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CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

Johns Hopkins School of Education, Baltimore, MD, June 1, 2015 – Present

Doctoral Candidate in Entrepreneurial Leadership in Education and Teaching Assistant

Third year doctoral candidate implementing a program to support systemic innovation in American public school districts through the strengthening social networks.

Teaching assistant for Disciplinary Approaches to Education, Leadership in Educational Organizations, and Research Methods & Systemic Inquiry.

EdTechTeacher Inc., Dorchester, MA, July 1, 2011-Present

Consultant

Lead face-to-face and online workshops about instructional innovation, change management, and technology integration for K-20 educators and school leaders.

Writer – articles have been published at EdTech Researcher at Education Week, Edutopia, and MindShift. Visit brholland.com/writing for a list of publications.

Conference presenter & keynoter – Indiana Connected Educators (ICE) Conference 2017, Technology-Enabled Learning & Leading Institute keynote 2017, SXSWedu 2017, Iowa 1:1 Leadership Conference Keynote 2017, iEngage Berwyn Keynote 2017, ASCD 2015 & 2017, COSN 2014 & 2016, EdTechTeacher Innovation Summits 2012-17, Associazione Italiana Biblioteche Progetto Invitro keynote 2014, iPad Summit South Africa keynote 2015 & 2016

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

St. Michael's Country Day School, Newport, RI: July 2005-September 2011

Director of Academic Technology at a PreSchool-8th Grade independent day school

Collaborated with the faculty to redesign the curricula for grades 2-8 to focus on Universal Design for Learning and Project Based Learning.

Designed iPad Pilot program in 2010 with first generation iPads, and implemented Google for Education in 2008 (first school in RI to adopt the program).

Created strategic plans for technology and classroom instruction based after conducting a needs assessment and gap analysis, and served on the Strategic Planning Committee.

Anteon Corporation: August 2002-December 2004 (now General Dynamics)

Research and Design Analyst

As coordinator of the Innovation Laboratory at the Naval War College, collaborated with the Naval Strategic Studies Group, the Office of Naval Research, DARPA, the Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command (SPAWAR), and the Human Performance Center, to identify and analyze the strategic educational needs for the Navy for the year 2030.

Project lead for the development of an enterprise-level, web-based, communication and training system for the Navy Warfare Development Command (NWDC).

EDUCATION

Harvard University: Education Master's (Ed.M) Degree, June 2002

Concentration – Technology, Innovation, and Education

Northwestern University: Bachelor of Science (BS) Degree, June 1998

Major – Communication Studies

Concentration — Creative Writing for the Media

SKILLS

Communication and Public Speaking Skills

Superb writing skills with experience in journalism, white papers, scholarly papers, and editorial work. Excellent communicator in face-to-face and virtual environments.

Dynamic public speaker and keynoter (see brholland.com/speaking for videos).

Process Skills

Experience pursuing new opportunities, networking, and strategic planning.

Accomplished in the areas of Social Media Communications, Knowledge Management, Human Factors Engineering, and Formative as well as Summative Evaluation.

Technology Skills

Highly experienced working with mobile devices. Proficient in web programming (HTML/PHP/XML/CSS). Skilled with a variety of collaborative tools, database programs, and productivity suites as well as data analysis tools such as SPSS, NVivo, and SOcNET. Adapt quickly and easily to new platforms.