL.
- Brookhiser, J. K. (1994, April). *Accessibility issues in outdoor recreation facilities*. Land-Between-the-Lakes Spring national consortium on outdoor recreation, Brandon Springs, TN.
- Brookhiser, J. K. (1993, February). *Positive behavior management in camp*. American Camp Association annual conference, Pittsburgh, PA.
- Brookhiser, J. K. (1990, February). *Positive behavior management in organized camping*. American Camp Association Tri-State (New York, New Jersey, & Pennsylvania) annual conference, Teneack, NJ.
- Brookhiser, J. K., (1988, October). *Does recreation have to be fun? Teaching community skills and behaviors to students with autism or other communication disorders*. Association for Experiential Education annual national conference, Carbondale, IL.
- Brookhiser, J. K., (1987, April). *The development and implementation of a microcomputer-based system for profiling behaviors and capabilities of individuals with autism and severe learning and behavior handicaps*. Paper presented at the meeting of the National Symposium on Information Technology, Columbia, SC.

PUBLICATIONS

- Brookhiser, J.K. (2013). Benefits of Forest Recreation in *2013 Proceedings of the South Korean Institute for Forest Recreation Conference*. Seoul, South Korea, November 5, 2013
- Brookhiser, J., Yeatts, M., & Wiggins, M. (2007). *Emotional Intelligence and camp staff evaluations: An exploratory study*. Submitted 2007.
- van der Smissen, B., Goering, O. & Brookhiser, J. (2005) *Nature-Oriented Activities: A Leader's Guide*. Bradford Woods, IN: American Camp Association.
- Brookhiser, J.K. (2004). Effective Interpretation Strategies in Natural Areas in *2004 Proceedings of the Institute for Forest Recreation Conference*.
- Brookhiser, J.K. (1993). Psychomotor skill development in the consortium curriculum. *Trends*, 30 (1), 29-31.
- Andis, K., Brookhiser, J. K., & Dalrymple, N. D. (1988). *Teaching Community skills and behaviors to students with autism or problems of communication and social interaction*. Bloomington, IN: Institute for the Study of Developmental Disabilities.
- Brookhiser, J. K. & Dalrymple, N.D. (1987). A microcomputer-based system for profiling behaviors and capabilities of individuals with autism and severe learning and behavior handicaps. *Proceedings of the National Symposium on Information Technology* (pp. 205-220). Columbia, SC: University of South Carolina.

- Brookhiser, J. K. (1989). *Research and Development of a system to track behaviors of individuals with autism or other severe handicaps and interfering behaviors*. Unpublished doctoral dissertation. Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.
- Brookhiser, J. K. (1988). *Enabling: Supervising staff in behavior management*. Unpublished manuscript.
- Brookhiser, J. K. (1982). *Trainer Guide: Serving campers with special needs*. Bradford Woods, IN: American Camp Association.
- Brookhiser, J. K. (1981). *The development of a scoring system for the American Camping Association standards for organized camps*. Unpublished master's thesis, The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA.
- Weis, R., Brookhiser, J. et al. (1998). *Service Learning Training Manual for Faculty K-16*. Murray, KY: American Humanics, Murray State University.
- van der Smissen, B., Goering, O., Brookhiser, J. (2004). *Nature Oriented Activities*. Martinsville, IN: American Camp Association. In Press.
- van der Smissen, B. & Brookhiser, J. K. (1981). *Bibliography of research in camping, outdoor education, and environmental education*. Martinsville, IN: American Camp Association.
- van der Smissen, B. & Brookhiser, J. K. (1980). *Guide to youth camp inspectors*. Atlanta: Center for Disease Control.
- van der Smissen, B. & Brookhiser, J. K. (1979). *A compendium of state laws and regulations for youth camps*. Atlanta: Center for Disease Control

LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

- 2005-2006 American Association for Physical Activity and Recreation (AAPAR), membership chair, executive committee and board member.
- 2005-2006 Kentucky Recreation and Parks Society, co-chair scholarship committee
- 2004- 2005 Southern District American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance (AAHPERD) representative to the American Association of Leisure & Recreation (AALR) Board of Directors.
- 2002-2005 Murray-Calloway County YMCA, President of the Board of Directors. Board member since 1992.
- 1991-2005 National Outdoor Recreation and Rural Tourism Consortium. Served as dean in 1993 and 2001. Served as treasurer 1992 and 1995-2005
- 1993-2015 MidStates American Camp Association annual conference Steering Committee and Program Committee member. Serve as Evaluation Committee chair. Conference held annually in April in Chicago area serves nine state region with over 1000 participants attending each year.
- 2003-2004 American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance (AAHPERD) Development Team. This six-member group developed transition plans and organizational materials (bylaws, structure, mission, operating codes, etc.) for new AAHPERD organization resulting in the American Association for Life-long, Recreation, Physical Activity and Fitness (LRAPF). These materials were approved by the American Association for Leisure & Recreation Board and the American Association for Active Lifestyles and Fitness Board, the two organizations that the new entity replaced. The LRAPF was later renamed the American Association for Physical Activity and Recreation.

- Spring 2004 MSU Higher Education Leadership Development Program. Participated in first group of faculty and staff who met to discuss issues facing higher education and develop leadership skills.
- 2002-2004 American Association for Leisure & Recreation (AALR) board of directors member-at-large
- 2000-2004 American Association for Leisure & Recreation (AALR): J.B. Nash Scholar Award Committee Chair.
- 1995-1997. Kentucky Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance board member. Chair of Recreation Section.
- 1994-1996 Southern District American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Recreation Education Chair.
- 1993-1995 Kentucky-Tennessee Sections American Camp Association. Chaired committee to investigate merging sections and subsequently chaired the by-laws committee for the new Cumberland Section created in 1995.
- 1998 Cumberland-MidSouth Sections of the American Camp Association member of joint committee to provide plan for merger of two sections. Merger occurred in 1999.
- 1992-1995 Kentucky Section of the American Camp Association president
- 1990-1995 Kentucky Section of the American Camp Association member of the board of directors
- 1981-1984 National Outdoor Living Skills program coordinator. American Camp Association

INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

November 2013. South Korea. Keynote address at South Korean Institute for Forest Recreation and colloquium presentation to Daegu University faculty.

The Gambia 2009. Served in Peace Corps here in 1973-1974. Revisited places lived and taught.

October 2004. South Korea. Keynote address at South Korean Institute for Forest Recreation and lecture in outdoor recreation classes at Daegu University. Toured national parks and forests with Dr. Lee, a Daegu faculty member who is consultant to national parks and forests.

May 2003. Belize. Provided three-day workshop for university faculty from throughout Belize on college and university student assessment and managing and developing intramural sports programs.

February and May 2003. Belize. Provided 2 and 3-day workshops for faculty at University of Belize and the various junior colleges in the country on student assessment.

May 2002. China. Selected to five-member delegation to travel to Beijing and Xian for two weeks as part of a professional exchange agreement with Chinese People's Press.

May 2001. South Korea. Selected to a ten-member delegation of faculty to travel to Daegu University and participate in two weeks of cultural and academic activities including lectures to

classes at Daegu University. Chair selection committee to choose and orient MSU students and faculty to travel to Daegu University (2002- present).

July 1990. Maracaibo, Venezuela. Served as graduate faculty in the Pan-American Institute for Physical Education. Taught master's level recreation courses. Students attended from throughout South and Central America. With students planned and conducted summer children's camp experience in the Andes Mountains.

1973-1974. Gambia, Africa. Peace Corps teacher in upriver high school. Taught geometry and physical education and coached girls' sports. Also taught seven Chinese men English in country as part of an agricultural demonstration project.

TEACHER EDUCATION SERVICE

- 1992-2000 Supervised student teachers, primarily physical education and health. Typically supervised 2-4 students each academic semester.
- 1995-2000 NCATE accreditation team visitor. Served on the Kentucky Board of Examiners assessment teams to University of Kentucky (1995); Union College (1996) and Centre College (1998).
- 1995-2000 Served as professional educator member of committees for first year teachers (new teacher interns) as prescribed by the *Kentucky Education Reform Act* (KERA). Kentucky issues conditional teacher certification for the first year until teachers successfully complete the first year internship.
- 1995-2000 Throughout this period served on numerous committees related to NCATE certification and Kentucky Education Reform Act (KERA) initiatives. Attended many trainings and orientations at the local, state and national levels, including national conferences on teacher education and curriculum. Participated in presentations relating to multiple intelligence at state and national conferences.

CONSULTING

- 1990-current Murray-Calloway County Parks & Recreation Department. Initiated programs including the development of summer programs and the allocation of park money to support assistantships in the HPER Department. Started first March for Parks in Murray-Calloway County Parks in April 1996. Served as consultant in hiring two park directors.
- 1984-1994 New England Section, American Camp Association, Waltham, MA. Wrote computer programs for membership, camper referral, staff placement and annual conventions. Trained staff in computer skills. Monitored computer programs and consulted via telephone and on site as needed.
- 1981-1984 American Camp Association, National Standards Board Consultant. Helped revise scoring system for national standards through research resulting in Master's Thesis. Also researched issues relating to specific standards and provided information and analysis to the Board to support decision-making.
- 1987-1990 AgriBusiness Group, Indianapolis, IN. Ran statistical analysis for various projects using Statistical Package for the Social Sciences (SPSS).
- 1985-1990 Trail Blazer Camps, Inc. New York, NY. Developed behavior management manual, provided behavior consultation, on-site leadership, and staff training.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- 1974-present American Camping Association (ACA) visitor for accrediting camps. Average 2-3 visits per year
- 1992-2005 Murray Family YMCA board member holding various offices including President 2002-2005
- 1998-2002 Boys and Girls Club of Murray, Ky. board member
- 1991-1999 Murray Chapter American Red Cross computer consultant involving selection of computer hardware and software and staff training.
- 1997-1998 Friends of the Park, Murray-Calloway County Park
- 1995-1997 Calloway County Park board member, appointed by Judge Executive.

OUTDOOR EDUCATION/ORGANIZED CAMPING EXPERIENCE

- Summer 1998 Camp G.U.T.S. (Gearing Up to Success). Part of the Rural Education Achievement Project (REAP) grant. Research conducted by faculty from Murray State University and University of Kentucky looked at behaviorally at-risk fourth grade children. The components of the study included the All Stars program in the schools, a parent counseling program, and a summer camp experience. I developed the summer camping program including creating the program, selecting and training staff including teachers and college students, and overseeing the two weeks of summer camp.
- Summer 1990 Camp Tapawingo, Peoria, IL, camp director. Kickapoo Council of Girl Scouts. Resident camp served 200 girls each session for nine weeks. Also ran concurrent day camp.
- Summers 1979-1989 Camp Elliott, Volant, PA, camp director. Beaver County Association for Retarded Citizens, Beaver, PA. Resident camp served children and adults with mental and physical disabilities. Awarded Camp Director Emeritus 1989.
- Summers 1986-1989 Trail Blazers, Inc., New York, NY. Behavior consultant and staff supervisor at camp in New Jersey. Camp served socially referred, inner-city New York City boys and girls ages 8-16.
- Summers 1977-1978 Alaskan Native Youth Leadership and Recreation Program coordinator and site leader. Program sponsored by Campfire, Inc., Anchorage, Alaska. Taught swimming and first aid and provided community recreation programs in small Native American villages in the interior and on the Aleutian chain. Developed training materials and programs in their first native youth training program. Supervised staff and youth trainees in the field throughout Alaska.
- Summers 1975-1977 Camp Shadowbrook, Conowingo, MD, assistant camp director. Sponsored by the Baltimore Council of Girl Scouts. Resident camp served 250 girls.
- Summer 1971 Camp Somerset. Oakland, ME, trip leader. Private camp serving 300 girls. Led backpacking, canoe, and hiking trips throughout the state of Maine, parts of New England and Canada.
- Summers 1963-1970 Camp Lookout, Montrose, IA, camp director (2 years.), assistant director (1 year), counselor (5 years). Resident camp served 50 girls each session.

INTERCOLLEGIATE SPORTS PARTICIPATION

As an undergraduate played on the following women's sports teams:

Field Hockey. 1966-1970. Most valuable player 1970. Selected to Midwest All Star team.

Badminton. 1966-1970. Doubles regional champions 1970

Softball. 1966-1970. Team played in Women's College World Series of Softball in Omaha, NE, 1969-1970

Volleyball. 1966-1970. Played in first women's National Volleyball championship in Long Beach California, 1970.

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING/CERTIFICATION

2016 Spring Project Learning Tree and Project Wild Training at Land-Between-the-Lakes Nature Center

2004 Spring MSU Higher Education Leadership Development Program.

2001 April LERN, Inc. Completed a teaching on line instruction course.

1994 July National Crisis Prevention Institute training in nonviolent behavior management intervention. Nashville, TN.

1984-2000 Lead Visitor for the American Camp Association Standards for the Accreditation of Organized Camps program.

1976-2000 Trainer of Trainers, Director of Instructors Outdoor Living Skills. American Camp Association.

1981 Certified Camp Director. American Camp Association.

1990-present Have attended numerous teaching and grant writing workshops at Murray State University including *Writing Across the Curriculum*, *Access*, *DreamWeaver*, *Communicating Across the Curriculum*, *Grant Writing*, etc. Regularly participate as presenter and participate in teaching and learning activities sponsored by the MSU Center for Teaching, Learning, and Technology.

RECOGNITION

2007 American Humanics Certificate of Appreciation for loyal service and leadership to American Humanics program at Murray State University

2007 American Camp Association Special Recognition Award

2007 Dr. Marvin D. Mills Multicultural Center. Certificate of Appreciation Distinguished Service Award

2005 American Association for Leisure and Recreation: National Meritorious Service Award

2005 American Association for Leisure and Recreation: Presidential Citation in recognition of "dedicated service, thoughtful insight and commitment to quality in the formulation of LRPAF as a member of the Development Team."

2005 White Residential College Outstanding Faculty Member 2004-2005

2004 Murray-Calloway County YMCA: Volunteer of the Year Award

2004 MidStates Camping Conference: Outstanding Service Award

1993 New England Camping Association Distinguished Service Award

1989 Camp Elliott: Director Emeritus