

# Judy Davis Butler

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## Educational Experiences Degrees

**Doctor of Education** in Curriculum and Instructional Leadership (Ed.D, 1995) Department of Curriculum and Instruction

George Peabody College, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN

**Master of Arts** in Liberal Studies (M.L.A., 1982) College of Liberal Studies

University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK

**Bachelor of Science** in Education (B.S.E., 1969) Department of Education

Southern State College (now Southern Arkansas University), Magnolia, AR

Post-doctoral study (1995)

Harvard Graduate School of Education Harvard University

## Professional Experiences

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| August 2011 - present | **Professor** (Tenured), Department of Early Childhood through Secondary, University of West Georgia |
| August 2001 -  2017 | **Associate Director**, Center for Economic Education, University of West Georgia |
| July 2001 –  July 2010 | **Associate Professor** (Tenured), Department of Curriculum and Instruction, University of West Georgia   * **Coordinator**, Secondary and Middle Grades Education Programs, August 2005 to July 2010 |
| September 1996 -  August 2001 | **Assistant Professor** (Tenure-Track), Middle Grades and Secondary Education, Department of Middle Grades and Secondary Education, State University of West Georgia |
| September 1995 -  July 1996 | **Instructor**, Department of Curriculum and Instruction, The University of Texas at Austin |
| August 1993 -  May 1995 | **Graduate Research Assistant**, George Peabody College, Vanderbilt University |



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| August - December 1992 | **Instructor**, Arkansas State University at Beebe, Beebe, Arkansas |
| January 1987 -  August 1994 | **Social Studies and International Education Specialist**, Arkansas Department of Education, Little Rock, Arkansas |
| August 1975 -  February 1987 | **Social Studies Teacher** (7-12), Jessieville High School, Jessieville, Arkansas |
| August 1971 -  March 1975 | **Social Studies Teacher** (6thgrade), Dunbar Middle School, Fort Worth, Texas |
| August 1969 -  December 1970 | **Social Studies Teacher** (5th grade), Prescott Middle School, Prescott, Arkansas |

***Professional Activities***

*Articles Published in Peer-Reviewed Journals*

Huss, R., Jhileek, T, & Butler, J. (2017). Mock interview in the workplace: Giving interns the skills they need for success.

*Journal of Effective Teaching 17*(3), 23 – 37.

Huss, R., Johnson, C., & **Butler, J.** (2016) Getting a foot in the door:

Helping education students “kick it” during interviews. *Journal of the Southeastern Regional Association of Teacher Educators 25*(1).

Arrington, T.L. & **Butler, J. D.** (2014). *His name was Raoul Wallenberg: Courage, rescue, and mystery during World War II*. Notable Trade Book Lesson Plan. *Social Studies Research and Practice, 9*(1). [http://www.socstrpr.org/wp-](http://www.socstrpr.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/04/MS-06582-Arrington.pdf) [content/uploads/2014/04/MS-06582-Arrington.pdf](http://www.socstrpr.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/04/MS-06582-Arrington.pdf)

**Butler, J. D.** (2013). Character education: What has happened to the moral compass? *The Sophist’s Bane, 7*(1-2).

Williamson, J., & **Butler, J.** (2011). *Remember: The journey to school integration.* Notable Trade Book Lesson Plan. *Social Studies Research and Practice, 6*(1), 141-149.

[http://www.socstrpr.org/files/Vol%206/Issue%201%20-%20Spring,%202011/Features/6.1.12.pdf](http://www.socstrpr.org/files/Vol%206/Issue%201%20-%20Spring%2C%202011/Features/6.1.12.pdf)

Nazzal, A., & **Butler J.** (2010). What do middle school candidates know about geography? *GATEways to Teacher Education,*

*20.* Retrieved from <http://www.gaate.org/publications.htm>

**Butler, J**. (2007). A crisis for all concerned. *Reading Today 25*(2), 2.

**Butler, J.** (2005). Supporting students whose parents are divorcing. *Becoming, 17*(1), 18-19.

Strickland, J., & **Butler, J.** (2005). Project citizen revisited: Examining the benefits of a middle grades civic education program. *Becoming, 16*(1), 8-12.

Strickland, J. S., & **Butler J.** (2005). Establishing guidelines for determining appropriate courses for online delivery. *Journal of Interactive Online Learning*, *4*(2), 129.



Strickland, J., & **Butler, J.** (2004). Planting the seed for civic participation: Project citizen for middle grades students.

*Becoming, 15*(1), 24-28.

**Butler, J.** & Strickland J. (2004). Webquests in the middle grades classroom: Teachers’ perceptions. *Current Issues in Middle Level Education, 9*(1), 61- 71.

Bulach, C. R., & **Butler, J. D.** (2002). The occurrence of behaviors associated with sixteen character values. *Journal of Humanistic Counseling, Education, and Development, 41*(2), 200-214*.*

**Butler, J. D.** (2001). Learning how to impact their world: Students and public policy. *Georgia Council for the Social Studies Journal*, 9-10.

Snipes, M. & **Butler, J. D.** (2001). Anthropology in secondary education. *Georgia Council for the Social Studies Journal*, 85- 88.

**Butler, J. D.** (2001). Bessie Moore: Doyenne of economic education. *Curriculum History, 2000***,** 1-6.

**Butler, J. D.** (1999). Global studies in Arkansas: An experiment in state-wide curriculum reform. *International Journal of Social Education*, *14*(1), 93-110.

**Butler, J. D.** (1999). Civics and government standards: Good ideas but who’s listening? *International Journal of Social Education*, *12*(2), 69 - 75.

**Butler, J. D.** (1998). The aftermath of Central High: Surviving 1958-1959. *Curriculum History 98*, 7-11.

**Butler, J. D.** (1996). Global studies in Arkansas: An experiment in state-wide curriculum reform. *Journal of the Midwest History of Education Society*, 23, 124-128.

**Butler, J. D.** (1996). Eleanor, Hillary, and Elizabeth: First ladies and campaigning. *The Social Studies Texan*, *11*(4).

**Butler, J. D.** (1996). Global studies in Arkansas: Teachers’ role in state-wide curriculum reform. *Curriculum 96*, 15-22.

**Butler, J. D.**, & Close, W. (1996). Educational technology and the teaching of history: Promises, practices, and possibilities. *Journal of Educational Technology Systems,* 24(3), 211-223.

**Butler, J. D.** (1989). Vietnam -- A contemporary story. *Arkansas Social Studies Teacher Journal, 14*, 23-28.

*Book Chapters & Conference Proceedings*

Huss, R., Johnson, C., & **Butler, J.** (2015). Collaborating to help education students get a foot in the door. Conference Proceedings. Association of Teacher Educators of Europe: Brussels, Belgium.

**Butler, J.** (2015). (Chapter segment) Selecting activities to personalize the curriculum. In Henson, K. T. Chapter

Four*. Curriculum planning: Integrating multiculturalism, constructivism, and education reform, 5th ed*. Long Grove, IL: Waveland Press.

Baylen, D.M. & **Butler, J.** (2012). Using technology in teaching historical understanding: An evaluation of a professional development program. In P. Resta (Ed.), *Proceedings of Society for Information Technology & Teacher Education International Conference. 2012* (pp. 2703-2707). Chesapeake, VA: AACE. Retrieved from [http://www.editlib.org/p/39995.](http://www.editlib.org/p/39995)



**Butler, J. D.** (2010). Selecting activities to personalize the curriculum. In K. T. Henson, *Curriculum planning: Integrating multiculturalism, constructivism, and education reform* (4th ed., pp. 137-139). Long Grove, IL: Waveland Press.

**Butler, J. D.**, & Myers J. W. (2006). Selecting activities to personalize the curriculum. In K. T. Henson. *Curriculum planning: Integrating multiculturalism, constructivism, and education reform* (3rd ed., pp. 124-128)*.* Long Grove, IL: Waveland Press.

**Butler, J. D.** (2005). The aftermath of Central High: Surviving 1958-1959. In S. Field and L. Burlbaw (Eds.), *Explorations in curriculum history research: A volume in research in curriculum and instruction.* (pp. 281-292). Greenwich, CT: Information Age Press.

**Butler, J.** (2005). The integration of Little Rock Central High. In P. H. Klein and N. A. Wright (Eds.). *GCSS Resource Book: 2005 Yearbook Project of the Georgia Council for the Social Studies*. Atlanta, GA: Georgia Council for the Social Studies.

**Butler, J. D.** (1999). Character and the new millennium: Some things never change*. Looking Forward, Looking Back: Social Studies Education at the Millennium 1999 Yearbook* (pp. 31-36). Atlanta, GA: Georgia Council for the Social Studies.

*Book Reviews*

**Butler, J. D.** (2000) (Ed.). The 1999 Carter G. Woodson book awards. *Social Education*, *64*(4), 222-224.

**Butler J. D.** (2000). Carter G. Woodson book award reviews. *Life in a Japanese internment camp. Social Education*, *64*(4), 223.

**Butler J. D.** (1999) (Ed). Carter G. Woodson book award reviews. *Social Education*, *63*(4), 225-227.

**Butler J. D.** (1999). Carter G. Woodson book award reviews: *Langston Hughes*. *Social Education*, *63*(4), 225.

**Butler J. D.** (1998). Carter G. Woodson book award reviews: *Maya Angelou: More than a poet* by Elaine Slivinski Lisandrelli.

*Social Education 62*(4), 214.

**Butler, J. D.** (1996). Summary and review of *Connecting with the past: History workshop in middle and high schools*.

*Journal of Educational Studies*, *27*(1), 92-96.

**Butler, J. D.** (1999). Critique corner: *Maya Angelou: More than a poet* by Elaine Slivinski Lisandrelli. *Becoming, 11*(1), 21.

*Published Papers in Other Formats*

**Butler, J. D.** (2001). *The role of gender in the crisis at Central High, 1957*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Educational Research Association, New Orleans, LA. ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED 441 892.

**Butler, J. D.** (2000, November). Reflections. *The SAU Stater, 3*(2), 12.

Bulach, C. & **Butler, J.** (1998). *A comparison of character values as perceived by teachers and students at differing grade levels*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Educational Research Association, San Diego, CA. ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED 419 210.

**Butler, J. D.** (1998, February). *The student teaching experience: A comparative study*. Paper presented at the meeting of the Association of Teacher Educators, Dallas, TX. ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED 417 181.



**Butler, J. D.** (1998). Vietnam -- A contemporary story. In Center for the Study of Vietnam, *The Vietnam War: A Workshop for Secondary Teachers*. Lubbock, TX: Texas Tech University. (Reprint)

**Butler, J. D.** (1997). Bradley will be remembered ... *The SAU Stater*, *33*(10), 11.

**Butler, J. D.** (1996). SAU – All the difference in the world. *The SAU Stater*, *33*(5), 2.

**Butler, J. D.** (1996, April). *Civics and government: Standards for adequate participation in American democracy*.

Presentation at the annual meeting of the American Educational Research Association, New York, NY. ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED 407 303.

Communitarian Network (**J. D. Butler** was one of the co-authors). (1994). The role of civic education. In M. S. Branson & C.

N. Quigley, the *Report of the Task Force of the White House and Congressional Conference on Character Education in a Free Society*. Retrieved from [http://www.gwu.edu/~ccps/pop\_civ.html.](http://www.gwu.edu/%7Eccps/pop_civ.html)

# Presentations/Conferences

*Competitive*

Arrington, T. L., Ponder, T., & **Butler, J.** (March, 2019). *Technology and the soft skills: Strategies for secondary social studies.* Annual meeting of the Society for Information Technology and Teacher Education (SITE) in Las Vegas.

Arrington, T. L., Gilles, B., Ponder, T., & **Butler, J**. (February, 2019). *Finding your way to the 4Cs through technology*.

Annual meeting of the Association of Teacher Educators in Atlanta, GA. (Accepted)

Strickland, J., & **Butler, J.** (October, 2018). *Where do we grow from here? Hands on population education.* Annual meeting of the National Council on Economic Education in Atlanta, GA. (Accepted).

Arrington, T. L. & **Butler, J.** (October, 2018*). Teaching in a world without textbooks.* Annual meeting of the Georgia Council for the Social Studies in Athens, GA. (Accepted).

**Butler, J.** (October, 2018). *Citizenship in the digital world.* Annual meeting of the Academy for Educational Studies in Kansas City, KS. (Accepted).

**Butler, J**. & Ponder, T. (November, 2017). *Preparing to teach in the 21st century.* Annual Conference of the National Council for the Social Studies in San Francisco, GA.

Strickland, J., **Butler, J**. & Huss, R. (October, 2017). *Publish in GATEways: Meet the editors.* Annual meeting of the Georgia Association of Teacher Educators at Lake Blackshear, GA.

**Butler, J**. (October, 2017). *Mining the Internet for edTPA nuggets.* Annual meeting of the Georgia Association of Teacher Educators at Lake Blackshear, GA.

Strickland, J., Huss, R., Drake, J., **Butler, J**., Steed, L., Wadlington, C., & Ramsay-Jordan, N.(October, 2017). *Toward a more interdisciplinary program and department: Practicing what we preach.* Annual meeting of the Georgia Association of Teacher Educators at Lake Blackshear, GA.



**Butler, J.** (October, 2017). Moderator. *Preparing educators for a world beyond imagination: Perspectives from leaders in education.* Annual meeting of the Georgia Association of Teacher Educators at Lake Blackshear, GA.

**Butler, J.** (November, 2015). *Thirty-one ways to change the world by 4,386 children.* Notable Trade Book Presentation.

National Council for the Social Studies annual conference, New Orleans, LA.

**Butler, J.** & Evans, L. (October, 2015). *GPB and you.* Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

Edelman, J., Huss, R. & **Butler, J**. (October, 2015). *edTPA pilot study: What worked and what*

*we need to think about.* Southeast Regional Association of Teacher Educators annual meeting, Jekyll Island, GA.

Strickland, J., **Butler, J**., & Huss, R. (October, 2015). *Publish in GATEways: Meet the editors.*

Southeast Regional Association of Teacher Educators annual meeting, Jekyll Island, GA.

Johnson, C., Huss, R., & **Butler, J**. (August, 2015). *Getting a foot in the door: Helping education students kick it during interviews*. European Association of Teacher Educators annual conference, Glasgow, Scotland.

Johnson, C., Huss, R., Mosier, B. & **Butler, J.** (April, 2015). *Getting a foot in the door: Helping education students kick it during interviews*. Innovations in Pedagogy: University of West Georgia.

Johnson, C., Huss, R. & **Butler, J.** (February, 2015). *Getting a foot in the door: Helping education students kick it during interviews*. Association of Teacher Educators annual conference, Phoenix, AZ.

Johnson, C., Huss, R. & **Butler, J.** (October, 2014). *Getting a foot in the door: Helping education students kick it during interviews*. Georgia Association of Teacher Educators annual meeting, Brasstown Resort, Hiwassee, GA.

Ponder, T. & **Butler, J.** (October, 2014). *Technology and differentiation: A match made in heaven.* Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA*.*

Arrington, T.L. & **Butler, J. D.** (November, 2013). *Raoul Wallenberg*. Notable Trade Book Presentation. National Council for the Social Studies annual conference, St. Louis, MO.

Strickland, J. & **Butler, J.** (October, 2013). *Publish in GATEways*. Georgia Association of Teacher Educators annual conference, Jekyll Island, Georgia.

Ponder, T, & **Butler, J.** (October, 2013). *Bring your own technology: What’s a teacher to do?* Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

**Butler, J.**, Baylen, D. M., Ponder, T., & Smalls, L. (October, 2012). *Using Comic Life to teach middle grades economics' standards*. Georgia Council of Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

Owen, S., & **Butler, J. D.** (October, 2012). *The state of social studies*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

Thrasher, T., Butts, F., & **Butler, J. D.** (October, 2012). *Knowing is not enough: Dispositions for pre-service*. Georgia Association of Teacher Educators annual conference, Atlanta, GA.

Strickland, J., & **Butler, J.** (October, 2012). *Publishing in GATEways*. Georgia Association of Teacher Educators annual conference, Atlanta, GA.



Strickland, J., & **Butler J. D.** (April, 2012). *Journal talks*. American Education Research Association annual conference, Vancouver, Canada.

Baylen, D., & **Butler, J.** (March, 2012). *Using technology in teaching historical understanding: An evaluation of a professional development program.* Society for Information Technology and Teacher Education annual conference, Austin, TX.

Strickland, J., **Butler, J.**, & Harkins, D. (October, 2011). *Comparing methods of assessing pre- service teachers’ knowledge, skills, and dispositions*. Southeast Regional Association of Teacher Educators annual conference, Savannah, GA.

**Butler, J.** (October, 2011). *The state of social studies: A conversation*. Georgia Council of Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

**Butler, J.**, Baylen, D. M., & Ponder, T. (October, 2011). *Improving middle grades' teaching using technology.* Georgia Council of Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

**Butler, J.**, & Gustafson, L. (October, 2011). *Collaborations between centers and the Federal Reserve Bank.* Council on Economic Education annual conference, Chicago, IL.

Hebert, K., & **Butler, J.** (October, 2010). *Using technology to teach historical understanding in secondary school classrooms.*

Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

**Butler, J. D.**, & McCarty, L. (October, 2010). *We the people.* Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

**Butler, J. D.**, & Nazzal, A. (October, 2010*). What do middle school candidates know about geography?* Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (November, 2010). *Vistas, visions, & voices: Exemplary lesson plans for teaching social studies*. National Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Denver. CO.

**Baylen, D.**, & Butler, J. D. (November, 2009). *Notable trade book lessons that inspire dreams and deeds*. National Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Atlanta, GA.

**Butler, J. D.**, & Strickland, J. (June, 2009). *We the people... the citizen and the Constitution*. Learning Festival, Carrollton, GA.

**Butler, J. D.**, & Roach, P. (November, 2008). *Remembering 1968*. National Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Houston, TX. (Wrote proposal. Did not present due to budget cuts.)

**Butler, J. D.** (October, 2008). *Remembering 1968*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

**Butler, J. D.**, & Stakes, M. (October, 2008). *Project citizen*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (November, 2007). *The integration of Little Rock Central High*. National Social Studies Specialists Association annual conference, San Diego, CA.

**Butler, J. D.** (November, 2007). *The integration of Little Rock Central High*. Council of State Social Studies Specialists annual conference, San Diego, CA.

**Butler, J. D.**, & Stakes, M. (October, 2007). *Project citizen*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference.

Athens, GA.



**Butler, J. D.**, & Roach, P. (October, 2007). *The integration of Little Rock Central High*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

**Butler, J. D.**, & Stakes, M. (October, 2006). *Project citizen*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

Strickland, J., & **Butler, J. D.** (October, 2006). *Where do we grow from here? Hands on population education.* Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference. Athens, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (October, 2006). *The magic of mentoring.* Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference. Athens, GA.

Hahn, C. L., & **Butler J.** (November, 2005). *Researching social studies: Insights and questions*. National Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Kansas City, MO. (Chair).

**Butler, J. D.** (October, 2005). *Citizenship in the middle grades…Project citizen*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

**Butler, J. D.**, & Roach, P. (November, 2004). *The aftermath of Central High School, 1957*. National Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Baltimore, MD.

**Butler, J. D.**, & Roach, P. (October, 2004). *The aftermath of Central High School, 1957*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

Strickland, J., & **Butler, J. D.** (October, 2004). *Project citizen: A quest in teaching students about public policy*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference. Athens, GA.

Gustafson, L., & **Butler, J. D.** (October, 2003). *Building collaboration between colleges of business and education*. National Council on Economic Education annual conference. New Orleans, LA.

Nazzal, A., & **Butler, J. D.** (October, 2002). *Citizenship today: Making it meaningful and meeting the middle level QCC*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference. Athens, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (October, 2002). *New kids on the block: Helping new teachers survive*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (October, 2002). *Sharing the world of six billion: Hands-on activities for global understanding*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Athens, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (January, 2002). *Enhancing core courses via Webquests*. International Alliance of Teacher Scholars. Lilly Conference on College and University Teaching, Athens, GA.

**Butler, J. D**., & Banks, J. (November, 2001). *Conversation with James Banks* (Moderator). National Council for the Social Studies (NCSS) annual conference. Washington, DC.

Banks, J., & **Butler, J. D.** (November, 2001). *Conversation with James Banks* (Moderator)*.* Council of State Social Studies Specialists meeting, Washington, DC.

**Butler, J. D.** (October, 2001). *Project citizen in Georgia*. Georgia Leadership Association of Social Studies Coordinators meeting. Augusta, GA.



**Butler, J. D.** (February, 2001). *Project citizen*. Georgia Middle School Association annual conference, Savannah, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (November, 2000). *Citizenship and social studies: A research perspective.* National Council for the Social Studies annual conference, San Antonio, TX.

**Butler, J. D.** (October, 2000). *Project citizen*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Atlanta, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (October, 2000). *The role of women in the crisis at Central High, 1957*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Atlanta, GA.

**Butler, J. D.**, & Hightower, A. (April, 2000). *Alternative certification programs in Georgia*. National Association for Alternative Certification special meeting, Arlington, VA.

**Butler, J. D.** (February, 2000). *The DeKalb project: A model alternative teacher preparation program.* Poster session. Lilly Conference South, International Alliance of Teacher Scholars, University of Georgia, Athens, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (November, 1999). *New kids on the block*. National Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Orlando, Florida.

**Butler, J. D.** (October, 1999). *Provisionally certified teachers: A year of research*. American Association for Teaching and Curriculum annual conference, Orlando, Florida.

**Butler, J.** (March, 1999). *The technological morphing of a reluctant professor*. Georgia Association of Teacher Educators annual conference, Callaway Gardens, GA.

Lumpkin, A., & **Butler, J. D.** (February, 1999). *Collaboration and partnership: Keys to successful alternative certification.*

Association of Teacher Educators annual conference, Chicago, IL.

**Butler, J. D.** (January, 1999). *New kids on the block: Successful induction programs*. National High School Association annual conference, Nashville, TN.

**Butler, J. D.** (October, 1998). *The aftermath of Central High: Surviving 1958-1959*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Atlanta, Georgia.

**Butler, J. D.** (November, 1998). *The aftermath of Central High: Surviving 1958-1959*. National Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Anaheim, CA.

**Butler, J. D.** (November, 1998). *Conversation with the artist of Carter G. Woodson secondary winner: Langston Hughes*. National Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Anaheim, CA.

Lumpkin, A., & **Butler, J. D.** (March, 1998). *Collaboration and partnership: Keys to successful alternative certification*. Georgia Association of Teacher Educators and the Georgia Association of Colleges of Teacher Education annual conferences, Jekyll Island, GA.

Scherm, C., & **Butler, J. D.** (March, 1998). *Student teaching: A comparative study*. Georgia Association of Teacher Educators and the Georgia Association of Colleges of Teacher Education annual conference, Jekyll Island, GA.

Hightower, A., & **Butler, J. D.** (April, 1998). *A new paradigm for the collaborative preparation of provisionally certified teachers*. Georgia Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development annual conference, Clayton

State University, Morrow, GA.



**Butler, J. D.** (April, 1998). *Central High, 1957: A crisis for all concerned*. Georgia Association of Historians annual conference, Hiawassee, GA.

Bulach, C., & **Butler, J. D.** (April, 1998). *A comparison of character values as perceived by teachers and students at differing grade levels*. American Educational Research Association annual conference*,* San Diego, CA.

**Butler, J. D.** (April, 1998). *The aftermath of Central High: Surviving 1958-1959*. Society of the Study of Curriculum History annual conference, San Diego, CA.

**Butler, J. D.** (February, 1998). *The student teaching experience: A comparative study*. Association of Teacher Educators annual conference, Dallas, Texas.

**Butler, J. D.** (November, 1997). *Traditional assessment in the social studies classroom*. National Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Cincinnati, OH.

White, C., & **Butler, J. D.** (November, 1997). *Transforming social studies teacher education*. National Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Cincinnati, OH.

**Butler, J. D.** (October, 1997). *Student teaching: A comparative study*. Georgia Association of Teacher Educators annual conference, Macon, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (October, 1997). *Internet and the social studies*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Columbus, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (October, 1997). *Character education: Coat of many colors*. Georgia Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Columbus, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (September, 1997). *Caught behind the lines: Teachers in crisis at Central High*. International Standing Committee on the History of Education conference*,* St. Patrick's College, University of Ireland, Maynooth, Ireland.

**Butler, J. D.** (March, 1997). *Developing K-3 social studies activities*. Georgia Teachers of English to Students of Other Languages annual conference, Carrollton, GA.

Davis, O. L., Jr., Burlbaw, L., Field, S., & **Butler, J. D.** (March, 1997). *Social studies standards: Tools for review and reform*. Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development annual conference, Baltimore, MD.

**Butler, J. D.**, & Kolar, S., (March, 1997). *Czech communities: Lessons for children and lessons for educators*. Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development annual conference, Baltimore, MD.

**Butler, J. D.** (September, 1996). *Eleanor, Hillary, and Elizabeth: First ladies and campaigning*. Conference of District Social Studies Coordinators, Georgia Department of Education, Macon, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (November, 1996). *Career research award: A conversation with* (Moderator). National Council for the Social

Studies annual conference, Washington, DC.

**Butler, J. D.**, & Kolar, S. (November, 1996). *Czech communities: Lessons for children and lessons for educators*. National Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Washington, DC.

White, C., & **Butler, J. D.** (November, 1996). *Social studies teacher education: The gap between theory and practice*.

National Council for the Social Studies annual conference, Washington, DC.



**Butler, J. D.** (November, 1996). *The student teaching experience: A comparative study*. Annual conference of the College and University Faculty Association*,* National Council for the Social Studies, Washington, DC.

**Butler, J. D.** (October, 1996). *"What are we teaching Bubba’s kid?" or "How does he know he is an American?"* American Association for Teaching and Curriculum annual conference, San Antonio, TX.

**Butler, J. D.**, & Kolar, S. (October, 1996). *Czech communities: Lessons for children and lessons for educators*. Texas Council for the Social Studies annual conference*,* Houston, TX.

*Invited Presentations and Workshops*

Arrington, T. L. **& Butler, J. D.** (August, 2018). Symposium for Pre-service Teachers, COE, UWG.

**Butler, J.** (May, 2008). *Programs at UWG*. Invited presentation made at Kagoshima University, Kagoshima, Japan. **Butler, J. D.** (June, 2008). *Smithsonian education*. Invited workshop facilitated at the Learning Festival, Carrollton, GA. **Butler, J. D.** (July, 2004). *Law-related education workshop*. Invited presentation made at the Carl Vinson Institute. Capitol

Education Center, Atlanta, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (April, 2004). *Civic Education Summit*. Invited panel presentation made for the Secretary of State (Kathy Cox).

Capitol Education Center, Atlanta, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (January, 2002) *Citizenship*. Invited workshop (in-service) delivered at Cobb County School System, Kennesaw, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (January, 1999). *The aftermath of Central High: Surviving 1958-1959*. Invited presentation at the Faculty Research Luncheon, College of Education, UWG, Carrollton, GA.

**Butler, J. D.** (May, 1998). *Crisis at Central High: Caught behind the lines*. Invited presentation at the Faculty Research Luncheon, College of Education, State University of West Georgia, Carrollton, GA.

## Current Professional Affiliations

* American Association of Teacher Educators
* National Council for the Social Studies
  + Council of State Social Studies Specialists
* Georgia Council on Economic Education
* Georgia Association of Teacher Educators
* Georgia Council for the Social Studies
  + Georgia Council for the Improvement of Social Studies, President, 2010-2011



## Professional Service

*National Committees*

National Council for the Social Studies

* Chair (1995-2002, 2002-2005), Career Research Award Sub-Committee
* Member (2003), Conference Program Planning Committee (Chicago, November 2003)
* Member (1996-1999), Carter G. Woodson Award Committee, Member (1995-1998, 1999-2001, 2002- 2004), Research Committee
* Member (2006-2009), Publications Committee
* Member (2005), Awards Committee

Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation

* NCSS/CAEP Program Review (was NCATE) (15)
* NCATE/CAEP Board of Examiners, Georgia Professional Standards Committee (2013 – 2016) (4)
* CAEP National Reviewer (2017 – 2018) (4)

*National Boards*

* Member (2003-2005), Educational Advisory Committee, National Constitution Center, Philadelphia, PA
* Member (1999-2010), Education Advisory Board, Southern Center for International Studies, Atlanta, GA
* Member (1996-2012), Education Advisory Board, People of America Foundation

*State Committees*

* Member, USG Senate Chairs, (2017 - 2020)
* Member (2015 - 2016), Statewide Social Studies Precision Review/DOE/State Board of Education
* Member (2015), Social Studies Review of Georgia Performance Standards (Board of Regents)
* Member (2011-2014), Social Studies Advisory Board, Georgia Department of Education
* Member (2011-2018), Executive Board (Ex-Officio as Co-Editor, *GATEways*), Georgia Association of Teacher Educators
* Executive Secretary (2014 – 2018), Georgia Association of Teacher Educators.
* Member (2006-2007), Research Committee, Georgia Council on Economic Education
* Member (2005-2018), Program Committee, Georgia Council on Economic Education

*University Committees*

* Chair (2007-2008), College of Education Dean’s Search Committee
* Member (2012), NCAA Feasibility Study
* Member (2010-2011), Task Force on International Programs and Services
* Member (2007-2009), University Academic Programs Committee
* Member (2006-2011), Teacher Education Advisory Committee
* Member (2003-2004, 2005-2007), Faculty and Administrative Staff Personnel Committee
* Member (2003-2004), Learning Resources Committee
* Member (2003-2004), Graduate Research Award Committee
* Member (1998-2000), General College Matters Committee
* Member (1996-2011), Committee on Graduate Studies (COGS)
* Member (1996-1997), P-16 University Committee
* Senator (2001-2002), (2013-2016), Faculty Senate
* Chair (2015 – 2016) (2013-2016), Student Affairs Committee



* + Chair, UWG Faculty Senate (2018 – 2019)
* Member (2014), University Post Tenure Review Committee
* Member (2014 – 2016), Student Activity Fee Budget Allocation Committee
* (2015) Moye Scholarship Selection Committee
* (2015) Campus Who’s Who Selection Committee
* Athletic Fees Committee, 2015.

*College Committees*

* Member (2016), COE Reorganization Committee
* Chair (2012), Tenure and Promotion Review Committee
* Chair (2008-2013), International Education Committee, Started programs in Japan and Costa Rica.
* Chair (2005), Teacher Education Field Experience Evaluation (TEFEE) Sub-Committee
* Editorial Board member (1996-1997), *The Gatherings* (College of Education Newsletter for the Area schools)
* Member (2011-2013, 2015 - 2018), Faculty Governance Committee
* (2015) Vice Chair
* (2016) Chair
* Member (2011-2012), Graduate Studies Advisory Board
* Member (2011-2014), Field Experience Committee
* Member (2014) Advanced Programs Work Group, CAEP
* Member, (2012-2014), University Council on Education Preparation
* Member (2009-2010), Accreditation Committee
* Member (2007-2008), Research Council
* Member (2006-2009), TEFEE committee
* Member (2004-2005, 2009-2010), Assessment Committee
* Member (2004, 2011), Tenure and Promotion Review Committee
* Member, (2013-2014), edTPA Study Committee
* Member (2003, 2006, 2007, 2011), Post Tenure Review Committee
* Member (1999-2000), Undergraduate Research Committee
* Member (2000-2001), Teaching Materials Center Advisory Committee
* Chair (2005), Teacher Education Field Experience Evaluation (TEFEE) Sub-Committee
* Editorial Board member (1996-1997), *The Gatherings* (College of Education Newsletter for the Area schools)
* Member (1999-2000), Professional Development Committee
* Member (1998-1999, 2000-2001, 2012-2013), Convocation Committee (now Academic Assembly)
* Member (1998-1999), Technology Committee
* Member (1998-1999), Standards-Based Teacher Education Programs (STEP)
* Member (1998-1999), Faculty Council
* Member (1998-1999), Collaborative School Committee
* Member (1997-1998, 2009-2011), NCATE Committee
* Member (1997-1998), Ed.S. Program Planning for Dalton Committee
* Member (1997-1998), Conceptual Framework Committee
* Member (1997 Fall), Merit Pay Ad-Hoc Committee
* Member (1996-1997), Strategic Planning Committee
* Member (1996-1997), Professional Development Schools Committee
* Member (1996-1997), Ed.D. Program Proposal Planning Committee
* Member (1996-1997), Academic Affairs Sub-Committee to Faculty Governance



*Departmental Committees*

* Member, (2018), Tenure and Promotion Committee, Department of Early Childhood Through Secondary Education
* Chair, Search Committee, (2016 – 2017), Department of Early Childhood Through Secondary Education
* Member (2016), Pre-Tenure Review, Department of Early Childhood Through Secondary Education
* Chair (2015), Third-Year Review (Pre-Tenure) Committee, Department of Leadership and Applied Instruction.
* Chair (2003), Third-Year Review (Pre-Tenure) Committee, Department of Curriculum and Instruction
* Chair (2007), Tenure and Promotion Committee, Department of Curriculum and Instruction
* Chair (2008-2009), Search Committee for Department Chair (Curriculum & Instruction), Department of Curriculum and Instruction
* Chair (2009-2010), Search Committee for Professor (Curriculum & Instruction), Department of Curriculum and Instruction
* Chair (2010), Tenure and Promotion Committee, Department of Leadership and Applied Instruction
* Departmental Committee on Comprehensive Exams, 1997 – 2015
* Department Search Committees, 1997, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010
* Member (1996-1997), Committee on Semester Conversion, 1996-1997
* Member (2000-2010), Tenure and Promotion Committee, Department of Curriculum and Instruction
* Member (2001-2009), Third-Year Review (Pre-Tenure) Committee, Department of Curriculum and Instruction
* Member (2014), Third-Year Review (Pre-Tenure) Committee, Department of Leadership and Instruction
* Member (2003), Search Committee (Faculty), Department of Curriculum and Instruction
* Member (2005), Search Committee (Faculty), Department of Curriculum and Instruction
* Member (2006), Search Committee (Faculty), Department of Curriculum and Instruction
* Member (2007), Post Tenure Committee, Department of Curriculum and Instruction
* Member (2007), Search Committee (Faculty), Department of Curriculum and Instruction
* Member (2009), Search Committee (Faculty), Department of Curriculum and Instruction
* Member (2010), Search Committee (Faculty), Department of Leadership and Applied Instruction

## Doctoral Dissertation Committees

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| **Title/Student** | **Role** | **Affiliation** | **Year** |
| Not yet named. Paquita Morgan | Chair | University of West Georgia | 2019 |
| Assistive Technology: An Analysis of Educator’s Perceptions, Joy Griffith | Member | University of West Georgia | 2016 |
| School Resource Officers/ Scott Gravitt | Member | University of West Georgia | 2017 |
| Differentiated Instruction: An Analysis of Approaches and Applications. Gina Smeeton | Member | University of West Georgia | 2017 |



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| Christy Hiett | Member | University of West Georgia | 2017 |
| Not yet named. Andrew Sherman (on leave) | Member | University of West Georgia | In Progress |
| *Teacher Racial Congruence with Administrative Teams: A Qualitative Case Study*/ Jay Fowler | Member | University of West Georgia | 2015 |
| *Student social media use at an access institution/*Jesse Bishop | Chair | University of West Georgia | 2015 |
| *Cognitive strategy instruction: Improving reading comprehension and reading self-efficacy of struggling learners using thinking maps*/ Dawn H. Bennett | Member | University of West Georgia | 2015 |
| *Scheduling adolescent achievement:*  *eighth-graders and the four-day school week/*Jessica L. Fleming | Chair | University of West Georgia | 2016 |
| *Describing the critical components of a k-12 university partnership model/*K.J. Birkenfield | Member | University of West Georgia | 2015 |
| *Opportunities for students participation in high school organizational leadership dialogue and decision-making and their effects on academic achievement and civic participation*/ Jennifer Elaine Elemen | Member | University of West Georgia | 2014 |
| *Project-based learning in online social studies classrooms: A study of teaching strategies* / E. A. Roycroft | Chair | University of West Georgia | 2014 |
| *Content analysis of the integration of African topics into world history curricula in Georgia* / J. E. Hoover | Member | University of West Georgia | 2011 |
| *An exploration of the relationship between school climate and professional staff’s perceptions of the maturity of professional learning communities in a large urban school system undergoing high school reform* / D. D. Simon | Member | University of West Georgia | 2010 |



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| *A mixed-method study of the relationship between professional learning communities and teacher individual and collective efficacy* / L. A. Ware | Member | University of West Georgia | 2008 |
| *Facilitating productive teacher collaboration* / J. A. Rouse | Member | University of West Georgia | 2006 |
| *Schools behind barbed wire: The untold story of wartime internment and the children of arrested*  *enemy* / K. L. Riley | Member | University of Texas at Austin | 1996 |

*Service to the Discipline and Profession*

* *Georgia Council on Economic Education, State Program Committee,* 1999 - 2029
* *GATEways to Teacher Education*, Co-editor, 2011-2018.
* *We the People…the Citizen and the Constitution*, Workshop, April, 2011. Paulding County Schools.
* *We the People…the Citizen and the Constitution,* Workshop, January, 2011. Cobb County Schools.
* *We the People…the Citizen and the Constitution*, 2-day workshop, UWG, January 28-29, 2009.
* *We the People Competition*, state judge, Georgia, 2000 - 2010
* Center for Economic Education, UWG, 5 workshops per year – 1999 - 2017
* *We the People…the Citizen and the Constitution*, 2-day workshop, Berry College, September 28-29, 2006
* Paulding County Instructional Fair, 2006
* Thomas Murphy Center for Public Service Advisory Board, 2003 – 2005
* Review Board, *Contemporary Issues in Technology and Teacher Education*, *Curriculum History* (2018)
* Review Board for Association for the Advancement of Computing in Education (2018)
* Review Board, Corwin Press, Allyn and Bacon and Routledge, Taylor and Francis Group*.*
* *Social Studies Research and Practice*, Feature Editor, 2005 – 2015
* Teaching Alternative Preparation Program workshops, Grantville and Griffin RESAs, 2001
* Director, The DeKalb Project, 1997 – 2000
* Regional Social Science Fair (UWG), Chair, 1997 -- 2000
* Reviewer, Society for the Study of Curriculum History, 1996 -- 2015
* Reviewer, UGA, Teacher Quality Grants, 2011 - 2015
* Speaker and judge, Georgia Social Science Fair, 1997,1998, 2004 - 2017
* Georgia's National Geographic Bee, state judge, 1997 - 1999
* Georgia History Day Judge, 1999, 2018
* *Project Citizen* Workshop leader, Cobb and Fulton Counties, 2000 --2012
* Workshop leader, German Cultural Center, Goethe House, Atlanta, GA, 1988 -- 2010
* Workshop leader, Population Connection, 1997-2018



## Grant Writing Experiences

* Teacher Quality Grant, 2017 – 2018, *Energizing the middle and high school science curriculum.* Competitive with Shea Rose, Tyson Harty, Judy Cox, Gail Marshall. $58,746.49. (Consultant)
* Teacher Quality Grant, 2016 – 2017, *Energizing the middle and high school science curriculum.* Competitive with Shea Rose, Tyson Harty, Judy Cox, Gail Marshall. $54,746.49. (Consultant)
* Teacher Quality Grant, 2015 – 2016, *Energizing the middle and high school science curriculum.* Competitive with Sharmistha Basu-Dutt, Tyson Harty, Judy Cox, Gail Marshall, Lorie Moore, and Shea Rose. $54,746.49.
* Teacher Quality Grant, 2010 - 2011, *Using technology to teach economic understanding in secondary school classrooms.*

Competitive with Danilo Baylen and Joey Smith. $47,046. (PI)

* Teacher Quality Grant, 2009 - 2010, *Using technology to teach historical understanding in secondary school classrooms*

with Danilo M. Baylen, Keith Herbert, and Ann McCleary. Competitive. $40,566.

* Student Research Assistant Program, 2010—2011, UWG, with Danilo M. Baylen. Competitive. $2000.
* *Project Citizen,* 11th Congressional District Coordinator, 2005 –2010. Invited. $1000 annually plus travel.
* *Project Citizen*, Georgia State Director, 2000 – 2005. Approximately $18,000 annually plus travel.
* *We the People…the Citizen and the Constitution*, 11th Congressional District Coordinator, 2005 –2010. Invited. $1000 annually plus travel.
* TransAtlantic Outreach Program. (2005). Spent three weeks in Germany as the guest of Goethe House and Deutsch Bank. Competitive. All expenses paid.
* Distinguished Professors Funds sub-grant. (2000-2001). Received two in collaboration with geography professors to plan courses to be jointly taught in Summer, 2002. Approximately $3000 each.
* Preparing Tomorrow's Teachers to Use Technology (PT3) (1998 -- 2000). Participated.
* University System of Georgia, Faculty Development Seminar Grant, 2000, "The Czech Republic Before and After the Velvet Revolution," (May-June, 2000).
* Distinguished Professors’ Funds sub-Grant (Spring, 2000). Competitive. Approximately $2000.
* Distinguished Professors' Funds sub-grant. (1999). Competitive. Approximately $2000.
* Georgia Board of Regents’ Office of Information and Instructional Technology Faculty Development Workshop Grant, 1997-1998. Given a computer.
* University System of Georgia Faculty Research Grant, (1997).
* DeKalb Project (Dean wrote the grants and I administered them). (1997-1999). Competitive. $30,000.
* P-16/Pacesetter Grant (Co-authored with Lumpkin, Harthern, and Powell) (1997). Competitive. Different amount each year.



## Awards

* + **Outstanding Undergraduate Teaching Award**, College of Education, University of West Georgia
  + **Faculty Member of the Year**, College of Education, Student Government Association, University of West Georgia.
  + **Outstanding Social Studies Educator**, Georgia Council for the Social Studies
  + **Governor’s Teaching Fellow**, Institute of Higher Education, University of Georgia. **Georgia Board of Regents’**
  + **Chancellors’ Award**, University System of Georgia
  + **Nominee for the Regents’ Distinguished Teaching Professor**, Board of Regents, University System of Georgia.
  + **Lifetime Achievement Award**, Arkansas Council for the Social Studies

## Academic Teaching Assignments at UWG (2019 -- 2020)

ECSE 7500 Diverse Classrooms in a Global Society (K – 12)

SEED 4243 Instructional Strategies for Secondary Social Studies Education (secondary)

SEED 6262 Instructional Strategies for Social Studies Education (secondary)