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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Educational Administration – Higher Education Leadership
University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Nebraska 2012

Master of Education
University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Nebraska 2011
Concentration: Educational Administration – Higher Education
Completed via Distance Education and Face-to-Face Instruction

Bachelor of Arts
Washington State University, Pullman, Washington 2006
Major: Criminal Justice
Majority of Degree completed via Distance Education

Associate in Technical Arts
Skagit Valley College, Mt. Vernon, Washington 1996
Major: Paralegal Studies

TEACHING

University of Nebraska-Lincoln

EDAD 800, Foundations of Research and Methods of Inquiry in Educational Administration, 4 courses.

EDAD 832, Higher Education in America, 2 courses.

EDAD 845, Human Resources Management in Higher Education, 11 courses.

EDAD 890, Workshop Seminar; Community Co Instructional Adm, 1 course.

EDAD 910, The Higher Education Environment, 3 courses.

EDAD 921, Administrative Issues in Higher Education, 4 courses.

EDAD 923, The Community/Junior College, 12 courses.

EDAD 925, Law and Higher Education, 22 courses.

TEAC 832, Higher Education in America, 1 course.

EDAD 890, Capstone Course, 1 course.

Area of Concentration: Community College Leadership

SCHOLARLY ACTIVITY

Published Contributions

(Former student underlined)

- Eddy, P. (in press). Building the path ahead for Community Colleges. Stylus/Routledge.
 - I wrote a case study that will be included in Chapter 5, Building an Equity-Minded Model for Professional Development – not sure how to cite this..
- Cejda, B., & **Wesley, K. (50%)**, (2019) Community Colleges. In Marilyn J. Amey, Miriam E. David (Ed.), Community Colleges (vol. 5, pp. 5). Thousand Oakes, CA: SAGE Publications Inc.
- Hatch, D., Crisp, G., **Wesley, K. (30%)** (2016) What's in a name? The challenge and utility of defining promising and high-impact practices. *New Directions for Community Colleges*, 175, 9 – 17.



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- **Wesley, K. (75%), Jolley, M., Baack, D. (2013)** of Nebraska Chapter in *50 State Systems of Community Colleges*, 4th Ed., published by the American Association of Community Colleges

PRESENTATIONS

“Did You Know?: A Surprising History of the Junior College,” Co-Presenter, Council for the Study of Community Colleges Conference, Chicago, IL, (April 22, 2023)

Association for Continuing Higher Education – Great Plains Region, *Luncheon Keynote*, Broken Arrow, Oklahoma (March 8, 2018).

“Leadership Skills for the World of Work, “Everyone is a Leader,” American Association of University Women, Lincoln, NE. (February 17, 2018).

“The history of Community Colleges and Law and Higher Education,” Academy for Leadership, Metropolitan Community College, Omaha, Nebraska. (October 20, 2017).

“Leadership and Administration at the Community College: A National and Regional Perspective,” 30th Annual Women in Educational Leadership Conference, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Nebraska
October 10, 2016

“Thoughts from the Round Tables: Transformation to Meet Academic Needs,” American Association of Community Colleges Conference, Chicago, Illinois
April 11, 2016

“Stand Up Don’t Stand Out,” American Association of University Women – Lincoln Branch, workshop at Southeast Community College, Lincoln, Nebraska
February 27, 2016



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Invited speaker at the American Association of University Women Fall Workshop, Nebraska Chapter, “Nebraska Women in Leadership – Expanding Opportunities,” October 19, 2013

Invited presenter at the 55th Annual Conference of the Council for the Study of Community Colleges, San Francisco, California “Women in Nontraditional Occupations”
April 19, 2013

“The Differences between Leadership and Management,” NCCA Professional Development Workshop, Kearney, Nebraska
March 28, 2013

“A Case Study of Worker Motivation Related to Women in Nontraditional Occupations” 26th Annual Women in Educational Leadership Conference, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebraska
October 15, 2012

“A Study of Worker Motivation Related to Women in Nontraditional Occupations” Student Research Conference, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebraska
November 12, 2011

“Digital Media and the Digital Divide: Access/Success”
Critical Questions in Education Conference, Missouri State University, Kansas City, Missouri
October 17-18, 2011

“A Study of Worker Motivation Related to Women in Nontraditional Occupations” 25th Annual Women in Educational Leadership Conference, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebraska
October 3, 2011

“Experiences of Female Administrators”



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Annual Women in Educational Leadership Conference, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebraska
October 10, 2010

Honor

- Finalist in Pearson's 2016 Online Learning Excellence award

PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

Associate Professor of Practice, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Department of Educational Administration (2020 – Present).

Faculty Representative, UNL Student Conduct Board (2020 – Present)

Faculty Representative, CEHS Awards Committee (2022 – Present)

Program Coordinator, MA in Higher Education - online (2018 - Present).

Coordinator, Community College Leadership Certificate (2016 - Present).

Secretary of American Association of Community Colleges Coalition,
(August 2014 - 2020).

Assistant Professor of Practice; Executive Director of NCIA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Department of Educational Administration (2013 – Present).

Graduate Assistant, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. (August 2010 - January 2013).

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

American Association of Community Colleges – Coalition of Affiliated Councils



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COAC Secretary (April 2013 – 2020)

- Responsible for Minutes at bi-yearly COAC meetings

University of Nebraska – Lincoln, Department of Educational Administration

Lecturer, Executive Director of National Council of Instructional Administrators
(January 2013 – August 2014)

Asst. Professor of Practice (August 2014 – Present)

- Facilitate on-line courses within the Department of Educational Administration's Master and Doctoral programs
- As Executive Director of NCIA, duties involve working directly with President to prepare agendas for Board meetings, site coordination and details for each meeting;
- Prepare reports for Board meetings, updated membership lists, updated Board directory, and others as needed;
- Maintain the archives of the organization, and
- Serves as the Editor of NCIA publications, overseeing the printing and distribution of all publications

University of Nebraska – Lincoln, Department of Educational Administration

Graduate Research Assistant (August 2010-January 2013)

- Responsible for the planning and facilitation of the annual Women in Educational Leadership Conference
- Assist with the following Blackboard courses: EDAD 830 – Administrative Theory; EDAD 811 – Practicum in Educational Administration; EDAD 998 – Internship in Educational Administration
- Assist with the planning and delivery of the annual American Association of Community Colleges conference
- Involved with comprehensive study of women in a community college setting and work place satisfaction

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Military Affinity Group, University of Nebraska – Lincoln, September 2016 - 2020



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American Association of University Women, Lincoln, Nebraska Branch, October 2013 – Present

American Association of Community Colleges, January 2013 – Present

Council for the Study of Community Colleges, January 2013 – Present

Secretary, Coalition of Affiliate Councils, AACC, April 2013 – November 2020