Professional Activities 2009-2010

Faculty of the
Division of Teacher Education

Western Oregon University

on the move
Publications


**Presentations**

**International and National**


**Cáceda, C.** (2009). *Technology and content in the higher education syllabus*. Centro de Idiomas de la Universidad Agraria, La Molina, Lima, Peru.


**Girod, M., & Wojcikiewicz, S.** (2010). *Using teacher work samples to substantiate teacher candidate impact on student learning*. Invited presentation at the 2010 Winter Conference for Teacher Education Council of State Colleges and Universities (TECSCU), Atlanta, Georgia.

**Girod, M., & Wojcikiewicz, S.** (2010). *Overcoming barriers to teaching and learning for powerful experiences*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Association for Colleges of Teacher Education. Atlanta, GA.

**Girod, M., & Twyman, T.** (2010). *Analysis of evidence connecting teaching and learning using teacher work sampling*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Association for Colleges of Teacher Education. Atlanta, GA.


Presentations
State and Local


Cáceda, C. (2009). *International experiences that enrich our teaching and scholarship*. Sponsored by the International Education & Services Committee. (November, 2009), Western Oregon University, Monmouth, OR.


Mize, K. (2010). *A guide to teacher education for transfer students*. Invited by Paula Hamm to present in Introduction to Education, Clackamas Community College, Clackamas, Oregon


Reynolds, M., Oregon AEYC Early Childhood University Partners Articulation Summit, April 23, 2010, Springfield, OR


Smiles, T. (2010). *Teacher work sample as a frame for action research*. Presentation at the Annual West Regional Conference of the International Reading Association, Portland, OR.

Wojcikiewicz, S. K. (2009). *Is consciousness all in the head?* Invited panelist at the Western Oregon University Phi Kappa Phi Forum on Consciousness, Monmouth, OR.
External Grants and Contracts

Gwenda Rice, Oregon Community Foundation (OCF), $300,000 to create a Spanish Language version of the Student Atlas of Oregon.

Western Oregon University Grants

Faculty Development, Category I and II, Professional Travel

- Mary Bucy
- Carmen Cáceda
- Maria Dantas-Whitney
- Rachel Harrington
- Chloë Hughes
- Marie LeJeune
- Karie Mize (2x)
- Mary Reynolds
- Gwenda Rice
- Adele Schepige (2x)
- Tracy Smiles
- Steve Wojcikiewicz
- Dana Ulveland

Faculty Development – Category III, Research

- Wangeci Gatimu
- Mary Reynolds
- Dana Ulveland

Faculty Development – Category IV, Re-assignment for Scholarship

- Carmen Cáceda
- Steve Wojcikiewicz
Service to the Profession

Mary Bucy
- Member, Teaching and Learning Strand Planning Committee, *Western Cooperative on Educational Telecommunications* annual conference
- Chair, *Western Cooperative on Educational Telecommunications* Academy Book Club organizing committee
- Member, International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE)
- Member, ISTE’s SIGTE (teacher education special interest group)

Carmen Cáceda
- Member, *Oregon Association of Teacher Educators* annual conference
- Member, *Oregon Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages*
- Member, *Oregon Association of Bilingual Teachers*
- Member, *American Educational Research Association*
- Member, *American Educational Research Association’s* Teaching and TE
- Member, *Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages*
- Member, *American Association of Applied Linguistics*
- Member, *International Association of Teachers of English as a Foreign Language*
- Editorial Committee Member of *Profile: Issues on teachers’ professional development*, published in Colombia.

Maria Dantas-Whitney
- Member, Educational Testing Service (ETS) TOEFL Grants and Awards Committee
- Member, Board of Directors, International Symposium of Ethnographic Encounters with Children and Adolescents in Educational Contexts
- Reviewer, *Encyclopedia of Applied Linguistics*
- Reviewer, *Mextesol Journal*
- Reviewer, *ORTESOL Journal*

M. Wangeci Gatimu
- Member, WOU African Studies Scholar
- Member, African Studies Consortium
- Member, American Educational Research Association
- Member SIG African – Caribbean Research
- Member, Kenya Heads Association
- Reviewer, International Journal of Educational Research

Mark Girod
- Board of Directors, *Oregon Small Schools Association (OSSA)*
- Board of Directors, *Oregon Association of Teacher Educators*
- Board of Directors, *Oregon Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development*
- Co-Director, Winter Conference, *Oregon Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development*
- Director, Santiam Region, *Oregon Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development*
• Member, Editorial Board, THEN: Technology, Humanities, Education, & Narrative
• Reviewer, Action in Teacher Education
• Reviewer, American Educational Research Journal

Rachel Harrington
• Member, Association of Mathematics Teacher Educators
• Member, Oregon Council of Teachers of Mathematics
• Member, Teacher of Teacher of Mathematics
• Presenter, Western Oregon University College of Education Brown Bag Lecture Series, Monmouth, OR.
• Reviewer, Society for Information Technology in Teacher Education, conference proposals
• Reviewer, Association of Mathematics Teacher Educators, conference proposals
• Coordinator, Mathematics Education Book Club

Chloë Hughes
• Member, Mid Valley Reading Council
• Member, International Reading Association
• Member planning committee, Oregon NAME Conference 2010

Marie LeJeune
• Member, Capital Reading Council
• Executive Board, Capital Reading Council
• Member, Oregon Reading Association
• Member, American Educational Research Association
• Member, American Educational Research Association’s Literature SIG
• Member, Children’s Literature Association
• Member, National Council of Teachers of English
• Member, National Reading Conference
• Member, National Women’s Studies Association
• Editorial Review Board (Guest), Journal of Adolescent and Adult Literacy.
• Reviewer, National Reading Conference Proposals for 2010 Conference
• Member, International Reading Association
• Member, International Reading Association’s Literature SIG
• Reviewer, International Reading Association Conference Proposals for 2009 Conference

Judy Lowery
• Chair, Distinguished Teacher Awards - K-12, NCGE
• Member, Local Planning Committee, NCGE 2011 national conference
• Member, Oregon Geographic Alliance
• Organizer, Oregon Council for Social Studies state conference

Karie Mize
• Member, Chemeketa’s Speech-Language Pathology (SLPA) Advisory Committee
• Member, Oregon Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages (ORTESOL)
• Member, University Continuing Education Association (UCES)
- Member, Mexican Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages (MexTESOL) Chapter, Morelia, Mexico
- Reviewer, National Association of Multicultural Education (NAME)

Mary Reynolds
- Member, Oregon Association for the Education of Young Children
- Member, University Partners for Early Childhood/Community College Articulation.
- Member, National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC)
- Member, National Association of Early Childhood Teacher Educators (NAECTE)
- Institutional Representative, American Association for Colleges of Teacher Education (AACTE)

Gwenda Rice
- Member, Social Science Advisory Committee, The College Board
- Co-Chair, Local Arrangements Committee, 2011 National Conference on Geography Education
- Member, Editorial Board, *The Geography Teacher*.
- Chair, NCGE Mentor Award Committee
- Co-Coordinator, Oregon Geographic Alliance
- Editor, OGA Newsletter, GEOBYTES
- Member, Oregon Social Science Content Panel
- Member, Association of American Geographers (AAG)
- Member, National Council for Geographic Education (NCGE)
- Member, The Geographical Association, UK (GA)
- Member, National Council for Social Studies (NCSS)
- Member, Oregon Council for Social Studies (OCSS)

Adele Schepige
- U.S. Partner Coordinator, Oregon GLOBE (Global Learning and Observations to Benefit the Environment)
- Member, Environmental Education Committee, Association of Science Teacher Educators
- Proposal reviewer, Association of Science Teacher Education annual meeting
- Member, Oregon Forestry Resources Institute, Forestry Education Conceptual Framework Team
- Oregon Coordinator, Project WET
- Member, Dallas High School Site Council

Tracy Smiles
- President of the Oregon Association of Teacher Educators (ORATE)
- Member, NCTE/CLA (National Council of Teacher’s of English/Children’s Literature Assembly) Notable Children’s Books in the Language Arts Selection Committee.
- Book Reviewer, WOW: International Collection of Children’s and Adolescent Literature
- Board of Advisors, WOW: International Collection of Children’s and Adolescent Literature.

Dana Ulveland
- Member, Board of Directors, the International Society for Phenomenology and Media
- Member, Editorial Review Board, *Journal of Research on Computing in Education*
Steve Wojcikiewicz
- Member, American Educational Research Association
- Member, John Dewey Society Special Interest Group, American Educational Research Association
- Member, Out-of-School Time Special Interest Group, American Educational Research Association
- Member, Task Force on Education Career Preparation and Development, established by Oregon House Bill 3619 in the 2010 special session – joint appointment through ODE, OUS, and TSPC
- Volunteer/consultant, *Sound Experience* non-profit experiential education program, Port Townsend, WA
Service to Western Oregon University

Mary Bucy

- Chair, Graduate Studies Committee, WOU
- Chair, Online Learning Task Force, WOU
- Coordinator, MSEd Information Technology program, COE
- Coordinator, Ed Media Endorsement program, COE
- Member, Personnel Review Committee, DTE
- Member, Steering Committee, DTE
- Chair, Master’s Thesis Committee, Bill Hamlin, DTE
- Chair, Master's Thesis Committee, Claire Carpenter, DTE
- Member, Master’s Thesis Committee, Eryn Willow, DTE
- Faculty Sponsor for College of Education student for Academic Excellence Showcase: Bill Hamlin
- Faculty Sponsor for College of Education student for Academic Excellence Showcase: Linda Spaulding
- Member, Search Committee, Graduate Advisor, COE

Carmen Cáceda

- Faculty Sponsor for Mallory Migliaccio, Academic Excellence Showcase, WOU
- Exhibitor, 20th Annual Cesar Chavez Leadership Institute, Bilingual Teacher Program, WOU
- Provided translation services for faculty research projects, COE
- Member, Thesis Committee, Nancy Hardekopf, DTE
- Designer, “Pláticas” sessions for prospective bilingual teachers, DTE

Maria Dantas-Whitney

- Member, WOU Faculty Development Committee
- Member, Diversity Committee, COE
- Member, Search Committee for Visiting Professor in Literacy
- Member, Steering Committee, DTE
- Member, Budget Committee, DTE
- Coordinator, ESOL and Bilingual/ESOL Endorsement Programs
- Peer Mentoring Program, Mentor for Carmen Caceda
- Chair, Thesis Committee, Sheri Wardlaw, DTE
- Member, Thesis Committee, Karina Morales, DTE
- Presenter, Western Oregon University College of Education Brown Bag Lecture Series, Monmouth, OR. Presentation title: A View of the Educational Landscape of Oaxaca, Mexico.
- Presenter, Informational session about WOU graduate programs at Linfield College, McMinville, OR.

Sue Dauer

- Faculty Senator, WOU
- Chair, Personnel Review Committee, DTE
- Member, Graduate Committee, DTE
- Literacy Expert, NASA Grant on Climate Change

Chloë Hughes
• Member, Academic Infrastructure Committee, WOU
• Member, Ad-Hoc Committee on Campus Wide Diversity Forum, WOU
• Co-chair, James W. Gallagher Scholarship committee, WOU
• Chair, Diversity Committee, COE
• Member, Curriculum Committee, DTE
• Member, Budget Committee, DTE
• Member, Visiting Assistant Professor of Literacy Search Committee, DTE
• Team Leader, DTE

M. Wangeci Gatimu
• Member, Steering Committee, DTE
• Ex-officio Member Admissions Committee DTE
• Ex-Officio Member Division Graduate Committee DTE
• Member, Graduate Studies Committee WOU
• Facilitator, “First Tuesday Information Nights”, DTE
• Member and former Chair Diversity Committee, COE
• Coordinator, Masters of Arts in Teaching DTE

Mark Girod
• Member, Committee on Committees, Faculty Senate, WOU
• Faculty Advisor, Student Club, Forgotten People Foundation, WOU
• Member, Faculty Senate Executive Committee, WOU
• Public Relations Officer, Western Oregon University chapter of Phi Kappa Phi, WOU
• Member, College of Education Assessment Council, COE
• Chair, Division of Teacher Education, DTE
• Faculty Co-Advisor, Student Chapter, ASCD, DTE
• Executive Director, Forgotten People Foundation

Rachel Harrington
• Member, International Education Services Committee, WOU
• Member, Joint Committee on Evaluations, WOU
• Chair, Undergraduate Honors Thesis, Stephanie Shields, WOU
• Member, Thesis Committee, Karina Morales, DTE
• Member, TWS and Assessment Committee, DTE
• Math Specialist, CBEST Test Preparation, DTE

Marie LeJeune
• Member, Senate Graduate Committee, WOU
• Member, Senate Graduate Petitions Committee, WOU
• Chair, Senate Graduate Subcommittee on Thesis Guidelines, WOU
• Faculty Sponsor for College of Education student for Academic Excellence Showcase: Karina Morales Vasquez, WOU
• MSEd Coordinator, COE
• Member, Division of Teacher Education Steering Committee, COE
• Member, Division of Teacher Education Graduate Committee, COE
• Member, Division of Teacher Education Admissions Committee, COE
- Member, Division of Teacher Education Ad-Hoc Committee on Advising, COE
- Member, Search Committee, Graduate Advisor, COE
- Member, Search Committee, Literacy Search, COE
- Chair, Master’s Committee, Beth Frohmader, COE
- Chair, Master’s Committee, Aileen Babcock, COE
- Chair, Master’s Committee, Lesley Tamura, COE
- Chair, Master’s Committee, Karina Morales Vasquez, COE
- Chair, Master’s Committee, Nancy Albritton, COE
- Chair, Master’s Committee, Kaye Vinson, COE
- Member, Master’s Committee, Nancy Hardekopf, COE
- Member, Master’s Committee, Emily Coe, COE
- Member, Master’s Committee, Michelle Setniker, COE
- Member, Master’s Committee, Ressi Miller, COE
- Member, Master’s Committee, Heather Anderson, COE
- Member, Master’s Committee, Eryn Willow, COE
- Member, Master’s Committee, Stacy Hampton, COE

**Judy Lowery**
- Team Leader, fall term, fall ’09 cohort, DTE
- Member, Grievance Committee, WOU

**Karie Mize**
- Member, Faculty Development Committee, WOU
- Faculty Advisor, Movimiento Estudiantil Chicano de Aztlán, WOU
- Founder and Faculty Advisor, ESOL Morelia Summer Program, WOU
- Sponsored Students’ Study Abroad Presentations: Spring, Fall 2009, Winter 2010, WOU
- Member, Diversity Committee, COE
- Coordinator, Bilingual Teacher Initiative, DTE
- Division Advising Liaison to AALC, DTE
- Chair, Master’s Committee, Byron Bethards, DTE
- Member, Master’s Committee, Korena Lund, DTE
- CTL Reader, Veronica Sótelo, Rafael Curiel and Virginia Oliveros, DTE

**Mary Reynolds**
- Member, Diversity Committee, COE
- Early Childhood Program/Early Intervention Planning Committee, COE
- Coordinator, Full-time Undergraduate/Post Baccalaureate Teacher Preparation Program for Initial Licensure, DTE
- Coordinator, Part-Time (DegreePlus) Teacher Preparation Program for Initial Licensure, DTE
- Member, Personnel Review Committee, DTE
- Member, Steering Committee, DTE
- Member, Curriculum Committee, DTE
- Member, Admissions Committee, DTE
- Advisor for all Early Childhood/Elementary Post Baccalaureate Students, DTE
- Team Leader for both Part-Time (DegreePlus) 2009 & 2010 Cohorts, DTE
- Facilitator, “First Tuesday Information Nights”, DTE
bullet Member, Master’s Thesis Committee: Aileen Babcock, DTE

Gwenda Rice
bullet Member, Student Awards Committee, WOU
bullet Organizer (with Bill Hamlin), DTE Academic Excellence Presentations, DTE
bullet Term II Team Leader, Winter 2010, DTE
bullet Term I Team Leader, Spring 2010, DTE
bullet Chair, Thesis Committee, June Satak, DTE
bullet Chair, Thesis Committee, Judi Mar-Zaleski, DTE
bullet Chair, Thesis Committee, Ashley Keulhwein, DTE
bullet Chair, Thesis Committee, Pamela Salmons, DTE
bullet Member, Thesis Committee, Sheri Wardlaw, DTE

Adele Schepige
bullet Chair, Thesis Committee, Beth Frohdmayer
bullet Member, Thesis Committee, Sheri Wardlaw

Tracy Smiles
bullet Chair, Thesis Committee, Heather Anderson, DTE
bullet Chair, Thesis Committee, Megan Antis, DTE
bullet Chair, Thesis Committee, Stacy Hampton, DTE
bullet Chair, Thesis Committee, Nancy Hardekopf, DTE
bullet Chair, Thesis Committee, Emily Coe, DTE
bullet Member, Thesis Committee, Michelle Setniker, DTE
bullet Member, Thesis Committee, Clinton Hilbadon, DTE

Steve Wojcikiewicz
bullet Member, Faculty Senate Curriculum Committee, WOU
bullet Member, Institutional Review Board, WOU
bullet Chair, Teacher Education Division Graduate Committee
bullet Member, College of Education Consortium
bullet Presenter, DTE Peer Mentoring Committee “Tips and Tea” mid-year social
bullet Interviewer, MAT program applicants, DTE
bullet Interviewer, undergraduate program applicants, DTE
bullet Reader, MAT and MSED comprehensive exams
bullet Participant, summer meetings on MAT program revisions
bullet Contributing reviewer, COE Field Experience Policies for Teacher Preparation
bullet AFT Steward, Division of Teacher Education, College of Education
bullet Member, AFT Collective Bargaining Team
bullet Invited attendee, AFT Oregon “Winter School,” Newport, OR
bullet Panel member, AFT Oregon and OSEA Candidate Interview process for legislative endorsements for Oregon House Districts 15 and 16 and Senate District 8
bullet Invited attendee and alternate delegate, AFT Oregon Annual Convention, Sunriver, OR
bullet Delegate, AFT National Convention, Seattle, WA

Dana Ulveland
- Member, Thesis Committee, Leslie Tamera
- Member, Thesis Committee, Clinton Hibden
- Member, Thesis Committee, Megan Antis
- Revised Policy Manual
- Peer Mentoring Committee
- Committee on Committees
- Curriculum Committee
- University PRC
- Senate Committee Member
Awards and Recognition

Girod, M. Mario and Alma Pastega Award for Excellence in Scholarship

Mize, K. Mario and Alma Pastega Award for Excellence in Teaching
Conferences and Workshops Organized

Girod, M. Co-chair, Winter Pre-service Teacher Conference, Oregon ASCD, Monmouth, OR.

Hughes, C. Conference Planning Committee Member, Oregon NAME Conference April 2010, Concordia University, Portland, OR.

Hughes, C. Geneva Gay Workshop April 2010, WOU, Monmouth, OR.

LeJeune, M., & Smiles, T. Creating spaces for meaningful and effective literacy instruction professional development series. Western Oregon University and Henry Hill Elementary School. Three separate sessions with nationally recognized literacy scholars.

Rice, G. Organizer, Oregon Geographic Alliance Annual Conference, March 2010, Portland State University, Portland, OR.

Rice, G., & Lowery, J. Professional Development Workshops across the state on the Student Atlas of Oregon in Enterprise, Eugene, Crater Lake, Banks, Silverton, Lebanon, Lakeview, and Salem. Workshops funded by the Oregon Community Foundation and National Geographic Education Foundation.

Smiles, T. Organizer, Oregon Association of Teacher Educators (ORATE) Thirteenth Annual Conference: Owning the Future through a Comprehensive Vision for Teacher Education March 5, 2010. Western Oregon University Monmouth, OR.