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"Northeast Texas Community College exists to provide personal, dynamic learning experiences empowering students to succeed."

Education:

Institution	Major/Areas	Degree	Year(s)	
Texas A&M University-	Higher Education /	Ed.D.	1996	
Commerce	Mathematics			
University of	Mathematics	M.S.E.	1983	
Central Arkansas				
University of	Mathematics	B.S.	1976	
Central Arkansas				

Teaching Experience:

Touching Emperiore		
Institution	Year(s)	
Northeast Texas Community College	1985 – present	
Texas A&M University-Texarkana, Assistant Professor of	2004-2005	
Mathematics (dual appointment)		

Courses Taught at NTCC (last 3 years):

Calculus III, Calculus II (Honors), Calculus I
Linear Algebra
Introductory Statistics (Honors Seminar Psychology/Statistics)

Significant Professional Publications/Presentations (last 3 years):

American Mathematical Association of Two-Year Colleges Teaching Excellence Award, 2013		
Texas Mathematical Association of Two-Year Colleges Teaching Excellence Award, 2004		
Northeast Texas Community College Piper Professor Nominee, 2005, 2006, 2010, 2017, 2019		
Texas A&M University-Commerce Distinguished Alumnus / Department of Mathematics, 2009		
3 rd National Mathematics Summit, Presenter/Mentor, Steering Committee Member,		
AMATYC/NADE, Orlando, FL, November 2018		
National Association of Developmental Education (NADE), "Mathematical Pathways of 'Haves'		
and 'Have-nots' with Ripple Effects". March 2019		

National Developmental Math Summit, Presenter/Mentor, AMATYC/NADE, Anaheim, CA, March 2016

"The Beauty of Mathematics in Gershwin's Jazz", 2015 AMATYC

"The Magnificence of Mozart's Beautiful Music", 2014 AMATYC

"The Beauty of Mathematics in Debussy's Masterful Compositions", 2013 AMATYC

"The Decline of Reading Comprehension Among College Students", 2012 AMATYC

"Create Your Masterpiece", 2013 Annual NTCC Faculty Appreciation Banquet

American Mathematical Association of Two-Year Colleges Developmental Mathematics Committee (approx. 400 members), Chair; Pathways Joint Subcommittee, Co-Chair

AMATYC Position Statements, Lead Author: 1) "Factors Critical to Student Success: 2) "The Science of Learning" Approval and Publication, November 2018

On behalf of AMATYC President, March, 2019, Atlanta, GA, "Ripple Effects of Developmental Math Reform", National Developmental Math Association (NADE) Annual Conference Presentation

National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine in Washington, D.C., Invited guest panelist at a two-day workshop, "Increasing Student Success in Developmental Mathematics", March 2019

AMATYC SW Regional Conference, Frisco, TX, Presentation "Ripple Effects of Developmental Math Reform", June 2019

"Self-Efficacy and Anxiety Solutions", 2021 AMATYC

"The Beauty of Mathematics in Beethoven's Compositions", 2022 AMATYC