# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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#### **EDUCATION**

2010 - 2011 Vancouver School of Narrative Therapy

Advanced Certification in Narrative Therapy

2007 - 2010 Royal Roads University

Masters of Arts

Conflict Analysis and Management

2008 Coaches Training Institute

Coaching certification

2007 - 2008 Family Mediation Canada

Certification in Comprehensive Family Mediation

2008 John Howard Society

Certification in Restorative Justice Practices

1989 - 2008 Justice Institute of British Columbia

Certification in Third Party Mediation

Certification in Negotiation

2006 Kahler Institute

Certified Trainer Process Communication Model - (Washington DC)

1981 -1984 North Island College, Open Learning Institute, and University of Victoria

Special Needs Preschool teacher program

Partial Completion of Bachelors of Arts (Psychology & English)

### **ACADEMIC AWARDS:**

Founder's Award, Royal Roads University (2011)

Psychology Award - North Island College (years 1982 -83)

Helen and Armour Ford Award for best student returning to school (1983)

Open Learning Institute award - best student in three provinces for Communication (1983)

B.C Hydro award for best student overall (1983)

TASH International Media Award (1999) for video "A Credo for Support"

Michigan ARC Media Award (2002) for "A Credo for Support"

# **PUBLICATIONS**

2019	"Title Pending" - a book on rehabilitation and compliance-based therapy.
2019	Being Realistic isn't Realistic: Collected Essays on Disability, Identity, Inclusion and Innovation (coauthor: N. Kunc) Victoria: Tellwell Publishing, 2019.
2019	Talk to Me: What Educators (and others) Can Learn about De-escalation from Hostage Negotiators Victoria: Tellwell Publishing, 2019.
2018	Solidarity versus Segregation: Rethinking the Uncritical Commitment to Inclusion In press: Scorgie, K ed. Emerald Publishing Limited
2016	Inclusion in the Rearview Mirror (co-author: N. Kunc) Published in: Sobsey, D., & Scorgie, K. eds. Working with Families for Inclusive Education: Navigating Identity, Opportunity and Belonging: International Perspectives on Inclusive Education, Volume 10. Emerald Publishing Limited
2013	Honouring Student Voice (co-author: N. Kunc) Education Canada, March 2013
2012	What Can Parents Learn From Hostage Negotiators? PEAK newsletter, FSI newsletter
1996	"We Don't Know What We're Handing You" available online at www.broadreachtraining.com
1996	"A Credo for Support" – DVD (co-author: N. Kunc) Translations in Spanish, French, Japanese, Dutch, Azerin, Russian and Lithuanian.
1995	In Spite of my Disability. In Villa, R., Thousand, J. (Eds.) The Inclusion Puzzle: Fitting the Pieces Together Washington; Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development, 1995.
1994	Enhanced Consumer Participation Model (ECPM) Training Manual BC Rehab, Vancouver Health Dept., and Greater Vancouver Home Support Society
1994 reissued 2002	Beyond Benevolence: Friendship and the Politics of Help. In Thousand, J., Villa, R., Nevin, A. (.Eds.) Creativity and Collaborative Learning: A Practical Guide to Empowering Students and Teachers. Baltimore: Paul Brookes Publishing
1992	3 Modules of a Support Services Training Manual (McMillan College) - included modules on Conflict Resolution and Systems Analysis. This manual was used by all Community Living organizations in British Columbia for ongoing and new staff orientation

# **EMPLOYMENT**

1992 to present	Co-owner of Broadreach Training & Resources, Ltd. Consultant/Facilitator/Trainer Operates a private consulting firm which provides professional development to school districts, business and government organizations, universities, human service agencies, parent, and advocacy groups
2011-2013	Sessional faculty - teaching assistant, academic coach and presenter Royal Roads University, Victoria, B.C.
2012-to present	Co-creator (with Norman Kunc) of "Conversations that Matter", an online training program for human service professionals – currently over 12,000 subscribers internationally
2010- 2016	Faculty - Justice Institute of British Columbia, New Westminster, B.C
2009 - 2014	Sessional Coach And Crisis Prevention Instructor Vancouver Island University -Nanaimo, B.C
2009-2011	Assessor for Conflict in the Workplace Certification -Vancouver Island University, Nanaimo, B.C

## **EMPLOYMENT /cont.**

1987 to 1994 Port Alberni Association for Community Living

Labour Relations Director
 Assistant Executive Director

-Program Director

Manager, Supported Employment Program

1985 – 1987 Family Court Advocate – Legal Services Society of British Columbia

## **CONFERENCE & IN-SERVICE PRESENTATIONS**

Conference presentations include these topics:

- Inclusive Education
- Disability Rights
- Autism as Neurodiversity
- Collaborative Behavioral Support
- Respectful Support
- Narrative Approaches to Difficult Behavior
- Managing Conflict
- What Educators can Learn from Hostage Negotiators

And include the following venues:

# **2018**

- Graduate Lecture at UBC Faculty of Social Work Vancouver, BC
- EARCOS International Schools Special Education Conference Bangkok, Thailand
- Partners in Policy Making New York, NY
- BC Provincial Special Education Network Richmond, BC
- Community Connections Revelstoke Society Revelstoke, BC
- National Leadership Consortium on Developmental Disabilities Kelowna, BC
- STEP Support Agency Sacramento, CA
- CAST's 4th Annual UDL Symposium Boston, MA
- Queenslanders with Disability Network Brisbane, Australia
- Community Resource Unit Conference Brisbane, Australia
- Queensland Department of Education Brisbane, Australia
- Medicine Hat Catholic Board of Education Medicine Hat, AB
- Provincial Outreach Program for Students with Deafblindness Richmond, BC

#### 2017

- RainCity Housing In-Service on Disability Issues for Street Workers
- Autistics Present Conference Bellevue, WA 2016, 2017
- Disability Studies in Education Conference Minneapolis, MN
- London Community Living Conference London, ON
- Washington Supported Employment Conference Wenatchee, WA
- North Suburban Special Education District In-Service Highland Park, IL
- Chilliwack Society for Community Living Conference Chilliwack, BC

#### 2015-16

- National Parent-to-Parent Conference Phoenix, WA
- Training Workshops for TLC Human Services Seattle, WA
- Autistics Present Conference Bellevue, WA
- Professional In-Service for various school districts Sydney and Adelaide AUS
- Training Workshops for various Parent Advocacy Groups Perth, AUS
- The Association for The Severely Handicapped (TASH) Conference Portland, OR
- Professional In-Service Kingston School District Kingston, ON
- Supported Life Network Conference San Diego, CA
- In-Service Training California Human Services 4 locations

#### **CONFERENCE & IN-SERVICE PRESENTATIONS /cont.**

#### 2015-2016

- Syracuse University Educational Leadership Institute Syracuse, NY
- Professional In-Service Surrey School District (May 2015 & May 2016) Surrey, BC
- Alberta Council of Disability Services Conference Edmonton, AB
- PEAK Parent Leadership Institute Denver, CO
- Disability Studies in Education Conference Des Moines, IA
- Family Leadership Institute Geneva Park, ON

## **2014**

- Visiting Lecturer UBC Kelowna Kelowna, BC
- Jeder Institute Conference Sydney, AUS
- International Narrative Therapy Conference Adelaide, AUS
- Training Workshops for various Parent Advocacy Groups Perth, AUS
- PEAL Parent Leadership Conference, Pittsburgh, PA
- Not Dead Yet Bioethics Conference, Washington, DC
- Washington Supported Employment Conference, Wenatchee, WA
- Inclusion BC Conference, Richmond BC

### 2013

- Education Access Conference, Abu Dhabi, UAE
- Illinois Includes Conference Chicago IL.
- Sequoia Union School District Summer Institute Redwood City CA
- Inclusion BC Conference, Vancouver, British Columbia
- Disability Awareness Training for Corrections Canada, Moncton NB; Ottawa ON, Abbotsford BC
- Staff In-Service for Hope House Human Services Norfolk VA
- Staff In-Service for Keystone Human Services, Harrisburg and Pittsburgh PA
- The Association For Severely Handicapped Persons (TASH) Conference, Chicago IL
- Visiting Lecturer Royal Roads University, Victoria, BC
- Staff and Self Advocate Training Prince George BC
- Visiting Lecturer for Langara College Vancouver, BC

## <u>2012</u>

- The Association For Severely Handicapped Persons (TASH) Conference Long Beach, CA
- Professional Development Training for the -Japanese Teachers Union, Tokyo Japan
- Professional In-Service for Shanghai American Schools Leadership In-Service, Shanghai, China
- Seguoia Union School District Summer Institute Redwood City, CA
- National Assoc. of Parent Training Centers Conference, Santa Fe, NM
- British Columbia Association for Community Living Conference, Penticton, BC
- Ontario Association for Community Living Family Leadership Series, Geneva Park, ON
- PEAK Center Strategies for Inclusive Education Conference, Denver, CO
- Exploring Relational Practices Conference, San Diego, CA
- National Narrative Therapy Conference (Therapeutic Conversations 12) Vancouver, BC

### 2011

- The Association For Severely Handicapped Persons (TASH) Conference Atlanta, GA
- Pennsylvania Education for All Coalition Conference, Pittsburgh, PA
- Boulder School District Institute on Inclusive Education, Boulder, CO
- Ontario Association for Community Living Family Leadership Series, Geneva Park, ON
- National Narrative Therapy Conference (Therapeutic Conversations 11) Vancouver, BC
- Spokane Supported Employment Conference Spokane, WA
- CLBC Advocacy Summit Vancouver, BC
- Harvard University Principals' Institute Boston, MA
- Toronto Summer Inclusion Institute Toronto, ON
- CalState University Summer Inclusive Education Institute San Marcos, CA
- Syracuse University Inclusion and Communication Conference Syracuse, NY

#### 2010

- Leyden Special Education Cooperative Inclusive Education Conference, Franklin Park, IL
- Neighbours Community Living Conference, Newark, NJ
- Harvard University Principals' Institute Boston, MA
- Toronto Summer Inclusion Institute Toronto, ON
- CalState University Summer Inclusive Education Institute San Marcos, CA

#### 1990-2009

- Memphis School District Summer Leadership Institute, Memphis, TN
- South Africa Assisted Learning Conference, Johannesburg, SA
- NED Bank, Johannesburg, SA
- Wayne State Inclusive Education Conference, Detroit, MI
- Association of California School Administrators, Los Angeles, CA
- National Assoc. of Developmental Disabilities Council Directors
- Near East South Asia Teacher's Conference, Cairo, Egypt
- Association of California School Administrators, Monterey, CA
- National Association of Developmental Disabilities Council Directors, Anchorage AK
- Temple University Institute on Disabilities, Hershey, PA
- Mississippi State University, Biloxi, MS
- Tri-Association of International Schools, Mexico City, Mexico
- Employment Access Conference, Halifax NS
- OSEP National Early Childhood Conference, Washington, DC
- Saskatchewan Teacher's Federation, Saskatoon, SK
- Near East South Asia International Schools Conference, Bangkok, Thailand
- Africa International Schools Conference Harare, Zimbabwe; Kampala, Uganda
- Herzlia Jewish Schools, Cape Town, SA
- Near East South Asia International Schools Administrators Conference, Cairo, Egypt
- British Columbia Association for Community Living (BCACL) 1996, 1998, 2011
- Equity and Excellence in Education, Portsmouth, NH, 1996, 1997, 1998
- Strategies for Inclusive Education Conference, Denver, CO, 1992, 1993, 1996, 1999, 2011
- United Cerebral Palsy National Conference, Washington, DC
- National Education Services Conference "Reaching Angry and Disruptive Youth"
- Hawaii Pacific Rim Conference on Inclusive Education, Honolulu, Hawaii, 1995, 2003
- North American Parent to Parent Conference, Asheville, NC

#### **SUMMER INSTITUTES**

Has conducted week-long institutes on conflict resolution and inclusive education at the following:

- Vancouver Summer Inclusive Education Institute, Vancouver, BC (2013)
- Sequoia Union High School District Mexico Inclusive Education Institute (2012-ongoing)
- San Diego Unified School District (2010-2011)
- Summer Institute, Boulder CO (2011)
- San Diego Summer Leadership Institute at San Marcos (UCSM) (1997-2009)
- New Mexico Inclusive Education Institute, Albuquerque NM (1999 2007)
- University of Alaska, Anchorage, AK (1995-1996)
- University of Oregon, held at Bend, Oregon (1994 98)
- University of Vermont Summer Institute (1990 1996)
- McGill University, Montreal, QC

## LONG TERM PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Long term professional development in the areas of conflict resolution, team building, coaching, inclusive education, behavior management and disability issues for school districts and non-profit organizations include the following.

- Powell River Association for Community Living (2010)
- Lower Mainland principals and assistant principals (October, December and February 2007-2008)
- Vancouver Island University (Human Service and Health Workers) annually
- Langley School District, Langley, B.C. (1993 1995)
- Schaumburg School District, Schaumburg, IL. (1992 1995)
- Port Alberni Association for Community Living (1992 05)

# **ADVOCACY AND VOLUNTEER AFFILIATIONS**

Autistic Women's Network

Committee to close Pearson Hospital

Inclusive Education Summer Institute

CLS Revitalization Committee

Associate - Facilitated Communication Institute, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY

Say No to Institutions, Vancouver BC

Port Alberni Women's Resources Society (past president)

Port Alberni Society for Training in Aids Awareness (PASTA)

Family Court Advocate - Legal Services of British Columbia

Haven House Shelter for Battered Women and Children (member)

Runner's of Compassion

Middle Eastern Dance Association

Women's Business Network

John Howard Society (Restorative Justice Program)