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Michael Federspiel has been an administrator with the Midland Public Schools for 23 years. During that time he has hired, evaluated, and recruited dozens of teachers. Currently, he directly supervises 28 high school social studies teachers and is responsible for the K-12 social studies program (curriculum, texts, professional development and supervision). He has been a member of CMU's history department for the past 10 years where he holds the history education specialist position.

Jason Lundin obtained his B.S. and M.A. from Central Michigan University and has 10 years of experience. He has served on 12 interview committees for elementary, middle and university positions. Jason is a former adjunct faculty at CMU and has written grants for over \$2.1 million. He has hosted two student teachers and over 60 midtier students.

April Blumline is from Roseville, Michigan. She is currently finishing her first semester of student teaching in Midland, MI. Special Education Major with a concentration in cognitive impairments, and a minor in child development.



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**Welcome to
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Workshop**

**Getting Ready for
Academic
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Education**



A teacher's purpose is not to create students in his own image, but to develop students who can create their own image. -Unknown

G.R.A.D.E. Getting Ready for Academic Development in Education



Colleen Moore was an Art Teacher in Akron Public Schools, Ohio, an inner-city school environment with about a 50 percent minority student population in the schools. In the remaining 50 percent, there were children who were of the first generation from immigrant families representing about 17 different countries. She worked with 750-900 students per week and taught as a graduate assistant at the University of Akron during her MA and Doctoral programs in the Foundations of Education. She taught three years at Eastern Illinois University, and came to CMU in 1989.

Mark Lyons has been teaching at the Midland County Service Agency for five years. He currently has a K-5 Autism Impairment classroom at Plymouth Elementary. He has 8 students and 7 paraprofessionals.

Jeff Haymes is the Assistant Director (Career Services) and has worked with the Teacher Education program and the College of Education and Human Services for over 13 years while at CMU.

Tony Falsetta is a retired educator with 35 years of teaching and administration experience. Tony graduated from CMU in 1972 with a B.S. in Physical education with a minor in Industrial arts. He received a M.A. in 1976 from CMU. Tony has taught in the high and middle school and has been an administrator in the elementary, middle and high schools. He is currently teaching Foundations of American Education (495) EDHS and is also on the Mt. Pleasant Public Schools Board of Education.

Janet Alderton has been teaching for 30+ years in Bridgeport-Spaulding Community Schools. She went to WMU for her Elementary Education Degree and earned her masters degree at Saginaw Valley State University. Janet has taught 3rd-6th grades, a Gifted/Talented program, and currently teaching 7th grade Science.

Kyle McKay graduated from CMU in 2006 and began teaching in Clare that fall. He teaches 6th grade science and coach Clare's Varsity wrestling team as well as the Science Olympiad team. Kyle has 6 years of previous business management experience with The Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village in Dearborn, and another 3 years with the Family Video Movie Company.

Resume/Career Builder

Jeff will be discussing the basics of job searching and resume development. If you have brought your resume with you today, please feel free to use it as a reference when asking generic questions that may be helpful to other participants

Question and Answer Panel

Mark Lyons is April Blumline's host teacher as she fulfills the student teaching requirement. This is your time to ask the questions you have always wanted to ask. Learn about the student teaching process and the first couple of years as a teacher!

Mock Interviews

Jason Lundin will open up with the "Do's and Don'ts of Interviewing".

This will be followed by separating into groups and conducting mock interviews with fellow participants.

Interviewers will take a few minutes to evaluate your session. At this time, you will be asked to fill out a comment card.

Meet with your interviewer one last time to go over your evaluation.

Turn in your comment card and you will receive your certificate of completion.

Many Thanks!