Curriculum Vitae

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PROFESSIONAL PROFILE/OBJECTIVE

• My goal is to use my Military, Computer Information Systems, and Higher Educational experience to assist in creating Innovate Digital Education (IDE) experiences for all learners. I wish to provide leadership and vision in developing and engaging the student community with the use of the IDE techniques to help in student leadership development. With over 31 years of experience in higher education, I prefer to work in the classroom, but I can also instruct virtually. I wish to further utilize my skills in assisting in developing Educational – Science, Technology, Electronics, and Math (E-STEM) programs using the *Participative*, *Interactive and Engagement* (PIE) instruction technique. Finally, with over 3 decades of experience, I can provide support in Curriculum & Instruction programs, student counseling, career advisement, administration, faculty and staff development, research and instructional design, and training to help construct and apply knowledge to make a positive difference in the lives of individuals, families, organizations, and diverse communities.

EDUCATION

• Doctor of Education December 2017

A Phenomenological Qualitative Study of the Lived Experience of First Year African-American Students Majoring in Business at Grambling State University

• Master of Arts May 1994

Computer Resource and Information Management, Webster University, Kansas City, Mo

• Bachelor of Science May 1983

Computer Science, Grambling State University, Grambling, LA

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION

- PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC) HBCU Faculty Forum, Personnel/Human Resources, Specialized Knowledge (2023)
- Georgia Tech University, National Science Foundation (NSF) Cloud Computing (2017)

ACADEMIC HONORS AND AWARDS

- Annual Black History Program Guest Speaker Madison High School, Tallulah, Louisiana 2018
- Grambling State University Academic Affairs Excellence in Teaching Award, 2017-2018
- Grambling State University Academic Affairs Outstanding Achievement Award, 2018

ACADEMIC/TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Professor of Computer Information Systems, Grambling State University, College of Business, Grambling, LA, 1996 to Present

- Courses Taught (undergraduate)
 - CIS 105 Survey of Computer Usage
 - CIS 115 Introduction to Computer & Software Applications
 - CIS 120 Problem Solving
 - CIS 201 Microcomputer Applications/Business
 - CIS 209 Business Object-Oriented Programing I
 - CIS 210 Business Object-Oriented Programing II
 - CIS 215 Information Systems
 - CIS 365 User Interface Programming

- CIS 381 Database Systems
- CIS 401 Special Topics in CIS
- CIS 479 Project Management
- Currently teaches
 - CIS 115 Introduction to Computer & Software Applications
 - CIS 215 Information Systems
 - CIS 365 User Interface Programming
 - CIS 381 Database Systems
 - CIS 401 Special Topics in CIS
- Was hired by GSU on June 1996

PREVIOUS TEACHING EXPERIENCE, IF APPLICABLE

 Assistant Professor, Aerospace Studies Computer Analyst, DET 311 Grambling State University, 1994-1996

TEACHING INTERESTS

- Access
- Canvas
- Image Composer
- Suite PhotoShop

- BASIC
- COBOL
- iPhoto Plus
- PowerPoint

- BlackboardC
- FORTRAN
- Java JavaScript
- SQL

- C++
- FrontPageHTML
- MS Office
- VBA CodingTeams/Zoom

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

HIGHER EDUCATION EXPERIENCE

6/1996 - 5/2025 (29 years)

- University Web Administrator, Grambling State University, Grambling, LA
- University Computer Security Administrator, Grambling State University, Grambling, LA
- Academic Achievement Academy Director, Grambling State University, Grambling, LA
- Para-Professional/Substitute Teacher (K-12), Lincoln Parish School District, Lincoln Parish, LA
- Computer Information Systems Instructor, Grambling State University, Grambling, LA

MILITARY EXPERIENCE

10/1983 - 2/1996 (12 ½ years)

- Assistant Professor, Aerospace Studies Computer Analyst
- Chief, OLWH 3907 Systems Evaluation Squadron Chief, Software Systems Branch
- Deputy Commander, ACC B2 Simulator Training Systems
- Communications-Computer Systems Test Manager
- Software Operational Test and Evaluation Manager
- Advanced Weapons Initial Operational Test Analyst

RESEARCH INTERESTS

• Comparative Study of Traditional PowerPoint Presentation and Visual Basic for Applications (VBA) Enhanced PowerPoint Presentation in Student Learning Among College of Business Students

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- Curriculum Committee Member
- Faculty Senate Member
- Faculty Senate Library and Learning Resources Committee
- University Faculty Senate Committee Member
- University Curriculum Committee
- LA VET CORPS Supervisor

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS SERVICE

- CIS Teaching
- Academic Advising
- Participants Students, Faculty & Professional Staff Committee Member
- Student Affairs Chairperson
- IT Resources POC

COMMUNITY SERVICE

None-paid professional service (related to your teaching area) to the community

• Slyconian Logic LLC Innovative Digital Education

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Membership in Professional Organization (related to your teaching area)

none

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC) HBCU Faculty Forum (June 14-16, 2023)
- AACSB Assurance of Learning Seminar I, March 20 21, 2019
- Instructional Practices That Can Lead to Positive Student Learning Outcomes. College of Business Professional development workshop, JTS 264, Grambling State University, conducted by Dr. Kathryn Newman and Mrs. Tiffany Jackson, College of Education, Grambling State University, Grambling, LA (2019)
- Universities of Louisiana Black Male Summit. Strategic interventions program developed to recruit, retain, and graduate students prepared for life and career success. The program provided skills to help recruit black male students and provide educational programs, mentoring opportunities, and co-curricular experiences to enhance their collegiate experience. University of Louisiana Monroe Bayou Pointe (June 15-16, 2022)

GRANTS

Sponsored

• AICPA Minority Serving Institutions, College of Business Certification Workshop development for Accounting and Computer Information Systems departments.

INTELLECTUAL CONTRIBUTIONS

• Digital Operations – Innovative Techniques(DO-IT)

MICROSOFT SUITE WORKBOOK

A paradigm shift in the use of the Microsoft Suite using Visual Basic for Applications (VBA)

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- Peer-Reviewed Article. THE INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY OF BUSINESS AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION DISCIPLINES (IABPAD). Comparative Study of Traditional PowerPoint Presentation and Visual Basic for Applications (VBA) Enhanced PowerPoint Presentation in Student Learning Outcomes among College of Business Students. Dallas, Texas. April 18-21, 2024
- **Sly, K. D**. (2020 present). *Grambling State University College of Education, A Supplemental Academic Support Web Portal.* www.gsucob.net Grambling, LA.
- Sly, K. D. (2010 2020). Grambling State University College of Education, A Supplemental Academic Support Web Portal. www.gramaaa.com Grambling, LA.
- **Sly, K. D.** (2021). *College of Business Research and Intellectual Contributions Web Portal*. <u>www.gsucob.com</u>. Quick Reference Academic Resource Support Web Portal provides students, faculty, staff and other stakeholders with a single access point to Grambling State University College of Business information. Grambling, LA.
- **Sly, K. D.,** Wiley, S. (2020). A Quantitative Empirical Study of the Online Lived Experience of African-American Students Majoring in Business at Grambling State University facing Covid-19. Grambling, LA.
- Sly, K. D. (2018). Colloquium: Professional Presentation Paradigm Shift (P³S) Six Presentation Techniques You Need to Know
- **Sly, K. D**. (2017). Grambling State University College of Education, A Phenomenological Qualitative Study of the Lived Experiences of First Year African-American Students Majoring in Business at Grambling State University. Grambling, LA.

SCHOLARLY CONTRIBUTIONS

- Rayville High School 6th 8th Grade College of Business Computer Information Systems Workshop, March 2024
- Ruston High School FBLA Guest Speaker, December 2023
- PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC) HBCU Faculty Forum (June 14-16, 2023)
- AACSB Assurance of Learning Seminar I, March 20 21, 2019
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EDUCATIONAL SEMINAR/SYMPOSIUMS/CONFERENCES ATTENDED

- PwC HBCU Faculty Forum, Certificate of Completion: Personal Development in accordance with standards
 of the National Registry of CPE Sponsors. Course Code: CLL-01-00044261, Course Date: June 26-28, 2024 The
 International Academy of Business and Public Administration Disciplines (IABPAD) conference. Dallas,
 Texas. April 18-21, 2023
- PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC) HBCU Faculty Forum (June 14-16, 2023)
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