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# **Curriculum Vitae**

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# **Education:**

(*In Progress*), **Ed.D**, Curriculum and Instruction in Higher Education, Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, AZ

M.A., Recreation, 1985, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM

**B.A.**, Physical Education - Health (minor Recreation), 1982, Western New Mexico University, Silver City, NM

#### **Experience:**

In Educational Institution Since Receipt of Bachelor's Degree:

**Teaching:** 

1997 – Present. Part-time Instructor & Full-time Principal Lecturer, Northern Arizona University, Parks and Recreation Management. Currently teaching PRM core and emphasis courses. Advise between 20 - 40 students per semester. Teaching load is 24 credit hours per year (excluding summer classes and overloads).

# Northern Arizona University Undergraduate Courses Taught:

PRM 220 Introduction to Parks and Recreation PRM 275 Program Planning PRM 280 Camp Counseling PRM 326 Inclusive Recreation PRM 346 Wildland Recreation Management PRM 350 Cultural Recreation PRM 383 Community & Commercial Recreation PRM 426 Budget & Finance PRM 498C Senior Seminar Capstone

# Northern Arizona University WEB Courses Developed:

PRM 280 Camp Counseling PRM 326 Inclusive Recreation PRM 350 Cultural Recreation PRM 498C Senior Seminar Capstone

#### 1993 - 1997, Part-time Instructor, University of Maine - Presque Isle.

# University of Maine Undergraduate Courses Taught:

- Rec 120 Introduction to Recreation and Leisure
- Rec 290 Recreation Activities (developed course)
- Rec 316 Interpreting the Environment (developed course)

#### 1989 - 1993, Assistant Director Campus Recreation/Director

Intramural Sports, University of Idaho. Scheduled, organized, and managed men's, women's and co-recreational intramural sport's activities. Hired, trained, and supervised student staff (undergraduate and graduate), and sports officials.

#### University of Idaho Undergraduate Courses Taught:

- PE 240 Elementary Physical Education and Health Methods (majors) PE 250
- Elementary Physical Education and Health Methods (non-
- majors)
- PE 425 Adapted Physical Education

# 1987 - 1989, Part-time Instructor, Recreation and Leisure Services Department, Springfield College, Massachusetts

#### Springfield College Undergraduate Courses Taught:

PHED 108 Adapted Physical Education and Recreation

# **Other Teaching & Related Professional Experience:**

**Physical Education Teacher**, September 1987 to June 1989. Our Lady of Hope School, Springfield, MA Developed and instructed a comprehensive program in physical education for kindergarten through 8th grade.

#### Director of Parks and Recreation, April 1986 to January 1987.

City of Belen, Parks and Recreation Department, Belen, NM Duties included supervising a permanent staff of seven and fifty seasonal employees to provide recreation programs and maintain parks for the city; planned, developed and supervised the summer youth program; budgeted and distributed recreation funds from the city and separate center account; coordinated sport leagues and club activities; recruited and trained volunteers; sought funding for development of new park sites through the Land and Water Conservation Fund.

### Activity Leader - Site Supervisor, January 1986 to April 1986

Camp Fire Inc., Albuquerque, NM Duties included planning and implementing before and after school activities for grades 1 – 6 and organized school day camps.

#### Park Ranger/Recreation Assistant, June to December 1985.

Bureau of Land Management, Taos & Albuquerque, NM Developed and provided interpretive services relating to environmental aspects of the Wild and Scenic Recreation Area Park. Other duties included conducting nature hikes, campfire programs, maintenance, public relations, river patrol inspections, and range studies.

#### Recreation Therapist, January to May 1985

University of New Mexico Hospital, Child Life Program, Albuquerque, NM Developed and implemented through a team process age appropriate recreational and play activities for patients in the Pediatric Unit.

#### Camp Counselor, September to December 1984

YMCA Uptown Branch, Albuquerque, NM

Planned and facilitated before and after school activities for school aged children.

Recreation Specialist, August 1982 to July 1984.

Interim Director, April to July 1984.

Silver City Youth Center, Silver City, NM.

Supervised facility and activities; planned and implemented various sports and outdoor recreation activities for youth ages 12 to 19. Duties included purchasing and budget control, public relations, and fund raising.

# Service/Awards:

- (2001-Current) PRM Scholarship Committee
- (2005-2009) GPR Library Liaison
- (2008) NRPA Accreditation Self-Study Committee Co-Chair
- (2008-2009) Outstanding Educator Award Geography, Planning, & Recreation
- (2009-Current) PRM Program Assessment Coordinator
- (2011) Faculty Learning Community Inclusive Design and Pedagogy
- (2011-2013) SBS Scholarship Committee
- (2011-2013) University Liberal Studies Committee
- (2012-2013) Faculty Learning Community Culture and Learning
- (2012-Current GPR Annual Review Committee)
- (2013-2014) NRPA (COAPRT) Accreditation Self-Study Data collection
- (2013-Current) University Assessment Committee

# **Presentations:**

- (6/5/2004) Invited Speaker Leisure Benefits A.P.R.A. Workshop, Tucson, AZ
- (9/6/2012) Facilitator Guide "One Community, Many Voices" campus wide workshop at duBois Center
- (11/12/13) NAU Faculty Development: Developing Rubrics that Promote Student Learning.
- (12/17/14) NAU Assessment Fair Poster Presentation A Self-Study: Assessing the Parks and Recreation Management Learning Outcomes for Re-Accreditation.

#### **Professional Certifications & Memberships**

- National Recreation and Park Association (NRPA) SPRE member
- Arizona Park and Recreation Association (APRA) Professional member
- National Intramural-Recreational Sports Association (NIRSA) Certified Recreational Sports Specialist (CRSS)
- Member of Special Olympics Mountain Area Leadership Council