

Laurene Johnson

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Experience

May 07 to
Present

Research and Development Specialist—Technology

Edvantia, Inc., Charleston, WV

- Provide instructional technology support and services to staff, partners, and clients
- Provide technical assistance to state departments of education through the Appalachia Regional Comprehensive Center (ARCC)
- Lead implementation of web conferencing system for staff, partners, and clients
- Provide grant writing expertise and customer nurturing as a member of the Corporate Development Team
- Create, maintain, and implement online courses and environments for schools and districts

Jan. 06 to
Present

Educational Technology Consultant

Self-employed, Greensboro, NC & Charleston, WV

- Provide professional development, resources, and coaching services to schools and districts

Aug. 03 to
Jan. 06

Enhancing Education Through Technology (EETT) Project Coordinator/Trainer

Guilford County Public Schools, Greensboro, NC

- Worked as member of a team to develop technology-integrated instructional materials
- Delivered staff development and coached teachers in the use of instructional technology
- Wrote and updated project grant for funding and administered grant budget
- Presented at regional and national conferences

Aug. 00 to
June 03

Curriculum & Technology Integration Partner, Hollymead Elementary/Sutherland Middle Kindergarten Teacher, Technology Lead Teacher, Scottsville Elementary School

Albemarle County Public Schools, Charlottesville, VA

- Met with teams and individuals for mapping and other curricular planning
- Modeled instructional strategies and techniques for integrating technology into instruction
- Provided one-on-one and small group instruction on tools, software, and pedagogy
- Assisted with the design and development of school- and division-level staff development
- Served as liaison between building-level staff and district-level technology personnel
- Provided troubleshooting for network, hardware, and software
- Focus areas: Reading instruction, technology integration, differentiated instruction

Sept. 98 to
June 00

District Technology Coordinator/Grant Writer

Omak School District, Omak, WA

- Coordinated and conducted district staff development
- Wrote and implemented local, state, and federal grants
- Implemented building-level technology support program, including staff selection, supervision, and evaluation
- Led district technology committee
- Designed and maintained district computer network
- Managed projects with outside contractors from bidding process to completion
- Administered budget and supervised purchasing of computer hardware and software

Sept. 98 to
June 99

Adjunct Faculty, Master in Educational Technology Program

City University, Bellevue, WA

- Coordinated curriculum, instruction and assessment for a satellite program for graduate students

Aug. 94 to
Aug. 98

Endeavour Elementary, Fourth Grade Teacher, Technology Contact Sunny Hills Elementary, Kindergarten Teacher, Technology Contact

Issaquah School District, Issaquah, WA

- Focus areas: Six Traits Writing Model, hands-on learning, multiple intelligences, cognitive coaching, instructional technology

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Education	City University, Bellevue, WA M.Ed., Educational Technology, 1997 George Peabody College of Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN B.S., Early Childhood and Elementary Education, 1992
Activities/Honors	Attend and present at various state and national conferences including the following: Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD) North Carolina Educational Technology Conference (NCETC) North Carolina Association for Educational Communications and Technology Conference (NCAect) National School Board Association T+L ² Conference North Carolina Middle School Association (NCMSA) Conference Society for Information Technology and Teacher Education (SITE) International Conference Tennessee Educational Technology Conference (TETC) Virginia Society for Technology in Education (VSTE) Conference Virginia Department of Education (VDOE) Technology Conference Edvantia Shining Star Award Winner, 2008 Guilford County Technology Committee Member, 2005 NCAect Conference Best Presenter, 2004 & 2005 Guilford County Internet Advisory Committee Member, 2004-2006 Hewlett Packard Technology for Teaching Grant Online Mentor, 2004 Technology & Learning Ed Tech Leader of the Year Semifinalist, 2003 Albemarle County Design 2004 Grant Recipient/Project Director, 2002-2003 Albemarle County Technology Advisory Committee Member, 2002-2003 Virginia Piedmont Technology Council Red Apple Award Finalist, 2002 Administrator For Tomorrow Academy participant, 2000-2001 North Carolina Real Estate Broker, 2005-2009 Philadelphia Marathon Finisher, 2008 Guilford County Meals-on-Wheels Volunteer, 2007 New Jersey Marathon Finisher, 2006 New York City Marathon Finisher, 2005 Volusia-Flagler Turtle Patrol Volunteer, Summer 2004 Guilford County Animal Shelter Volunteer and Foster Parent, 2004 Ash-Lawn Highland Historic Home Tour Guide, Summer 2001 United States Gymnastics Federation Judge, 1992-2000 Bellevue Humane Society Volunteer Foster Parent, 1996-1998 Eastlake High School Head gymnastics coach, 1993-1998
Interests	Running, gymnastics, historic homes, pets, reading, and traveling
References	Available upon request