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Objective:

To make a positive difference in the learning and lives of teachers and learners. To improve the relationships between teaching, learning, curriculum and technology. To provide leadership and service to the educational community.

Education:

My Master of Science in Educational Computing is from Pepperdine University, and my Bachelor of Science in Psychology is from the University of California – Los Angeles. My teaching credential is from UCLA.

Summary of Qualifications:

With extensive experience in education, at levels from the K-12 classroom to university classrooms and private industry as well as in the non-profit world, I have the necessary skills and experience to share realistic strategies and visions with a broad perspective. Responsibilities and accomplishments throughout my career include:

- Designing and leading practical, but cutting-edge, curriculum-based courses/classes for educators.
 - Community leader for online teaching communities.
 - Leading a professional development and curriculum development company
 - Teaching in classrooms from K-8 and college as well as working on a high school campus for 1 year
 - Leading professional development in using technology to enhance learning in early learning settings
 - Teaching courses at the university level for teachers of middle school and high school
 - Working as a mentor & teachers' coach at inner city, isolated rural, and suburban schools
 - Leading workshops and training for a variety of private and non-profit organizations
 - Serving on the Board of Directors of a large non-profit Educational Technology Organization (CUE CA)
 - Providing online training, webinars, mentoring and support for professional growth of educators
 - Establishing and supporting a website for Early Learning Teaching Professionals (10,000+ visits/month)
 - Serving as advisor and writer for curriculum-rich software development
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Keynote & Featured Presentations:

2008 – Keynote: Southeast Regional Professional Development 4th Annual Technology Conference
2008 & 2009 – Featured Speaker: Florida Educational Technology Conference (FETC)
2008 – Keynote Speaker: Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI)
2007 & 2008 – Invited Speaker: Midwest Education Technology Conference (METC)
2006 - 2009 – Spotlight Speaker: National Educational Computer Conference (NECC)
2004, 2007 and 2008 – Featured Speaker: Georgia Educational Technology Conference (GAetc)
2006 – Featured: Northwest Council for Computers in Education Conference (NCCE)
2006 – Keynote: Illinois Computing Educators Conference (IL ICE)
2005 & 2006 – Invited Speaker: Tech Room, National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC)
2005 – Keynote: Nebraska Educational Technology Association Annual Conference (NETA)
2004 & 2005 – Invited Speaker: Michigan Technology in Education Conference (MACUL)
2003/4 – Featured Speaker: Classroom Connect Conference Series (9 city tour)
2002 – Keynote: AADES – South Australia Biennial Conference on Distance Learning, Adelaide Australia

Recent Honors:

2006 – *Trainer of the Year*, Texas Association for the Education of Young Children (TexasAEYC)
2006 – *Trainer of the Year*, Gulf Coast Association for the Education of Young Children (GCAEYC)
2004 - 2006 – *NECC Best of the Best*, Workshops at NECC

Publications:

January 2008 “Reading in the Content Areas”, *Leadership Compass*, Volume 6, Issue 1, NAESP
September 2006 “Ideas for Using Digital Cameras in the Classroom”, *The Nautilus*, Volume III, Issue 4
2002 – 2004 Software Editor, *Learning and Leading with Technology* Vol. 30-31, ISTE

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Teaching Experience:

UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON, Houston, Texas	2004 - 2005
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Adjunct Professor, Technology for Adolescents (CUIN 3313)</i>	
PEPPERDINE UNIVERSITY, Los Angeles, CA	1987 - 1988, 1994 - 2000
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Adjunct Professor, Visiting Scholar</i>	
ALHAMBRA MODEL TECHNOLOGY SCHOOLS PROJECT, Alhambra, CA	1987 - 1990
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Site Coordinator – leading \$700,000 yearly budget and program</i>	
ALHAMBRA SCHOOL DISTRICT, Alhambra, CA	1986 - 1987
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Special Assignment Teacher – leadership role in developing new district programs</i>	
LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT, Los Angeles, CA	1985 - 1986
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Mentor Teacher – provide leadership to developing teachers</i>	
VAN NESS AVENUE SCHOOL, Los Angeles USD, Los Angeles, CA	1982 - 1986
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Elementary School Teacher</i>	
NEW RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, Norwalk, CA	1980 - 1982
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Elementary School Teacher</i>	

Consultation Experience:

LOVELY AND ASSOCIATES, Friendswood, TX	1995 - present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Founder, President – consulting and providing leadership to schools and businesses around the world with an emphasis on making wise educational choices and providing powerful learning experiences – including training, planning, leadership and support as well as curriculum tools and product consultation both online and face-to-face. Clients include PBS, Escambia County Florida, ISTE, Kansas City Schools, Tata Interactive, Harcourt, Classroom Connect, and many more school systems, districts and companies.</i>	
CLASSROOM CONNECT, INC., Brisbane, California	1998 - 2001
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Senior Education Strategist – provide direction, insight and leadership to an internet education company</i>	
NETSCHOOLS, INC., Atlanta, Georgia	1997 - 1998
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Implementation Specialist – lead integration and implementation of \$1 million project</i>	
EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY PROJECTS, Galef Institute, Los Angeles, California	1996 - 1997
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Director – lead the development and implementation of new projects for non-profit organization</i>	

Leadership Experience:

LOVELY AND ASSOCIATES, Friendswood, TX	1995 - present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Provide professional development, materials/curriculum development and ongoing support</i>• <i>Provide mentoring, online coaching and teaching for ISTE Institutes in TX and IL and onsite in LA</i>• <i>Lead webinars for Pennsylvania Keystone Project and ISTE</i>• <i>Provide marketing, product development and refinement, and project management consultation and support to publishers and others in the K-12 arena</i>	
CLASSROOM CONNECT, INC., Brisbane, California	1998 - 2001
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Established the Internet Educator of the Year Program and administered the program for 2 years</i>• <i>Provided educational perspective and guidance to product development and sales and marketing teams</i>	
SCHOLASTIC, INC., New York, New York	1998
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Established the first international Early Learning and Technology Online Community</i>	
COMPUTER USING EDUCATORS, California	1995-1998
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Served 3 years on the Board of Directors of CUE – providing insight and leadership to the organization</i>	
MOD TECH REGIONAL CONSORTIUM, California Technology Project	1988-1993
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Lead a grass roots organization of educators, provided 5 day leadership academies</i>• <i>Managed budget, provided direction and leadership to grow the organization</i>	

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Selected References

Additional References Available upon Request

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Mr. Rem Jackson

*Former Vice President of Classroom Connect
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Ms. Jennifer Wagner

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