

Krista E. Leh

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EDUCATIONAL CONSULTANT

- Educator with 20 years of experience in middle school, high school, and collegiate settings
- Innovative professional with exceptional interpersonal skills and flexibility to adapt within new environments
- Possesses thorough knowledge and understanding of educational best practices, curriculum design and development, research-based and effective instruction, multiple forms of assessment, social emotional learning, diversity, and equity, climate and culture
- Conference presenter at national, state, and local levels
- Facilitator of professional learning for administrators, educators, and students in K-12 settings across 25 states

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Resonance Educational Consulting, Green Lane, PA

Founder and Owner, 2018 - present

- Create and facilitate professional learning on social emotional learning; diversity, equity, and access
- Support administrators, teachers, staff and students through system-wide change initiatives

Teaching Learning Succeeding, LLC, Collegeville, PA

Professional Learning Facilitator, 2018 - present

- Facilitate professional learning on Differentiating Instruction for students K-12
- Support educators through job-embedded coaching over the course of a semester

Newman/Stecher International, Apple Valley, CA

Consultant, 2012 - present

- Facilitate national trainings for educators on the Student Assistance Program model, Climate and Culture, Safe Schools, Diversity and Equity, Anti-bullying, and Peer Mediation

Neumann University, Aston, PA

Adjunct Professor, July 2010 - present

- Design and facilitate courses in Master's in Education program emphasizing Social Emotional Learning
- Instruct: Culturally Responsive Teaching; Closing the Achievement Gap; Curriculum Design and Evaluation; Research Design and Methods; Cultivating 21st Century Skills: Whole Brain Learning

Thom Stecher and Associates, Malvern, PA

Associate and Consultant, 2010 - present

- Facilitate professional learning on Diversity, Equity, Access; Social Emotional Learning; Teacher Leadership; Student Leadership and Mentoring; Growth Mindset; Resiliency; Anti-bullying and Prosocial Behavior

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ASCD, Alexandria, VA

Professional Learning Services Faculty Member, August 2014 - March 2018

- Consult: Whole Child and Social Emotional Learning; Diversity, Equity, and Access; Student Engagement; Standards-based Instruction (ex Questioning Techniques, Differentiated Instruction), Building a Classroom Community; Gamification and Game-based Learning; Teacher Leadership; 21st Century Learning and Instructional Technology
- Present keynotes for school districts
- Review book proposals
- Coached the affiliate trainers for the ASCD & Affiliate EdSpace (hybrid professional learning)
- Created and facilitated Social Studies webinars on Implementing the Common Core State Standards through the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation/ ASCD Grant (2014-2015)

Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA

Graduate Assistant for Lehigh University School Study Council, August 2013 – January 2018

- Organize monthly professional learning for 30-40 superintendents in the Greater Lehigh Valley region
- Coordinate annual four-day Study Tour in which LUSSC partners with an east coast university to learn of new initiatives and emerging best practices
- Orchestrate professional learning for members (9 school districts, 2 Intermediate Units, and 1 vocational technical institute) of the Greater Lehigh Valley Consortium for Equity and Excellence

Eduplanet21, LLC, Mechanicsburg, PA

Instructional Designer, June 2016 – June 2017

- Manage Pennsylvania Association of Intermediate Units (PAIU) – Eduplanet21 project
- Review and modify existing PAIU courses to enhance content, flow, and engagement critical to deepen and apply new learning
- Provide hybrid trainings for content experts to design and develop effective, engaging online courses
- Design and develop online professional learning courses on current educational topics

Pottsgrove School District, Pottstown, PA

Secondary Curriculum and Instruction Coach, 2011 - 2013

- Supported 6th – 12th grade teachers (math, science, social studies, English Language Arts, World Language, and “encore” subjects) with Total Curriculum Alignment Process: unwrapping Priority Standards, writing Essential Questions and Big Ideas, developing/implementing/evaluating Common Formative Assessments
- Assisted teachers in selecting research-based instructional strategies and developing Authentic Performance Tasks

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Instructional Technology Coach, 2008 - 2011

- Collaborated with teachers to create engaging and motivating lessons that address content standards, 21st Century Skills & NETS*S
- Developed and supported district Private Label Wikispaces
- Established and maintained 21st Century Skills resource sites
- Planned and facilitated faculty K-12 In-Service Professional Development

SNAP Leadership Development Academy Co-creator/Instructor, 2008 - 2010

- Organized yearly leadership training to prepare students to assist peers in leading a healthy, drug and alcohol-free lifestyle
- Developed and implemented curriculum for year-long leadership class
- Utilized various technologies to provide information to community on healthy lifestyles and to provide access to needed services
- Coordinated high school assemblies on bullying, suicide and depression
- Designed the Freshmen Mentoring and Orientation Programs

Social Studies Teacher, 1999 - 2008

- American History (Honors, "College Prep," "Basic"), grade 11
- World History ("College Prep," "Basic," Co-taught), grade 10

District Committees

- Communications and Technology, Curriculum and Instruction Core Team, Staff Development Committee, Technology Leadership Committee, Plan Do Study Act Committee, Differentiated Instruction Committee, Whole Child District Committee

High School Committees and Service

- Leadership Team, Student Needs Assistance Program Coordinator, Principal's Meet and Discuss, Peer Mediation, Travel Abroad Program (chaperone students to France, Italy & Greece and Italy & Spain for nine days), Pottsgroviaan Yearbook Business Advisor, Sophomore Class Advisor, Pottsgrove Educational Foundation board member, Key Club Advisor

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EDUCATION

Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA

- Doctoral Candidate, Educational Leadership, expected 2019
- GPA: 3.89/4.0

Kutztown University, Kutztown, PA

- M.Ed. in Curriculum and Instruction, May 2006
- GPA: 4.0/4.0

The Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA

- B.S. in Secondary Education Social Studies, May 1999
- GPA: 3.38/4.0

AWARDS AND HONORS

- ASCD Influence Leader (Educational Policy), 2015
- ASCD Emerging Leader, Class of 2012 (*1 of 26 educators in the U.S.*)
- People Magazine, June 2010 - [Pottsgrove SNAP Academy featured in article](#)
- Philadelphia Magazine, September 2009 - "[Best in Schools – Student Leadership Program](#)" for SNAP Academy

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Camp Rainbow, Inc., Schwenksville, PA

Providing a week-long, overnight, low-cost, socially, emotionally, and physically safe, camping experience to underprivileged children in Montgomery County, PA

- Vice-President, Board of Directors, 2010-2013; 2018-present
- Admissions Committee Chair, 2010 – 2013
- Member, Board of Directors, 2009

PASCD

- Whole Child Committee Chair, PASCD Board of Directors, 2016-present
- Co-Creator, PASCD Emerging Leader Group, 2014-present
- Booked and organized keynote speakers, Conference Committee, 2014-2016

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- ASCD
- UCEA
- AERA
- PASCD
- Learning Forward
- PAECT
- ISTE