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Education

PhD, University of North Carolina at Greensboro, 1994.
Major: Curriculum and Educational Foundations
Dissertation Title: Joy: A Phenomenological and Aesthetic View

MA, Florida State University, 1986.
Major: History and Criticism of Art
Dissertation Title: Children in the Art of Watteau

BA, University of Oklahoma - Norman, 1983.
Major: Art History, Criticism and Con

Research Area

The diversity of my experience over the past fifteen years has lead me to an understanding of the crosscurrents of American culture. I have studied the problematic forces of conservatism, capitalism and racism, and have found that integrating feminism with spiritual and poetic language can generate practical solutions.

I believe that education is one of the places wherein our societal crosscurrents are mediated. Educational research allows an in-depth study of how our society's ideals and philosophies reach practical application. Thus, I am pursuing an interdisciplinary approach to spiritual, philosophical, ethical and aesthetic questions as they relate to education.

Teaching Area

My goal is to participate as a teacher-educator in re-forming the American cultural consciousness through teaching courses in philosophy, ethics and feminism. As an educator of teachers and future teachers, my responsibility is to encourage learners to confront the major questions of our time through in-depth philosophical inquiry.

Too often, education has suffered from the same fate as philosophy. That is, education has been perceived as having little or no relevance for practical life. Thus, as a teacher-educator, I seek to re-assert the relevance of both education and philosophy to meaningful lives.

As students confront questions such as "Who am I?" within the troubling context of American culture, they realize that philosophy and education are not just academic exercises. Rather, they come to see philosophy and education as the birthplace of new solutions to cultural dilemmas.

This revelation brings new meaning to the students' thought and life.

Awards and Honors

Nomination, Jack Miller Teacher of the Year Award, Teaching. (March 2010).

Professional Memberships

National Association of Social Workers (NASW, Professional), National. (January 2012 - Present).

American Educational Studies Association (A.E.S.A., Academic), National. (January 2008 - Present).

Research on Women and Education SIG of A.E.R.A. (Professional), National. (2004 - Present).

Holistic Education Special Interest Group of A.E.R.A (Professional), International. (2000 - Present).

International Network of Philosophers of Education (INPE), International. (1999 - Present).

American Association of University Professors (AAUP, Professional), National. (1994 - Present).

American Association of University Women (AAUW, Professional), National. (1994 - Present).

American Educational Research Association (AERA, Professional), National. (1993 - Present).

John Dewey Society (Professional), International. (1993 - Present).

American Educational Studies Association (AESA, Academic), National. (1999 - 2009).

Southeast Philosophy of Education Society (S.E.P.E.S.) (SEPES, Academic), Regional. (1994 - 2007).

Philosophy of Education Society (PES, Academic), National. (1993 - 2007).

TEACHING

Teaching Experience

Georgia Southern University

EDLD 9236, Diversity and Ethics for EDLD.
EDUC 2120, Diversity in Ed Context.
EDUC 7130, Curr, Theories & Design.
EDUC 9132, Critical Reading in Curr.
EDUC 9230, Power and Schooling.
EDUC 9631, Adv Sem in Curr Theory.
EDUC 9999, Dissertation.
EDUF 7090, Selected Topics.
EDUF 7231, Comparative Thought.
EDUF 7235, Multicultural Education.
EDUF 8231, Global Education.
EDUF 8831, Philosophies of Education.
EDUF 8890, Directed Individual Study.
EDUF 9131, Ethical Dimensions of Ed.
EDUF 9234, History of American Education.

Directed Student Learning

Dissertation Committee Member, "Teacher Induction Programs in Georgia," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (June 2011 - Present).
Advised: Carey Cushman

Dissertation Committee Member, "Untitled," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (March 2011 - Present).
Advised: Cathy Powell

Dissertation Committee Member, "Candidacy Exam," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (December 2010 - Present).
Advised: Albert Gresens

Dissertation Committee Chair, "ESOL and Curriculum Studies," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (August 2010 - Present).
Advised: Margaret White

Dissertation Committee Chair, Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (January 2010 - Present).
Advised: Sherri Butler

Dissertation Committee Chair, Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (November 2009 - Present).
Advised: Keisha Fisher

Dissertation Committee Chair, "What Keeps Teachers Going?," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (August 2009 - Present).
Advised: Shantara Whitaker

Dissertation Committee Member, "Undecided," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (August 2009 - Present).
Advised: Che Wyatt

Dissertation Committee Member, "Radio and Students with Disabilities," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (May 2009 - Present).
Advised: Alicia Campbell

Dissertation Committee Chair, "Reproductive Technologies and Curriculum Studies," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (January 2009 - Present).
Advised: Donnali Howell

Dissertation Committee Member, Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (January 2009 - Present).
Advised: Consuela Pender

Dissertation Committee Chair, Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (September 2008 - Present).
Advised: Tamla Brownthwaite

Dissertation Committee Member, Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (August 2008 - Present).
Advised: Helen Tatum

Dissertation Committee Chair, "Women's Roles: A Kaleidoscope of Multiplicity and Change," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (May 2008 - Present).
Advised: Melissa Kegley

Dissertation Committee Chair, Curriculum, Foundations and Reading. (May 2005 - Present).
Advised: Simone Burke

Dissertation Committee Member, "Students with Disabilities...", Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (October 2010 - June 2011).
Advised: Jacqueline Awe

Dissertation Committee Chair, Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (November 2009 - December 2010).
Advised: Ashley Briandi

Dissertation Committee Chair, "Shifting cultural Paradigms: Helping Teachers Cross cultural Boundaries," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (August 2008 - December 2010).
Advised: Vickie King

Directed Individual/Independent Study, "Studies of the Holocaust and Racism," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (May 2010 - August 2010).
Advised: Margaret Turner

Dissertation Committee Member, "Candidacy Exam," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (March 2010 - June 2010).
Advised: Mark Mohr

Dissertation Committee Chair, "A Narrative Inquiry into Domestic Violence in Rural Middle Georgia." (January 2005 - May 2010).
Advised: Patricia Walker

Directed Individual/Independent Study, "Desegregation in Macon, GA," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (August 2009 - December 2009).
Advised: Ashley Briandi

Dissertation Committee Chair, "Creating a soul for change: How an experience abroad influences teacher perception and pedagogy," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (December 2008 - December 2009).
Advised: Polly Holder

Dissertation Committee Chair, "Candidacy Exam in Progress," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (September 2008 - December 2009).
Advised: Kirsten Morin

Dissertation Committee Member, Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (August 2008 - December 2009).
Advised: Michel Mitchell

Dissertation Committee Chair, Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (June 2007 - December 2009).
Advised: Natasha Vannoy

Dissertation Committee Chair, "An Exploration of Multiracial Identity in South Georgia," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (May 2007 - December 2009).
Advised: Geralda Nelson

Dissertation Committee Chair, "Conversations about Race with Rural School Teachers," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (January 2006 - December 2009).
Advised: Lawanda Gillis

Dissertation Committee Chair, "Military Children and Holistic Education," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (August 2004 - December 2009).
Advised: Edith Allison

Directed Individual/Independent Study, "Critical Race Feminism," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (May 2009 - July 2009).
Advised: Ahsley Briandi

Directed Individual/Independent Study, "1.A critical examination of the portrayal of African-American men in popular culture," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (May 2009 - July 2009).
Advised: Keisha Fisher

Dissertation Committee Chair, Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (September 2008 - July 2009).
Advised: Tia Armour

Dissertation Committee Chair, "Aesthetics and Community: The Keys to Success in Schools." (August 2007 - December 2008).
Advised: Julie Sessions

Dissertation Committee Chair, "Perceptions of Learning through Cultural Aesthetic Experience: The Role of Cultural Arts in the Process of Intercultural Immersion." (April 2007 - December 2008).
Advised: Nicole Harper

Dissertation Committee Chair, "Scientific Emotions: A Narrative Journey into the Experiences and Reflections of." (April 2007 - December 2008).
Advised: Tina Wilkins

Directed Individual/Independent Study, "Postpositivist Realism and Feminist Theory," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (August 14, 2008 - December 10, 2008).
Advised: Polly Holder

Dissertation Committee Member, Department of Leadership, Technology, and Human Development. (January 2008 - September 2008).
Advised: James Outlaw

Dissertation Committee Chair, "An Exploration of the Roles and Responsibilities of Assistant Principals." (August 2007 - August 2008).
Advised: Cindy Boyett

Directed Individual/Independent Study, "Critical Race Theory and Pedagogy," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (January 14, 2008 - May 7, 2008).
Advised: Kirsten Morin

Directed Individual/Independent Study, "Cross Cultural Teacher-Student Relationships," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (August 2007 - December 2007).
Advised: Vickie King

Dissertation Committee Member, "Implementing Career Academies in a Large, Comprehensive High School," Educational Leadership. (October 2005 - December 2007).
Advised: Delmas Watkins

Dissertation Committee Chair, "A Black Feminist Autobiographical Inquiry into the Experiences of a Teen Mom," Curriculum, Foundations and Reading. (August 2005 - December 2007).
Advised: Advis Wilkerson

Dissertation Committee Chair, "Cultivating Passion in Teaching English Language Learners: A Critical Analytical Inquiry," CFR. (August 2005 - December 2007).
Advised: Victoria Webbert

Directed Individual/Independent Study, "Maxine Greene and Aesthetic Education," Department of Curriculum, Foundations, and Reading. (January 2007 - May 2007).
Advised: Julie Sessions

Directed Individual/Independent Study, "Explorations of Feminist Thought in Curriculum," Curriculum, Foundations and Reading. (January 2007 - May 2007).
Advised: Kimberly Seay

Dissertation Committee Chair, Curriculum, Foundations and Reading. (January 2003 - May 2007).
Advised: Lisa Howell

RESEARCH

Refereed Journal Articles

Peer-Reviewed

Published

Rahimi, R. R., Liston, D. (2011). Race, Class, and Emerging Sexuality: Teacher Perceptions and Sexual Harassment in Schools. *Gender and Education*. (Acceptance Rate: 15%)

Rahimi, R. R., Liston, D. (2009). What Does She Expect When She Dresses Like That?: Teachers' Perceptions of Emerging Female Adolescent Sexuality. *Educational Studies*, 45(6), 512-533. (Acceptance Rate: 17%)

Gilpin, L. S., Liston, D. (2009). Transformative Education in the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning: An Analysis of SoTL Literature. *International Journal for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning*, 3(2). <http://academics.georgiasouthern.edu/ijstol/index.htm> (Acceptance Rate: 18%)

Books, Chapters in Books, Monographs

Published

Rahimi, R. R., Liston, D. (2011). Pervasive Vulnerabilities: Young Girls as Prey to Sexual Harassment. In Joseph L. DeVitis and Linda Irwin-DeVitis (Ed.), *To Appear in Series: Adolescent Cultures, Schools and Society*. New York, NY: Peter Lang.

Rahimi, R., Liston, D. (2011). Teachers Perceptions of Adolescent Sexuality: Hip-Hop and BET vs. Mayberry and the Moral Majority. In Carlson, D., & Rosebororo, D. (Ed.), *Youth Culture, Popular Culture, and Democratic Sexuality Education*. New York: New York: Peter Lang.

Liston, D., Gilpin, L. S. (2010). Reflections on Multicultural Education in the US: A Complicated Conversation. In Daniel Ethan Chapman (Ed.), *Examining Social Theory: Crossing Borders/Reflecting Back* (ed., pp. 271-284). New York, NY: Peter Lang.

Accepted

Rahimi, R., Liston, D. Heterosexism and Homophobia: College Students' Perceptions of Campus Life. In Joseph L. DeVitis (Ed.), *Contemporary Colleges and Universities: A Reader*. New York, NY: Peter Lang.

Refereed Presentations

International

Rahimi, R., Liston, D., AERA Annual Meeting, "Adolescent Issues of Disconnect: Perceptions, Dialogue, Social Change and Leadership: "Male Students' Perceptions of Harassment in School.", " AERA, New Orleans, LA. (April 2011).

Rahimi, R., Liston, D., American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, "Challenging Experiences of Female Administrators and Students: Female Students Perceptions of Harassment in Schools," AERA, Denver, CO. (April 2010).

Rahimi, R. R. (Presenter & Author), Liston, D. (Presenter & Author), American Educational Research Association Annual Conference, "Race, Class, and Emerging Female Sexuality: Teacher Perceptions and Sexual Harassment," AERA, San Diego, CA. (April 2009).

Liston, D. (Presenter & Author), Rahimi, R. M. (Presenter & Author), American Educational Research Association (AERA) Annual Meeting, ""What Does She Expect When She Dresses Like That!" Teacher Roles in Labeling "Sluts", " New York, NY. (March 2008).

Liston, D. (Presenter & Author), Shirah, C. L. (Presenter & Author), American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, "Affirming and Sustaining Joy in the Life Work of National Teachers of the Year," American Educational Research Association (AERA), Chicago, IL. (April 13, 2007).

National

Rahimi, R., Liston, D., AESA Annual Meeting, "Just Playin': Males' Perspectives of Sexual Harassment in Schools," AESA, St. Louis, MO. (November 2011).

Rahimi, R., Liston, D., "Do You Mean That Still Goes On? Young Women's Experiences with Sexual Harassment in High School," American Educational Studies Annual Conference, Denver, CO. (October 2010).

Rahimi, R., Liston, D., Summit for Popular Culture, Youth Cultures, and Democratic Sexuality, "Hip Hop and Bet vs. Mayberry and the Moral Majority: Negotiating Sexuality, Race, and Gender in Schools. A Chapter Preview., " Wrightsville Beach, NC. (February 2010).

Gilpin, L. S. (Presenter & Author), Liston, D. (Presenter & Author), AESA Annual Conference, "Transgressive Education in the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning," American Educational Studies Association, Savannah, GA. (October 2008).

Rahimi, R. (Presenter & Author), Liston, D. (Presenter & Author), AESA Annual Conference, ""If She Dresses like that, she must be Sexually Active": Teacher Presumptions of Adolescent Sexuality and Labeling "Slutty girls", " American Educational Studies Association, Savannah, GA. (October 2008).

Regional

Rahimi, R., Liston, D., GERA Annual Meeting, "Sexual Bullying in School: Male Perspectives on the Matter," GERA, Savannah, GA. (October 2011).

Rahimi, R., Liston, D., Presented at the 10th Annual Southeastern Conference on Cross Cultural Issues in Counseling and Education, "Hegemony, Race, and Teachers' Perceptions," Georgia Southern Counseling and Continuing Education, Savannah, GA. (February 2011).

Rahimi, R., Liston, D., Eastern Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, "Hostile High: Sexual Harassment in High School," AESA, Savannah, GA. (February 2010).

State

Rahimi, R. R., Liston, D., Georgia Educational Research Association Annual Conference, "The "New Hello" and Other Forms of Harassment in Schools," GERA, Savannah, GA. (October 2010).

Rahimi, R. (Presenter & Author), Liston, D. (Presenter & Author), Women and Girls in Georgia, "What does she expect when she dresses like that?": Teachers' Perceptions of Emerging Adolescent Female Sexuality," Institute for Women's Studies at the University of Georgia, Athens, GA. (September 2008).

Liston, D., Gilpin, L. S., Georgia National Association for Multicultural Education, "Exploring Identity in Schools: Tensions of Gatekeepers and Agents of Change," Georgia National Association for Multicultural Education, Atlanta, GA. (March 2007).

Presentations

International

Liston, D. (Other), American Educational Research Association (AERA) Annual Meeting, "Session Chair for Symposium. Ecriture Feminine: French Feminist Writers and Their Significance in Education," American Educational Research Association (AERA), New York, NY. (March 2008). (Invited)

SERVICE

Department Service

Committee Member, Tenure and Promotion Committee. (August 2000 - Present).

Committee Member, Ed.D. Program Committee. (August 1995 - Present).

Committee Member, ad hoc Tenure & Promotion Policy Document Committee. (October 2010 - August 2011).

Committee Member, ad hoc Dissertation Service Policy Committee. (August 2009 - January 2010).

Committee Chair, Tenure and Promotion Committee. (August 2008 - December 2009).

Committee Member, ad hoc Committee on Policies for Ed.D. C.S.. (March 2009 - September 2009).

Committee Chair, ad hoc Committee for Writing Sample Article Selection for Ed.D. C.S.. (January 2009 - September 2009).

Committee Chair, Developed new Course, Research Seminar in Curriculum Studies. (January 2009 - April 2009).

Committee Member, Search Committee Curriculum Studies Assistant/Associate Professor. (January 2009 - April 2009).

Committee Chair, ad hoc Admissions Article Selection Committee. (October 2008 - February 2009).

Committee Member, New Curriculum and Learning Theories Course Subcommittee. (September 2007 - October 2007).

College Service

Committee Member, Curriculum Committee. (August 2002 - August 2011).

Committee Member, ad hoc Strategic Planning Feedback Committee. (March 2011 - May 2011).

Committee Member, Assessment Committee. (August 2008 - July 2009).

Committee Member, ad hoc Assessment Committee. (January 2007 - August 2008).

University Service

Committee Member (Alternate), IRB Committee. (August 2010 - Present).

Committee Member, WGST Advisory Board. (August 2005 - Present).

Committee Member (Alternate), Faculty Grievance Committee. (August 2008 - September 2011).

Committee Member, Graduate Committee. (August 2009 - July 2011).

Committee Member, Women's Network: George and Catherine Peacock Graduate Scholarship Selection Committee. (January 2011 - February 2011).

Departmental Representative, Day for Southern Campaign. (August 27, 2009 - September 4, 2009).

Chairperson, WGST Informal Brown Bag Lunch Coordinator. (August 2007 - May 2009).

Committee Member, Graduate Committee. (August 2003 - August 2008).

Faculty Advisor, Recruitment Luncheon. (January 28, 2008).

Professional Service

Reviewer, Conference Paper, American Educational Research Association. (August 2008 - Present).

Reviewer, Journal Article, Advancing Women in Leadership Journal. (June 2011 - October 2011).

Reviewer, Tenure/Promotion External, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama. (August 2011 - September 2011).

Reviewer, Book, Westview Press, Boulder, CO. (September 2009 - October 2009).

Reviewer, Book, McGraw Hill, New York, New York. (February 2009).

Reviewer, Journal Article, Academy for Educational Studies, Springfield, Missouri. (April 2008).

Development Activities Attended

Engaging in MSW program at SSU, "MSW Savannah State University," SSU, Savannah, GA.
(May 2011 - Present).

Continuing Education, "IRB Members - Basic/Refresher, Basic Course," CITI Program. (August 2010 - September 2010).

Continuing Education, "Social and Behavioral Responsible Conduct of Research, Basic Course," CITI Program. (August 2010 - September 2010).

Workshop, "Online Course Development," CET, Statesboro, GA. (May 2009 - July 2009).

Workshop, "GeorgiaView Faculty Workshop," Center for Online Learning, Statesboro, GA.
(November 4, 2008).

Self-Study Program, "Human Participants Protection Education for Research Teams online course," National Institutes of Health (NIH), Washington, DC. (September 11, 2007 - September 12, 2007).

Workshop, "Digital Measures Training Session," College of Education, Statesboro, GA. (April 2007).