Eileen Hernon

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Education

University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA

May 2018

M.A.T. Elementary Education

GPA: 4.0

Honors: Outstanding Elementary Education Candidate, Inge Family Scholarship, delegate to the 2018 *Teacher of Promise* convention

University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA

May 2018

B.A. Psychology GPA: 3.95

Honors: Highest Distinction Psychology Graduate, Echols Scholar, Intermediate Honors Recipient, Dean's List Honor's Thesis: Making "Clicktivism" Work: How to Increase Prosocial Commitment by Invoking Public Self-Awareness

Classroom Experience

Teacher, Bryanston School

August 2018-July 2019

- 8th grade English; 8th-10th grade Health
- Collaborated with English team to develop and implement independent literacy workshops that made students more skillful, self-directed, enthusiastic readers and writers
- Guided eighth graders through classic works of prose, poetry, and drama in order to strengthen their appreciation and command of the English language
- Facilitated seminar-style Health lessons where students openly discussed issues of social relationships, addiction, physical, mental, and sexual health in order to deepen their knowledge, sensitivity, and communication skills

Student Teacher, Meriwether Lewis Elementary School

August 2017-December 2017

- Third grade
- Collaborated with Autism specialist, gifted resource teacher, special education teacher, school psychologist, and math resource teacher to meet a wide range instructional and behavioral needs
- Implemented Responsive Classroom principles of behavior management and community building
- Collaborated with art specialist and entire third grade team to plan, enact, and assess a PBL that explored perspectives in art and literature
- Conducted home visits and family conferences to maintain parent-teacher communication

Classroom Assistant, University Montessori School

October 2016-August 2018

- PreK-Kindergarten
- Assisted lead teachers in their "whole child" approach to primary education, specifically focusing on socialemotional learning

Teacher, University of Virginia Saturday Enrichment Program

January 2018-present

• Designed and enacted a rigorous interdisciplinary course for gifted kindergarten and first graders that developed their literacy skills and understanding of engineering design concepts

Classroom Assistant, Walker Upper Elementary School

January 2017-April 2017

- Sixth grade math
- Gained practical differentiation experience by working with a racially and linguistically diverse group of onand below-grade level students

Coaching and Extra-Curricular Experience

- Asst. Cross Country Coach (2018-19)
- Dance Fitness Club Advisor (2018-19)

• Asst. Drama Coach (2018-19)

Professional Development and Certifications

- Certified: First Aid/CPR/AED
- Certified: Dyslexia Awareness
- Certified: Recognizing, Reporting and Responding to Child Abuse and Neglect
- Effective Classroom Management Workshop hosted by the Virginia Education Association
- Experimenting with Literacy Workshop hosted by the Monticello Reading Council

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References

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Ms. Heather Heisig Director, University Montessori School ums@universitymontessori.org

Ms. Mary Beth Mohr University Supervisor, University of Virginia marybeth.band@gmail.com

Ms. Leslie Booren Managing Director, University of Virginia Education Policy Center lmb9v@virginia.edu

Ms. Allison Dunn Teacher, Bradley Elementary School adunn@nhart.org