

# RESUMÉ

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### Education

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**Ph.D. – Curriculum and Instruction/Reading** 1987  
Kent State University, Kent, Ohio

**Minor – Higher Education Administration**  
30 Post Doctoral Hours in Administration and Supervision

**Ed.S. – Elementary Education (Reading)** 1983  
Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, Louisiana

**M.A. – Elementary Education (Reading)** 1981  
Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, Louisiana

**B.S. – Elementary Education** 1979  
Grambling State University, Grambling, Louisiana

### Certification (Teaching)

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- ♦ Elementary Grades
- ♦ Reading Specialist
- ♦ Supervisor of Student Teaching
- ♦ Parish or City School Supervisor of Instruction (1993)
- ♦ Elementary School Principal (1992)
- ♦ School Superintendent (1993)

### Certification (Ancillary)

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- ♦ Teacher Cadet Training (2001)
- ♦ Level A – Program Evaluator (1998)
- ♦ Level B – Program Evaluator (1996-98)
  - ♦ School Support Team Certification (#7-0078-95)

## Professional Experience

<b>Grambling State University, Grambling, Louisiana</b>	2007(Aug.) – present
Professor, Department of Educational Leadership	
Chairperson, Louisiana Education Consortium	2008 (Jan.) – present
<b>Grambling State University, Grambling, Louisiana</b>	2001 – June 30, 2007
Professor, Department of Teacher Education	
Director, Grambling Laboratory Schools, K-12	August 2003 – July 2006
Principal, Alma J. Brown Laboratory Elementary School	August 1987 – June 2007
Grambling Laboratory Middle Magnet School	August 1987 – June 2007
<b>Grambling State University, Grambling, Louisiana</b>	
Professor, Department of Teacher Education	1999 – June 2007
Principal, Alma J. Brown Laboratory Elementary School and	
Grambling Laboratory Middle Magnet School	
<b>Grambling State University, Grambling, Louisiana</b>	1999 - 2001
Professor, Department of Teacher Education	
Principal, Grambling Laboratory Middle Magnet School	
<b>Grambling State University, Grambling, Louisiana</b>	1992 - 1999
Associate Professor, Department of Teacher Education	
Principal, Grambling Laboratory Middle Magnet School	
<b>BSCS – Science Training Institute</b>	1992 (6/19-24)
Colorado State University	
<b>Grambling State University, Grambling, Louisiana</b>	1987 - 1992
Assistant Professor, Department of Teacher Education	
Principal, Grambling Laboratory Middle Magnet School	
<b>Louisiana Teaching Internship Program</b>	1989 - 1991
Louisiana Teaching Evaluation Program (LTIP/LTEP)	
Certified Training Assistant	
<b>Kent State University, Kent, Ohio</b>	1987
Supervisor – Student Teaching	
<b>Kent State University, Kent, Ohio</b>	1985 - 1987
Cleveland, Ohio Public Schools	
Staff Member, Cleveland Writing Project	
<b>Kent State University, Kent, Ohio</b>	1985 - 1986
Reading Clinician	
<b>Kent State University, Kent, Ohio</b>	1985 - 1987
Full-time Post Graduate Student	

## **Professional Activities**

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Certificate of Completion: Quality Matters Applying the QM Rubric Workshop; Grambling State University, March 6, 2009.

Participated in Institute: Educational Leadership Institute in Baton Rouge, LA. Hilton Hotel, June 20, 2008.

Participated in Training: *Louisiana Mentoring Train-the-Trainer* module in Shreveport, LA @ LSUS campus, January 31 and February 1, 2008.

Participant: NCATE Preparation in the Curriculum and Instruction Department, Grambling State University. Grambling, LA /2007 to present.

Co-Chair: Standard 3: Field Experiences and Clinical Practice. National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE). Grambling State University, Grambling, Louisiana. 2004 to present.

Interim Chair: Standard 3: Field Experiences and Clinical Practice. National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE). Grambling State University, Grambling, Louisiana. August 29, 2002 to 2004.

Chairperson: Component 4 - Beliefs and Missions and Parent/Community Chair. Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) Peer Review Team Member, Carroll Junior High School, Monroe, Louisiana, February 5 – 7, 2003.

Participant: Louisiana NCATE 2000 Clinic hosted by Louisiana State University System, the University of Louisiana System, Louisiana Board of Regents, etc. Baton Rouge, LA, September 5-6, 2002.

Co-conducted a Feasibility Study with Dr. Bob N. Cage and Dr. William White. *A Feasibility Study on School Reorganization Consolidation for the Madison Parish School Board*. Madison Parish School Board, Tallulah, Louisiana, July 2002.

Co-conducted project with Dr. Bob N. Cage. Project funded at University of Louisiana at Monroe (Monroe, Louisiana) by the Entergy Charitable Foundation's Excellence in Education Investment Fund. Final report prepared by V. R. Brown: *Exchanging Educational Excellence (IP-E<sup>3</sup>)*. June 2002.

Submitted two grants for (2001-2002 & 2002-2003) State School Improvement Funds to the Louisiana Department of Education. Funded: 2001-02 at \$17, 241.38 and 2002-03 at \$15, 647.05.

Visiting Committee Member - Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) - Weston High School, Weston, LA - October 5-7, 1993.

Conducted Staff Development Workshops, Grambling, Louisiana; March 1990 & April 1990.

Conducted Professional Development Sessions, Teacher Education Department, Grambling, Louisiana, 1990-91.

## Program Evaluations Conducted/State of Louisiana

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<b>New Vision Learning Academy, Inc.</b> Monroe, Louisiana	2001
<b>Futures Foundation, Inc.</b> Shreveport, Louisiana	1997 – 2000
<b>Youth Excellence in Standardized Standards Program (YESS)</b> Monroe, Louisiana	1998
<b>Novice House, Inc.</b> Monroe, Louisiana	1997

## School Support Team Member

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<b>Bienville Parish</b> Gibbsland-Coleman Complex, Gibbsland, Louisiana	1996 – 1998
<b>Concordia Parish</b> Ferriday Upper Elementary, Ferriday, Louisiana	1995 – 1998
<b>East Carroll Parish</b> Lake Providence Senior High School, Lake Providence, Louisiana	1996 – 1997
Lake Providence Junior High School, Lake Providence, Louisiana	1995 – 1996

## External Consultant

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<b>East Carroll Parish School Board</b> Lake Providence Junior High School, Lake Providence, Louisiana	1996 – 2006
<b>Madison Parish School Board</b> Thomastown High School, Tallulah, Louisiana	January – March 1996
Wright Elementary, Tallulah, Louisiana	April – June 1994

## Administrative Services/Campus Responsibilities

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### *Present Assignments*

- ◆ Coordinator, Louisiana Education Consortium (Jan. 2008 to present)
- ◆ Attendance @ monthly LEC Board meetings @ GSU, LaTech or ULM
- ◆ Chairperson, Student Appeals Committee (Educational Leadership)
- ◆ Member, Screening and Admissions Committee (Educational Leadership)
- ◆ Member, Goals and Objectives Committee (Educational Leadership)
- ◆ Member, Advisory Committee (University)
- ◆ Member, COE Council

- ◆ Member, Research Committee (Educational Leadership)
- ◆ Member, Screening Committee in C&I for Reading position (Summer 2008 to present)
- ◆ Member, Doctoral Committee for Tracy Bennett @ LaTech University, Ruston, LA
- ◆ Participating in NCATE SPA Assessment Workshops, meetings, etc. for incoming visit, Spring 2009 @ GSU, Grambling, LA

### *Past Assignments*

- ◆ Member, Search Committee for Alma J. Brown Teachers 2006-2007.
- ◆ Principal of Grambling Laboratory Middle Magnet School and Alma J. Brown Laboratory Elementary School (Nov. 2001 to June 30, 2007)
- ◆ Member, Center of Mathematics Achievement in Science and Technology (CMAST) Internal Advisory Board (October 2006 – present)
- ◆ Co-chair, Search Committee for Alma J. Brown Principal (Nov. 2006-March 2007)
- ◆ Member, President's Council (2005 - present )
- ◆ Member, Professional Education Council (Spring 2003 to present)
- ◆ Member, College of Education Curriculum Committee (August 2003 to 2007)
- ◆ Director, Grambling Laboratory Schools, K-12 (August 1, 2003 – July 2006)
- ◆ Member, Dean of the College of Education Search Committee (2004 – 2005)
- ◆ Invitation to serve on the LEC Advisory Council (October 2005)
- ◆ Member, National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) Steering Committee
- ◆ Member, NCATE Sub-Committees (Conceptual Framework and Co-chair of Standard 3: Field Experiences and Clinical Practice)
- ◆ Member, Pre-K 16<sup>+</sup> Council
- ◆ Supervisor of Teacher Candidates at Grambling State University
- ◆ Member, College of Education Administrative Council
- ◆ Member, College of Education Scholarship Committee
- ◆ Member, Laboratory Scholarship Committee
- ◆ Member, Annual High School Day Committee
- ◆ Member, American Education Week Sub-Committees (i.e., Steering, Student Exhibits, Program, etc.)
- ◆ Member, Substance Abuse Prevention Education (SAPE) Team
- ◆ Member, Sub-Committee on Teacher Education (Graduate)
- ◆ Member, Teacher Education Center - Concept Proposal Committee
- ◆ Member, Lincoln Parish America 2000 Task Force for Science and Mathematics Committee
- ◆ Member, Administrative Processes Sub-Committee for SACS
- ◆ Program Proposal Reader, Sixteenth Southeast Regional Conference (1992)
- ◆ State Department: English Language Arts Assessment Framework Development Team
- ◆ State Department: Task Force - State Content Standards for English/Language Arts Team
- ◆ SACS Steering Committee

## **Publications**

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**Co-author** with Dr. Patricia Johnson the Program Report for The Preparation of Educational Leaders (School Building Leadership Level) Educational Leadership Constituent Council (ELCC) submission, 9/2007.

**Text Reviewer:** Review of Classroom Management Textbook for McGraw-Hill Higher Education: Temperament-Based Classroom Management (Chapter 2, Content Grid and Prospectus). In progress: began June 2007.

**Chapter Submitted** in Developing Literacy Skills Across the Curriculum: Practical Approaches, Creative Models, Strategies and Resources. Edited by Loretta W. Jaggers, Nanthalia McJamerson, and Gwendolyn Duhon. New York: Edwin Mellen Press, 2001. Part III: Chapter 12 - *Making Connections: A Field-Based Model for Preparing Pre-Service Teachers to Promote Literacy Learning*, by Loretta Jaggers, Jean G. Brown, Andolyn Harrison, and Vicki R. Brown.

**Program Consultant:** Elements of Language Program: First Course. Austin: Holt, Rinehart, and Winston, Inc., 2001; Odell, L., Vacca, R., Hobbs, R., and Irvin, J.

**Chapter Submitted** in An Interdisciplinary Approach to Issues and Practices in Teacher Education. Edited by Gwendolyn M. Duhon-Boudreaux. New York: Edwin Mellen Press, 1998. Chapter 19 - *A Teacher Training Model for Promoting Education that is Multicultural Through Telecommunications*, by Loretta W. Jaggers and Vicki R. Brown.

**Contributor to:** Instructor's Manual to Accompany Reading and Learning to Read, 1987; Vacca, J., Vacca, R., and Gove, M.

## **Presentations**

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“*First -Year Teachers: Administrative Expectations.*” Campus presentation for EDPT Classroom Management and Organization class: Charles P. Adams Hall Rm. 213. Grambling State University, Grambling, LA. July 16, 2008.

“*Classroom Management: Perspectives from a Former Principal.*” Campus presentation for ED 427 Classroom Management class: Charles P. Adams Hall Rm. 217. Grambling State University, Grambling, LA. April 2, 2008.

“*The Teacher’s Role in Making iLEAP Useful and not Stressful.*” Staff Development Workshop: Lake Providence Junior High, Lake Providence, LA. March 2007.

“*The Teacher’s Role in Making LEAP Useful and not Stressful.*” Staff Development Workshop: Lake Providence Junior High, Lake Providence, LA. March 2007.

Co-presented “*Teaching and Assessing Mathematics and Science in the Middle Grades.*” Staff Development Presentation: Lake Providence Junior High, Lake Providence, LA, March 4, 2006.

“*Teaching and Assessing English/Language Arts and Social Studies in the Middle Grades.*” Staff Development Presentation: Lake Providence Junior High, Lake Providence, LA, February 25, 2006.

“*A Presentation on Leadership.*” Presented to United States Navy Reservists, Caney Lake—Chatham, LA, May 21, 2005.

*“Employing Effective Classroom Management Strategies to Influence Appropriate Student Behavior.”* Staff Development Presentation: Lake Providence Junior High, Lake Providence, LA, February 26, 2005.

*“Employing Effective Classroom Management Techniques to Impact Student Achievement.”* Staff Development Presentation: Lake Providence Junior High, Lake Providence, LA, January 8, 2005.

*“Using LCET (Louisiana Components of Effective Teaching) to Impact Effective Teaching and Learning.”* Staff Development Presentation: Lake Providence Junior High, Lake Providence, LA, December 11, 2004.

*“Balanced Literacy.”* Staff Development Workshop presented for Ferriday Upper Elementary Faculty: Natchez, MS, July 10, 2002.

Co-presented *“Instructional Strategies for Mathematics Instruction.”* Staff Development Presentation: Lake Providence Junior High, Lake Providence, LA, May 15, 2002.

Co-presented *“Integrating Mathematics Across the Curriculum.”* Staff Development Presentation: Lake Providence Junior High, Lake Providence, LA, May 2, 2002.

*“Analyzing and Improving Curriculum: An Administrator’s Perspective.”* Presented to LEC 712 – Advanced Principles of Organization and Administration, Grambling State University, Grambling, LA, March 14, 2002.

Co-presented *“Parents: A Powerful Impact on Students’ Success on Test.”* Lake Providence Junior High, Lake Providence, LA, March 7, 2002.

*“Writing an Evaluation Report.”* Presented to Doctoral Candidates at University of Louisiana at Monroe, Monroe, Louisiana. June 22, 2001.

Co-presented *“Creating Partnerships to Enhance Literacy Learning: Home, School, and Community.”* 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the International Reading Association (IRA), New Orleans, LA, May 1, 2001.

Co-presented *“Demonstrations of Mini-Teaching Lessons in Mathematics Correlated to the Louisiana Content Standards Based Document.”* Staff Development Presentation: Lake Providence Junior High, Lake Providence, LA, February 10, 2000.

*“A Look at Assessment and Accountability to Improve Academic Performance.”* Presented to McCall, Reuben Junior High and Tallulah Junior High Faculty: Madison Parish, Tallulah, LA August 24-25, 2000.

*“Effective Teaching Strategies across the Curriculum.”* Presented at Ferriday Upper Elementary School: Concordia Parish, Ferriday, LA. - September 5, 1998.

*“Parental Support Pays Big Dividends.”* Presented at Ferriday Upper Elementary School: Concordia Parish, Ferriday, LA. - August 22, 1998.

Session Chair: *"Curriculum Based Assessment."* 17th World Congress, International Reading Association. Ocho Rios, Jamaica - July 21-24, 1998.

*"What Hooks Middle School Students on Learning?"* - Eleventh Annual National Student Success Conference. Kansas City, MO. - April 1-3, 1998.

*"Test Information Awareness."* Seminar presented at Lake Providence High School: East Carroll Parish, Lake Providence, LA - February 25, 1998.

*"Parent Involvement Tips that Support Students' Learning."* Staff Development Presentation: Ferriday Upper Elementary School, Ferriday, LA - August 23, 1997

Co-Presented *"Using Technology in the Classroom to Improve Academic Achievement."* Staff Development Presentation: Ferriday Upper and Ferriday Junior High, Ferriday, LA - May 24, 1997.

*"Summer Learning Activities for Teachers, Parents, and Students of Upper Grades."* Staff Development Presentation: Lake Providence Junior High, Lake Providence, LA - May 14, 1997.

*"Integrating Instruction Across Grade Levels."* Staff Development Presentation: Lake Providence Junior High, Lake Providence, LA - April 29, 1997.

*"Paraprofessionals: A Valuable Resource in Our Schools."* Staff Development Presentation: Lake Providence Junior High, Lake Providence, LA - March 26, 1997.

*"Strategies for Improving Discipline in Middle/Junior High School."* Staff Development Presentation: Lake Providence Junior High, Lake Providence, LA - November 12, 1996.

*"Effective Parent Involvement and Positive Expectations Equal Student Success!"* Staff Development Presentation, Ferriday Upper Elementary, Ferriday, LA - August 24, 1996.

Session Chair: *"Modeling Attributes of Holistic and Collaborative Reading Instruction for Pre-Service Teachers."* 16th World Congress, International Reading Association. Prague, Czech Republic - July 9-12, 1996.

Co-presented *"Using Creativity to Enhance Reading Skills Across the Curriculum."* Ninth Annual National Student Success Conference. Wichita, KS - March 21-23, 1996.

Co-presented *"Strategies for Teaching Minority Students Science."* National Association of Laboratory Schools (NALS) Annual Conference. Chicago, IL - February, 1996.

Co-presented *"A Showcase of Grambling Middle Magnet School."* National Association of Laboratory Schools (NALS) Annual Conference. Chicago, IL - February, 1996.

*"Innovative Teaching Strategies in Mathematics."* Staff Development Presentation: Thomastown High School, Tallulah, LA - February 27, 1996.

*"Lifelong Literacy Strategies: A Framework for Moving Beyond the Textbook."* Staff Development Presentation: Thomastown High School, Tallulah, LA - January 25, 1996.

Co-presented *"Strategies for Teaching Minority Students Science."* 22nd Annual National Middle School Association (NMSA). New Orleans, LA - November, 1995.



*"Literature-Based Reading."* Staff Development Presentation: Lisbon Elementary School, Waterproof, LA - November 8, 1995.

Co-presented *"Enhancing the Self-Esteem of Middle School Readers."* 22nd Annual Conference and Exhibit-National Middle School Association (NMSA). New Orleans, LA - November, 1995.

*"Strategies for Improving Discipline in the Elementary School."* Staff Development Presentation: Ferriday Upper Elementary School, Ferriday, LA - October 7, 1995.

*"Reading Takes You There-Creative Strategies and Materials for Developing Reading Skills."* Annual Spring Reading Conference. Grambling, LA - April 20, 1995.

Co-presented *"Strategies for Teaching Minority Students Science."* Eighth Annual National Student Success Conference. Wichita, KA - March 30-April 1, 1995.

*"Parent Involvement in the Upper Elementary Grades."* Staff Development Presentation: Ferriday Upper Elementary School, Ferriday, LA - August 26, 1995.

Co-presented *"Using Creativity to Enhance Reading Skills Across the Curriculum."* Concordia Parish: Ferriday Upper Elementary School, Ferriday, LA - April 7, 1994.

*"Enhancing the Self-Esteem of Upper Grade Elementary Students."* Staff Development Presentation: Concordia Parish: Ferriday Upper Elementary School, Ferriday, LA - December 8, 1993.

Chairperson - National Association of Laboratory Schools (NALS) - Southern Regional Conference, Grambling, LA - November, 1993.

*"Strategies for Teaching Minority Students."* 20th Annual Conference and Exhibit - National Middle School Association (NMSA). Portland, OR - November, 1993.

*"Enhancing the Self-Esteem of Middle School Readers."* Louisiana Reading Association Annual Conference - Baton Rouge, LA - September, 1993.

Co-presented *"A Model for Promoting Self-Esteem and Academic Achievement."* 38th Annual International Reading Association (IRA) Convention. San Antonio, Texas; April, 1993.

*"Strategies for Teaching Minority Students."* 6th Annual Louisiana Middle School Association (LMSA) Spring Conference. Alexandria, Louisiana; March 1993.

Co-presented *"A Teacher-Training Model for Promoting Ed. That Is Multicultural."* 3rd Annual National Association of Multicultural Ed. (NAME) Conference. Los Angeles, California; February, 1993.

Co-presented *"Researching Teachers: Diverse Universities and Schools Sharing A Collaborative Model."* 73rd Annual Association of Teacher Educators (ATE) Meeting, Los Angeles, California; February, 1993.

Co-presented *"Strategies for Teaching Minority Students Science"* NALS Annual Conference. San Diego, California; February, 1993.

*"Middle School Reading: A Curriculum Beyond a Textbook."* 16th Southeast Regional Conference of the International Reading Association (IRA), New Orleans, Louisiana; December, 1992.

Panel Response: *"Impact of Rural At-Risk Students on the Future."* Southwest Educational Development Laboratory (SEDL), Rural Small Schools Initiative; Baton Rouge, Louisiana; August, 1992.

*"Strategies for Teaching Minority Students."* Administrative In-service, El Dorado School Board, El Dorado, Arkansas; August 17, 1992.

*"Motivational Strategies for Multicultural Populations."* Faculty In-service, El Dorado, Arkansas; August 26, 1992.

*"What You See Is What You Get."* Faculty In-service, El Dorado, Arkansas; August 26, 1992.

Co-presented *"Providing an Effective Support System for Minority Students... Accept Me As I Am."* Louisiana Association of College and University Student Personnel Administrators (LACUSPA) Annual State Conference. Lafayette, Louisiana; October, 1992.

*"Professionalism of Black Women In Today's Society."* Career Development Center, Lufkin, Texas; May, 1992.

*"Educating Lincoln Parish Girls for Non-Traditional Careers."* Ruston Branch-American Association of University Women, Ruston, Louisiana; April, 1992.

*"A Research Collaborative in the Area of Writing in the Science Curriculum."* Louisiana Science Teachers Association (LSTA) Drive-In Conference. Lake Charles, Louisiana; March, 1992.

*"Preservice and Inservice Teachers Respond to Field Experiences for the Year 2000."* Association of Teacher Educators (ATE) 72nd Annual National Meeting. Orlando, Florida; February, 1992.

*"Grambling Magnet's Tutorial/Enrichment Extended Day/Week Program, K-12."* National Association of Laboratory Schools (NALS) Convention; San Antonio, Texas; February, 1992.

*"Implementing Writing in the Mathematics Classroom."* National Association of Laboratory Schools (NALS) Convention; San Antonio, Texas; February, 1992.

*"A Research Collaborative in the Area of Writing in the Science Curriculum."* National Association of Laboratory Schools (NALS) Convention; San Antonio, Texas; February, 1992.

*"Hands-on Science: It's Everywhere."* Science on Saturday Workshop, Louisiana College; Pineville, Louisiana; January, 1992.

Researching Teachers in Residence (RTR) - Presentation/Clinic: Grambling, Louisiana; May, 1991.

*"Grambling Laboratory Magnet's Tutorial/Enrichment Extended Day/Week Program."* Louisiana Middle School Association's (LMSA) Spring Conference. Shreveport, Louisiana; April, 1991.

*"Grambling Laboratory Magnet's Tutorial/Enrichment Extended Day/Week Program."* Eleventh (11th) Annual Superintendent's Leadership Conference. Baton Rouge, Louisiana; February - March, 1991.

*"A Professional Clinic: Researching Teachers in Residence."* Association of Teacher Educators (ATE) Conference. New Orleans, Louisiana; February, 1991.

*"Grambling Magnet's Tutorial/Enrichment Extended Day/Week Program, K-12".* Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) Annual Meeting. December, 1990; Atlanta, Georgia.

*"Researching Teachers in Residence: A Research Collaborative."* Association of Teacher Educators (ATE) Conference. Las Vegas, Nevada; February 5-8, 1990.

*"Confronting Realities: Research Missions and Participants within Teacher Education."* American Association of Colleges of Teachers of English (AACTE) Conference. Chicago, Illinois; February 22-24, 1990.

## Professional and Academic Memberships

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- ◆ National Educational Association (NEA)
- ◆ Louisiana Educational Association (LEA)
- ◆ International Reading Association (IRA)
- ◆ Concerned Black Educators Association of the International Reading Association
- ◆ Louisiana Reading Association (LRA), Serving as ***State Chairperson of Scholarship Committee***, 2000 to present and Membership Co-chair (2005 – present) Served as Vice-President 1/08 to 6/08.
- ◆ North Louisiana Reading Council (NLRC),(Served as ***President*** 1993 and 2001)
- ◆ American Association of University Women (AAUW)
- ◆ Louisiana AAUW
- ◆ North LA Branch AAUW
- ◆ Association of Louisiana Evaluators (ALE), ***Program Evaluator – State of Louisiana***
- ◆ Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD)
- ◆ District Assistance Team Member, 2000 to present
- ◆ Louisiana Association of Developmental Educators (LADE)

## Professional Honors/Awards

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- ◆ Who's Who Among Executives and Professionals (Aug. 9, 2008)
- ◆ Louisiana Reading Association Principal of the Year Award (2005)
- ◆ Certificate of Recognition by U.S. Secretary of Education Dr. Rod Paige to Alma J. Brown Laboratory Elementary School for The 2004 No Child Left Behind Blue Ribbon School Award (September 2004)
- ◆ North Louisiana Reading Council Leadership Award (2004)
- ◆ North Louisiana Reading Council Principal of the Year Award (2004)
- ◆ Pinkie Wilkerson Award of Grambling State University Teacher Education Department (2003)
- ◆ North Louisiana Reading Council Principal of the Year Award (2003)
- ◆ North Louisiana Reading Council Principal of the Year Award (2002)

- ◆ North Louisiana Reading Council Principal of the Year Award (2000)
- ◆ Louisiana Reading Association Principal of the Year Award (2000)
- ◆ North Louisiana Reading Association Principal of the Year Award (2000)
- ◆ Blue Ribbon Commission on Teacher Quality: K-16<sup>+</sup> English/Language Arts Consortium (1999-2000)
- ◆ Outstanding Educator in Louisiana (1999)
- ◆ Member, Board of Directors of the National Association of Laboratory Schools (1999-2002)
- ◆ Who's Who Among Top Executives (1997)
- ◆ International Reading Association Nominating Committee Member (1996)
- ◆ North Louisiana Reading Association President's Award for Outstanding Service (1993-94)
- ◆ North Louisiana Reading Association President's Award for Outstanding Service as Committee Chair (1993-94)
- ◆ North Louisiana Reading Association Educator of the Year Award (1992)
- ◆ Louisiana Reading Association Educator of the Year Award (1992)
- ◆ Dean's Award for Outstanding Service, 1991
- ◆ Who's Who In American Education, 1989-1990

## References

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**Dr. Bob N. Cage**

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