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	<b>INDEPENDENT EDUCATIONAL CONSULTANT PRESIDENT, WESLEY EDUCATIONAL SERVICES</b>	<b>1999- present</b>
<b>RECENT CONFERENCE EXPERIENCE</b>	<b>RTI Advisory Panel Program Chair</b> National CEC Conference 2009 Seattle, WA	<b>April 2009</b>
	<b>Response to Intervention</b> Staff Development Resources Cleveland, OH Buffalo, NY Kansas City, MO St. Louis, MO Milwaukee, WI Minneapolis, MN Indianapolis, IN Detroit, MI Boston, MA Atlanta, GA Chicago, IL	<b>July – November 2008</b>
	<b>Response to Intervention Pre-Conference</b> National Council for Exceptional Children's Conference Boston, MA	<b>April 2008</b>
	<b>CEC RTI Conference (sole presenter)</b> Council for Exceptional Children San Diego, CA Reston, VA	<b>2007-08</b>
	<b>National CASE Conference (keynote speaker)</b> Long Beach, CA	<b>November 2007</b>
	<b>Ohio CEC State Conference (sole presenter)</b> Cleveland, OH	<b>November 2007</b>
	<b>Response to Intervention</b> Staff Development Resources Detroit, MI Rochester, NY Austin, TX Dallas, TX Philadelphia, PA Richmond, VA Chicago, IL Indianapolis, IN	<b>February – April 2008</b>

	<b>Meeting the Response to Intervention Challenge</b> Wesley Educational Services Atlanta, GA	<b>October 2007</b>
	<b>Response to Intervention Pre-Conference</b> National Council for Exceptional Children's Conference Louisville, KY	<b>April 2007</b>
	<b>Utilizing Inclusive Education to Achieve AYP</b> Wesley Educational Services Gatlinburg, TN Charlotte, NC Macon, GA	<b>September 2006</b>
	<b>Sopris West Summer Institutes</b> Jekyll Island, GA Gatlinburg, TN Myrtle Beach, SC Virginia Beach, VA	<b>July-August 2005</b>
<b>PUBLISHING EXPERIENCE</b>	<b>Response to Intervention as a Behavioral Model</b> Corwin Press	<b>In Press</b>
	<b>Using RTI for School Improvement: Raising Every Student's Achievement Scores</b> Corwin Press	<b>In Press</b>
	<b>Response to Intervention: A Practical Guide Multimedia Kit</b> Corwin Press	<b>April 2008</b>
	<b>Response to Intervention: A Practical Guide for Every Teacher</b> Corwin Press Bestseller	<b>April 2007</b>
	<b>Positive Outcomes: Utilizing SST as a Tool for School Improvement</b> Wesley Educational Services	<b>September 2004</b>
	<b>Georgia Student Support Team Manual</b> Georgia Department of Education	<b>January 2000</b>
<b>PUBLISHER CONSULTING</b>	<b>Educators Publishing Service</b> Making Connections Intervention RTI Front Matter	<b>June 2008</b>
	<b>Scholastic, Inc.</b> System 44 RTI Front Matter	<b>January 2008</b>
<b>SCHOOL EXPERIENCE</b>	<b>BARTOW COUNTY SCHOOLS</b> Cartersville, GA SST/504 Coordinator and SLD Consultant (part time)	<b>1999-2000</b> <b>2003-2005</b>
	<b>MURRAY COUNTY SCHOOLS</b> Chatsworth, GA	<b>1996 - 1999</b>

Director of Special Education  
Section 504 Coordinator

**BARTOW COUNTY SCHOOLS** **1994 - 1996**  
Cartersville, GA  
Student Support Team Coordinator  
Instructional Lead Teacher, Cass Middle School

**BARTOW COUNTY SCHOOLS** **1992 - 1994**  
Cartersville, GA  
Instructional Lead Teacher, South Central Middle School

**POLK SCHOOL DISTRICT** **1988 - 1992**  
Rockmart, GA  
Special Education Teacher, Eastside Elementary School

***EDUCATION***

Director of Special Education Endorsement  
West Georgia College: 1996

Specialist in Education, Special Education  
West Georgia College: 1992

Masters in Education, Special Education  
West Georgia College: 1991

Bachelor of Arts, English  
Jacksonville State University: 1987