

Amber E. Steele

CURRICULUM VITA

EDUCATION

- Ph. D. Doctoral Student
Doctor of Philosophy
Georgia State University
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
Degree Date: August 2015
Major Field: Teaching & Learning – Mathematics Education
- Ed.S.
Specialist in Education
University of West Georgia
Carrollton, Georgia 30118
Degree Date: July 2007
Major Field: Middle Childhood Mathematics Education
- M. Ed.
Master of Education
University of West Georgia
Carrollton, Georgia 30118
Degree Date: July 2006
Major Field: Middle Childhood Mathematics Education
- B. S.
Bachelor of Science
Georgia State University
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
Degree Date: May 2005
Major Fields: Middle Childhood Education (Mathematics & History)
- High School Diploma
Northgate High School
Newnan, Georgia 30265
Degree Date: May 2001
Major Fields: College Preparatory Distinction & Gifted Endorsement

EDUCATION TEACHING CERTIFICATES

Teacher Certification	Georgia Educator Certificate – Clear Renewable Atlanta, Georgia Certification: Georgia PSC, T-7 Title/Field Type:												
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PUBLICATIONS

- Saurino, D. & Steele, A. (2008, Spring). Concept journaling to increase higher-order thinking and problem solving skills in mathematics. *Becoming: The Official Journal of the Georgia Middle School Association*, 19(1), 15-24.
- Steele, A. & Chahine, I. (in progress). A mathematics educator's reflective journey understanding the role of writing in mathematics: As a student, teacher, educator, and scholar.

EDUCATIONAL TEACHING EXPERIENCE – PUBLIC SCHOOL

With All Coweta County School System, Newnan, Georgia 30263

Position: Classroom Mathematics Teacher

- Created, modified, and planned appropriate curriculum for all mathematics courses taught while utilizing the State of Georgia and Coweta County School System's approved curriculum
- Used all resources available (technology, textbooks, community, etc.) concurrently with materials I personally create (lessons, graphic organizers, journal prompts, projects, performance tasks, informal and formal assessments, etc.) to ensure all students were awarded the opportunity to reach their highest potential
- Administered informal and formal assessments of all students to accurately assess individuals' performance
- Scored, recorded, and maintained students' individual grades
- Mentor to students

15 – Present Newnan High School

Coweta County School System, Newnan, Georgia 30265

Principal: Dr. C. Puckett chase.puckett@cowetaschools.org

Position: Classroom Mathematics Teacher

- Regular Education & Collaborative Classroom Teacher: Algebra I and Advance Algebra
- Student Government Association Co-Sponsor

12 – 15 Winston Dowdell Academy – Alternative Education
 Coweta County School System, Newnan, Georgia 30265
 Previous Principal: Dr. V. Mamon vern.mamon@cowetaschools.org

Position: Classroom Mathematics Teacher

- Regular Education & Collaborative Classroom Teacher: Math I, Math I Support, Math II, Coordinate Algebra, and Education 20/20
- Transportation Director

06 – 12 Northgate High School
 Coweta County School System, Newnan, Georgia 30265
 Principal: Mr. W. Harrison william.harrison@cowetaschools.org

Position: Classroom Mathematics Teacher

- Regular Education & Collaborative Classroom Teacher: Math I, Math I Support, Education 20/20, Algebra I, Concepts of Problem Solving, Concepts of Algebra
- 9th Grade Advisor
- Junior Class Sponsor & Prom Co-Sponsor
- Media Committee Member

05 – 06 Arnall Middle School
 Coweta County School System, Newnan, Georgia 30265
 Previous Principal: Dr. M. Guy marc.guy@cowetaschools.org

Position: Classroom Mathematics Teacher

- Teach 6th, 7th, and 8th Grade Mathematics
- Student Government Association Sponsor

EDUCATIONAL TEACHING EXPERIENCE – POST-SECONDARY

16 – Present Brenau University
 500 Washington Street, SE, Gainesville, Georgia 30501
 Chair: Dr. E. Williams ewilliams4@brenau.ed

Position: Adjunct Professor – Online Canvas

- Facilitated graduate students in Methods of Educational Research
- Managed the class syllabus and ensuring it meets the standards of the department and college
- Facilitated online discussions
- Collaborated with colleagues on curriculum
- Scored, recorded, and maintained students' individual grades based on participation, performance in class, assignments and examinations
- Mentor to students

17 – Present University of West Georgia
 1601 Maple Street, Carrollton, Georgia 30118
 Associate. Director: Dr. J. Fowler jfowler@westga.edu

Position: eCore Tutor

- Worked with eCore staff/faculty to support students through online tutoring
- Responded to students' questions through the eCore online campus
- Facilitated online discussions
- Collaborated with colleagues on curriculum
- Mentor to students

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

04 – Current Professional Association of Georgia Educators (PAGE), Member

04 – Current National Council of Teachers of Mathematics (NCTM), Member

05 – Current Coweta County School System, Newnan, Georgia
 Committee for Mathematics Scope & Sequence and Curriculum
 Supervisor: Mrs. L. Skinner, Mathematics Content Specialist, Newnan, Georgia

10 – 11 Northgate High School, Newnan, Georgia
 Georgia RESA Assessment of Student Progress – coordinator for Northgate High School
 Supervisor: Mrs. N. Smith, Northgate High School, Newnan, Georgia

12 – 14 Georgia State University, Atlanta, Georgia
 Secretary, Doctoral Students for the Advancement of Mathematics Education (DSAME)
 Supervisor: Dr. I. Chahine, Professor of Educational Mathematics, Atlanta, Georgia

12 – 15 Georgia State University, Atlanta, Georgia
 Writing/Reading Across the Curriculum Advisor
 Supervisor: Dr. I. Chahine, Professor of Educational Mathematics, Atlanta, Georgia

14 – Current National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, NCTM, Reston, Virginia
 Journal Reviewer

AWARDS

12 – 13 Winston Dowdell Academy, Newnan, Georgia
 Teacher of the Year

SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

- 05 – Current Central Baptist Church, Newnan, Georgia
Active Member
- 08 – 14 Newnan Junior Service League, Newnan, Georgia
Executive Council
- 13 – 14 Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA), Newnan, Georgia
Volunteer