Michael D. Eisner Center for Teaching & Learning  
Impact Report  
2010-2012

Publications: 4 books; 1 book chapter; 8 published articles; 5 published Symposium Proceedings; 2 student theses; 2 submitted articles; 3 modules in progress; 4 articles in progress

- **Neurodevelopment**: 1 article in Collaborative Symposium Proceedings; module in progress; 2 articles
- **Strengths-Based Assessment**: 1 article in Collaborative Symposium Proceedings; 1 submitted article
- **Connecting Cultures**: 1 article in Collaborative Symposium Proceedings; 1 student thesis; 1 published article; 2 articles in progress
- **Co-Teaching**: 2 books; 1 book chapter; 5 peer-reviewed articles; 1 article in Symposium Proceedings; 1 student thesis; 2 articles in progress; 1 module in creation
- **Motivation/Mindsets**: 1 book
- **IEP Group**: 1 article in Collaborative Symposium Proceedings; 1 article submitted; module in creation
- **Research**: 1 book

Presentations: 2 countries, 16 states, 5 keynotes, COE Collaborative Symposium, 3 Colleges in CSUN, 5 local schools, 7 major conferences

- **Neurodevelopment**: Collaborative Symposium, AET (Goldman, keynote), Cardenas, ACT Coordinator training
- **Strengths-based Assessment**: Collaborative Symposium, LDA in Chicago, IL, School workshops in NC, NY and CA
- **Connecting Cultures**: Collaborative Symposium, CSUN Humanities, CSUN Business, CA Council of Teacher Educators, CSUN COE Symposium
- **Co-Teaching**: CSUN COE Symposium, Professional Development Schools conference (Murawski, keynote), LAUSD Collaborative conference (Murawski, keynote), Indiana State Inclusion conference (Murawski, keynote), Co-Teaching Institute (Murawski, keynote), and School workshops: done in AR, CA (including Cardenas, Chime, Vaughn, ArtLAB), CO, IN, MD, NY, OH, TN, TX, UT, VA, WV, WI, WY states & in Tanzania
• **Positive Psychology**: Cardenas, Vaughn  
• **Motivation/Mindsets**: Westmark  
• **Instructional Intelligence**: Vaughn, Cardenas, CHIME  
• **IEP Group**: CA Council for Teacher Educators, CSUN COE Symposium, Teacher Education Division of CEC

**CSUN Coursework: Courses in all depts. except Deaf Studies**

• **Neurodevelopment**: ACT program, ELPS 541a/542a; SPED 400, SPED 579, SPED 580, SPED 509, SPED 501, EED 565M  
• **Strengths-Based Assessment**: EPC Interns working through the Teaching, Learning, Counseling Consortium  
• **Connecting Cultures**: EED 472, EED 575; SPED 628; SPED 580  
• **Co-Teaching**: EED 580, SPED 420, SPED 638, ACT program  
• **Positive Psychology**: EED 575, EED 610, SPED 420  
• **IEP group**: SPED 420, ELPS 681, EPC 680

**Community Connections: Within COE & University, with LAUSD & Other schools, with Research, with National Consultants & Networks**

• **Neurodevelopment** - University faculty/instructors/ coordinators training (150 master teachers); LAUSD partnerships with ACT  
• **Strengths-based assessments** - assessments done in CA, NC, & NY (around 275 children assessed); national network  
• **Connecting Cultures** - University faculty training: CSUN Colleges of Business & Humanities; also partner with LAUSD faculty on project  
• **Co-Teaching** - University faculty training: COE meetings, EED faculty leadership; Student teaching study conducted at CHIME and Cardenas with ACT students (will be replicated)  
• **Positive Psychology** - COE faculty/staff training conducted by G.Jackson multiple times  
• **Motivation/Mindsets** – partnership with national consultants Rick Lavoie and Bob Brooks  
• **Instructional Intelligence** - partnership with national consultant Barrie Bennett  
• **IEP group** – partnership with Family Focus Empowerment Center
Grants/External Funding: 2 grants received, 1 pending, 1 denied

- *Neurodevelopment* – Orphelea grant obtained; Oaks Foundation grant pending
- *Connecting Cultures* – grant applied for (not received)
- *Co-Teaching* – COE Research grant obtained

Students Potentially Impacted: 96, 290 (see attached table)

- *Neurodevelopment* – 18,000
- *Strengths-based Assessments* – 290 families
- *Connecting Cultures* – 15,000
- *Co-Teaching* – 40,000
- *Positive Psychology* – 12,500
- *Motivation/Mindsets* – 5,250
- *IEP group* – 5,250
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