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RESUME**

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

B.S. Speech Pathology, Louisiana State University, 1959
M.A. Curriculum and Instruction, Virginia Polytechnical Institute, 1978
Hum.D. Honorary Doctorate of Humanities, Dallas Baptist University, 2002
Post Masters Montessori Preschool Training, Meca-Seton and
George Williams College, Chicago, Illinois 1979
Graduate Courses Early Childhood Education, Learning Disabilities, Experimental
Psychology

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

1990 to Present Executive Director, The June Shelton School & Evaluation Center
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2007 to Present Clinical Assistant Professor, University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center
2005 to Present Steering Committee member - Center for Advanced ADHD Research, Treatment & Education,
a collaborative research study between Shelton School, University of Texas Southwestern
Medical Center and the University of Texas at Dallas Brain Health Center.
2000 to Present Adjunct Instructor, Dallas Baptist University, Dallas, Texas
1989-1990 Director of Affiliated Programs, The dePaul Schools, Louisville, KY
1986-1989 Language, Speech and Hearing Consulting Clinician,
Sarasota School System, Sarasota, FL
1984-1985 Director - Curriculum and Instruction K-12,
American School of Mexico City, Mexico City, Mexico
1975-1984 Dean Early Childhood Education & Primary School,
American Elementary and Secondary School, Sao Paulo, Brazil
1971-1975 Director - Reading Study Foundation
1970-1971 Director - Early Childhood Center
1967-1970 Director - Perceptual Development Center
1964-1967 Teacher - Deaf and Aphasic Children
1960-1964 Speech Pathologist

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Academic Language Therapy Association (ALTA) / *Certified Academic Language Therapist/Qualified Instructor* (Board of Directors 2007 – present)
- American Montessori Society
- American Speech-Language Hearing Association
- Council of Exceptional Children
- International Dyslexia Association (Board of Directors 1996 – 2006)
- International Multisensory Structured Language Education Council (IMSLEC) (President 1997 – 2005; Board of Directors 1996 – present)
- The Alliance for Accreditation & Certification of Structured Language, Inc. (Board of Directors 2003 – 2008; Board President 2006 - 2007)
- 32° Masonic Learning Centers for Children, Professional Advisory Committee

Presented at the following Montessori Conferences, Workshops, Inservices since 2000

- Aug. 2000 Retreat Leader for Board of Directors and Staff of the Montessori School for Shreveport, Shreveport, LA.
- May, 2002 Montessori School for Shreveport, Shreveport, LA, Teacher In-Service, "Montessori Applied to Children At Risk: Contrast"
- August 2002 St. Alcuin Montessori School in-service: *Recognizing Early Signs of LD*
- July 2003 Eight-day workshop for a consortium of Montessori schools, Phoenix, AZ, *Montessori Applied to Children at Risk*.
- August 2003 Harry Stone Montessori School in-service: *Montessori Applied to Children at Risk*.
- Oct 2003 Montessori Education Center, Omaha, NE, *Montessori Applied to Children at Risk*.
- Nov 2003 NAMTA, Houston, TX, *Normalization of Children at Risk*.
- April 2004 Michigan Montessori Society, Detroit, MI, conference presenter: *Dyslexia & Related Disorders and Contrast of Development of Average & At Risk Child*.
- June 2004 Toronto Montessori Schools, Toronto, Canada 7-day workshop: *Montessori Applied to Children at Risk*.
- Oct. 2004 Valley Montessori School, Livermore, CA, *Montessori Applied to Children at Risk*, 2-day workshop
- Oct. 2004 Santa Cruz Montessori School, Aptos, CA, *Montessori Applied to Children at Risk*, 2-day workshop
- Jan. 2005 Dearborn Montessori School, Dearborn, MI, *Montessori Applied to Children at Risk*, 1-day workshop
- April 2005 Shelton School, *Montessori Parenting* (3-session workshop)
- Aug 2005 Shelton School, *Montessori – Primary Overview*, for Lower School Montessori training (5 day workshop)
- Oct 2005 Alcuin Montessori School, Oak Point, IL, *Montessori Applied to Children at Risk*,
2-day workshop
- March 2006 American Montessori Association Annual Conference, Houston, TX, Keynote: *Montessori and Multisensory Structured Language Therapy: A Match for the At-Risk and LD Child*
- August 2006 *Montessori Applied to Children at Risk*, 2-day workshop at The Montessori School Casa, Göteborg, Sweden.
- Nov 2006 Keynote speaker address at the Canadian Montessori Association Conference; led two breakout sessions in the afternoon of the conference
- March 2007 American Montessori Society Conference: *Exploring Cerebrodiversity/Validating Montessori*; presented with Dr. Gordon Sherman
- March 2007 Dulwich College, Beijing, China: *Montessori Applied to Children at Risk*
- Oct 2007 Montessori School of Shreveport; ***Simulations of Learning Differences***
- Feb 2008 *Montessorians Helping Children with Learning Differences*; keynote address at the North American Montessori Teacher Association Conference in Austin
- Feb 2008 *Oral & Written Language Disorders: Early Intervention Research*; After workshop at the NAMTA Conference
- Feb 2008 *Dyslexia & Related Disorders and Montessorians Helping Children with Learning Differences* – one day training for Montessorians at Lander University, Greenwood, SC
- March 2008 *Montessori & The Association Method*; American Montessori Society Conference; Washington, DC
- Feb 2009 *Supporting LD Children in Montessori Classrooms*; AMS Conference, New Orleans, LA