Professional Activities
2011-2012

Faculty of the
Special Education Division

Western Oregon University
Special Education Division

Professional Activities
July 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012

Publications –


Presentations Local & State–

Brownbridge, B., Pardew, M., & Bersani, H. (December 5, 2011). Recruitment Seminar at Werner University Center. 2.5-hour seminar for prospective students for 2012-14 cohort. WOU, Monmouth, OR.


Cancel, P. (2012). What is the Internet Saying About You? Western Oregon University Focus on Leadership Conference. Monmouth, OR.

**Pardew, M.** (September 24, 2011) *Presentation of Oregon ASD Commission Recommendations* presented to AFT Leadership Quarterly Meeting, Salem, Oregon.


**Smith, A.** (2011). Introduction to the demand control schema. Silent Weekend, Western Oregon University, Monmouth, OR.

**Hamlin, B., Harrington, R. & Smith, A.** (2011). Ipad show and tell. Western Oregon University, Monmouth, OR.


**Smith, A.** (2012). Professional supervision for interpreting practice. Supervision leader training. Western Oregon University, Monmouth, OR.


**Smith, J.A.** (September, 2011). Embracing the elephant in the room: Interviewing ideas for applicants who are deaf or hard of hearing. Northwest Training Forum on Employment for People who are Deaf, Deaf-Blind, or Hard of Hearing. Portland, Oregon.


**Presentations International & National**

**Davis, C.D.** (2011, October). *Hearing Loss and Communication Access.* Southeast Regional Institute on Deafness (SERID), Montgomery, AL.


Faculty Development – Category I & II, Professional Travel-

Cancel, P. Awarded $1200 for travel to CIT National Conference
Maroney, E. Awarded $1200 for travel to CIT National Conference
Ni, C. Faculty Development Fund, category I (Travel).

Faculty Development- Category III, Research

Scarlato, M. $2700 Grant (April 2012) for Production of Instructional Videos for Special Education Teacher Preparation.

Faculty Development- Category IV, Re-assignment for Scholarship

Brownbridge, R. Awarded for Spring 2012 – request approved for deferral to Fall 2012 due to death of Dr. Bersani and added responsibilities associated with his untimely death
Maroney, E. Awarded for spring 2013

Service to Profession

Brownbridge, R.

- Member, Higher Education Council for Special Educator
- Co-coordinator, Special Educator Program
- Council for Exception Children: Division of Teacher Education; Division of Learning Disabilities; Division of Behavior Disorders

Cancel, E.

- Taskforce member for the WRIEC’s Trilingual Interpreters Initiative
- Coordinator and LTA for WOU’s RID Testing Center
- California State University, Northridge. Postsecondary Education Programs Network 2. Contract to provide technical assistance on a national level. $113,723 10/2011-9/2012

Cancel, P.

- Representative – Educational Interpreter Sub-Committee
- Coordinator – 2011 Interpreter and Sign Language Professional Job Fair

Davis, C.

- State: Hearing Loss Association of Oregon Board (Vice President)
• State: Oregon Communication Access Project (Secretary)
• State: Oregon School for the Deaf Advisory Board (Board Member)
• Regional: Northwest Training Conference for Vocational Rehabilitation committee
• National: HLAA National Action Campaign: Get in the Loop

Maroney, E.

• Commission on Collegiate Interpreter Education, President and Commissioner
• Educational Interpreter Performance Assessment, Local Test Administrator

Pardew, Mickey

• Member, Higher Education Council for Special Educator & EI/ECSE
• Co-coordinator, Special Educator Program
• Coordinator EI/ECSE and Field Experience Placements for SpEd
• Higher Education Representative on the Oregon ASD Commission
• Board Member Northwest Autism Foundation
• Board Member George E. Miller Children’s Foundation
• Board Member Polk Adolescent Day Treatment Center

Poage, K.

• Polk County Helping Achieve Lifelong Objectives (HALO) Program elected advisory board member.

Scarlato, M.

• Luckiamute Valley Charter School ongoing consultation to K-12 teachers instructing Core-Reading Program and Content Area Reading.
• Teacher Standards and Practices Commission Higher Education Council Special Education Advisory Committee
• Ongoing mentoring of graduates of the Special Educator program

Smith, A.

• Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf-National Interpreter Certification Taskforce

Smith, J.

• National committee of educators to set standards for the Certified Rehabilitation Counselor Examination
• Board Member - Governor Appointed, Oregon Board of Licensed Professional Counselors and Therapists
  o Chair, Supervisor’s Work Group
  o Chair, Education Requirements Work Group
• Planning Committee Member – Northwest Symposium on Deafness and Rehabilitation Regional conference
Service to Western Oregon University & College of Education

Bersani, H.

- Institutional Review Board
- Joint Committee on Faculty Evaluation
- Committee on Sexual Harassment

Brownbridge, R.

- WOUFT Collective Bargaining Representative
- Member, CoE Assessment Committee
- Member, CoE Licensure and Clinical Experience Council (LCEC)
- Chair, Special Educator Program Advisory Council
- Chair, 4 Professional Portfolio Committees
- Member, Special Education Division Executive Committee

Cancel, E.

- Faculty Senate
- Fall Preview Day
- University Book Rental Committee

Cancel, P.

- Academic Infrastructure Committee
- Transfer Student Orientation & Registration
- SOAR
- Preview Day
- Early Bird Transfer Registration
- Academic Excellence Co-Session Chair

Davis, C.

- Faculty Senate: Committee on Committees member
- University: Comprehensive Admissions Review Committee
- University: Center on Sensory Disabilities
- University: WOU Window of Opportunity Grants and Indirect committee member
- University: WOU Window of Opportunity Procurement committee member
- Special Education: Personnel Review Committee-Chair
- Special Education: Budget Committee
- Special Education: Executive Committee
- Special Education: Deaf/Hard of Hearing Teacher Education Team
- Special Education: mentor-Amanda Smith
- Special Education (ASL/EI): ASL/English Interpreting Tenure Track Search Committee member
- Preview Days
- COE: Peer Mentoring Committee
- COE: Leadership Team

**Gournaris, K.**

- SOAR
- Preview Days
- Hosted webinar with Kim Brown-Kurz, "National Standards & ASL"
- Conducted ASL placement interviews

**Heise, K.**

- Academic Requirements Committee
- SOAR

**Maroney, E.**

- Faculty Senate Curriculum Committee Member
- Academic Excellence Showcase Planning Committee, Member
- Academic Excellence Showcase Session Co-Chair
- PURE, Member
- Preview Days
- SOAR
- ASL Live/Learn Community, Ackerman Hall
- Chair
- to Present
- ASL/English Interpreting Tenure Track Faculty Search Committee Chair
- Personnel Review Committee, Member

**Ni, C.**

- Faculty Development Committee
- Scholarship committee of International Cultural Service Program
- Scholarship committee of WOU Foundation
- Faculty advisor of Chinese Club
- Co-Chair for the session of Special Education Division at Academic Excellence Showcase
- Sponsor of eight RCE students to present at Academic Excellence Showcase, WOU (2012, Spring)
- Faculty advisor, RCE student representatives
• Academic advisor, RCE students
• Chair of four RCE student student’s portfolio committees
• Presenter of RCE data analyses at the DARE, WOU College of Education
• Organizer of RCE lunch presentation series
• Early Bird Transfer Registration

Pardew, M.

• Faculty Senate 2012-14
• Member, Salem Keizer Collaborative Partnership Team
• Member, CoE Licensure and Clinical Experience Council (LCEC)
• Member of CoE Consortium
• Chair, EI/ECSE Advisory Council
• Chair, 5 Professional Portfolio Committees
• Member, Special Education Division Executive Committee
• Special Education Division Curriculum Chair
• Special Education Minor Advisor

Poage, K.

• WOU Preview Day, Representative for Special Education Division
• Attendance and Statement of RCE Program appreciation at State Rehabilitation Counsel Quarterly meeting
• WOU Careers in Education Fair participant

Scarlato, M.

• Graduate Committee
• Personnel Review Committee

Smith, A.

• Preview Day
• Faculty Senate, Division Representative
• Graduate Studies Committee, Interpreting Studies Representative
• Search Committee, Chair, Interpreting Programs Applicant Pool
• Search Committee, Member, Interpreting Programs Tenure Track Position

Smith, J.

• Graduate Studies Committee

Awards and Recognitions