

James Joseph Brescia

Curriculum Vitae

EDUCATION:

Ed.D. University of California, Santa Barbara & California Polytechnic University, San Luis Obispo
M.A. California Polytechnic University, San Luis Obispo
M.A. California State University, Dominguez Hills
B.A. University of California, San Diego

ADDITIONAL GRADUATE STUDY:

Educational Administration and School Leadership, University of Santa Clara
Evaluation and School Management, University of San Francisco
Curriculum and Assessment, Loyola University

LICENSURE:

California Professional Clear Teaching Credential, SSA Mathematics
California Professional Clear Teaching Credential, SSA English
California Professional Clear Teaching Credential, Multiple Subjects
California Professional Clear Administrative Services Credential
California Clear Cross-cultural, Language and Academic Development Certificate
California Certificate of Clearance

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

- American Association of School Personnel Administrators
- Association of California School Administrators
- Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development
- California Association for Bilingual Education
- California Association of School Business Officials
- National Association of Elementary School Principals
- National Catholic Education Association
- National Council of Teacher of Mathematics
- Phi Delta Kappan
- San Luis Obispo Planned Giving Council
- Rotary International

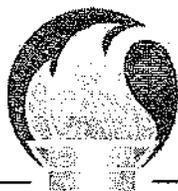
ACADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE:

- 2011 to Present **Superintendent; Cayucos Elementary School District**
Cayucos, CA
- 2009 to 2011 **Multiple Subject Coordinator; School of Education**
California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo
- 2006 to Present **Clinical Faculty; Leadership and Administration & Teacher Education**
California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo
- 2006 to Present **Adjunct Faculty; Leadership and Administration & Teacher Education**
Chapman University, Santa Maria
- 2006 to Present **Adjunct Faculty; Teacher Education, Administration & Mathematics**
Phoenix University, Paso Robles
- 1995 to 2009 **Development Director**
Elementary School Principal
Middle School Principal
Chief Business Officer
St. Rose School, Paso Robles, CA (350 ADA)
- 2000 to 2004 **Summer Administrator Elementary School Programs**
Summer Administrator Middle School Programs
Summer Administrator High School Programs
Templeton Unified School District, Templeton, CA (2,400 ADA)
- 1994 to 1999 **Migrant Education Supervising Program Specialist**
Migrant Education Even Start Program Director
Santa Barbara and San Luis Obispo Counties (1,500 ADA)
- 1986 to 1999 **Bilingual Newcomer Teacher**
Middle School Mathematics Teacher
Middle School Mathematics Department Chairperson
High School Mathematics Teacher
Elementary Classroom Teacher
Computer Resource Teacher
Physics and Rocketry Teacher
Paso Robles Public Schools, Pajaro Valley Unified, San Diego Unified
- 1984 to 1986 **Para-Educator**
San Diego Unified, Chula Vista Unified, Oceanside Unified

PROFESSIONAL REPORTS AND PUBLICATIONS: (Refereed *)

Brescia, J. J., (2012). *Reflective Practice: The International Handbook of Cultures of Professional Development for Teachers: Comparative international issues in Collaboration, Reflection, Management and Policy*. Paris. 2012. *

Brescia, J. J., (2011). *Digital Media Use for Teacher and Candidate Evaluation: Digital Media for Faculty Professional Growth & Development*: Journal Internationale Education, Économie et Société, Paris. 2011. *



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JULIAN D. CROCKER, SUPERINTENDENT

September 16, 2014

Susan Hughes, Executive Director
First Five Commission San Luis Obispo County
3220 S. Higuera, Suite 232
San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

Dear Susan:

I am submitting this letter of resignation from the First Five Children and Families Commission of San Luis Obispo County effective December 4, 2014. The reason for my resignation is that as of January 4, 2015 I will retire as the County Superintendent of Schools for San Luis Obispo County. Since my position on the Commission is a "designated position" it is appropriate for Dr. James Brescia, who has been elected to fill the position of County Superintendent of Schools effective January 5, 2015, to join the Commission as my replacement.

I have greatly enjoyed and benefitted from my 16 years on the Commission and am just as committed to the mission of the Commission as when it began. Thanks to you, our staff and my fellow Commissioners, both past and current, for your dedication to the important work that we do to insure that our young children enter school healthy and ready to learn. I shall miss all of you.

Sincerely,

Julian D. Crocker
County Superintendent of Schools

c: Commissioners, First Five Commission San Luis Obispo County
Dr. James Brescia, County Superintendent-Elect