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Personal:

Date of Birth: February 15, 1961

Place of Birth: Baltimore, Maryland

Citizenship: American

Education:

2014 Participant in the North Carolina Center for the Advancement of Teaching annual “Gathering of Holocaust Educators”

2013 Participant in the Virginia Tidewater Training for Holocaust educators

2013 Participant in The Memorial Library Leadership Training Program on Holocaust Education, NYC

2012 Renewal of National Board Certification in English/LA

2012 USHMM and NCCAT Symposium on Holocaust Education for North Carolina

2012 Holocaust Educators Network Fellow with the Memorial Library, NYC

2011-2010 United States Holocaust Memorial Museum Teacher Fellowship Program in Washington, DC

2009 Summer Symposium/Center for Judaic, Holocaust, and Peace

Studies at Appalachian State University

2008 Training trip to Holocaust sites in Germany and Poland with the North Carolina Center for the Advancement of Teaching

2006 Certification in English, Grades 10-12

2004-Present Participant at the North Carolina Center for the Advancement of Teaching for the Annual Gathering of Holocaust Educators

2003 Center for Jewish Studies at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

2002 National Board Certification in English/Language Arts

2001 Belfer Educator at the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum

2000 North Carolina Council on the Holocaust Teacher Training

1998 North Carolina Council on the Holocaust Teacher Training

1984 Certification in English/Language Arts, Grades 6-9;
Certification in Social Studies, Grades 6-8

1983 BS Degree in French, Grades 9-12, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC

1979-81 Attended Meredith College, Raleigh, NC

1977-1979 Attended and graduated from J.H. Rose High School, Greenville, NC

Experience:

June 30, 2014 Retired with 30 years

2011-2014 English Department Chair and Instructional Facilitator

2002-2014 English Teacher at South Central High School, Winterville, NC

1985-2002 English/Language Arts/Social Studies Teacher at A. G. Cox Middle School in Winterville, NC

1984-1985 Teacher Assistant at W.H. Robinson Elementary School,
Winterville, NC

1983-1984- Student teacher at Aycock Middle School, French

Professional Organizations:

2006-2014 North Carolina Association of Educators

2005-Present Delta Kappa Gamma Society of Women Educators,
Delta Chapter

2012-2014 1st Vice-President, Delta Chapter

2014-Present President, Delta Chapter

2005-Present North Carolina Association of Educators

Publications:

February 2015, HER Magazine, "What Do I Do Now?"

January 2015, HER magazine, "What Do I Do Now?"

December 2014, HER Magazine. "What Do I Do Now?"

November 2014. HER Magazine. "What Do I Do Now?"

October 2014. HER Magazine. "What Do I Do Now?"

August 2009 North Carolina Association of Educators, News
Bulletin. "Teaching Tolerance is More Important Than Ever."

Grants, Fellowships, and Awards:

2014 The Memorial Library Grant to facilitate a state-wide
Holocaust Training Program for NC Teachers in 2015

2013 The Memorial Library Grant to facilitate a state-wide
Holocaust Training Program for NC Teachers in 2014

2012 USHMM and NCCAT Symposium on Holocaust Education for
North Carolina

2012 Holocaust Educators Network Fellow with the Memorial

Library, NYC

2012 Holocaust Teachers' Summit to Poland sponsored by the Department of Foreign Affairs for Polish Embassy in Washington, DC

2012 NCCAT Gathering of Holocaust Educators: Program on Nazi Deadly Medicine and NC Eugenics and centered on 2010-2011 USHMM Fellowship Project and Advanced Funding Project

2011 Bright Ideas Grant Recipient of \$1,500 for Teaching Tolerance Trunks

2011-2012 Advanced Funding from the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum for Museum Teacher Fellow (MTF) Outreach Project

August 2011 Writing and implementation of a state wide contest for middle and high school students in the categories of writing, dance, art, and music, designed for the NC Council on the Holocaust

2011 Donors Choose Grant Recipient of \$650 for Holocaust books

2011-2010 Teacher Fellow at the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum in Washington, DC

2010 Bright Ideas Grant Recipient of \$1,300 for Teaching Tolerance Trunks

2009 Bright Ideas Grant Recipient of \$1,500 for Teaching Tolerance Trunks

2009 Appointment to the North Carolina Council on the Holocaust

2008 Bright Ideas Grant Recipient of \$1,500 for Teaching Tolerance Trunks

2008 East Carolina University, Thomas Harriott College of Fine Arts & Sciences,

Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures, First

Centennial Honoree of The Department of Foreign Languages and

Literatures

2007 Bright Ideas Grant Recipient of \$1,500 for Wall of Tolerance

2006 Bright Ideas Grant Recipient of \$1,500 for Holocaust

Materials

2004-2005 Teacher of the Year for South Central High School

2003-2004 Co-Curriculum Author for the Literature of the Holocaust class for Pitt County Schools

2002 Received National Board Certification in English/Language Arts

Presentations:

July 2014 Presentation to Irish and American teenagers in the Ulster Project in preparation for their visit to the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum

June 2014 Co-Facilitated the Holocaust Educators Network, North Carolina Five-Day Summer Satellite for The Memorial Library (seminar schedule attached to email)

July 2013 Presentation to Irish and American teenagers in the Ulster Project in preparation for their visit to the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum

June 2013 Presentation of the agenda and preparations to the Memorial Library and Holocaust Educators network board for the June 2014 seminar training on the Holocaust for NC teachers

July 2012 Presentation to Irish and American teenagers in the Ulster Project in preparation for their visit to the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum

May 2012 Presentation to Delta Kappa Gamma, Delta Zeta Chapter on Holocaust Education in Pitt County Schools

March 2012 North Carolina Center for the Advancement of Teaching-Deadly Medicine Fellowship Project as centerpiece for

annual Gathering of Holocaust Educators in North Carolina

October 2011 North Carolina Center for the Advancement of Teaching's Holocaust Foundation Fundraiser

February 2011 Tolerance Week and Days of Remembrance Activities at South Central High School

April 2011 Delta Kappa Gamma State Convention on Holocaust Education

October 2011 NC Council on the Holocaust Workshop for Pitt County Teachers

May 2010 Presentation to local chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma on Holocaust

October 2010 NC Council on the Holocaust Teacher Workshop on Grant Writing

April 2010 Presentation to Delta Kappa Gamma on Holocaust Education, local Chapter

June 2009 Presentation to Memorial Baptist Church Veterans' Group from trip to Germany and Poland

May 2009 Presentation to A.G. Cox Middle School Sixth Graders; Coordinated Tolerance Week Activities at South Central High School

March 2009 Presentation of Scrapbooks to the North Carolina Center for the Advancement of Teaching from trip to Holocaust sites in Germany and Poland

February 2009 Presentation to the Daughters of the American Revolution

May 2008 Coordinated Tolerance Week Activities at South Central High School

May 2007 Coordinated Tolerance Week Activities for South Central High School

References:

Julie Cary, Principal of South Central High School. 570 W. Forlines Road, Winterville, NC 28590. Phone: 252-321-3232.

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Dr. Jonathan Wade, Director of the North Carolina Center for the Advancement Program on Holocaust Education, Cullowhee, NC.

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Dr. Arthur Rouse, Associate Professor and Interim Chair, East Carolina University, Department of Educational Leadership, Greenville, NC

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