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### Education

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**Ph.D., Cultural Foundations of Education** 2003

Kent State University

*The Perception of Teachers Regarding Their Role as Moral Agents in the Classroom*

**M.A., Student Personnel** 1986

Bowling Green State University

**B.A., Self-defined Interdisciplinary** 1984

Mount Union College

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### Higher Education Work Experience

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**Associate Professor** 8/2012 - present

Kent State University

**Assistant Professor** 8/2004 - 8/2012

Kent State University

**Assistant Professor** 08/2003 - 05/2004

Kent State University Stark Campus

**Academic Advisor** 8/1991 - 1/1992

Cleveland State University

*Advise incoming freshmen, supervise Project 60 (senior citizens attending college) and PESOP (secondary education students attending college)*

**Director of Residence Life** 8/1989 - 12/1992

Cleveland State University

*Chief Housing Officer; Supervised a staff of 39 and responsible for a \$2.1 million budget; administrator primarily responsible for responding to crises and adjudicating student rule violations; wrote operations manual for the residence life program.*

**Associate Program Director**

**8/1988 - 8/1989**

University of Minnesota

*Responsible for a residence hall of 546 residents. Duties included supervising a staff of 22, designing and implementing a university living/learning center, adjudicating policy violations, providing educational programming and addressing student crises.*

**Residence Life Coordinator**

**8/1986 - 8/1988**

Ohio Wesleyan University

*Responsible for a residence hall of 275 students, advised the House of Black Culture, Peace and Justice House, and the Romance Language House.*

**Assistant Quadrangle Director**

**8/1984 - 6/1986**

Bowling Green State University

*One of four assistant directors in residential complex of approximately 1,000 students.*

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## **Publications**

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Cushner, K. and Dowdy, J. (2014). *From the margins to the mainstream: Enhancing social awareness in social studies classrooms*. Rowan Publishers. 2014

Publication: *Book Chapters*

D. Clark, Cunningham, D., and Ladio, M. *Interactive Cultural Learning Process Model*, dlclark7.kent.edu 2013

Publication: *Websites*

Clark, Debra L. *Bias Beneath the Facts: Education in a Democratic Society*. Cognella Publishers, 2012 2012

Publication: *Books Authored*

Clark, D. and Earp, V. (2013) *Library Guide for CULT 29525*. 2012  
<http://libguides.library.kent.edu/cult29535>

Publication: *Websites*

Clark, Debra. "National First Ladies Library Online Curriculum: Ida McKinley Biography." 2006  
<http://www.firstladies.org/biographies/>.

Publication: *Websites*

Clark, Debra. "National First Ladies Library Online Curriculum: Ida McKinley Lesson Plans." 2006  
<http://www.firstladies.org/curriculum/choose.aspx>.

Publication: *Websites*

Clark, Debra. "National First Ladies Library Online Curriculum: Eleanor Roosevelt Lesson Plans." <http://www.firstladies.org/curriculum/choose.aspx>. 2006

Publication: *Websites*

Clark, Debra. "National First Ladies Library Online Curriculum: Jaqueline Kennedy Lesson Plans" <a href="http://www.firstladies.org/curriculum/choose.aspx">http://www.firstladies.org/curriculum/choose.aspx</a> . Publication: <i>Websites</i>	2005
Clark, Debra. "Lesson Plans: Multicultural Awareness Adaptations and Diversity of Learners Adaptations." August 8, 2006. <a href="http://www.ehhs.kent.edu/diversity/adapted/index.htm">http://www.ehhs.kent.edu/diversity/adapted/index.htm</a> Publication: <i>Websites</i>	2005
Debra L. Clark and Jennifer Mahone. Instructor's Manual and Test Bank to accompany Human Diversity in Education. Boston: McGraw Hill, 2000. Publication: <i>Other</i>	2000

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## Presentations

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Christie, HK, Clark, Debra, Hinchey, Patricia, and Rayle, Joseph. "Foundations in the Service of Schools, Campus, and Community," American Educational Studies Association, Denver Colorado Type: <i>International Refereed</i>	2010
<i>Teacher's Moral Agency and Social Foundations of Education in a Changing Nation</i> . American Educational Studies Association annual conference, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 2009 Type: <i>International Refereed</i>	2009
Debra L. Clark. The Complexity of Cultural Identity: A Case Study of Selected Teachers in Northeast Ohio, 1910 - Present. Referred presentation given at the Educational History Society annual meeting, Chicago, Illinois, 1998. Type: <i>National Refereed</i>	1998
Debra L. Clark. (1997). Helena Cady Osborne: One Woman's Contribution to Education. Referred presentation given at the Educational History Society annual meeting. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 1997. Type: <i>National Refereed</i>	1997
James Henderson, David Dees, Debra Clark, Barbara Cates and Elizabeth Brooks. (1996). Critical Social Science in the Play of Truths. Referred presentation given at the American Educational Studies Association International Conference. Montreal, Quebec, 1996. Type: <i>International Refereed</i>	1996

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## Service

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<b>Member, American Association of University Professors</b> <i>Executive Board</i> Type: <i>Campus</i>	<b>2013 - present</b>
<b>Member, Assessment Committee of the Office of Diversity and Inclusion</b> Type: <i>College</i>	<b>2013 - present</b>

<b>Consulting, Northeast Ohio Medical College</b> <i>Advise employee HPAC specialist of NEMed on diversity training.</i> Type: <i>Regional</i>	2013 - present
<b>Committee, Student Complaint Committee</b> Type: <i>Department</i>	2013 - present
<b>Advisory Board, National Network of Diverse Educators</b> Type: <i>College</i>	2012 - present
<b>Member, NTT Promotion Committee</b> Type: <i>College</i>	2012 - 2013
<b>Member, Freshmen Interest Group</b> Type: <i>Campus</i>	2012 - 2013
<b>Member, Committee on Administration</b> Type: <i>Campus</i>	2009 - 2012
<b>Committee, American Association of University Professors</b> <i>Executive Board</i> Type: <i>Campus</i>	2009 - 2012
<b>Committee, American Association of University Professors</b> <i>LGBT Subcommittee</i> Type: <i>Campus</i>	2009 - 2011
<b>Speaker, Hoover High School</b> <i>Speaker for the Pathways to Teaching class each semester</i> Type: <i>Community</i>	2007 - 2010
<b>Consulting, National First Ladies Library</b> <i>Curriculum Consultant</i> Type: <i>National</i>	2005 - 2009