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EDUCATION

Doctor of Education – Educational Technology , with Honors <i>Pepperdine University - Malibu, California</i>	2008
Master of Arts – Spanish <i>Roosevelt University - Chicago, Illinois</i>	2004
Bachelor of Arts – Spanish and Physics , with Highest Distinction and Departmental Honors <i>Indiana University - Bloomington, Indiana</i>	2001
Master of Business Administration <i>University of Florida – Gainesville, Florida</i>	2012 (expected)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

July, 2010 to present	Campus President, Osceola Campus <i>Valencia Community College – Orlando, FL</i>
October, 2009 to June, 2010	Interim President <i>McHenry County College – Crystal Lake, IL</i>
August, 2009 to October, 2009	Vice President, Institutional Effectiveness <i>McHenry County College – Crystal Lake, IL</i>
January, 2009 to August, 2009	Associate Vice President, Institutional Effectiveness <i>McHenry County College – Crystal Lake, IL</i>
October, 2007 to December, 2008	Executive Director, Institutional Effectiveness <i>McHenry County College – Crystal Lake, IL</i>
December, 2006 to September, 2007	Director, Distance Education and Professional Development <i>McHenry County College – Crystal Lake, IL</i>
January, 2004 to December, 2006	Coordinator, Media Development and Technology Training <i>McHenry County College – Crystal Lake, IL</i>
May, 2001 to December, 2003	Instructional Media Specialist <i>McHenry County College – Crystal Lake, IL</i>

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2010 - present	PEPPERDINE UNIVERSITY – MALIBU, CA <i>Adjunct Faculty, Graduate School of Education and Psychology</i>
2010 - present	VALENCIA COLLEGE – KISSIMMEE, FL <i>Adjunct Faculty, Spanish Department</i>
2001 - 2010	MCHEMRY COUNTY COLLEGE – CRYSTAL LAKE, IL <i>Adjunct Faculty, Spanish Department</i>
2006	AURORA UNIVERSITY – AURORA, IL <i>Adjunct Faculty, Graduate School of Education</i>
1999 - 2001	INDIANA UNIVERSITY – BLOOMINGTON, IN <i>Peer Instructor, Freshman Interest Groups Program</i> <i>Teaching Assistant, Physics Department</i>

HONORS

Named one of 24 Emerging International Leaders in Education, <i>Phi Delta Kappa</i>	2009
Graduate, Executive Leadership Institute, <i>League for Innovation in the Community College</i>	2009
Member, <i>Phi Delta Kappa</i>	2008 – present
Glen and Gloria Holden Scholarship, <i>Pepperdine University</i>	2007
Named one of Top 10 Professionals Under 40, <i>McHenry County Business Journal</i>	2006
Doctoral Fellow, <i>Community College Leadership Development Initiatives</i>	2006
Member, <i>Phi Beta Kappa</i>	2001 – present
Member, <i>Sigma Pi Sigma National Physics Honor Society</i>	2001 – present
Member, <i>Golden Key National Honor Society</i>	2000 – present
Outstanding Initiate Scholarship, <i>Golden Key National Honor Society</i>	2000
Herman B. Wells Scholar, <i>Indiana University</i>	1997 – 2001
Science, Research, and Technology Scholar, <i>Indiana University</i>	1997 – 1999

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Board Member – <i>Osceola Education Foundation</i>	2011 - present
Board Member – <i>Osceola Center for the Arts</i>	2011 - present
Board Member – <i>Harmony Institute (Harmony, FL)</i>	2011 - present
Board Member – <i>Community Vision (Osceola County, FL)</i>	2011 - present
Board Member – <i>Lake Nona Education Council</i>	2010 - present
Board Member – <i>Kissimmee/Osceola Chamber of Commerce (Kissimmee, FL)</i>	2010 - present
Accreditation Peer Review Corps - <i>Higher Learning Commission, North Central Association</i> <i>Annual Update Reviewer, Systems Portfolio Appraiser, Quality Checkup Visitor, Reaffirmation Panelist</i>	2007 – 2010
Board Member - <i>McHenry County Workforce Investment Board</i>	2009 – 2010
Board Member – <i>McHenry County Economic Development Corporation</i>	2009 – 2010
CODiE Award Judge - <i>Software and Information Industry Association</i>	2008 – 2009

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Vice President – <i>Rotary Club of Lake Nona</i>	2010 - present
Reading Mentor - <i>in2books.com</i>	2008 – 2010
McHenry County College Campaign Chair and Allocations Panel Member - <i>United Way</i>	2005 – 2010
Chair, Scholarship Committee - <i>McHenry County College Staff Council</i>	2005 – 2006
Advisor – <i>Club Concordia, McHenry County College Spanish Club</i>	2001 – 2010
Vice President for Philanthropy - <i>Indiana University Student Government</i>	2000 – 2001
Bilingual tutor for Spanish-speaking students - <i>Casa Latina - Bloomington, IN</i>	1999 – 2001

PUBLICATIONS

- Plinske, K., & Packard, W. (2010). Trustees' Perceptions of the Desired Qualifications for the Next Generation of Community College Presidents. *Community College Review*, (37)4, 291-312.
- Plinske, K., & Packard, W. (2009). Leveraging your systems portfolio: Supporting institutional dialogue and organizational learning. *A Collection of Papers on Self-Study and Institutional Improvement, Annual Meeting of the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools*. (114th, Chicago, IL, April 17-21, 2009).
- Milliron, M.D., & Plinske, K. (2009). Building for a new generation of learning: Catalytic conversations for the educational publisher. *Publishing Research Quarterly*, 25(1), 1-11.
- Milliron, M.D., Plinske, K. & Noonan-Terry, C. (2008). Building a new generation of learning: Conversations to catalyze our construction. *Planning for Higher Education*, 37(1), 7-14.
- Plinske, K., Patton, D. & Packard, W. (2007). While there's no 'U' in AQIP, it's incomplete without you! *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools* (112th, Chicago, IL, Apr. 20-24, 2007).
- Gunter, J. et al. (2001). Partial wave analysis of the $\pi^0 \pi^0$ system produced in $\pi^- p$ charge exchange collisions. *Physical Review D*, 64, 072003.
- Marshall, S. P., Ramirez, M., Plinske, K., & Veal, C. (1998). Creating conditions for developing and nurturing talent: The work of school leaders. *NASSP Bulletin*, 52(595), 75-84.

SELECTED CONFERENCE AND KEYNOTE PRESENTATIONS

Leading in Tumultuous Times <i>Featured Session, North American Council for Staff, Program, and Organizational Development</i>	10/2011
Who Needs Books? Building a Library for the Future <i>Florida Association of Community Colleges Annual Convention</i>	10/2011
Taking the Reigns in Tumultuous Times <i>American Association of Community Colleges Annual Convention</i>	4/2011
Valencia's Collegiate Academy at Lake Nona High School <i>Florida Association of Community Colleges Annual Convention</i>	10/2010
Google Essentials for the Executive <i>American Association of Community Colleges Annual Convention</i>	4/2010
Reaching Success <i>Keynote, American Association for Women in Community Colleges, College of Lake County Chapter</i>	1/2010
Emerging Educational Technologies to Engage Our Students <i>Keynote, Lincoln Trail College</i>	8/2009
Planning for the Future through Organizational Learning <i>National Institute for Staff and Organizational Development Conference</i>	5/2009
You, Too, Can YouTube <i>National Institute for Staff and Organizational Development Conference</i>	5/2009
Cut Through the Hype: The Executive's Web 2.0 Toolkit <i>American Association of Community Colleges Annual Convention</i>	4/2009
What Trustees Want: The Next Generation of Community College Presidents <i>American Association of Community Colleges Annual Convention</i>	4/2009

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS (cont.)

Supporting Institutional Dialogue and Organizational Learning <i>Higher Learning Commission Annual Meeting</i>	4/2009
Preparing for a New Generation of Learning <i>Leadership Greater McHenry County Conference</i>	1/2009
A New Generation of Learning <i>National Institute for Staff and Organizational Development Conference</i>	5/2008
A New Generation of Learning <i>Innovations Conference, League for Innovations in the Community College</i>	3/2007
Modern Language Assessment Through Digital Video <i>Illinois Community College Assessment Fair</i>	3/2007
Taking the Plunge: Switching Online Learning Management Systems Successfully <i>Illinois Online Conference</i>	2/2007
Community College Leadership: Looking Back for the Future <i>National Institute for Staff and Organizational Development Conference</i>	5/2006
Social Constructivism Meets Technology: The Future of Student and Employee Engagement <i>American Association of Community Colleges Annual Convention</i>	4/2006
Digital Video as a Tool for Faculty Development <i>National Institute for Staff and Organizational Development Conference</i>	5/2005
Assessment Gone Wireless <i>National Institute for Staff and Organizational Development Conference</i>	5/2005
Adobe Acrobat + JavaScript = Self-Grading Worksheets <i>Digital Stream: California State University Monterey Bay</i>	3/2005
Keynote Address: Caring to Challenge Teacher Recognition Ceremony <i>Illinois Mathematics and Science Academy</i>	3/2005
Digital Communication Tools in Professional Development <i>National Council for Staff, Program, and Organizational Development</i>	10/2004
Creating a Learner-Centered Language Classroom – Pre-Conference Workshop <i>American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese Annual Meeting</i>	8/2004
Teaching Reading Comprehension at a Distance: Bringing Legends to Life <i>Digital Stream: California State University Monterey Bay</i>	3/2004
100% Retention in an Online Spanish Course <i>American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese Annual Meeting</i>	8/2003
Creating Interactive Online Listening Exercises <i>Digital Stream: California State University Monterey Bay</i>	3/2003
Teaching Language & Culture through Music & Technology <i>Digital Stream: California State University Monterey Bay</i>	3/2002
Creating Digital Video Portfolios and Online Peer Evaluations <i>Digital Stream: California State University Monterey Bay</i>	3/2002
A Study of Factors Affecting Interpretation of Pronouns in Spanish <i>Form-Meaning Connections in Second-Language Acquisition: University of Illinois at Chicago</i>	2/2002