

Patti Drapeau

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Current Positions

Educational consultant at Patti Drapeau Educational Consulting Services
Part time faculty at the University of Southern Maine in Gifted Education

Education

University of Southern Maine, Master of Science in Exceptionality Education with a
focus in Gifted Child Education,
Syracuse University, Bachelor of Arts and Sciences

Certification

Administrator Certificate, K-12, 1993-present
Curriculum Coordinator Certificate, K-12, 1992- present
Professional Teacher Certificate, 1988-present
Gifted and Talented Endorsement, K-12, 1998- present
National Trainer for the Independent Investigation Model (IIM), 2006-2008
National Trainer for the Talents Unlimited Thinking Skills Model, 1988-1999

Published Works: Books

Inspiring Student Empowerment Moving Beyond Engagement Refining Differentiation,
2020, Free Spirit Publishing, Minneapolis, MN
*Sparkling Student Creativity Practical Ways to Promote Innovative Thinking and Problem
Solving*. 2014, ASCD, Alexandria, VA
Great Teaching with Graphic Organizers, 2nd edition, 2010, Hawker Brownlow
Education, Australia
Differentiating with Graphic Organizers Tools to Foster Critical and Creative Thinking,
2009, Corwin Press, U.S. Hawker Brownlow Education, Australia
Differentiated Instruction Making It Work, 2004, Scholastic NY,NY
Great Teaching with Graphic Organizers, 1998, Scholastic NY,NY

Published Works: Articles

Teachers Matter (New Zealand publication)
The Creative Classroom: Where Imagination, Creativity and Innovation Meet,
2011
Promoting Intellectual Play through the Art of Interpretation, 2011
Rigor: Promoting Challenge for All Students, *Teachers Matter*, 2010
Understanding our Gifted (U.S. publication)
Promoting Content Complexity and Depth of Reasoning. 22, 7-10, fall 2009
The Maine Exchange (U.S. publication)

Published series of articles, 1993-1998

University Teaching

Part time faculty at the University of Southern Maine 1990-present

Instructor for courses include:

- Education of the Gifted and Talented
- Curriculum and Methods for Teaching Gifted Students
- Models in Gifted Education
- Productive Thinking and the Gifted Learner
- Program Planning for Teaching Gifted Students
- Teaching Gifted Students in the Regular Classroom
- Critical and Creative Thinking
- Differentiated Instruction, Meeting the Needs of Diverse Learners
- Curriculum Integration

Classroom Teaching

Coordinator/teacher for Gifted and Talented students, Freeport, Maine 1986-2005

Consultant Experience

Consultant for the Maine Department of Education, Augusta, Maine, 2005-2019

International Presentations:

- SLO conference keynote in Nieuwegein, Netherlands November 2019
- ALLT conference keynote Dubai, UAE, March 2018
- MENA summit Dubai, UAE, Oct. 2018
- MENA summit Dubai UAE, Oct. 2017
- Australian Association of Special Education National Conference, Keynote, Adelaide, Australia, 2013
- Teachers Matter Conference Keynote Invercargill, New Zealand, 2013
- Teachers Matter Conference Keynote Bay of Islands, New Zealand 2013
- Adelaide, South Australia (Woodville High School)
- Adelaide, South Australia (Australian curriculum implementation officers)
- Hawker Brownlow Education Conference, Melbourne, Australia, 2011, 2010
- South Australia Department of Education, Adelaide, Australia, 2012, 2011
- Trainix Corporation, Singapore, Singapore, 2010

National, Regional, State Presentations (abridged list)

- Hornell Symposium, Austin, MN 2014-present
- Learning and the Brain Conference Orlando FL, spring, 2016
- Learning and the Brain Conference Boston, MA, fall, 2016
- Association for Supervision and Curriculum Annual Conference:
 - Houston, TX, 2015; Philadelphia, PA, 2012; Orlando, Florida, 2009; Anaheim, CA, 2007; Chicago, IL, 2006

American Creativity Association Conference, Lewiston, Maine, 2011

Council for Exceptional Children, Boston, MA, 2008
Confratute, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT, 2006
Hope Foundation, Niagara Falls, 2009
Louisiana State Gifted Conference Keynote, Natchitoches, Louisiana, 2012
Louisiana State Gifted Conference Keynote, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, 2012
Maine Department of Education Mentorship Conference 2006-2019
Maine Educators of the Gifted and Talented Conference: Lewiston, Maine 2005-2012
Maine Support Network, Rockland, Maine, 2009
National Association for Gifted Children: Minneapolis, MN, 2018, Charlotte, North Carolina, 2017, Orlando, FL, 2016 (upcoming) Phoenix, AZ, 2015, Baltimore, MD, 2014, Indianapolis, Indiana, 2013, Denver, Colorado, 2012, New Orleans, 2011, Atlanta, Georgia, 2010, St Louis, 2009, Tampa, FL, 2008, Minneapolis, MN, 2007 Charlotte, SC, 2006, Louisville, KY, 2005,
New England Conference for the Gifted and Talented: Portland, Maine 2017, Cromwell, CT, 2015, Portland, Maine, 2013, Hartford, CT, 2010, Nashua, NH, 2009, Mansfield, MA, 2008, Portland, ME, 2007, Providence, RI, 2006, Nashua NH, 2005
Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas, 2009
Texas Association for the Gifted Conference, Houston, Texas, 2009
World Conference for Gifted and Talented, Nashville, Tennessee, 2019, Louisville, Kentucky, 2013

Consulting Experiences: Multi-day/Single day Workshop Presentations and Trainings in School Districts

Abridged list:

- Ann Arbor, Michigan
- Belfast, Maine (Grades K-5)
- Biddeford, Maine (Grades K-12)
- Blue Hill, Maine (K-12)
- Brunswick, Maine (K-12)
- Boothbay Harbor, Maine (Grades K-12)
- Clare, South Australia (Gladstone High School)
- Ellsworth, Maine (K-12)
- Fairfield, CT (Grades K-12)
- Hudson, New Hampshire (High School)
- Jackman, Maine (Grades K-12)
- Laredo, Texas
- Los Angeles, California (Grades K-12)
- McAllen, TX (Grades K-12)
- Nashua, New Hampshire
- Pitman, New Jersey
- Portland, Maine (GT program audit)
- Saco, Maine (K-12)
- Vidor, TX (Grades K-12)
- Washington Township, NJ. (Grades K-8)
- West Lakes, South Australia (Pimpala Primary school)

Webinars

ASCD “Sparking Student Creativity” 2014

Dubai American Schools “Sparking Student Creativity”, “Teaching gifted students”
2018, 2017, 2015

Professional Memberships

Association for Supervision of Curriculum Development: ASCD

Council for Exceptional Children: CEC

Council of State Directors for Programs for the Gifted, CSDPG

Maine Educators of the Gifted and Talented: MEGAT

National Association for Gifted Children: NAGC

Awards

Council of State Directors of Programs for the Gifted in appreciation of outstanding
service

New England Region of Gifted and Talented Educators for most outstanding contribution
in the field of gifted education

Maine Educators of the Gifted and Talented for exemplary service in the education of
gifted and talented youth in the state of Maine