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ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- 2005** Co-author of High School's Not Forever, HCI Publications
- 2004-Present** Advisory Board Member Long Island University School Counseling Graduate Program
- 2003-Present** Team Leader Orange County Critical Incident Response Team
- 2003** Presented workshop on First Generation College Student Issues at The College Board's National Forum NY
- 1999-2003** Advanced Placement Coordinator Newburgh Enlarged City School District
- 2002** Created the awarded winning "Best School Counseling Website" in NY
- 2001** Co-authored and presented the advanced Pathways to Equity and Excellence series of counselor training workshops for The College Board
- 2001** Speaker on Equity and Access Issues at The College Board's National Forum Denver, CO
- 2001** Elected V.P. for Secondary Level School Counselors NY State School Counselor Association
- 2000** Presented counselor training workshops on Equity and Access (Equity 2000) to counselors in California, New York, Florida, Connecticut, New Jersey and Rhode Island
- 2000** Recognized by The American School Counselor Association for implementing a developmental Counseling Program based upon the National Standards for School Counselors
- 1999** Featured speaker at the New York State School Counselors Association Convention
- 1998** Selected for the BOCES Vision Leadership Program
- 1997** Featured speaker at the New York State School Counselors Association Convention

COUNSELING EXPERIENCE

1998-Present **School Counselor**
NEWBURGH FREE ACADEMY
NEWBURGH, NY

- ◆ Provide individual and group counseling services to all students in a developmental counseling program based on the National Standards for School Counselors
- ◆ Coordinate the district's Advanced Placement Program
- ◆ Created the Website for the Department of Counseling and Guidance
<http://www.newburghschools.org/newburgh/guidance.cfm>
- ◆ Coordinate College Night bringing in over 100 colleges to our school
- ◆ Enhance my colleagues skills in the use of technology for school counselors
- ◆ Network with college admissions personnel and develop strong contacts that benefit our students
- ◆ Counselor to two of our career themed academies

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**1997-Present Psychotherapist
PRIVATE PRACTICE
WALDEN, NY**

- ◆ Provide Individual and couples counseling

**1997-1998 School Counselor
ORANGE-ULSTER BOCES (BOARD OF COOPERATIVE EDUCATIONAL
SERVICES)
NEWBURGH, NY**

- ◆ Provided educational planning assistance as well as vocational and crisis counseling for individuals and groups
- ◆ Designed and presented workshops for adult learners
- ◆ Established internship sites and supervise the placement of interns in the local community (Resulting in a 98% employment outcome)
- ◆ Created, trouble shot and administered vocational training programs
- ◆ Referred students to community agencies and resources for support services
- ◆ Administered and evaluated vocational and educational assessments

**1995 School Counselor
MID-HUDSON MIGRANT EDUCATION SUMMER PROGRAM
GOSHEN, NY**

- ◆ Organized and conducted counseling for a group comprised of thirteen adolescent migrant farm workers between the ages of thirteen and eighteen
- ◆ Transformed traditional counseling materials to address the interests of the Chicano and Mexican students

EDUCATION

1994-1996 Master of Science in Applied Counseling
LONG ISLAND UNIVERSITY DOBBS FERRY, NY
Honors: 4.0 cum
New York State School Counselor Certification
(California Certification pending)

1980-1984 Bachelor of Fine Arts
S.U.N.Y. NEW PALTZ
NEW PALTZ, NY

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- ◆ VOTING MEMBER OF THE COLLEGE BOARD
- ◆ AMERICAN SCHOOL COUNSELOR ASSOCIATION
- ◆ NEW YORK STATE COUNSELORS ASSOCIATION
- ◆ ORANGE COUNTY (NY) COUNSELORS ASSOCIATION
- ◆ INTERNATIONAL COUNSELORS NETWORK