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BACKGROUND

EDUCATION

Doctor of Education, Harvard University
Emphasis in Adult and Community College Education and Organization

Master of Social Work, Washington University
Emphasis in Community Organization and Development

Master of Arts in Sociology, Kansas State University
Emphasis in Community Power, Organization, and Development

Bachelor of Arts in Sociology, Kansas State University

EXPERIENCE

Academic:

5/08 – present Professor & Director Doctoral Program in Educational Leadership
Reich College of Education (RCOE)
Appalachian State University (ASU)

8/01 – 8/07 Associate Professor of Education
University of New Orleans (UNO)
Coordinator Distance Doctoral Education Cohorts

8/06 - 8/07 Program & Graduate Coordinator Higher Education
Doctoral and Masters Degrees

9/97 – 8/01 Adjunct Associate Professor
Graduate School of Social Work Tulane University
University of New Orleans

8/92 – 6/94 Associate Professor of Education
Department of Adult and Community College Education
North Carolina State University

1/88 – 8/92 Assistant Extension Educator and State Community
Development Specialist
University of Maine Cooperative Extension Service

8/83 – 12/87 Cooperating Assistant Professor of Education, University of Maine

Professional:

8/94 – 8/01

Consultant in program planning, implementation, evaluation:

Baptist Community Ministries Foundation: Project Evaluator for multiple year funded project developing scouting programs in New Orleans Public Housing Developments (8/98 – 8/01)

YMCA Educational Services (YES): Program Evaluation work with staff to create evaluation protocols for all programs (9/98 – 2/04)

Tulane-Xavier Campus Affiliates Program (CAP): Program planning, design, teaching. Overseeing community literacy program development, teaching grant-writing, mentoring staff in Public Housing Developments (9/98 – 7/01)

Tulane University Institute for Resident Initiatives (IRI): Development and writing of two training manuals on Job Development and Substance Abuse Center staffs in Public Housing Development locales (1/99 – 12/99)

W. K. Kellogg Foundation: Staff director for a Kellogg convened Rural Community College Advisory Commission to advise the Foundation on funding strategies for rural community colleges (1/97 – 2/98)

St. Joseph's Catholic Church, New Orleans: Facilitated a strategic planning process; wrote an updated church history paper; prepared a proposal for \$75,000 (funded) (4/97 – 12/97)

Esteem Machine, University of Maine: Project evaluator for federally funded program focused on literacy and skills development for incarcerated adults in six county jails (1/95 – 1/97)

James Sprunt Community College, North Carolina: Lead consultant in development of a college initiated countywide leadership program funded by the Kellogg Foundation (9/95 – 9/98)

U.S. Department of Agriculture: Proposal Reviewer for annual USDA Small Business Innovation Research Program (1994 – present)

Rapides Foundation, Alexandria, LA: Reviewer of grant

- Proposals (1999 – present)
- 5/95 – 8/96** Executive Director, Maine Chapter National Association of Social Workers
- 8/83 – 12/87** Director, Upward Bound and Talent Search Programs
University of Maine
- 9/80 – 6/83** Doctoral Student, Harvard University Graduate School of Education
- 2/81 – 8/83** Special Assistant to Head of Reference Services, Gutman Library
Harvard University
- 1/74 – 8/80** Director of Outreach, University for Man, Kansas State University

I was born and raised in Ireland, and completed primary & secondary school at Presentation College, Bray, Ireland after which I immigrated to the United States. I served in the U.S. Army and was honorably discharged with the rank of Specialist Five (E-5). Soon afterwards, I became a naturalized citizen of the United States of America.

Between 1975 and 1993 (with the exception of doctoral years at Harvard University), I generated up to half a million dollars per year in grants and contracts.

I have authored, or co-authored, three books, a refereed monograph, more than twenty five refereed journal articles, and dozens of published papers and technical reports. I have made over 70 conference presentations at regional, national, and international events. I have received a number of recognitions for teaching, and work with doctoral students. Most recently, in April 2010, just prior to completing two years at Appalachian State University, I received the Faculty Mentor of the Year Award in the Reich College of Education.

I have taught and facilitated more than twenty different graduate courses in higher and adult education, social work, and educational leadership. I am currently a reviewer for three academic journals, and a grant reviewer for a foundation and the U.S. Department of Agriculture. I have chaired eighteen completed doctoral dissertations and served as a committee member for more than twenty five completed doctoral dissertations.

SCHOLARLY AND CREATIVE PRODUCTIVITY

1. A.a. Refereed Scholarly Books

Hulse-Killacky, D., Killacky, J., & Donigian, K. (2001). *Making task groups work in your world*. Columbus: Prentice-Hall Merrill.

Killacky, J. & Valadez, J. (Eds). (1995). *Portrait of the rural community college*. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass.

Sinnett, E. R., Killacky, J. et al. (1976). *Crisis services for campus and community: A handbook for volunteers*. Springfield: C. C. Thomas

1. B.b. Refereed Journal Articles

Hall, R. & Killacky, J. (2008). Correctional education from the perspective of the prisoner student. *Journal of Correctional Education*, 59, 4, 301-320. December

Killacky, J. & Rhoe-Collins, K. (2008). Guest Editors. Community and technical colleges in Louisiana and Mississippi post hurricane Katrina. *Community College Journal of Research and Practice*, 32, 3

Killacky, J. & Rhoe-Collins, J. (2008). Guest editors' introduction to the special issue: Hurricane Katrina's impacts on community and technical colleges in Louisiana and Mississippi. *Community College Journal of Research and Practice*, 32, 3. 163-166.

Garbee, D.D. & Killacky, J. (2008). Factors influencing intent to stay in academia for Nursing faculty in the southern United States of America. *International Journal of Nursing Education Scholarship*, 5(1), 1-15

Killacky, J. & Wells, A. (2004). Guest Editors. The emerging Louisiana Community and Technical College System: Back to basics and down to business. *Community*

College Journal of Research and Practice, 28, 6

Killacky, J. & Wells, A. (2004). The emerging Louisiana Community and Technical College System: Back to basics and down to business. *Community College Journal of Research and Practice 28, 6*

Killacky, J. & Hulse-Killacky, D. (2004). Group work is not just for the group class anymore: Teaching generic group competency skills across the counselor-education curriculum. *Journal for Specialists in Group Work, 29, 1, pp 87-96*

Sharp, J., Flora, J., & Killacky, J. (2003). Networks and fields: Corporate business leader involvement in voluntary organizations of a large nonmetropolitan city. *Journal of the Community Development Society, 34, 1, pp 36-56*

Killacky, J., Thomas, C., & Accomando, A. (2002). Learning communities and community colleges: A case study. *Community College Journal of Research & Practice, 26, 763-775*

Hulse-Killacky, D., & Killacky, J. (1997). Making coalitions work: Creating a viable environment. *Community College Journal of Research and Practice, 21, 509-517*

Valadez, J. & Killacky, J. (1995). Opening the shutter. In J. Killacky & J. Valadez (eds) *Portrait of the rural community college (pp 5-8)*. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass

Killacky, J. & Gillett-Karam, R. (1994). A research agenda for community colleges: A regional example. *Journal of Applied Research for Community Colleges, 2, 61-74*

Gillett-Karam, R. & Killacky, J. (1994). A conversation about community-based programming. *Journal of the Community Development Society, 25, 111-122*

Killacky, J. (1993). Aspects of leadership: A review of two anthologies. *Community College Review, 20, 69-76*

- Killacky, J. & Burwell, D. (1988). ICLAD: The institute for community leadership and development. *Explorations Journal of Research and Public Service*, 5,
- Killacky, J. (1986). The rural free university and the cooperative extension service. *Educational Considerations*, 13, 29-31
- Killacky, J. (1983). Public libraries and adult education: An historical review. *Research in Rural Education*, 2, 51-58
- Quick, S., Killacky, J., Flashman, R. & Gibeau, A. (1982). SOS learning networks. *Journal of Extension*, 20, 7-13
- Killacky, J. (1980). Community based education and the elderly. *Educational Considerations*, 8, 37-39
- Killacky, J. (1978). Kansas: Going beyond the little red schoolhouse. *Journal of Alternative Human Services*, 4, 30-32
- Rippetoe, J., & Killacky, J. (1977). Educational programs for rural communities. *Educational Considerations*, 4, 31-33
- Killacky, J., & Rippetoe, J. (1976). Community education in Kansas: A challenge to community colleges. *Alternative Higher Education*, 1

1.B.c. Refereed Monographs

- Killacky, J. (1984). *Furthering non-formal adult education in rural America*. Las Cruces: ERIC/CRESS

1.C.a. Non-refereed Academic Journal Articles

- Killacky, J. (1994). Community colleges learn community-based programming. *Rural Adult Education Forum*, 6, 4
- Killacky, J., & Burwell, D. (1992). Taking the lead. In V. Wilson (Ed), *Developing*

Community Leadership: The EXCEL approach. Columbia: U. of Missouri.

Killacky, J., & Hulse-Killacky, D. (1991). Doctoral gatherings: Evenings in Maine.

American Association of Counseling & Development Guidepost, June, p.18

Killacky, J., & Burwell, D. (1990). Cooperative extension: Change in the making.

Rural Adult Education Forum, 2, 1-5

Killacky, J., & Burwell, D. (1989). Leadership as if people mattered: They do matter in

Maine. *Rural Adult Education Forum, 2, 1-6*

Killacky, J. (1987). The aspirations dilemma: One solution. *Educational Dimensions, 2, 1-2,8*

Killacky, J. (1986). Best kept secrets in education. *Equality, 4, 4*

Killacky, J., & Conroy, M. (1986). ESEA 20 years later: A conversation with Francis

Keppel and Harold Howe 11. *College Board Review, No. 138, Winter, 3-7,27-29*

Killacky, J. (1984). Rural learning for learning sake: It is the matter in Kansas. *College*

Board Review, No. 133, Fall, 10-16,30

Killacky, J. (1983). Guide to funding sources. *Education Libraries, 8, 13-14*

Killacky, J. & Maes, S. (1979). Along the yellow brick road: A Kansas path to local

learning. *Small Town, 10*

Killacky, J. (1975). The mood of the campus: One of three views. *Plumblin: A*

Journal of Ministry in Higher Education, 3

1.C.b. Other Papers

Book Chapter

Killacky, J. & Brown, D. (2005). Distance mentoring: Along the doctoral speedway. In

F. Kochan & J. Pascarelli (eds) *Creating successful telementoring programs.*

pp 295-315. Greenwich, CT: Information Age Press.

Book Review

Killacky, J. (1997). Promoting community renewal through civic literacy and service learning. *NASPA Journal*, 34, 324-328

Dissertation & Thesis

Killacky, J. (1983). Free universities: Toward a new role in non-formal adult education.

Unpublished doctoral dissertation. Harvard University, Cambridge, MA

Killacky, C.J. (1973). The economic and voluntary sectors of a mid-western community.

Unpublished Master of Arts thesis. Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS.

Technical Papers

Killacky, J. (2001). Scoutreach project evaluation year 3: July 2000-June 2001.

Prepared for the New Orleans Baptist Community Ministries Foundation.

Killacky, J. (2000). Scoutreach project evaluation year 2: July 1999 – June 2000.

Prepared for the New Orleans Baptist Community Ministries Foundation.

Killacky, J. (1999). Scoutreach project evaluation year 1: July 1998 – June 1999.

Prepared for the New Orleans Baptist Community Ministries Foundation.

Killacky, J., & Glover, T. (1999). Training for a public housing job center staff. Prepared for The Institute of Resident Initiatives, Tulane University.

Killacky, J., & Parquet, R. (1999). Training for a public housing substance abuse center staff. Prepared for The Institute of Resident Initiatives, Tulane University.

Killacky, J. (1996). Maine Esteem Machine. Corrections Education Collaborative. Final Evaluation Report.

Moore, P., & Killacky, J. (1998). Rebuilding rural America: An opportunity, challenge, and imperative for rural community colleges and the W.K. Kellogg Foundation.

Prepared for the W.K. Kellogg Foundation and its Rural Community College
Advisory Committee.

Killacky, J. (1997). St. Joseph's parish of New Orleans: A brief historical review.

Prepared for the Strategic Planning Committee of St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

2. Items Accepted and not yet published

None

3. Artistic or Other Creative Contributions

None

4. Participation in Professional Meetings

Since 1974, I have given over 60 presentations at regional, national, and international meetings on community colleges, community development, social work, community organization, community education, and leadership. Most recently:

Johnson, P., Angel, R., Killacky, J. (2010). Still missing in action: African American women on barriers in ascending to the superintendency. *UCEA Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA*. October.

Killacky, J. (2007). Distance doctoral teaching and mentoring. *The International Conference on College Teaching & Learning*. April.

Killacky, J. & Alcazar, A. (2004). Community readiness: A missing link in teacher education. *Hawaii International Conference on Education*. January.

Killacky, J. & Sawtelle, J. (2004). Technology and teaching. *66th Annual Conference of Louisiana Colleges and Universities*. March.

Killacky, J. & Alcazar, A. (2004). Making collaborations between organizations work. *Louisiana Association for Public, Community, and Adult Education Annual Conference*. June

Killacky, J. & Alcazar, A. (2003). Curriculum, historical trauma, and entering a community *American Association for the Advancement of Curriculum Studies*. March.

5.A.

I am an editorial board member and reviewer for the Community College Journal of Research and Practice (effective August, 2004)

I am a reviewer for the Journal of the Community Development Society.

I am a reviewer for the Journal of Research in Rural Education.

I am a currently grant reviewer for:

a) The U.S. Departments of Agriculture and Education

b) The Rapides Foundation of Alexandria, LA

c) The Education Foundation of America, Westport, CT

6. Awards, Lectureships, or Prizes

April 2010. ASU Reich College of Education Faculty, Mentor of the Year Award

May 2007. Advisor/Dissertation Director for Renee Hall, whose 2006 dissertation was selected as the College of Education & Human Development Dissertation of the Year, University of New Orleans

April 2007. Award for Innovative Teaching, Learning, & Technology. International Conference on College Teaching and Learning.

October 2006. University of New Orleans nominee for the 2007 Ernest L. Boyer International Award for Excellence in Teaching, Learning, & Technology

May 2003. Recipient of the Milton Ferguson Faculty Award, as Faculty Member of the Year, University of New Orleans, College of Education & Human Development.

7.A.a. Grants and contracts received

I have been responsible for procuring the following contracts:

2007. Louisiana Community and Technical College System contract to UNO for graduate course for Leadership Development Institute participants.

2006. Louisiana Community and Technical College System contract to UNO for graduate course for Leadership Development Institute participants.

2005. Louisiana Community and Technical College System contract to UNO for graduate course for Leadership Development Institute participants.

2004. Louisiana Department of Adult Education contract to UNO for graduate course for Adult Literacy Program Implementation.

2004. Louisiana Community and Technical College System contract to UNO for graduate course for Leadership Development Institute participants.

2003. Louisiana Community and Technical College System contract to UNO for graduate course for Leadership Development Institute participants.

I have been the principal author and project director for the following funded grants:

2010. Appalachian State University. Grant for research study on literature pertinent to the Early College movement. Bill Gates Foundation, through the University of North Carolina – General Administration. \$15,000

2010. Appalachian State University External Scholars Grant for campus lectures/workshop by Margery Freeman, People’s Institute for Undoing Racism; \$2,500.00

2010. Appalachian State University, Reich College of Education SALT grant to develop research resource data base, and examine researchable issues in the North Carolina Early College movement; \$6,997.00

1989 W. K. Kellogg Foundation: Secured funding c. \$1,000,000.00 over three years for the development of rural community leadership education in Maine, University of Maine

1988 U.S. Dept of Education: Secured funding c. \$280,000 per year, for three years, for Upward Bound Program, University of Maine

1987 U.S. Dept of Education: Secured funding c. \$125,000 per year, for three years, for Talent Search Program, University of Maine

1985 U.S. Dept of Education: Secured funding, c. \$240,000 per year, three years, for Upward Bound Program, University of Maine

1984 U.S. Dept of Education: Secured funding c. \$120,000 per year, for three years, for Talent Search Program, University of Maine

1979 Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education (FIPSE): c. \$100,000 per year for two years to transfer the non formal adult education model to systems in other states (Missouri, Oklahoma, Kentucky, S. Dakota), Kansas State University

1979 Kansas Legislature: Secured passage of Community Resource Act that provided \$40,000 per year to support small community grants for non-formal adult education programs, Kansas State University

1977 FIPSE: c. \$100,000 per year for two years to train Kansas citizens/communities in the formation of locally run non-formal adult education programs, Kansas State University

1976 ACTION: 12 VISTA Volunteers to staff non-formal adult education programs, Kansas State University

1975 FIPSE: \$75,000 per year for two years to create non formal adult education programs across the state of Kansas, Kansas State University

1975 ACTION: 12 VISTA Volunteers to staff non-formal adult education programs, Kansas State University

1974 Kansas Committee for the Humanities: \$12,000 for regional community forums, Kansas State University

7.A.b. Other Grants

1997 Vincentian Foundation: Wrote proposal for St. Joseph's Catholic Church, New Orleans for community development work. Funded in full \$75,000.00

8. Doctoral (Ed.D/Ph.D) Dissertation Committee Service

Ed.D Dissertation Committee Service at Appalachian State University

2010 Major Professor/chair

Patricia Johnson

The perceptions of African-American women about the barriers and challenges in ascending to the superintendency in North Carolina public schools

Committee Member

Dale Ellis

David Fonseca

Bart Ganzert

Elizabeth Jones

Jan Overman

2009 Major Professor/chair

Gregery Taylor

Readiness to lead: Perspectives of doctoral graduates and students on answering the call to lead in community colleges

Committee Member
Mark Barber
Wanda Douglas
Susan McCracken

Ph.D Dissertation Committees at University of New Orleans

2008 Major professor/chair

Wil Weston

Understanding the Integrative Role of an Academic Library on Undergraduate Library Student Workers

Linda Kelly

Experiencing Higher Education in Louisiana through a Native American Lens

2007 Major professor/chair

Shannon Lafargue

The Perspectives of Male Inmates Regarding their K-12 Educational Experiences

Deborah Krentel

College Faculty Experiences with Students with Emotional and Behavioral Disorders: The Search for Invisible Ramps

Committee Member

Bridget Foss

2006 Major professor/chair

Margarita Saenz

Periodontists' Ability to Self-Assess Their Knowledge of Periodontics

Renee Hall

Voices Behind Bars: Correctional Education from the Perspective of the Prisoner Student

Deborah Garbee

Factors Influencing Intent to Stay of Nursing Faculty in Selected Schools of Nursing in Sixteen States within the Southern Region

2005 Major professor/chair

Thomas Smith

An Examination of the Perceptions of Louisiana Technical College Traditional and Non-Traditional Students and Faculty Regarding Effective Teaching Behaviors in Office Systems Technology Programs

Kyle Scafide

Part-Time University Faculty Members: The Relationship between Environment and Satisfaction

Committee member

Adrienne Mustiful

Leonard Williams

2004 Major professor/chair

John Martin

A Case Study of Automotive Technology Instructors' Experiences and Perceptions of Curriculum Change in the Louisiana Technical College

Deborah King

National Board Certified Teachers' Perceptions of New Teacher Needs

Committee member

Alecia Cyprian-Andrews

Edna Hull

Mandy Lohfink

Rebecca Odinet

Lauren Tarentino

Valera Francis

Jeffrey Johnson

Curtis Manning

2003 Major professor/chair

Diann Brown

Teacher Mentors' Reflections of their Mentoring Practice within the Louisiana Assistance and Assessment Program.

Christy Warren

The Impact of Life Experiences on the Teaching of Reading

Tracy McLemore

The Traditional Guardsman and the Army Educational System: Covergence of Civilian and Military-Acquired Skills within Civilian Occupational Structures

Brett Welch

The Perspectives of Non-Traditional Students Regarding a First Year Orientation Program

2002 Committee Member

Nasrin Fatima

Carol McLeod

2000 Committee Member - Danny Roussel, Counselor Education - UNO

2001-07 University of New Orleans

Advisor to approximately 15-20 masters students per year.

1992-94 Chair and member several doctoral committees

Department of Adult and Community College Education, North Carolina State University

1983-92 Member several doctoral and masters committees

College of Education, University of Maine

9. Major Areas of Creative and Research Interests

Currently, I am engaged in scholarship focusing on:

a) Leadership education opportunities for North Carolina Community College personnel

b) Community College leadership readiness of doctoral graduates and students *

c) Developing major research agenda on Early Colleges with RCOE colleagues and colleagues at East Carolina University.

* Paper submitted (April 2010) for review in national refereed journal.

Other Professional Accomplishments

Courses Taught (ASU): EDL 7900 Professional Seminar

EDL 7999 Dissertation

Courses Taught (UNO):

EDAD/EDCI 6310 Foundations of Adult Education

EDAD/EDCI 6320 Adult Development and Learning

EDAD/EDCI 6370 Methods of Adult Education

EDAD/EDCI 6390 Practicum in Adult Education

EDAD 6605 Community and Technical Colleges

EDAD 6890 Doctoral Seminar in Ed Administration

EDAD 6681 Doctoral Seminar in Higher Education

Organization & Leadership

EDAD 6980 Internship in Higher Education

EDAD 6991 Adult Literacy Program Implementation

EDAD 6993 Community Technical College Leadership

EDCI 6902 Topical Doctoral Readings in Curriculum

EDCI 6980 Independent Study in C & I

EDCI 6990 Doctoral Dissertation Seminar in C & I

EDFR 6440 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education

Academic Service – Appalachian State University

Professor & Director, Doctoral Program in Educational

Leadership. Academic leader of program for over 90 doctoral students.

Graduate Council Member.

Member Graduate Council Academic Affairs Committee

Member RCOE Dean's Administrative Council

Member, ASU International Education Council

Academic Service – University of New Orleans

Graduate & Program Coordinator for Higher Education in Department of Educational Leadership, Counseling & Foundations, University of New Orleans

Academic leader of 2nd doctoral cohort of 15 students pursuing the Ph.D through distance learning methods, principally, compressed video.

Academic leader for 3rd doctoral cohort designed for 17 students pursuing the Ph.D, on compressed video and focusing on community and technical colleges.

Academic Service - Nationally

Reviewer for following refereed journals:

Journal of Research in Rural Education

Journal of the Community Development Society

Community College Journal of Research & Practice

Editorial Board Member:

Community College Journal of Research & Practice

Other Service

American Association of Community Colleges
Member

UNO Peace Studies Program Committee (2002-05)

UNO University Senate – elected College representative
(2004-2006)

UNO University Graduate Council - Member (2005-07)

YMCA Educational Services, New Orleans
Chair, Board of Managers (2002-05)