

# Donald D. Trickel

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## Education

- M.A. 1975 - Masters Degree, Curriculum and Instruction, University of Northern Colorado
- B.A. 1968 - Bachelors Degree, History and Education, Macalester College, St. Paul, MN
- 1975 to 2000 - Post master's degree work in various disciplines concerned with teacher education and social studies curriculum - Psychology, American History, Economics and Supervision of Social Studies teachers (over 120+ hours)

## Professional Development

- ASCD National Conference - workshops 2009
  - Robyn Jackson, "Never Work Harder than your Students and other Principles of Great Teaching"
  - Carol Ann Tomlinson, "Establishing a Differentiated Classroom"
  - Thomas Rye, "Understanding Mathematics by Design"
  - Jennifer Barrett, "Professional Development for the Differentiated Classroom"
- Workshop "Sheltered Instruction Operation Protocols" 2009
- Workshop by Grant Wiggins: on Essential Questions & Curriculum Reform 2008
- Workshop AP<sup>®</sup> National Conference 2008 and College Board EXCELeator Schools Conference 2008
- Workshop by Larry Ainsworth, "Making Standards Work " 2008
- Workshop by Larry Ainsworth, "Common Formative Assessments: The Power of Assessments *For Learning*" 2008
- Council of Great City Schools National Conference 2008
- Workshops on information based educational practice (IBEP), assessment and mentoring 2001-present
  - Rick Stiggins, "Classroom Assessment *for Student Learning*"
  - Bruce Wellman, "Data-Driven dialogue"
  - Victoria Bernhardt, "Using Data to Improve Student Learning"
  - Gene Hall, "Innovation Configuration Mapping"
  - Colorado Consortium for Data Driven Decision-Making
  - "Transforming Students into Learners"
  - "Professional Learning Communities: Focusing on Common Assessments"

### Special Course Work in Teacher Education

- "Supervision of Educational Field Experience"
- "Career Related Materials for the Classroom"
- "Team Teaching"
- "Understanding People"
- "Teaching Self-Image and Sexuality"
- "Exploration and Creative Teaching of Self"
- "Methods and Materials in the Social Studies"
- "Teaching Colorado History"
- "Building Personal and Professional Growth"
- "Crisis Intervention"
- "Classroom Management"
- "Methods and Materials in Teaching the Civil War"
- "Teaching the Chicano Child"
- "Practicum in elementary and Jr. High Teaching"
- "Psychology of the Adolescence"
- "History and Philosophy of Bilingual Education"
- "Education Beyond the Classroom"
- "Sociology of Education"
- "Advanced Practicum in Teaching"

### Teaching Experience

- Denver University-Teacher Education Program (DU-TEP) Administrative Team – Secondary Lead Faculty 2006-present
- Secondary Social Studies Methods Instructor - DU-TEP 2003-present
- Supervisor and Instructor of Secondary Student Teaching Seminar - DU-TEP 2001-present
- Secondary Placement Coordinator - DU-TEP 2001-present
- INTEL Teach to the Future certified instructor – conduct INTEL TTTF training sessions for DU-TEP teacher candidates 2001-present
- Planned/Conducted University of Denver – Teacher Education Program Adjunct Faculty Training Workshops 2005-06
  - 11/8/05 – "Information Based Educational Practice"
  - 12/1/05 – "Transition from Course Matrix to TWS"
  - 12/7/05 – "Developing common Understandings"

- 2/20/06 – “IBEP and TEP – Digging Deeper”
- 3/14/06 – “Matching Learning Targets to the Best Assessment”
- 4/18/06 – “Identifying Essential Course Elements and Analyzing the TWS as an Assessment Tool”
- Faculty Data Coach 2004-present
  - Conducted individual and small cohort coaching sessions with TEP Adjunct Faculty
  - Conduct training workshops for DU-TEP Adjunct Faculty in the embedding of information based educational practice (IBEP) protocols, including course and curriculum mapping; mentoring
- Appointment to honorarium faculty at University of Colorado at Denver to teach College American History to high school seniors for college credit-also teaching online class 1996-98
- Abraham Lincoln High School, Denver, CO 1987-2001
  - teaching assignment in Social Studies
  - areas of instruction: American Government (9th grade), American Economic System (9th grade), Geography (9th grade), American History (11th grade), Advanced Placement-College American History (12th grade) American Economic System (9th grade), Geography (9th grade), American History (11th grade), Advanced Placement-College American History (12th grade)
- Horace Mann Junior High School, Denver, CO 1970-87
  - teaching assignment in Social Studies
  - areas of instruction: Geography (7th grade), American History (8th grade), American Government (9th grade)
- Military service, U.S. Army, Service in Vietnam (1969-70), awarded Purple Heart, Bronze Star, field instructor 1968-70
- Juvenile Hall (Cole Junior High School), Denver, CO 1968
  - teaching assignment in all areas in instruction

## Research/Publications/Presentations

- Presentation of Professional Development to current high school teachers 2006-09
  - “Common Formative Assessments – Design and Implementation”
  - “The Data Team Process”
  - “Identifying Power Standards”
  - “Unwrapping Power Standards”
  - “Designing Assessments”
  - “Differentiating and Scaffolding Instruction”
- Researched and submitted for publication article “Planning, Assessment, and Instruction: A Process for Unit Planning in the Social Sciences” 2007
- Researched article “Coaching Adjunct Faculty in an Environment of Revision” 2007
- Presentation to The American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education (AACTE) – 59th Annual Meeting 2007
  - presentation to international audience “Change or Growth – A Question of Choices: Implementing IBEP in a 9-Month Intensive Post-Baccalaureate Program Utilizing Adjunct Faculty”, a published paper as part of Preparing Teachers to Use Data (PTD) federal grant
- Presentation to PTD Higher Education Institution’s “Partner Fair” 2005
- Point Faculty liaison for revision and writing of University of Denver-Teacher Education Program’s Teacher Work Sample (TWS) assessment 2004-presnet
- Presentation to the Colorado Council for the Social Studies at the Rocky Mountain Regional Social Studies Conference - topic “Incorporating Reading Skills into the Middle School Social Studies Curriculum” 1985
- Supervised writing of 11th grade American History Promotional Standards test (a DPS publication) 1970-2001
- Developed 10th grade Promotional Standards Test for Global Studies and Global Studies X (a DPS publication)
- Wrote 7th, 8th, and 9th grade Promotional Standards Tests along with Teacher’s guide and Parent’s guide (a DPS publication)
- Consulted on the development of and field tested American History textbook
- Developed and wrote “The Development of Reading Skills in the Social Studies” (a DPS publication)
- Consulted on development of 8th grade Social Studies Curriculum

Guide (a DPS publication)

- Developed, co-authored and revised 7th grade Social Studies
- Curriculum Guide and Activities (a DPS publication)
- Developed and co-authored Curriculum on the History of Denver(a DPS publication) - received state and national recognition from National Council for Geographic Education
- Developed and wrote ESEA Social Studies Lab curriculum for junior and senior high schools in Denver (a DPS publication)
- Initiated, developed and wrote Criterion Referenced Test for 7th and 8th grade Social Studies (a DPS publication)

### Awards and Honors

- University of Denver –College of Education, Teacher Education Program Adjunct Faculty of the Year 2005-06
- Recognition in Who's Who Among America's Teachers 1992, 1994, 1996, 1997, 1998
- Nominated for Disney National Teacher Awards, Colorado Teacher of the Year, Denver Teacher of the Year 1996
- Inclusion in Who's Who in American Education 1996
- Selected as participant in National Endowment for the Humanities Seminar, "Natural Law, Natural Rights, and American Constitutionalism: Aquinas, Locke, Adams, and The Federalist" 1988
- Selected as presenter by the Colorado Council for the Social Studies at the Rocky Mountain Regional Social Studies Conference - topic "Incorporating Reading Skills into the Middle School Social Studies Curriculum" 1985
- Developed and co-authored Curriculum on the History of Denver (a DPS publication) - received state and national recognition from National Council for Geographic Education 1973
- Recognized for Meritorious Teaching Achievement for demonstration of outstanding competence and imagination in teaching by the National Council for Geographic Education 1973

### Affiliations/Memberships

- National Council for the Social Studies (NCSS)
- Colorado Council for the Social Studies (CCSS)
- Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD)