



NINA C. SMITH, ED.D.
DEEP LEARNING PEDAGOGUE

OBJECTIVE

As an internationally experienced Finnish education professional working in the U.S, I am looking for a faculty or teacher trainer position where research, instruction, and course design skills in both pedagogy and andragogy are used for deep learning and engagement.

SKILLS & ABILITIES

Bilingual (Finnish-English), also learned Swedish, German and Spanish.

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EXPERIENCE

WESTERN GOVERNORS UNIVERSITY, SALT LAKE CITY, UT

2012 – PRESENT

Faculty M.Ed. Graduate Programs. Mentoring teachers/trainers pursuing their instructional design M.Ed. in an online university.

NINA'S NOTES, PORT ANGELES, WA

2009 - PRESENT

Blogging, presenting and training online. Instructional & curricular design with the insight of the Finnish education.

OLYCAP, SEQUIM WA

2011 - 2012

Child Development Consultant Trained and supported a multi-city team of Early Childhood Education teachers.

IMARC, SALTILLO, MEXICO

2007 - 2008

Academic Coordinator. Hired, trained, and managed a multi-city team of diverse teachers, renewed the whole training program.

ÄÄNEKOSKI SCHOOL DISTRICT, ÄÄNEKOSKI, FINLAND

2003 - 2007

Classroom teacher. In several elementary schools, taught all school subjects, supported, assessed, and evaluated students.

PRIVATE PRESCHOOL, ÄÄNEKOSKI, FINLAND

1990 -2000

Child Pedagogue. ECE, owned a preschool, supported students' learning skills to be ready for school success at the age of 7.

EDUCATION

2017 - DOCTOR OF EDUCATION, NORTHEASTERN

UNIVERSITY, SEATTLE, WA / BOSTON, MA

Curriculum, Teaching, Learning, and Leadership.

2003 - MASTER OF EDUCATION, UNIVERSITY OF

JYVÄSKYLÄ, FINLAND

Major: Education, Minors: Multi-Disciplinary School Subjects and Subject studies in Psychology.

2003 - TEACHER QUALIFICATION, UNIVERSITY OF

JYVÄSKYLÄ, FINLAND

Class-teacher training program with teacher's pedagogical studies and Multi-Disciplinary School Subjects.