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## EDUCATION

Ph.D. University of Oregon, 1992

Educational Psychology: Major areas of study: 1) human development - developmental education and counseling, 2) organizational development and change.

**Dissertation Title:** I CHOOSE SUCCESS: A CURRICULUM FOR TEACHING STUDENTS TO TELL THEMSELVES MORE EMPOWERING STORIES ABOUT THE EVENTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES OF THEIR LIVES

University of Oregon, 1986

Coursework for completing Oregon Teacher Standards and Practices School Principal Certification requirements

M.A. University of Northern Colorado, 1974

Psychology, Counseling and Guidance

B.S. Oregon State University, 1967

Science Education: 1) Chemistry, 2) Math

## PROFESSIONAL TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2014 –

Full-time instructor, Counseling Academic Unit  
College of Education, Oregon State University

2008-2014

Part-time Instructor, Teacher and Counselor Education  
Oregon State University

## **Courses taught:**

### Professional Orientation

Prepared school counselors to work with the professional, legal, and ethical issues they will encounter.

### Masters Practicum

Assisted students in learning microskills and provided group supervision for the tapes and case studies they presented. Organized the practicum program, supervised the doctoral students teaching the other sections, and provided advising/consultation to all practicum students.

#### Leadership in School Counseling

Facilitated students' capacity to utilize the ASCA National Model, the Oregon Framework, and state administrative regulations to develop a comprehensive school counseling and guidance program.

#### Doctoral Quantitative Research and Statistics I, II, III

Prepared PhD students to utilize quantitative research methodologies and statistical analyses in conducting their dissertation and subsequent research.

#### Advanced Career and Consultation

Prepared PhD students to teach career development and consultation classes at the MS level.

2007-2016, June 2006, & July 2005

Part-time Instructor, School Counselor Education & Division of Continuing Education  
Lewis and Clark College, Portland, Oregon

### **Courses taught:**

#### Motivational Strategies for School Counselors

Prepared school counselors to utilize motivational strategies to assist students with academic achievement and college-career readiness.

#### Career Development and Consultation

Facilitated students' ability to utilize comprehensive career development programs in addressing the achievement, education, and career gap.

#### Personal/Social Development and Consultation

Facilitated students' understanding of the use of the ASCA National Model and Search Institute's Developmental Assets model as a means of addressing students personal/social development needs.

#### Introduction to School Counseling

Facilitated students' understanding of the ASCA and NCTSC school counseling models, counseling micro-skills, and solution-focused counseling strategies.

#### Group Facilitation Skills for School Counselors

Facilitated students' understanding of facilitating groups in school settings.

#### Educational Research

Facilitated students' understanding of how to conduct action research.

August, 2007 & June 2006

Part-time Instructor, Counselor Education and Supervision  
Oregon State University, Wilsonville Site, Oregon

**Courses taught:**

School Counselors and Academic Achievement

Facilitated students' application of Motivational Interviewing and the  
Transtheoretical Model of Change to academic counseling and leadership.

April 2006 – June 2006

Part-time Instructor, Special and Counselor Education  
Portland State University, Portland, Oregon

**Courses taught:**

Lifestyle and Career Development

Assisted students in learning how to facilitate the career development of  
their respective constituents.

March 2006 – April 2006

Part-time Instructor, School Counselor Education  
Lewis and Clark College, Klamath Falls Site, Oregon

**Courses Taught:**

Professional Development, Collaboration, and Advocacy

Assisted students in enhancing their professional development, collaboration, and  
advocacy skills to meet their Continuing School Counselor requirements.

September 2005 – December 2005

Part-time Instructor, Division of Continuing Education  
Linfield College, McMinnville, Oregon

**Courses taught:**

Counseling Principles and Theories

Facilitated students' understanding of major theories of counseling and their  
applications to counseling clients.

March, 2005 – June 2005

Part-time Instructor, Counselor Education and Supervision  
Oregon State University Cascades, Bend, Oregon

**Courses taught:**

Appraisal of the Individual

Facilitated students' ability to use their understanding of the psychometric  
properties of an assessment instrument to inform how they share the  
results of an assessment with a client.

January, 2004 - December 2004

Part-time Instructor, Counselor Education and Supervision

The *new* School of Education, Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon

June, 2001 - December, 2003

Instructor, Counselor Education and Supervision

The *new* School of Education, Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon

June, 1990 - May, 2001

Part-time Instructor, Counselor Education and Supervision

School of Education

**Courses taught:**

Organization and Administration of Guidance Services

Facilitated students' capacity to provide leadership to develop and implement comprehensive school counseling programs

Fundamentals of Counseling

Assisted MAT students with the development of their listening skills and their understanding of common emotional issues students face.

Appraisal of the Individual

Facilitated students' ability to use their understanding of the psychometric properties of an assessment instrument to inform how they share the results of an assessment with a client.

Lifestyle and Career Development

Assisted students in learning how to facilitate the career development of their respective constituents.

Grant Writing

Assisted students in learning the steps in the development of a grant application and sources of funding available to school & agency counselors.

Leadership in School Counseling

Facilitated students' capacity to utilize the ASCA National Model of School Counseling and state administrative regulations to develop a comprehensive school counseling and guidance program.

Masters Internship

Facilitated students' development of advanced counseling and problem-solving skills through instruction, consultation, and individual/group supervision.

Masters Practicum

Assisted students in learning microskills and provided group supervision for

the tapes and case studies they presented. Organized the practicum program, supervised the doctoral students teaching the other sections, and provided advising/consultation to all practicum students.

Study of Schools

Facilitated counselor education students in developing their capacity to prepare lesson plans, utilize a variety of instructional strategies, and manage classrooms.

Classroom Instruction for School Counselors

Supervised counselor education students as they completed their student teaching requirement.

Developmental Perspectives in Counseling

Facilitated students' application of their understanding of human development to counseling children and adults in schools and communities.

Counselor Consultation

Facilitated students acquiring the consultation and collaboration skills utilized in school and agency settings.

Doctoral Advanced Appraisal

Facilitated student development of their capacity to teach a masters level class in assessment.

January 1990 - June 2001

Part-time Instructor: Evening Division

Linn-Benton Community College, Lebanon, Oregon

**Courses taught:**

Psychology of Human Relations

Assisted students in their understanding of themselves and others in relationships and how to communicate more effectively.

Psychology as a Social Science

Facilitated student understanding of psychosexual development, gender development, personality, stress, psychopathology and psychotherapy, and attitudes and social behavior.

September 1975 - June 1976

Counselor/Teacher: Weldon Valley Schools, Weldona, Colorado

**Courses taught:**

Sophomore careers and senior psychology

September 1975 - June 1976

Part-Time Instructor: Morgan Community College, Fort Morgan, Colorado

**Courses taught:**

Statistics and Interpersonal Communications

January 1970 - June 1971

Instructor U.S. Air Force, Lackland AFB, San Antonio, Texas

**Courses taught:**

English as a second language to soldiers of the South Vietnamese Army

August, 1967 - June, 1969

Teacher and Asst. Football Coach, Silverton High School, Silverton, Oregon

**Courses taught:**

Ninth grade physical science

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

2007-2016

School Counseling program lead and instructor  
Oregon State University

2007-2016, June 2006 & July 2005

Part-time Instructor, School Counseling  
Lewis and Clark College, Portland, Oregon

August 2007 & June 2006

Part-time Instructor, Counselor Education and Supervision  
Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon

April 2006 – June 2006

Part-time instructor  
Portland State University, Portland, Oregon

September 2005 – December 2005

Adjunct Instructor, Division of Continuing Education  
Linfield College, McMinnville, Oregon

August 2005 – June, 2008

Part-time counselor, West Salem High School, Salem, Oregon

March, 2005 – June, 2005

Part-time Instructor, Counselor Education and Supervision  
Oregon State University Cascades, Bend, Oregon

March 2002 - December 2004

Program Coordinator, Counselor Education and Supervision  
Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon

Coordinated the Counselor Education and Supervision Program including scheduling, budgeting, and entrepreneurial fund development.

August 1981 - June 1982

August 1983 - June 1987

Assistant Principal, Lebanon High School, Lebanon, Oregon

Provided leadership for developing a comprehensive alcohol and drug program.

Provided leadership for the district's staff development program.

Taught a Teacher Expectation-Student Achievement class to staff.

Supervised and evaluated teachers and counselors.

Administered all aspects of the counseling and guidance program.

August 1976 - June 1981

August 1987 - June 1999

Department Head - Counseling, Lebanon High School, Lebanon, Oregon

Provided individual and group counseling and guidance services to students.

Supervised and administered all aspects of the Counseling program.

Served on the Lebanon High School Site Council (1996-98).

Chaired the district-wide Character Education Curriculum Committee.

Co-lead the Celebrating Resiliency committee.

Lead the Student Assistance Team in implementing the district's alcohol and drug program.

Developed and implemented a Peer Helper Program.

August 1974 - June 1976

Counselor - Weldon Valley School, Weldona, Colorado

Provided counseling and guidance services to 200 students in grades K-12.

Provided leadership in developing the Morgan County Counselor's Association.

June, 1971 - December 1972

Unit Statistician - Remedial Reading Training Division, Basic Training, Lackland AFB,  
US Air Force, San Antonio, Texas

Calculated and recorded statistics regarding performance of basic trainees in the Remedial Reading Training Unit.

## **SCHOLARLY AND CREATIVE ACTIVITY**

### **Publications**

- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (October, 2013) *Building Motivation from Within*. ASCA School Counselor.
- Eakin, G. (June, 2002) Going up the river - part 2. *The Counselor* XIII (8) 1,2.
- Eakin, G. (May, 2002) Going up the river - part 1. *The Counselor* XIII (7) 1,2.

### **Presentations**

- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (July, 2016). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. American School Counselor Association, New Orleans, LA.
- Eakin, G. (February, 2016). *Single Subject Research Design to Assess the Efficacy of Interventions*. Evidence-Based School Counseling Conference. University of Georgia.
- Eakin, G. (October, 2015). *Advocate! Advocate! Advocate!* Oregon School Counselor Conference, Salem, OR.
- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (August, 2015). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. Washington GEAR UP Conference.
- Eakin, G. (March, 2015). *Single Subject Research Design to Assess the Efficacy of Interventions*. Evidence-Based School Counseling Conference. Northern Kentucky University.
- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (February, 2015). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. Washington School Counselor Association Conference, Seattle, Washington
- Eakin, G. (October, 2014). *Advocate! Advocate! Advocate!* Oregon School Counselor Conference, Kah-Nee-Ta, OR.
- Eakin, G. (January, 2014). *Single Subject Research Design to Assess the Efficacy of Interventions*. Evidence-Based School Counseling Conference. Northern Kentucky University.
- Eakin, G. (November, 2013). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. Colorado School Counselor Association Conference, Loveland, CO.
- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (February, 2013). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. Washington School Counselor Association Conference, Seattle, Washington
- Eakin, G. (November, 2013). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. Colorado School Counselor Association Conference, Vale, CO.
- Eakin, G. & Hadraba, H. (June, 2012). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. American School Counselor Association. Minneapolis, MN
- Eakin, G., Biles, K., & Dykeman, C. (June, 2011). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. American School Counselor Association, Seattle, WA.
- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (June, 2009). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. American School Counselor Association, Dallas, TX.
- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (February, 2009). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. Washington School Counselor Association Conference, Seattle, Washington
- Eakin, G. (October, 2008). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*.



- Washington School Counselor Association. Spokane, WA
- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (June, 2008). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. American School Counselor Association Conference, Atlanta, Georgia.
- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (February, 2008). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. Washington School Counselor Association Conference, Seattle, Washington
- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (October, 2007) *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. Oregon School Counselor Association Fall Conference, Bend, Oregon.
- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (June, 2007). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. American School Counselor Association Conference, Denver, Colorado.
- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (June, 2007). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. National Center for Transforming School Counseling Eighth Summer Academy – Portland, Oregon.
- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (March, 2007). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. Washington/Oregon School Counselor Association Conference, Vancouver, Washington.
- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (October, 2006). *Enhancing Intrinsic Motivation to Achieve*. Oregon School Counselor Association Fall Conference, Bend, Oregon.
- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (March, 2005). *Academic Counseling and Leadership Using Motivational Interviewing and the Transtheoretical Model of Change*. Lewis and Clark Spring Workshop.
- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (October, 2005). *The Transtheoretical Model of Change, Motivational Interviewing, and Academic Counseling*, Oregon School Counselor Association Conference, Hood River, Oregon.
- Eakin, G. & Biles, K. (June, 2005). *The School Counselor as the Leader of Academic Development Teams*, National Center for Transforming School Counseling Sixth Summer Academy – Houston, Texas.
- Eakin, G., Foster, H., & Jackelen, E. (April, 2005). *Motivational Interviewing and Academic Achievement*, Oregon School Counseling Association Conference, Kahneeta, Oregon.
- Eakin, G. (April, 2002). *Trusting Your Wisdom*, Oregon School Counseling Association Conference - Welches, Oregon.
- Eakin, G. (March, 1997). *Psychology of Innate Health*, 7th Annual Youth in Crisis Conference, Great Falls, Montana.
- Eakin, G. (March, 1996). *Psychology of Innate Health*, 6th Annual Youth in Crisis Conference - Great Falls, Montana.
- Eakin, G. (June, 1994). *Lebanon High School Peer Helper Training*, 8th Annual National Peer Helper Association Conference, Portland, Oregon.
- Eakin, G. (January, 1993). *I'm Going Up the River*, 6th Annual Northwest Regional Lab "Share the Vision" Conference, Portland, Oregon.

## SERVICE

### Service to the Profession

2014-2016 Reach Higher Oregon Coordinator

2010- Advocacy Chair: Oregon School Counseling Association

2007- American School Counselor Association Site-Based Trainer

2007- Education Committee Chair: Oregon School Counselors Association

2004 Public Relations & Audiovisual Chair: Oregon Counseling Association  
Fall Conference  
2004 Oregon Teacher Standards and Practices team conducting an audit  
of the George Fox University School Counseling and School  
Psychology programs  
2003 - 2004 Past President: Oregon Counseling Association  
2003 Co-Chair: Oregon Counseling Association Fall Conference  
2002 - 2003 President: Oregon Counseling Association  
2002 - 2003 Work Group: Oregon Department of Education's Comprehensive  
Guidance and Counseling Framework

Service to the new School of Education: Oregon State University

2008 - Licensure Committee  
2011 – 2015 Personnel Committee  
2004 - 2004 Diversity Action Planning Committee  
2002 - 2004 Dean's Council  
2002 - 2004 Finance Committee  
2002 - 2004 Licensure Curriculum Committee  
2001 - 2004 Licensure Committee

Service to the Community

1987 - 1999 Coordinator of the Lebanon Oregon Together Project - a community  
based ATOD prevention organization.  
1987 - 1999 Made alcohol and drug awareness presentations to numerous civic  
groups.  
1993 - 1995 Initiated the Linn County Commission on Children & Families Youth  
Commission.  
1990 - 1995 Board Member: Linn County Commission on Children & Families

AWARDS

March, 2006 Oregon Career Development Association Esther Matthews Award  
November, 2005 Oregon Counseling Association Human Rights Award  
November, 2004 Oregon Counseling Association Distinguished Service Award  
August, 1999 Oregon School Counselor Association School Counselor of the  
Year  
June, 1996 Lebanon Center of Linn-Benton Community College  
Outstanding Part-time Faculty Member.  
October, 1990 Lebanon Chamber of Commerce Distinguished Services Awards  
Man of the Year

REFERENCES

Dr. Cass Dykeman  
Counseling Academic Unit

Dr. Deborah Rubel  
Counseling Academic Unit

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