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and Faculty Affairs & Professor

Research Interest

Why do students/faculty stay? Why do they leave? What can
institutions do to retain them?

Research Questions and Projects

In addition to teaching courses in leadership, learning theory,
diversity, thesis preparation, and reading and research preparation,
I also have expertise in student leadership and development and
student and faculty access, recruitment, and retention.



Recent Publications

- Myers, J., Zugelder, B.S., & Griffin, O. (in press). Examining the perceptions of teacher candidates' participating in a state-funded "grow your own" initiative and exploring strategies that will retain them. *Mentoring and Tutoring: Partnership in Learning Journal*.
- Myers, J., Zugelder, B. S., & Griffin, O. T. (2023). Examining the perceptions of teacher candidates' participating in a state-funded 'grow your own' initiative and exploring strategies that will retain them. (In progress)
- Zugelder, B.S., & Griffin, O. (2023). Teacher leadership as a value of restorative justice practice in schools. In H. Vah Seliskar (Ed.) *Restorative justice and practices in the 21st century* (pp. 131-149). IGI Global.
- J. Liu, J. C., Brantmeier, N., Wilcox, D., Griffin, O., Calcagno-Roach, J., & Brannon, R. (2019). Faculty perceived functionality of Learning Management System: Development and validation of a scale. *Educational Communications and Technology Yearbook series*. Springer.

Iskandarova, S., El-Tawab, S., Griffin, O. & Mousa, F. (March 2019). James Madison University. Developing a Unique Educational Experience for a Children's Museum using a Mobile Application. SITE Conference. Las Vegas, NV

Partners Invited

I welcome undergraduate and graduate student partners, in-service teachers, College of Education and JMU faculty partners.

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