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#### EDUCATION

- 1967 Florida State University, B. A. Degree  
Major: Psychology  
Minor: English
- 1971 University of Florida, M. Ed. Degree  
Field of Study: Educational Administration and Supervision
- 1973 University of Florida, Ed. D. Degree  
Field of Study: Educational Administration and Supervision  
with emphasis on Educational Facilities Planning
- Dissertation:  
*The Functions of the School Facilities Planner  
in Selected Urban School Systems*
- Doctoral Field-based Experience:  
Administrative Intern,  
Dade County Schools,  
Facilities Division

## **OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND**

1981-Present	Faculty member. Current rank: Professor & Department Chair Department of Educational Leadership and Policies College of Education University of South Carolina Columbia, S. C.
1981-Present	Educational Planner/Consultant School Districts Areas: Educational Management, School Facilities, Compensation, Project Evaluation, Technology Evaluation
1992-1995 & 2000 - 2004	Member of Professional Standards Committee Association of School Business Officials, International
1988-1993 Interim 1999/00 Perm. 2000-2002	Chair, Department of Educational Leadership College of Education University of South Carolina Columbia, South Carolina
1981	Director of Staff Development Sarasota County School District Sarasota, Florida
1979-1981	Assistant Director of Operations Sarasota County School District Sarasota, Florida
1978-1979	Long-Range Facilities Planner Sarasota County School District Sarasota, Florida
1974-1978	Educational Planning Specialist Florida Department of Education Tallahassee, Florida
1973-1974	Principal (Elementary) Greenville County Schools Greenville, South Carolina
1967-1970	Teacher (Grades 4, 5, 6) Brevard County School District Titusville, Florida

## **PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP**

- 2006 Invited participant, Design for Learning Forum, a component of the Great Schools by Design initiative of American Architectural Foundation.
- 1990-2000 Co-Chair of the Editorial Advisory Committee  
Association of School Business Officials, International
- 1989-1998 Member of the Board of Examiners  
National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education
- 1984-2001 Member of the Executive Board  
South Carolina Association of Elementary School Principals
- 1981-1999 Chairperson of the Carolina First Palmetto's Finest Awards Committee  
South Carolina Association of School Administrators
- 1981-Present Member of the Association of School Business Officials, International
- 1981-Present Member of the South Carolina Association of Elementary School Principals
- 1995-1997 Member of the Technology Committee  
Association of School Business Officials, International
- 1988-1999 Member of the Executive Board of  
South Carolina Association of School Administrators
- 1988-1993 Member of the Advisory Committee of the Secondary Commission  
Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
- 1986-1991 Dean of the Greenville County School District 's Principals' Academy  
Greenville, S.C.
- 1986-1990 Member of the S. C. State Committee of the Secondary  
Commission of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
- 1986-1990 Chairperson of the Management Techniques Research Committee  
Association of School Business Officials, International
- 1984-1994 Member of the Planning Committee  
Annual South Carolina Summer Leadership Institute
- 1978-1990 Member of the Council of Educational Facilities Planners  
& 2001- present

- 1978-1981            Member of the Florida Association of School Facilities Planners  
and 1980 Vice President
- 1973-Present        Member of Phi Delta Kappa

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **BOOKS**

- Stevenson, K. R. & Tharpe, D. (1999). *The school business administrator*. Reston, Va.: Association of School Business Officials, International.
- Stevenson, K. R. & Lane, J. (Eds.). (1990). *School business management in the twenty-first century*. Reston: Association of School Business Officials.
- Pellicer, L. O. & Stevenson, K. R. (Eds.). (1985). *The best of the NASSP Bulletin: Readings in secondary school administration*. Reston: National Association of Secondary School Principals.
- Kimbrough, R. B., Harris, R. N., Stevenson, K. R., & Pellicer, L. O. (1973). *Conditions Accompanying the Survival and Death of High Risk Regional Educational Organizations*. Tallahassee, Fl.: Florida Department of Education.

### **PUBLISHED ARTICLES/PROFESSIONAL PAPERS**

- Stevenson, K. (2006). *Major educational trends shaping school planning and design: 2007*. National Clearinghouse for Educational Facilities, <http://www.edfacilities.org/pubs/trends2007.pdf>, 1-8.
- Stevenson, K. (2006, Summer). Five societal conflicts that will define school facilities in the 21<sup>st</sup> century. *ERS SPECTRUM*, 24(3), 29-39.
- Stevenson, K. (2006). *School size and its relationship to student outcomes and school climate: A review of eight South Carolina state-wide studies*. National Clearinghouse for Educational Facilities, [http://www.edfacilities.org/pubs/size\\_outcomes.pdf](http://www.edfacilities.org/pubs/size_outcomes.pdf), 1-8.
- Stevenson, K. (2006). *Educational facilities within the context of a changing 21<sup>st</sup> century America*. National Clearinghouse for Educational Facilities, [http://www.edfacilities.org/pubs/Ed\\_Facilities\\_in\\_21st\\_Century.pdf](http://www.edfacilities.org/pubs/Ed_Facilities_in_21st_Century.pdf), 1-18.

- Stevenson, K. (2002, September). *Ten trends shaping school planning and educational design*. National Clearinghouse for Educational Facilities, <http://www.edfacilities.org/pubs/trends.pdf>, 1-6.
- Stevenson, K. (2001, December). School facilities for the 21<sup>st</sup> century: 12 trends school planners need to know about, *School Business Affairs*, 4-7.
- Stevenson, K. (2001, Winter). Laptop computers: What we know – and what we don't. *The Palmetto Administrator*, 15-17.
- Deering, P. & Stevenson, K. (2001, October). Professional standards for the School Business Official. *School Business Affairs*, 28-31.
- Stevenson, K. (2001, February). The relationship of school facilities to student outcomes: A review of the research. *School Business Affairs*, 40-44.
- Stevenson, K. (2000, February). Using laptops as Notebooks: A 3-year case study. *School Business Affairs*, 66 (2), 20-22.
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- Stevenson, K. (1999, May). Laptops and middle schoolers. *The South Carolina School Boards Journal*, 14-17.
- Stevenson, K. (1999, April). Learning by laptop. *The School Administrator*, 56 (4), 18-21.
- Stevenson, K. (1999, March). Laptop computers and their impact on learning. *TechnologySource*. [On-line]. 19 paragraphs. Available: <http://horizon.unc.edu/TS/cases/1999-03.asp>
- Stevenson, K. (1999, Spring). What colleges and universities can do to improve education in S.C. *PDS Proceedings*, 2-7.
- Stevenson, K. (1998, December). Critical elements in new school planning. *School Business Affairs*, 64 (12), 3-8.
- Stevenson, K. (1998, April). Playing fair with facilities. *School Business Affairs*, 64 (4), 21-25.
- Stevenson, K. & Pellicer, L. (1998, January). Facilities: Is bigger really better. *School Business Affairs*, 64 (1), 18-25.
- Pellicer, L. & Stevenson, K. (1997, July). Learning by design. *The American School Board Journal*, 32-33, 39.

- Stevenson, K. (1997, Winter/Spring). Technology and teacher preparation: Four critical issues. *Teaching Education Journal*, 8 (2), 1-4.
- Stevenson, K. & Wood, C. (1997, January). What administrators are saying and doing about privatization: National study of privatization of school district operations. *School Business Affairs*, 14-21.
- Stevenson, K. (1996). Elementary school capacity: What size is the right size? *The Educational Facilities Planner*, 33 (4), 10-14.
- Stevenson, K. & Pellicer, L. (1996, June). School facilities planning: At the crossroads. *School Business Affairs*, 9-13.
- Stevenson, K. & Warren, L. (1996, April). *Critical issues: School choice*. Informational paper published by the South Carolina School Boards Association, Columbia, SC, 1-8.
- Stevenson, K. & Warren, L. (1996, April). The school business official in the 21st century. *School Business Affairs*, 35-38.
- Tonnsen, S., & Stevenson, K. (1996, Spring). Personnel cost control: Making ends meet – The South Carolina way. *Palmetto Administrator*, 6-8.
- Tonnsen, S., Stevenson, K., & Busa, D. (1996, February). Cutting personnel costs: What districts are doing. *American Association of School Personnel Administrators Report*, 3-6.
- Stevenson, K. (1996, January). The school business official as college professor. *School Business Affairs*, 11-13.
- Stevenson, K., Tonnsen, S. & Busa, D. (1995, November). Personnel cost savings: 400 districts share current and future approaches. *School Business Affairs*, 22-27.
- Stevenson, K. (1995, September). Special interest groups and controversy: How to use them to your advantage. *School Business Affairs*, 3-8.
- Stevenson, K. (1994, Fall) Rethinking some scared educational standards. *Palmetto Administrator*, 7-10, 28, 31.
- Pellicer, L. & Stevenson, K. (1991, November). America 2000: A principal challenge for the 21st century. *NASSP Bulletin*, 84-93.
- Anderson, L., Pellicer, L., Stevenson, K., & Tonnen, S. (May 10, 1991). America 2000: President Bush's education strategy in South Carolina. *USC Times*, 4-5.

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- Stevenson, K. R. & Stiegman, G. (1991, March/April). Participatory facilities planning in an urban school district. *CEFP's Educational Facilities Planner Journal*, 14-16.
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- Stevenson, K. R. & Cope R. (1990, Winter). Professional ethics for schools: A challenge for the 1990's. *The Palmetto Administrator*, 14-15.
- Stevenson, K. R. & Reynolds, B. (1990, October). Forces reshaping America: Implications for restructuring education. *The USC Education Report*, 1, 3-4.
- Stevenson, K. R. (1989, Winter). Methods of paying principals in South Carolina. *The Palmetto Administrator*, 11-14.
- Stevenson, K.R.(1988). School emergency procedures. In Gorton, et.al. (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of School Administration and Supervision*. (p. 103). Phoenix, AZ: Oryx Press.
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- Stevenson, K. R.(1987, June). Paying non-instructional employees: More may not be better. *The School Administrator*, 30-32.
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- Gentry, J.E., Pellicer, L. O. & Stevenson, K. R. (1985, September). How to set up an incentive pay system for administrators. *The School Administrator*, 19 - 20.
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- Stevenson, K. R. (1984, November). Team management- Quick relief from the minor aches and pains of school business management. *School Business Affairs*, 53-55.
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- Pellicer, L. O. & Stevenson, K. (1984, February). Preparing educational leaders for tomorrow. *Occasional Paper No. 9 National Staff Development Council*, 1-14.
- Stevenson, K. R. (1984, January). Keys to more effective schools. *School Advisory Council NEWS*, 5-6.
- Stevenson, K., Pellicer, L., & Surratt, T. (1983, December). Emergency preparedness plans – How to develop, operate. *NASSP Bulletin*, 87-91.
- Pellicer, L. O. & Stevenson, K. R. (1983, February/March). The department chairperson: Under used and much abused. *The High School Journal*, 47-52.
- Stevenson, K. R. (1982, Summer). Florida school facilities: Positive change through experience. *The Florida School Administrator*, 12-14.
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- Stevenson, K. R., & Tonnsen, T. (1992). State politics of schooling in South Carolina. In Walker, J., Richardson, M., and Parks, T. *The Organization of Public Education in South Carolina*, (pp 61-107). Dubuque, Iowa: Kendall/Hunt Publishing Company.
- Stevenson, K. R. & Pellicer, L. O. The problems & promises of management by objectives. (1986). In J. Lane (Ed.), *Management Techniques for School Districts*, (pp 39-56). Reston, VA: Research Division of the Association of School Business Officials.



Winecoff, S. & Stevenson, K. R. (1984). The unique characteristics of effective principals. In *Effective Schools: A Guide for School Boards, Central Office Administrators, Principals, Teachers, Parents and Community Educators*, (pp. 16-22) Charlottesville, VA: Mid-Atlantic Consortium for Community Education(University of Virginia).

### **TECHNICAL REPORTS - Facilities Related (since 1990)**

Stevenson, K. R. (2006). Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for York School District One. Technical report for the School Board of York School District One, York, S. C. (With the Florence area architects/engineers)

Stevenson, K. R. (2006). Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for Florence School District One. Technical report for the School Board of Florence School District One, Columbia, S. C. (With the Florence area architects/engineers)

Stevenson, K. R. (2005). Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for Richland School District Two. Technical report for the School Board of Richland School District Two, Columbia, S. C. (With the Southern Management Group)

Stevenson, K. R. (2005). Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for Spartanburg School District 2. Technical report for the School Board of Spartanburg School District 2, Boiling Springs, S.C.

Stevenson, K. R. (2004). Ten to fifteen year comprehensive facilities plan for Spartanburg School District 6. Technical report for the School Board of Spartanburg School District 6, Spartanburg, S. C.

Stevenson, K. R. (2003). Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for Lexington/Richland School District 5 - Update. Technical report for the School Board of Lexington/Richland School District 5, Ballentine, S. C.

Stevenson, K. R. (2002). Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for Lexington/Richland School District 5. Technical report for the School Board of Lexington/Richland School District 5, Ballentine, S. C.

Stevenson, K. R. (2001). Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for Laurens School District 56. Technical report for the School Board of Laurens School District 56, Clinton, S. C.

Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (2001). Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for Richland School District One: Middle and High Schools. Technical report for the School Board of Richland School District One, Columbia, S. C. (with Southern Management)

- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (2000). Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for Chesterfield County School District. Technical report for the School Board of Chesterfield County School District, Chesterfield, S. C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (2000). Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for the Newberry County School District. Technical report for the School Board of Newberry School District, Newberry, S. C. (with Southern Management)
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (2000). Comprehensive educational facilities plan for redesigning Burke High School. Technical report for the School Board of Charleston County, Charleston, S. C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (1999). Educational Specifications - McCarthy-Tezler Special Education Center. Technical report for the School Board of Spartanburg District 7, Spartanburg, S.C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (1999). Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for Spartanburg School District Five. Technical report for the School Board of Spartanburg School District Five, Duncan, S. C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (1999). Plan for rezoning elementary schools. Technical report for the Brunswick County School Board, Bolivia, N. C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (1998). Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for the Public Schools of Brunswick County. Technical report for the Brunswick County School Board, Bolivia, N. C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (1998). Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for the Public Schools of Kershaw County. Technical report for the Kershaw County School Board, Camden, S. C.
- Pellicer, L. O. and Stevenson, K. R. (1997). Site selection study: Educational analysis. Technical report for the Brunswick County School Board, Southport, N. C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (1997). Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for the Public Schools of Robeson County. Technical report for the Robeson County School Board, Lumberton, N. C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (1996). Educational specifications for the new Lee County High School. Technical report for the Lee County School Board, Bishopville, S. C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (1996/1997). Five year comprehensive facilities plan for Orangeburg School District 5. Technical report for the Orangeburg District 5 School Board, Orangeburg, S. C.

- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (1996). Educational pre-planning for referendum for new Lee County High School. Technical report for the Lee County School Board, Bishopville, S. C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (1996). Five year comprehensive facilities plan for Laurens School District 55. Technical report for the Laurens School District 55 School Board, Laurens, S. C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (1996). Five year comprehensive facilities plan for Georgetown School District. Technical report for the Georgetown County School Board, Georgetown, S. C. (with Southern Management)
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (1996). Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for Richland School District 1. Technical report for Richland School District 1, Columbia, S. C. (With Southern Management Group and CCC)
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (May, 1994) Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for Spartanburg School District Seven. Technical report for Spartanburg School District Seven, Spartanburg, S. C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (May, 1993). Ten year comprehensive facilities plan for The Horry County School District. Technical report for the Horry County School District, Conway, S. C. (With Southern Management Group)
- Stevenson, K.R. and Pellicer, L. (May 1993). Educational specifications: Horry County Elementary Schools. Technical report for the Horry County School District, Conway, S.C.
- Stevenson, K.R. and Pellicer, L. (May 1993). Educational specifications: Horry County High Schools. Technical report for the Horry County School District, Conway, S.C.
- Stevenson, K.R. and Pellicer, L. (May 1993). Educational specifications: Horry County Middle Schools Technical report for the Horry County School District, Conway, S.C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (February, 1992). Five year comprehensive facilities plan for The Greenville County School District. Technical report for the Citizens' Steering Committee, Greenville, S. C.
- Pellicer, L. O. and Stevenson, K. (November 1990). Study of the educational feasibility of consolidating two high schools. Technical report for Dorchester School District Four, St. George, S. C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (September, 1990). Five year comprehensive facilities plan for Clover School District II. Technical report for Clover School Board. Clover, S. C.

Work prior to 1990 includes facilities studies nearly two dozen school districts in South Carolina, plus facilities planning work and reports involving several dozen Florida schools and school systems while employed by the Florida Department of Education.

### **TECHNICAL REPORTS – Technology Related (past 10 years)**

- Stevenson, K. R. (2002/2003). Evaluation report - Year 3: Schoolbook Laptop Project. Technical report for the Central Liverpool School Board, Liverpool, New York.
- Stevenson, K. R. (2001/2002 – continuing for year 3). Evaluation report - Year 2: Schoolbook Laptop project. Technical report for the Central Liverpool School Board, Liverpool, New York.
- Stevenson, K. R. (2000/2001). Evaluation report - Year 1: Schoolbook laptop project. Technical report for the Central Liverpool School Board, Liverpool, New York.
- Stevenson, K. R. (2000). Evaluation report - Year 4: Schoolbook laptop project. Technical report for the Beaufort County School Board, Beaufort, S.C.
- Stevenson, K. R. (1999). Evaluation report - Year 3: Schoolbook laptop project. Technical report for the Beaufort County School Board, Beaufort, S.C.
- Stevenson, K. R. (1999). Evaluation report - Year 1: Netschools laptop project: Hancock High School. Technical report for the Hancock County School Board, Kiln, Mississippi.
- Stevenson, K. R. (1999). Evaluation report - Year 1: Netschools laptop project: Townes Middle School. Technical report for the Townes County School Board, Hiawassi, Georgia.
- Stevenson, K. R. (1998). Evaluation report - Year 2: Schoolbook laptop project. Technical report for the Beaufort County School Board, Beaufort, S.C.
- Stevenson, K. R. (1997). Evaluation report - Year 1: Schoolbook laptop project. Technical report for the Beaufort County School Board, Beaufort, S.C.

### **TECHNICAL REPORTS - Other (since 1990)**

- Stevenson, K. R. (2007). Study of Ten & Fifteen Year Student Population Trends. Technical report for the Glynn County School District School Board, Brunswick, Ga.
- Stevenson, K. R., & Thompson, C. (2006). Final Evaluation Report: TECH Team Program. Technical report for South Carolina Educational Television, Columbia, S.C.

- Stevenson, K. R. (2005). Educational facilities in the context of a changing 21<sup>st</sup> century America. Technical report for the South Carolina Educational Oversight Committee, Columbia, S.C.
- Stevenson, K. R. (2005). Teacher Quality Enhancement Program Summative Program Evaluation. Technical report for the College of Education, University of South Carolina, Columbia, S.C.
- Stevenson, K. R., and Cox, E. P. (2004). Management study of the administrative staffing and organizational structure of Spartanburg School District Seven. Technical report for the School Board of Spartanburg School District Seven, Spartanburg, S.C.
- Stevenson, K. (2002, ongoing). Study of the Effectiveness of the NSG Grant, TECH Program, at South Carolina Educational Television, Columbia, S. C.
- Stevenson, K. (2001). Study of the relationship of school facilities conditions to student outcomes. Technical Report for the S.C. Education Oversight Committee, State of South Carolina, Columbia, S.C.
- Stevenson, K. (2000). Review of research and related literature on the relationship of school facilities and student outcomes. Technical Report for the S.C. Education Oversight Committee, State of South Carolina, Columbia, S.C.
- Stevenson, K. (2000). Evaluation Report, Year 1: USC Teacher Quality Grant Project. Technical Report for the College of Education, Department of Instruction and Teaching, University of South Carolina, Columbia, S.C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L .O. (1999). Position classification and compensation study: Administrative, classified employees, and teachers. Technical report for the Anderson School District five, Anderson, S. C.
- Pellicer, L. O., Stevenson, K. R., and Tetreault, D. (1998). Study of the feasibility of deconsolidation of Moultrie and St. James-Santee Constituent Districts of the Charleston County School District. Technical report for the Town of Mt. Pleasant, Mt. Pleasant, S.C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L .O. (1994). Position classification and compensation study: Administrative and classified employees, and teachers. Technical report for the Lancaster School District, Lancaster, S. C.
- Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L .O. (1993). Position classification and compensation study: Administrative and classified employees. Technical report for the Newberry County School District, Newberry, S. C.

Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (1992). Position classification and compensation study: Administrative and supervisory employees. Technical report for Anderson School District Five, Anderson, S. C.

Pellicer, L. O. and Stevenson, K. R. (1992). Position classification and compensation study: Administrative and supervisory employees. Technical report for Dorchester School District Two, Summerville, S. C.

Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (1991). Position classification and compensation study: Classified employees. Technical report for the School District of Fairfield County, Winnsboro, S. C.

Stevenson, K. R. and Pellicer, L. O. (1991). Position classification and compensation study: Administrative and supervisory employees. Technical report for the School District of Fairfield County, Winnsboro, S. C.

### **PRESENTATIONS/SESSIONS AT CONFERENCES**

Planning for schools of tomorrow. Lexington School District 1 Citizens Facilities Advisory Committee, Lexington, S.C., June 10, 2003.

Trends affecting the future of education in the United States. Jamestown/Williamsburg Education Consortium, Keynote, Williamsburg, Va., May 12, 2003.

Future School Possibilities and Considerations: What will Education Look Like during the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. University of Delaware Institute for Public Administration, Keynote, Lewes, Del., March 20, 2003.

Planning for schools of tomorrow. South Carolina School Boards Association, Hilton Head, S.C., February 14, 2003.

Trends affecting the future of education in the United States. La Verne University Winter Doctoral Seminar, Keynote, La Verne, CA., January 18, 2003.

Planning for school facilities of the future. South Carolina School Boards Association, Pawleys Island, S.C., July, 2002.

Critical issues in planning school facilities. South Carolina School Boards Association, Charleston, S.C., July 15, 2001.

Use of laptops in middle schools: A four year case study of the Beaufort County School Districts middle school laptop program. National Education Computer Conference, Chicago, Ill., June 24, 2001.

Schools and classrooms of the 21<sup>st</sup> century. Illinois Association of School Business Officials, Chicago, Ill. (March 9, 2001)

Use of laptops in middle schools: A case study of the Beaufort County School District 's middle school laptop program. Microsoft Anytime/Anywhere Conference, Seattle, 2000.

Planning and financing your building program. South Carolina School Board Association School Finance Workshop, Charleston, S.C., 2000.

Writing for professional publications. Association of School Business Officials Annual Conference, Orlando, Florida, 1999.

What colleges and universities can do to improve education. American Association of University Women State Legislative Day Conference, Columbia, S.C., 1999.

Using asynchronous learning and technology to deliver a graduate course. Southern Region Higher Education Continuous Education Association Conference, Columbia, S.C., 1999.

The Editorial Advisory Committee of ASBO - What it is, and how new ASBO members may benefit. Association of School Business Officials Annual Conference, San Antonio, Texas, 1998.

Planning and financing your building program (with Dr. Leonard Pellicer). South Carolina School Board Association School Finance Workshop, Myrtle Beach, S.C., 1997.

The results of a national study of privatization in school districts. Association of School Business Officials Annual Conference, Vancouver, Canada, 1997.

Distance education as a vehicle for instructional delivery. The Technology and Government Executive Conference sponsored by the State Budget and Control Board, Columbia, S.C., 1997.

Professional writing. An in depth look at how to do it correctly (half-day workshop). Association of School Business Officials Annual Conference, Boston, Mass., 1995.

### **GRANTS (Recent) - PI**

- 2005/ PI: Production of a white paper on the relationship between changing demographic  
2006 trends and the future of education – with an emphasis on school facilities, commissioned  
by the S.C. Educational Oversight Committee.  
(\$19,000, funded by the S.C. Educational Oversight Committee)
- 2002/ PI: Three year study of the effectiveness of the SCETV's TECH Program,  
2006 a program to prepare middle school females for the world of technology.  
(\$119,000, SCETV funded by NSF, USC evaluation funded by SCETV)
- 2000/ PI: Two year study of the relationship of school facilities and student  
2001 outcomes, commissioned by the S.C. Educational Oversight Committee.  
(\$25,000, funded by the S.C. Educational Oversight Committee)
- 1997/ PI: Four year evaluation of middle school laptop in the Beaufort County School District,  
2000 Beaufort, S. C. (\$40,000 funded by the school district)

### **GRANTS (Recent) - Research Team Member**

- 2000/ Team Member: USC School of Public Health, PA Policy Research Network –  
2007 Participating Center (\$180,000 for collaboration with other network centers to  
advance a physical activity policy research agenda, overall funding Centers for Disease  
Control of approximately \$180,000 - Dr. Delores Pluto as PI).
- 2000/ Project Evaluator: USC College of Education, Enhancement of Clinical Experiences in  
2005 Teacher Education Grant (\$120,000 for evaluation component, overall  
funding of approximately \$5 million from the U. S. Department of Education to Dr. Teri  
Kuhs as PI).

### **SERVICE - UNIVERSITY (Recent)**

- Chair, Department of Educational Leadership and Policies.  
College of Education, 2006-ongoing.
- Chair, QCOMM Committee (Program Quality Assurance)  
College of Education, 2006-ongoing.
- Member, USC University Committee on Tenure and Promotion, 2004-2006.
- Program Coordinator, CD-12 Educational Administration Program,  
College of Education, University of South Carolina, 2004-2006.



Member, USC Committee for evaluation of COE Dean, 2005/2006.

Member, COE Faculty Affairs Committee, 2004-ongoing.

Chair, College of Education Basic Programs Curriculum Committee, 2004-2005.

Chair, Department of Educational Leadership and Policies, 2000 - 2002.

Chair, USC Provost ' s BellSouth Innovative Teaching through Technology Grant Committee, 1995- 2000.

Member, USC Graduate Dean ' s Faculty Advisory Committee, 2000-2003.

Chair, USC Graduate Council ' s Liberal Arts and Education Curriculum Review Committee, 2000-2004.

Member, USC Graduate Council, 2001- 2004.

Interim Chair, Department of Educational Leadership and Policies, 1999-2000.

Chair, USC SPAR, Research and Productive Scholarship Committee (Category 2), 1997-1999.  
(member from 1995)

Member, University SACs Self-Study Committee on Distant Learning and Regional Campuses, 1999- 2001.

Member, University Distance Education Committee, 1998-2004.

Member (and past chair), COE Advanced Programs Governance Committee, 1995- 2000.

Member, COE Dean ' s Search Committee, 1997-1998.

Member, various EDLP governance committees (program, degree governance, T&P)

Presenter, Distance Education Faculty Workshops on Using Technology in teaching, 1996, 1998, 1999.

### **SERVICE - OTHER (Recent)**

Member, Professional Standards Committee, Association of School Business Officials, 2000 – 2004.

Co-chair, Editorial Advisory Committee, Association of School Business Officials, 1995- 2000.

Member, Executive Board of the South Carolina Association of Elementary School Principals Association, 1995-1999 (18 years total on board).

Member, Board of Examiners, National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE), 1989-1998 (led teams or was member on accreditation site visits to such higher education institutions as William and Mary, University of Maryland, Sam Houston State University, Arkansas State University, Kent State University, University of Mississippi, etc.)

Chair, Carolina First Palmetto 's Finest Committee, a state-wide school recognition program co-sponsored by the Carolina First Banks and the South Carolina School Administrators ' Association, 1982-1999 (chaired for 17 years).

### **TEACHING/DOCTORAL DIRECTION (Recent)**

#### **Courses Taught (1995-2006):**

EDLP 700 Introduction to Educational Administration  
EDLP 723 Curriculum  
EDLP 735 Organizational Change in Education  
EDLP 758 School Building Planning  
EDLP 806 Theories of Educational Leadership  
EDUC 899 Dissertation Preparation, Proposal Development

#### **Teaching - Special Activities (1995-2006)**

Developed both EDLP 700 and EDLP 758 into courses presented via live Distance Education broadcasts.

Further developed EDLP 758 into an asynchronous instructional delivery course using CD with video and audio components, email, and field based activities. This is the first course at USC to use this format.

Further co-developed EDLP 700 into an asynchronous instructional delivery course with course content housed on a server and student activities guided by projects and tasks available through Blackboard, the USC electronic instructional support system. Course is presently being pilot-tested.

## **Research Supervision (USC 1995-2006) - Doctoral Dissertations Directed**

- Blackmon, D. W. (2000). *A study of organizational characteristics of South Carolina School districts and the relationship of structure to school district outcomes.*
- Bowers, B. F. (1996). *A study of the demographic characteristics, job responsibilities, and career aspirations of middle school assistant principals in South Carolina.*
- Brackett, V. S. S. (1997). *The South Carolina district strategic and school renewal planning process in selected districts and schools.*
- Bricker, J. B. (1991). *A descriptive study of the demographic characteristics, perceived job responsibilities, and career aspirations of secondary school assistant principals in South Carolina.*
- Burbage, T. B. (1990). *A study of the use of personal traits in teacher selection as perceived by South Carolina secondary public school principals.*
- Byo, Y. (1987). *An analysis of the personnel practices of a Christian education organization in Nigeria.*
- Carpenter, C. A. (2006). *The relationship of public elementary school size, student achievement, and per pupil expenditures in South Carolina.*
- Cartee, H. H. (1992). *A study of teacher stress in two selected South Carolina school districts.*
- Christopher, W. R. (1984). *A study of the relationship of freshman college grades of students who graduate from Southern Association accredited high schools and those who graduate from non-Southern Association accredited high schools in South Carolina.*
- Craven, L. L. (1989). *The supply and demand trends of public secondary school administrators in South Carolina from 1978 through 2002.*
- Crumpton, S. L. (1989). *The importance of the National Association of Secondary School Principals Assessment Center Report to the appointment of public school principals in South Carolina as perceived by superintendents and first-time principals.*
- Culler, J. C., Jr. (1998). *Year-round high schools and dropouts: Does the calendar make a difference?*
- Duncan, L. H. (1994). *National Education Goal #4: Is Georgia's teaching force adequate?*
- Durbin, M. K. (2001). *The relationship of high school size, student achievement, and per pupil expenditures in South Carolina.*

- Eldridge, D. T. (1997). *Factors that affect the adoption of computer technologies for learning in selected public elementary schools (K-5) in South Carolina.*
- Floyd, J. C. (1986). *Study of the South Carolina Superintendency: Persons and positions.*
- Garris, J. M. ((1994). *Financial efficiency and equity in public education: Can we have both?*
- Gettys, J. (2003). *The effect of school size on school climate n the middle schools of South Carolina.*
- Hardee, B. T. (1998). *An analysis of the perceptions of parents and teachers of the importance of four types of parent involvement in the educational process of students.*
- Harris, H. D. (1987) *A study to develop a representative composite of the assistant superintendency in South Carolina public schools.*
- Holladay, A.B. (1996). *MORE THAN MANNERS: A study of private female education in South Carolina from 1830 to 1880.*
- Holloman, H. L. (1998). *Factors related to burnout in first-year teachers in South Carolina.*
- Jackson, S. M. (2001). *Bethune High School: As seen through the eyes of former students and teachers.*
- Jordan, J. W. (1992). *Principals' perceptions of South Carolina secondary school support staff allocations.*
- Kaczor, J. (2006). *A study of student achievement and school climate and their respective relationships to middle school size within four poverty strata in South Carolina.*
- Kukulka, D. W. (1987). *Reducing occupational stress: Can teachers' professional attitudes and self-esteem be improved by training them to more effectively meet the parents of their students at parent/teacher conferences?*
- Laughinghouse, E. L. (1992). *A study of members' opinions of the effectiveness of the South Carolina Association of School Administrators.*
- Lee, P. A. (2005). *The relationship between school district funding and student achievement in the public school districts of South Carolina.*
- Lowery, E. (2005). *The relationship between the use of South Carolina retraining grant funds and student achievement as measured by changes in absolute scores in the South Carolina middle schools.*

- Mayo, J. C. (1995). *A quasi-experimental study comparing the achievement of primary grade students using Math Their Way with primary grade students using traditional instructional methods.*
- New, V. P. (1996). *A study of two of the first charter schools in Georgia: Implications for change.*
- Peake, K. (2001). *The effect of class size: A study of second and third grade student achievement in the School District of Greenville County, South Carolina.*
- Redinger, S. K. (1996). *An analysis of technological implementation in selected South Carolina public schools: Case studies in change and decision-making.*
- Reeves, W. S., Jr. (1997). *Principals' perceptions of the adequacy of instructional technology in Georgia public high schools.*
- Roberts, J. (2002). *A study of the relationship of middle school size to student outcome measures.*
- Smith, C. L. (1993). *Desired characteristics and competencies of teacher aides in South Carolina middle schools.*
- Smith, F. (2001). *Local and cosmopolitan orientations and patterns of succession of Georgia's school superintendents.*
- Steiner, S. L. K. (1986). *Qualitative analysis of experienced teachers' conceptualizations of the use of effective teaching practices with reduced class size.*
- Tobin, W. (2005). *An analysis of the attributes/factors that attract high school assistant principals in South Carolina to the principalship.*
- Wallace, A. F. (1994). *Student perceptions of the school learning environment.*
- Watson, I. (2005). *A comparative analysis of the principal and law enforcement perceptions regarding the level of gang activity in South Carolina public high schools and their relationship to school performance.*
- Weekes, L. M. (1989). *An investigation of elementary student performance as it relates to two models of gifted education.*
- White, S. (2005). *The relationship of school size and school climate in public elementary schools in South Carolina.*

## **PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION**

Presented the Certificate of Leadership in School Design in 2006 by the American Architectural Foundation for participation in the Great Schools by Design initiative.

Post-Tenure Fifth-Year Review: 2006. Rated as "Superior" in overall performance by a multi-department committee of University of South Carolina full professors.

Presented a Distinguished Service Recognition Award by the Association of School Business Officials, International in 2002 for dedication and leadership to The Professional Standards Committee of the association.

Recognized by the Association of School Business Officials, International in 2000 for dedicated efforts and achievement while serving as a committee member of the association's editorial board.

Recognized by separate resolutions in the South Carolina House of Representatives and the S.C. Senate in 1999 for contributions to public education resulting from chairing the Carolina First Palmetto's Finest Awards process for seventeen years.

Post-Tenure Sixth-Year Review: 1999. Rated as "Superior" in overall performance by a multi-department committee of University of South Carolina full professors.

## **INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Philippines, INNOTECH, Program Development, Leadership Preparation

Zaire (Congo), American International School, Program and Facilities Evaluation

South Africa, Teaching, University of Durbin-Westville

South Africa, TOPS, Principal Development Program

Pakistan, American International School, Program and Facilities Evaluation