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EDUCATION:

St. Bonaventure University (Olean, New York) — B.A., English (Minor: Education)

Nazareth College (Rochester, New York) — M.S., Education (Reading, Psychology, Assessment) and Professional Development in Orton Gillingham instruction with Alice Koontz in Lynchburg, VA

Lynchburg College (Lynchburg, Virginia) — Certification in Learning Disabilities (K-12) and English

BMA Continuing Education — Certificate in Treating Impulsive Children (Kendall Workshop)

University of Virginia — Ph.D. in Education (Special Education, Research, Psychology)

University of Virginia — Professional Development

University of Virginia — Professional Development

Johns Hopkins — Continuing Education

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Kennedy Krieger Institute — Continuing Education

University of Virginia — Professional Development

Johns Hopkins — Continuing Education

NIH / Johns Hopkins — Research Update and Continuing Education

NIH — Research Update

Johns Hopkins / Scientific Learning / NIH Research Update — Program Training in Spectrum, FastForward, and Lab School

Johns Hopkins — Program Training in Spectrum

Learning and the Brain — Continuing Education

CAN Training — Council for Exceptional Children

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IDEA Training — Council for Exceptional Children

Leadership Training — Council for Exceptional Children

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Understanding Executive Dysfunction / RAVE-0 Training

Employment Summary

Cardinal Mooney High School (Rochester, New York) — Secondary English Teacher

Learning Development Center, Rochester Institute of Technology (Rochester, New York) — Adjunct Instructor

Harley School of Rochester — Learning Disabilities Consultant (Private case)

Central Virginia Community College — Instructor of Developmental English

Lynchburg Public Schools (Lynchburg, Virginia) — LD Resource Teacher

Medical and Counseling Assoc. (Richmond, Virginia) — Educational Consultant

University of Virginia — Lecturer in Education (Focus: Behavior Management and Learning Disabilities)

Medical and Counseling Assoc. (2010 Bremo Road, Suite 121, Richmond, Virginia 23226) — Educational Consultant

The Learning Resource Center and The Attention Disorders Clinic (8917 Fargo Road, Richmond, Virginia 23229) — Founder and Director

University of Virginia — Adjunct Faculty (Member in the Institute on Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder)

Video class on Characteristics and Education of ADHD Students — Co-Instructor

Educational Enterprises, Inc. — Founder and Director

EMPLOYMENT DESCRIPTION:

Position	Description
Secondary English	Responsibilities include the implementation of New York State Curriculum for grades 9 and 10.
Adjunct Instructor	Responsibilities included the implementation of individual remedial programs in a private, clinical setting.
LD Consultant	Responsibilities included testing, remedial instruction and placement recommendation.
Adjunct Instructor	Responsibilities included remedial instruction in English to prepare students for college credit-bearing courses.
LD Resource Teacher	Responsibilities included testing for two elementary schools, chair for Child Study Committees, design and implementation of Individual Education Plans for identified LD Resource students, consultant liaison and in-service delivery for regular education faculty.

Educational Consultant	Responsibilities included assessment, consultation and individual and small group instruction. Workshops and presentations are conducted on request basis.
Lecturer in Education	Responsible for teaching the behavior management course in the Spring semester.
Director	Responsible for instruction, assessment, and The Learning Resource Center operations of an Attention Disorders Clinic non-profit program for children, adolescents, and adults. Responsible for development and administration of a clinic using multi-disciplinary approach to assess individuals with attention problems. Responsible for research and development through The Learning Resource Center.
Adjunct	Faculty member in Institute on Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder. Co-instructor of video course on Characteristics and Education of ADHD Students.
Director	Responsible for the provision of services, development of publications, and daily operations of Educational Enterprises, Inc. as well as <i>The Reading Brigade</i> .

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS/POSITIONS HELD:

Lynchburg Public Schools - Task Force on IEP Development
Lynchburg Public Schools - Task Force on Screening Assessment
Lynchburg Public Schools - Chair of SACS (Southern Association) Special Education Committee
Virginia Council of Learning Disabilities (VCLD) - Honors Committee Chairperson
Learning Disabilities Council - Secretary
Member - State Task Force on Attention Deficit Disorder
Member - State Advisory Committee for Learning Disabilities
Member - VACLD Program Planning Committee
Member - VCLD Regional Conference Planning Committee
Member - Task Force Assessing the Effects of Medication in the Treatment of Children
VCLD - Conference Social Chair and Strand Leader for 3 state-wide conferences
Vice-President and Conference Chairperson for VCLD
Board of Directors of the Virginia Branch of The Orton Dyslexia Society
President of VCLD

Past President's Advisory Council of VCLD
Reading Strand Chair for national CLD conference
Member - Liaison Committee of CLD
Member - Ethics and Standards Committee of CLD
Parliamentarian of Virginia Branch of The Orton Dyslexia Society
Member - Hyper Active Attention Deficit Parent Support's Professional
Advisory Board
Member - State Task Force on Teacher Certification
Adjunct Faculty appointment at University of Virginia
Adjunct Faculty appointment at Appalachian State University
Adjunct Faculty appointment at Virginia Commonwealth University
Reviewer for Intervention, a ProEd publication
Member of Committee for Study of ADD Services
Chair, Professional Advisory Board of the Learning Disabilities Association
of Virginia
Chair, Scholarship Committee for the Virginia Branch of the Orton Dyslexia
Society
Co-chair of Local Arrangements for the national Council of Learning
Disabilities Conference in Washington, D.C
Program Chair for the Learning Disabilities Conference of Virginia (1999)
Advisory Board Member of the International Dyslexia Association of Virginia
Member of the Professional Advisory Board of the Learning Disabilities
Association of Virginia
Chair of the Nominating Committee for the International Dyslexia
Association.
Reviewer for Assessment for Effective Intervention, a journal sponsored by
Council of Exceptional Children
Respondent to the White Paper on Clinical Judgement in the Assessment of
Learning Disabilities, LD Summit, Washington, DC, August, 2001.
Respondent for the International Dyslexia Association to the Consensus
Statement as part of the OSEP initiative from the LD Summit.
Member of the Special Needs Task Force for the Diocese of Richmond,
Richmond, Virginia.
Member of the Search Committee for position of Principal at St. Mary's
School in Richmond, Virginia.
Representative for the Council for Exceptional Children, Division for
Learning Disabilities for the Children and Youth Action Network and
Consortium for Citizens with Disabilities.
Past Board Member of The International Dyslexia Association, Chair of
Government Affairs Committee.
Professional Advisory Board of the Virginia Branch of the International
Dyslexia Association.
Representative to the National Joint Committee on Learning Disabilities for
the Division for Learning Disabilities.

Representative to the International Reading Association's Response-to-Intervention Committee.

Reviewer for Learning Disabilities: Research to Practice.

President of the Division for Learning Disabilities of the Council for Exceptional Children.

Past-President of the Division for Learning Disabilities of the Council for Exceptional Children.

Participant in the Expert Workgroup on Response-to-Intervention convened by the Council for Exceptional Children.

Chair, National Adolescent Literacy Coalition

Reviewer for Accreditation for the International Dyslexia Association

Reviewer for Assessment to Intervention Journal

Presentations

Workshops on special education topics at Linkhorne Elementary and Perrymont Elementary Schools in Lynchburg, Virginia.

Presentation on self-monitoring at the Association for Children with Learning Disabilities State Conference in Richmond, Virginia.

Presentation on self-monitoring at the International Conference of the Association for Children with Learning Disabilities in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Presentation at the Council of Learning Disabilities in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Presentations for a variety of schools such as Steward School, Godwin High School, St. Catherine's Lower School, St. Patrick's School, Richmond Public Schools, Campbell County Public Schools.

Presentations on Attention Deficit Disorder, behavior management and learning strategy training to 7 local school systems throughout the State of Virginia under the auspices of a grant provided by the Seay Foundation.

Workshops on strategy training for Eastwood School, Louisville, Kentucky and Henrico Public Schools, Richmond, Virginia.

Presentation at the Virginia State Department of Education's Thinking Skills Conference in Williamsburg, Virginia.

Presentation at the Conference for Teachers of the Behaviorally Disordered sponsored by the Iowa State Department of Education.

Presentations to Roanoke County Public Schools.

Presentation at the Virginia Association of Secondary Schools. Principals' Conference in Charlottesville, Virginia (Middle School Level).

Presentation at the Virginia State Department of Education's Conference for Teachers of the Learning Disabled in Charlottesville, Virginia.

In-service workshops for Henrico County Public School System and on-going consultation three days per month (Middle School - Special Education).

In-service workshops for Goochland Public Schools Special Education personnel and Buford Academy.

In-service workshops for Amherst Public Schools.

In-service workshop for Henrico County Public School System (Secondary Level - Special Education).

In-service presentation to Roanoke County Public Schools.

In-service presentation to Trinity High School.

Virginia Department of Education Strategy Training Workshop in Fairfax, Virginia.

Presentation at Council of Learning Disabilities National Conference in Louisville, Kentucky.

In-service presentations and consultancy on strategy training in Henrico County Schools at the elementary and secondary levels.

Virginia Department of Education Strategy Training workshop in Hampton, Virginia.

Presentation to elementary guidance counselors in Henrico Public Schools.

Presentation to Partnership in Education Committee sponsored through the University of Virginia.

Presentation to Lynchburg College faculty on accommodations and compensations for LD students in college settings.

Virginia Department of Education Strategy Training Workshop in Roanoke, Virginia.

Presentation to the LD State Teachers Conference in Charlottesville, Virginia.

In-service Workshop in strategy training for Newport News Public Schools.

Presentation on "Independent Strategies for Efficient Study" at the national CEC conference in San Francisco, California.

Virginia Department of Education Strategy Training Workshop in Tappahanock, Virginia.

Virginia Department of Education Strategy Training Workshop in Abingdon, Virginia.

Presentation on Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder and Independent Strategies for Efficient Studies at State Child Development Conference in Richmond, Virginia.

Summer Seminar on Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder for the Henrico Public School system.

Presentation on "Independent Strategies for Efficient Study" for the summer Retaining Program at Longwood College in Farmville, Virginia.

Presentation on Attention Disorders to the Audiology Department at the Medical College of Virginia.

Presentation at UVA's Attention Disorders Summer Institute in Charlottesville, Virginia.

In-service on "Independent Strategies for Independent Study" for Campbell County, Virginia.

In-service on "Independent Strategies for Efficient Study" for Norfolk Public Schools.

Presentation on Attention Disorders to the General Assembly's Joint Subcommittee on Education in Richmond, Virginia.

In-service on "Independent Strategies for Efficient Study" under the Christa MacAuliffe Grant for Chesterfield Public Schools in Richmond, Virginia.

In-service on "Independent Strategies for Efficient Study" for teachers new to the Henrico Public Schools in Richmond, Virginia.

Presentation on ADHD to the school psychologists in the Chesterfield Public School System in Richmond, Virginia.

In-service on "Independent Strategies for Efficient Study" for Amherst Public Schools in Amherst, Virginia.

In-service on "Independent Strategies for Efficient Study" for Nicholas County in Summerville, West Virginia.

Presentation on learning styles for St. Bridget's PTA in Richmond, Virginia.

Presentation on learning styles for the Education Program at the Jewish Community Center in Richmond, Virginia.

Presentation on learning styles for the HAAD meeting in Charlottesville, Virginia.

Presentation on learning styles at the Virginia Independent School Conference in Richmond, Virginia.

Presentation on Attention Disorders for the West Point Public Schools in West Point, Virginia.

Presentation on Attention Disorders to the General Assembly's Joint Subcommittee on Educator's Task Force on Dropout Prevention in Richmond, Virginia.

Member of Virginia Department of Education's Task Force on Certification of Educational Diagnosticians.

Presentation at Chalkley Elementary School in Chesterfield County Public Schools.

Presentation on Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder at the national conference of the Learning Disabilities Association of America in Anaheim, California.

Presenter in a series of four regional in-services on the Virginia Department of Education's Task Force Report, "ADHD and the Schools".

Presentation on strategy training at the Virginia Council of Learning Disabilities state conference.

Presentation at the ADHD Parent Support Group meeting in Hanover, Virginia.

Presentation on Subtypes of Attention Deficit at the American Educational Research Association's annual conference in Boston, Massachusetts.

Presentation on ADHD and workshop in strategy training for the Virginia Department of Education's LD/ED conference in Richmond, Virginia.

In-service on strategy training for Fairfax County Public Schools in Fairfax, Virginia.

In-service on ADHD for Henrico County Public Schools in Richmond, Virginia.

Presentation at the first national conference on Language, Literacy and Adults in Orlando, Florida.

Continuing Education class on ADHD through the University of Virginia for Bath County, Virginia.

In-service on "Independent Strategies for Efficient Study" for Braxton County Public Schools in Braxton County, West Virginia.

Presentation on Learning Styles at the national conference of the Council of Learning Disabilities in Austin, Texas.

Presentation on ADHD at the Cajun Dome in Lafayette, LA for the Women's Foundation.

Conducted series of four regional workshops on strategy training offered through the Virginia Department of Education.

Presentation of ADHD at the conference for Hospital Programs offered by the Virginia Department of Education in Staunton, Virginia.

Workshop on the Woodcock-Johnson Psycho-educational Battery in Westmoreland County, Virginia.

In-Service on strategy training for the Center of Dyslexia in Charlottesville, Virginia.

Presentations for ADHD parent support groups in Newport News and Chesterfield County, Virginia.

Presentation on ADHD for probation officers and mental health professionals sponsored by St. John's Hospital in Richmond, Virginia.

In-service on strategy training for Newport News Public Schools in Newport News, Virginia.

INTERNSHIPS:

Research Internship	Self-monitoring of Attention by Learning Disabled Students in the Mainstream.
Teaching Internship	Introduction to Special Education Course at the University of Virginia.
Teaching Internship	Methods for Teaching in E.D., M.R. and L.D. at the University of Virginia.
Education Internship	Internship in Teacher Certification and Professional Development at the State Department of Education, Richmond, Virginia.
Internship	Orton-Gillingham internship with Janet Edlich in Roanoke, VA

HONORS:

Scholarship to St. Bonaventure University
B.A., Magna Cum Laude
Fellowship in English, State of New York at Brockport
Fellowship for Doctoral Studies at the University of Rochester
Merit award for teaching by the Lynchburg Jaycees
Fellowship for Doctoral Studies at the University of Virginia
CLD Grants-to-States Award Winner
Grant recipient of Seay Foundation
Recipient of the Rebecca Brock Richardson Award

EDUCATIONAL HONOR SOCIETIES:

Delta Epsilon Psi
Delta Kappa Gamma
Phi Delta Kappa

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

Council for Exceptional Children
Division for Learning Disabilities
National Adolescent Literacy Coalition
Council for Educational Diagnosticians
Council for Learning Disabilities
The International Dyslexia Association
Learning Disability Association of America

PUBLICATIONS:

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Rooney, K.J., Polloway, E., & Hallahan, D.P. (1985). Self-monitoring of attention with low IQ learning disabled students. *Journal of Learning Disabilities*, 18 (7), 384- 389.

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Rooney, K.J. (1998). *Reverse Diagramming*. Educational Enterprises, Inc., Richmond, Va.

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Williams, R. & Rooney, K.J. (1986). *CBM manual for teachers*. Charlottesville, Va.: Learning Disabilities Research.

Rooney, K.J. (2009) *Strategies for Learning, Empowering Students in Grades 9-12*, Thousand Oaks, California: Corwin Press.

Rooney, K. (2011). Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder. In Kauffman, J.M. & Hallahan, D.P (Eds.), *Handbook of Special Education*. (pp.198-208). New York and London: Routledge Press.

Rooney, K. (2017). Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder. In Kauffman, J.M. & Hallahan, D.P (Eds.), *Handbook of Special Education-Revised Edition*. (pp. 300-311). New York and London: Routledge Press.

2018-Present-Development of online versions of *Independent Strategies for Efficient Study*, *Wordstorming*, *Reverse Diagramming*.

PROJECTS IN DEVELOPMENT

Dyslexia Screener and Recommendations
Parent-Child Conversation booklet