

SUSAN WALSH, Ed.D

Academic Degrees/Certificates/Permits

Ed.D. University of La Verne (Education and Organizational Leadership)

M.A. CSUN (Educational Psychology -Early Childhood Education emphasis)

California Child Development Program Director Permit
Document #200072299 (Expires July 1, 2025)

Teaching Proficiency Clearance: CBEST (1997)

Work Experience

UNIVERSITY OF LA VERNE Professor Emerita, Child Development Program Administrator & Assistant Professor, Transitional Kindergarten Certificate	La Verne, CA	2004 – June, 2020
CPIN (California Preschool Instruction Network) Region 8 English Language Learner Lead - Santa Barbara, Ventura, San Luis Obispo, & Kern Counties		2005 – present
CPIN (California Preschool Instruction Network) Region 11 Professional Development Instructor- Los Angeles County		2018 – present
LACOE (Los Angeles County Office of Education) UPK Support Division Professional Development Instructor and Content Creator - Los Angeles County		2019 – present
CALIFORNIA HEAD START EARLY MATH FAMILY ENGAGEMENT PROJECT funded by the Heising-Simons Foundation Master Trainer		2016-2017
COMMUNITY ACTION COMMISSION HEAD START of SB County Career Development Specialist/Training Coordinator	Santa Barbara, CA	1999-2004
ALLAN HANCOCK COLLEGE Adjunct Faculty, Social Sciences Dept.	Santa Maria, CA	1998-2006
SANTA BARBARA COMMUNITY COLLEGE Adjunct Faculty, Social Sciences Dept.	Santa Barbara, CA	2001- 2004
ZACA CREEK LEARNING EXCHANGE (DPSS Facility #421702761) Owner/Director Facility designer and owner/director of multi-license center, 3 - 12 years old (licensed capacity 44 children).	Buellton, CA	1986-1996
SANTA YNEZ VALLEY CHILDREN'S LEARNING EXCHANGE (DPSS Facility #421708064) Owner/Director Facility designer and owner, 3-5 years old (licensed capacity 24 children).	Solvang, CA	1983-1989

Publications

Walsh, S. (2014).

A Mixed Methods Case Study of Early Childhood Professionals' Perception and Motivations of Choosing Self-directed Learning <https://pqdtopen.proquest.com/doc/1660952754.html?FMT=ABS>

Walsh, S. (2016). *Shana's Sharing Day*, San Bernardino, CA: Creative Press. **ISBN-10:** 1534987290 (English version)

Walsh, S. (2016). *Shana's Sharing Day*, San Bernardino, CA: Creative Press. **ISBN-10:** 1541205197 (Chinese version)

Walsh, S. (Fall, 2007). University of La Verne Addresses Workforce Challenges, *Bridges (12) (1)*: California Department of Education, California Head Start-State Collaboration Office
http://www.childdevelopment.org/cs/cdct/download/rs/109/bridgesFall07.pdf?x-r=pcfile_d

Presentations/Work Group Participant Experience (limited list – expanded list upon request)

- Presenter, ECSTEM, Annual Conference, Pasadena, CA Topic: Number Sense Path Games & Differentiated Dice Feb 2020
- Presenter, CAEYC, Annual Conference, Santa Clara, CA Topic: Dual Language Learners April 2019
- Presenter, Fremont Unified School District, Fremont, CA Topic: Preservice Training - Integrating Domains August 2019
- Presenter, Arizona State University, Teach English Now! Conference, Phoenix, AZ
Topic: Connecting Technology to Realia August 2018
- Presenter, Chung Cheng University, Graduate Student Seminar, Taiwan, China Topic: Multiple Intelligence May 2018
- Presenter, Santa Barbara County Head Start, Santa Maria, CA Topic: High Five Mathematize Number Sense May 2018
- Presenter, CAEYC, Annual Conference, Pasadena, CA Topic: Preschool Math- Patterning April 2018
- Trainer of Trainers, International School of Nanshan, Shenzhen, China Topic: ECE Math & Manipulatives July 2017
- Presenter, Santa Barbara County Head Start, Lompoc, CA Topic: High Five Mathematize Algebra May 2017
- Presenter, CAEYC, Annual Conference, Ontario, CA Topic: Preschool Math- Numeracy March 2017
- Presenter, STEM, Ventura County Office of Ed., Camarillo, CA Topic: ECE Physical Science Data Analysis March 2017
- Presenter, ECSTEM, Annual Conference, Pasadena, CA Topic: Preschool Algebra -Patterning Feb 2017
- Trainer of Trainers, Jinhua, China Topic: Interactive Teaching Pedagogy January 2017
- Presenter, CAPPA Foundation
Webinar: Fifteen Strategies to Support Preschool Children’s Understanding of Spatial Awareness January 2017
- Presenter, Kern Child Development Annual Conference, Bakersfield, CA Topic: Social-Emotional Self-Reg October 2016
- Presenter, CAPPA Foundation Webinar: Math for Young Children August 2106
- Presenter, CAEYC, Annual Conference, Anaheim, CA Topic: Preschool Literacy April 2014
- Participant, CA Dept. of Education Early Education Support Division Work Group January 2010 – June 2011
Task: review Preschool English Learner Guide and create recommended practices for fostering preschool English learners’ language and literacy development.
- Participant, CA Dept. of Education & CA Head Start Work Group November 2003 – June 2004
Task: review UC Berkley pilot project and work collaboratively to explore integration of Head Start Federal mandated outcomes with California Dept. of Ed. Desired Results measures

Volunteer Professional Affiliations

- Member, First 5 Children & Families Commission, Santa Barbara County Advisory Board
- Member, Allan Hancock College Early Childhood Education Advisory Committee
- Member, Child Care Planning Council of Santa Barbara County