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### **EDUCATION**

#### **University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI**

Ph.D., Joint Program in English and Education, 2009

#### **Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, MI**

M.A., English, 2002

Distinguished Student in Children's Literature

#### **Yale University, New Haven, CT**

B.A., American Studies, 1992

Distinction in the Major

Teacher Preparation Program

### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

Woman of the Year, Saint Louis University, 2016

Excellence in Faculty Mentoring Award, Saint Louis University, 2013

Promising Researcher Award, National Council of Teachers of English, 2011

Dimond Outstanding Dissertation Award, University of Michigan, 2010

Rackham Predoctoral Fellowship, University of Michigan, 2008-09

Mary Malcomson Raphael Fellowship, University of Michigan, 2007-08

School of Education Scholar Award, University of Michigan, 2003-07

Graduate Deans' Award for Research Excellence, Eastern Michigan University, 2003

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

#### **Director of Graduate Programs in Educational Studies**

Saint Louis University, 2017-present

#### **Associate Professor of Education**

Saint Louis University, 2015-present

#### **Assistant Professor of Education**

Saint Louis University, 2009-2015

#### **Teachers for Tomorrow Program Staff**

University of Michigan School of Education, 2004-2007

**Graduate Student Instructor**

University of Michigan School of Education, 2007-2008  
University of Michigan English Department, 2003-2004

**English Teacher**

Plymouth Canton High School, Canton, MI, 1995-2003  
Elizabeth High School, Elizabeth, NJ, 1992-1994

**RESEARCH GRANTS**

**Beaumont Faculty Development Grant, Saint Louis University, 2014-2015**

Funded by the Division of Research Administration, Saint Louis University. Budget \$5000.

**President's Research Fund Award, Saint Louis University, 2012-2014**

Funded by the Office of the President, Saint Louis University. Budget \$23,178.

**Charter School Sponsorship Faculty Grant, Saint Louis University, Spring 2013**

Funded by the Saint Louis University Office of Charter School Sponsorship. One-semester one-course buyout, equivalent to \$3500.

**Faculty Research Leave, Saint Louis University, Spring 2012**

Funded by the Office of the Vice President of Academic Affairs, Saint Louis University. One-semester research leave. Budget \$2000.

**PUBLICATIONS** (all peer-reviewed)

***Books***

Buehler, J. (2016). *Teaching reading with YA literature: Complex texts, complex lives*. Urbana, IL: National Council of Teachers of English.

***Book chapters***

Buehler, J. (2019). Positioning theory: Exploring power, social location, and moral choices of the American dream in American Street. In R. Ginsberg & W. Glenn (Eds.), *Engaging with multicultural YA literature in the secondary classroom: Critical approaches for critical educators* (11-21). New York, NY: Routledge.

Buehler, J. (2010). Answers to parents' questions on young adult literature. In C. Fleischer (Ed). *Reading & writing & teens: A parent's guide to adolescent literacy* (pp. 47-53). Urbana, IL: National Council of Teachers of English.

Buehler, J. (2001). When it doesn't all go smoothly. In A. Gere & P. Shaheen (Eds). *Making American literatures in high school and college* (pp. 183-200). Urbana, IL: National Council of Teachers of English.

### ***Journal articles***

- Brown, A., Mitchell, J., Kaywell, J., Bach, J., Buehler, J., Crowe, C., Richmond, K. J., Glenn, W., Scherff, L., Bickmore, S. (2014). "The look of classic young adult literature." *The ALAN Review*, 41(2), 6-14.
- Buehler, J. (2013). "There's a problem, and we've got to face it": How staff members wrestled with race in an urban high school. *Race Ethnicity and Education*, 16(5), 629-652.
- Buehler, J., Plumb, D., & Walsh, J. (2013). "Young adult literature book awards: A guide for newcomers to the field." *The ALAN Review*, 40(3), 63-74.
- Buehler, J. (2010). "Their lives are beautiful, too": How Matt de la Peña illuminates the lives of urban teens. *The ALAN Review*, 37(2), 36-43.
- Buehler, J. (2009). Ways of joining the living conversation about young adult literature. *English Journal*, 98(3), 26-32.
- Buehler, J., Gere, A. R., Dallavis, C., & Haviland, V. (2009). Normalizing the fraughtness: How emotion, race, and school context complicate cultural competence. *Journal of Teacher Education*, 60(4), 408-418.
- Gere, A. R., Buehler, J., Dallavis, C., & Haviland, V. (2009). A visibility project: Learning to see how preservice teachers take up culturally responsive pedagogy. *American Educational Research Journal*, 46(3), 816-852.
- Haviland, V., Gere, A. R., Buehler, J., & Dallavis, C. (2009). Making the journey toward cultural competence with poetry. *Multicultural Perspectives*, 11(1), 19-26.

### ***Position statements***

- Buehler, J., Davila, D., McClure, A., & Miller, D. (2018). *Preparing teachers with knowledge of children's and YA literature*. Position statement prepared for the National Council of Teachers of English. Urbana, IL: National Council of Teachers of English.

### ***Quick reference guides***

- Buehler, J. (2019). *Teaching reading with YA literature*. Urbana, IL: National Council of Teachers of English.

## **INVITED PUBLICATIONS**

### ***Essays***

- Buehler, J. (forthcoming in 2021). "Suggestions for further exploration." In *The Great Gatsby*. New York: Penguin Classics.

- Buehler, J. (2020). "The critical work of YA literature." *Voices From the Middle*, 27(4), 19-23.
- Buehler, J. (2016). Profile of Newbery Award winner Matt de la Peña. *Horn Book Magazine*, 92(4), 65-69.
- Buehler, J. (2016). "On reading and teaching *Lord of the Flies*." In *Lord of the Flies* (pp. 263-276). New York: Penguin Classics.
- Buehler, J. (2016). "Suggestions for further exploration." In *Lord of the Flies* (pp. 277-294). New York: Penguin Classics.
- Buehler, J. (2005). The power of questions and the possibilities of inquiry in English education. *English Education*, 37(4), 280-287.

### ***Reading guides***

- Buehler, J. (2017). E. Lockhart's *Genuine Fraud*: Official publisher discussion guide. New York: Random House.

### ***Online young adult literature podcasts***

- Buehler, J. (Host). (2016, August 1). Being a YA lit advocate. [Episode 84]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2016, July 1). Finding the YA community at the NCTE Annual Convention. [Episode 83]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2016, June 1). Appreciating audiobooks. [Episode 82]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2014, December 1). A tribute to Patty Campbell. [Episode 81]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2014, November 1). An invitation to the ALAN Workshop. [Episode 80]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2014, October 1). A conversation with Candace Fleming. [Episode 79]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2014, September 1). #weneeddiversebooks. [Episode 78]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2014, August 1). Resilience literature. [Episode 77]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2014, July 1). Life after high school. [Episode 76]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)

- Buehler, J. (Host). (2014, June 1). Still worth reading. [Episode 75]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2014, May 1). A conversation with Walter Dean Myers. [Episode 74]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2014, April 1). Talking about text complexity. [Episode 73]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2014, March 1). A conversation with Rita Williams-Garcia. [Episode 72]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2014, February 1). Guided by teen book awards. [Episode 71]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2014, January 1). Exploring the disability experience. [Episode 70]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2013, December 1). A conversation with Judy Blume. [Episode 69]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2013, November 1). Nonfiction roundup. [Episode 68]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
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- Buehler, J. (Host). (2013, August 1). Fairy tale retellings. [Episode 65]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2013, July 1). International books for teens. [Episode 64]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
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- Buehler, J. (Host). (2013, May 1). Talking with teen librarians. [Episode 62]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
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- Buehler, J. (Host). (2013, March 1). A conversation with Chris Crutcher. [Episode 60]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)

- Buehler, J. (Host). (2013, February 1). Reporting on teen book awards. [Episode 59]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2013, January 1). Life stories. [Episode 58]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2012, December 1). A conversation with Patricia McCormick. [Episode 57]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2012, November 1). Science books for teens. [Episode 56]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2012, October 1). Teens as change agents. [Episode 55]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2012, September 1). A conversation with E. Lockhart. [Episode 54]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2012, August 1). More than sports stories. [Episode 53]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2012, July 1). More new and noteworthy books for teens. [Episode 52]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2012, June 1). Teens on the margins. [Episode 51]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2012, May 1). Smart romance. [Episode 50]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2012, April 1). A conversation with Francisco X. Stork. [Episode 49]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2012, March 1). A second look at *The Hunger Games*. [Episode 48]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2012, February 1). A roundup of teen book awards. [Episode 47]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2012, January 1). A conversation with Coe Booth. [Episode 46]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2011, December 1). New takes on old tales. [Episode 45]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2011, November 1). Visual texts for teens. [Episode 44]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)

- Buehler, J. (Host). (2011, October 1). A conversation with A.S. King. [Episode 43]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2011, September 1). Books for tweens. [Episode 42]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2011, August 1). Stories of suspense. [Episode 41]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2011, July 1). Feminist books for teens. [Episode 40]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2011, June 1). Books about bullying. [Episode 39]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2011, May 1). A conversation with Matthew Quick. [Episode 38]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2011, April 1). New and noteworthy nonfiction. [Episode 37]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2011, March 1). Musical books for teens. [Episode 36]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2011, February 1). Celebrating teen book awards. [Episode 35]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2011, January 1). Vampires, werewolves, zombies, and more. [Episode 34]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2010, December 1). A conversation with Deborah Wiles. [Episode 33]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2010, November 1). Reading text sets. [Episode 32]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2010, October 1). A conversation with Nancy Werlin. [Episode 31]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2010, September 1). Censorship and your freedom to read. [Episode 30]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2010, August 1). Dystopian literature. [Episode 29]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2010, July 1). Sampling short stories. [Episode 28]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)

- Buehler, J. (Host). (2010, June 1). Adults and teens reading together. [Episode 27]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
- Buehler, J. (Host). (2010, May 1). New voices in young adult literature. [Episode 26]. *Text Messages*. Podcast retrieved from [www.readwritethink.org/textmessages](http://www.readwritethink.org/textmessages)
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### ***Online young adult literature lesson plans***

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### **CONFERENCE PAPERS** (all peer-reviewed)

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- Buehler, J., & Preston, L. R. (April, 2014). *Breaking out of colorblind care: Navigating care conflicts in the work of reengaging dropout youth*. Paper presented for the American Educational Research Association, Philadelphia, PA.
- Buehler, J. (April, 2013). *"I want something for myself": How dropout youth construct new identities through language interactions*. Paper presented for the American Educational Research Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Buehler, J. (April, 2012). *"Maybe it is the race issue": Navigating race talk in urban school reform*. Paper presented for the American Educational Research Association, Vancouver, B.C.

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- Buehler, J. (April, 2010). *The persistence of low expectations: A school culture perspective*. Paper presented for the American Educational Research Association, Denver, CO.
- Buehler, J. (April, 2009). *Words do matter: How discourse shapes school culture*. Paper presented for the American Educational Research Association, San Diego, CA.
- Gere, A. R., Buehler, J., Haviland, V., & Trainor, J. (April, 2008). *Exploring race in student writing: Toward an anti-racist, critical pedagogy for preservice teachers*. Paper presented for the Conference on College Composition and Communication, New Orleans, LA.
- Gere, A. R., Buehler, J., Dallavis, C., & Haviland, V. (March, 2008). *When language fails: Religion, emotion, and location in culturally relevant pedagogy*. Paper presented for the American Educational Research Association, New York, NY.
- Ford, A. C., Buehler, J., & Thomas, E. E. (June, 2007). *Friendship and intimacy in research relationships: A multi-voiced autoethnography*. Paper presented for the National Women’s Studies Association, Chicago, IL.
- Gere, A. R., Buehler, J., Dallavis, C., & Haviland, V. (April, 2007). *Negotiating cultural competence: How emotion, race, and location complicate culturally relevant pedagogy*. Paper presented for the American Educational Research Association, Chicago, IL.
- Gere, A. R., Buehler, J., Dallavis, C., & Haviland, V. (April, 2006). *Fostering cultural competence: Preparing culturally responsive teachers through imaginative engagement with multicultural literature*. Paper presented for the American Educational Research Association, San Francisco, CA.

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (all peer-reviewed)

- Buehler, J., Yadao, D., Khan, S., Salazar A., Stork, F., Yang, K. (November, 2020). *The heart of the matter: Immigration and social justice brought to life in children’s and YA books*. Panel presentation to be given for the National Council of Teachers of English Annual Convention, Denver, CO (conference moved online due to COVID-19).
- Buehler, J., Reynolds, J., Myers, C. (November, 2020). *The complex and critical work of YA lit: Authors, publishers, and educators imagine new possibilities for reading and teaching*. Panel presentation to be given for the National Council of Teachers of English Annual Convention, Denver, CO (conference moved online due to COVID-19).
- Buehler, J., Arnold, E., Blumenthal, K., LaCour, N., Khorram, A., Yoon, D. (November, 2020). *Creative commingling: YA authors examine the role of confluence in writing and research*. Panel presentation accepted for the National Council of Teachers of English Annual Convention, Denver, CO (removed from program when conference moved online due to COVID-19).

- Buehler, J., Fleischer, C., Andrew-Vaughan, S., Ginsberg, R., Glenn, W., Moye, K., Plumb, D., Scanlon, B., Shaum, B., Walsh, J., Ahmed, S., Charlton-Trujillo, e. E., Colbert, B., Magoon, K., Mendez, M., Shusterman, N., Yoon, D., & Zentner, J. (November, 2019). *YA lit IS complex! Authors and teachers explore the role of inquiry in writing and discussing young adult literature*. Roundtable session to be presented for the National Council of Teachers of English Annual Convention, Baltimore, MD.
- Buehler, J., Fleischer, C., Andrew-Vaughan, S., Ginsberg, R., Glenn, W., Moye, K., Novak, M., Plumb, D., Scanlon, B., Shaum, B., Acevedo, E., Arnold, D., Draper, S., Levithan, D., Pan, E., Ribay, R., Smith, A., & Zoboi, I. (November, 2018). *YA lit IS complex! Authors and teachers explore the complexity of writing young adult literature*. Roundtable session for the National Council of Teachers of English Annual Convention, Houston, TX.
- Buehler, J., Partridge, E., Hoose, P., & Slater, D. (November, 2018). *Using YA nonfiction to teach for social justice: Lessons from authors*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English Annual Convention, Houston, TX.
- Buehler, J., Fleischer, C., English, K., Melnychenko, C., Moye, K., Plumb, D., Scanlon, B., Shaum, B., Stites, R., Walsh, J., Anderson, L. H., Anderson, M. T., de la Peña, M., King, A. S., Murphy, J., Reynolds, J., Thomas, A., & Tingle, T. (November, 2017). *YA lit is complex! Authors and teachers reframe the conversation about young adult literature and text complexity*. Roundtable session for the National Council of Teachers of English, St. Louis, MO.
- Buehler, J., Stover, L., Heiligman, D., & Rosenstock, B. (November, 2017). *Writing our way to resilience: Lessons from the visual arts and authors who write about resilient artists*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, St. Louis, MO.
- Buehler, J., Hicks, T., Sibberson, F., & Turner, K., (November, 2015). *Reading in today's classrooms: Moving from principles to practice*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, Minneapolis, MN.
- Buehler, J., Bayer, B., & Blumenthal, K. (November, 2015). *Eight great classic and contemporary nonfiction texts*. Roundtable discussion leader for the National Council of Teachers of English, Minneapolis, MN.
- Buehler, J., Ginsberg, R., Glenn, W., & Stites, R. (November, 2015). *YA lit in the classroom: Revolutionary English teachers*. Panel presentation for the ALAN Workshop, Minneapolis, MN.
- Bartoletti, S. C., Buehler, J., de la Peña, M., Gilmore, B., Hitchcock, S., Kaywell, J., Lent, R., & Luedeke, L. (November, 2014). *Using engaging YA lit as a bridge to informational text and writing instruction*. Preconvention workshop for the National Council of Teachers of English, Washington, D.C.
- Buehler, J. & de la Peña, M. (November, 2014). *Eight great multicultural American texts*. Roundtable discussion leader for the National Council of Teachers of English, Washington, D.C.

- Buehler, J., Plumb, D., & Walsh, J. (November, 2013). *Reaching readers with the newest young adult literature award winners*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, Boston, MA.
- Buehler, J. (November, 2013). *Eight great [censored] American novels*. Roundtable discussion leader for the National Council of Teachers of English, Boston, MA.
- Buehler, J., Plumb, D., & Walsh, J. (November, 2012). *Inspiring readers with the newest young adult literature award winners*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, Las Vegas, NV.
- Buehler, J. (November, 2012). *Eight great American YA novelists*. Roundtable discussion leader for the National Council of Teachers of English, Las Vegas, NV.
- Buehler, J. (November, 2012). *Five books, five discussions: 2012 Amelia Elizabeth Walden Book Award Finalists*. Panel presentation for the Assembly on Literature for Adolescents of NCTE, Las Vegas, NV.
- Buehler, J., Plumb, D., & Walsh, J. (November, 2011). *Honoring the newest award winners in young adult literature*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, Chicago, IL.
- Buehler, J., Anderson, M. T., de la Peña, M., & Zarr, S. (November, 2011). *Writing race- and class-conscious young adult literature: A conversation with M. T. Anderson, Matt de la Peña, and Sara Zarr*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, Chicago, IL.
- Gere, A. R., Buehler, J., Dallavis, C., Haviland, V., & Kass, J. (November, 2011). *Closing the achievement gap with culturally responsive pedagogy: Teaching tools that bring CRP to life*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, Chicago, IL.
- Buehler, J., Booth, C., & de la Peña, M. (November, 2010). *Exploring race and class through young adult literature: A conversation with Coe Booth and Matt de la Peña*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, Orlando, FL.
- Buehler, J., Plumb, D., & Walsh, J. (November, 2010). *Celebrating the newest award winners in young adult literature*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, Orlando, FL.
- Buehler, J., Plumb, D., & Walsh, J. (November, 2009). *Using book awards to navigate the field of young adult literature*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, Philadelphia, PA.
- Gere, A. R., Buehler, J., Dallavis, C., & Haviland, V. (November, 2009). *Closing the achievement gap with culturally responsive teaching*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, Philadelphia, PA.

- Buehler, J., Andrew-Vaughan, S., & Walsh, J. (November, 2008). *Navigating the world of young adult literature: Resources for newcomers to the genre*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, San Antonio, TX.
- Gere, A. R., Buehler, J., Dallavis, C., & Haviland, V. (November, 2008). *Demystifying culturally responsive pedagogy: Translating theory into classroom practice*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, San Antonio, TX.
- Gere, A. R., Buehler, J., Dallavis, C., & Haviland, V. (November, 2007). *Using perspective-taking assignments to prepare culturally responsive educators*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, New York, NY.
- Gere, A. R., Buehler, J., Dallavis, C., & Haviland, V. (November, 2006). *Lessons learned from a university-school partnership*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, Nashville, TN.
- Gere, A. R., Buehler, J., & Haviland, V. (November, 2005). *Innovations in urban teacher education: Developing dispositions for culturally relevant pedagogy*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, Pittsburgh, PA.
- Brown, D., Buehler, J., & Sassi, K. (November, 2004). *Breaching the divide: Fostering development of student writers on the high school-college continuum*. Paper presented for the National Council of Teachers of English, Indianapolis, IN.
- Fleischer, C., Buehler, J., King, J., Putnam, D., & Stout, T. (November, 2000). *Expanding genres of teacher research*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, Milwaukee, WI.

## INVITED SPEAKING EVENTS

### *Author interviews*

“A conversation with Margaret Atwood.” Live interview, Saint Louis Literary Award Ceremony. Sponsored by the Saint Louis University Library Associates and the Saint Louis University English Department. September, 2017.

“A conversation with Patrick Ness.” Live interview, Authors @ Your Library series. Sponsored by St. Louis Public Library and Left Bank Books. September, 2013.

### *Lectures and keynotes*

“The complexity and capacity of young adult literature.” Minnesota Council of Teachers of English Annual State Conference. April, 2018.

“Celebrating the complexity of young adult literature.” Arkansas Literacy Association Online Literacy Conference. February, 2018.

“The complexity and capacity of young adult literature” and “Making room for the personal in reading assessment.” North Dakota Council of Teachers of English Annual State Conference. August, 2017.

“Margaret Atwood & *Cat’s Eye*.” Book club lecture series hosted by Saint Louis University Library Associates. April, 2017.

James A. Houck Lecturer at the Youngstown State University English Festival. “Finding your reading community.” A series of public lectures about young adult literature delivered to teachers and teens over three days. April, 2015.

“The current moment in young adult literature: A conversation with Dr. Jennifer Buehler.” English in the World: a lecture series for undergraduates hosted by the English Department at Saint Louis University. December, 2013.

“We have a culture of failure here”: Analyzing the production of school culture in an urban high school. Promising Researcher Award Presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, Chicago, IL. November, 2011.

“Tapping into the power of community in education.” Keynote address, Kappa Delta Pi Educational Honor Society Fall Initiation Ceremony. University of Michigan School of Education. October, 2008.

### ***Panels***

“Teaching Ferguson: Having difficult conversations when silence is not an option.” Community forum sponsored by the College of Education and Public Service, Saint Louis University. September, 2014.

“Alumni authors of distinguished dissertations: Navigating scholarship, activism, and life in between.” University of Michigan School of Education Graduate Student Research Conference. March, 2013.

### ***Book clubs and webinars***

“NCTE Reads.” Summer online book club on *Teaching Reading with Young Adult Literature: Complex Texts, Complex Lives* sponsored by the National Council of Teachers of English. Host of Facebook Live interviews with YA authors Deborah Heiligman and E. Lockhart. June, 2017.

“Making room for the personal: A new vision for reading assessment.” Featured presenter for NCTE webinar series “Cultivating the change-makers we want to see in the world.” March, 2017.

### ***Twitter chats***

“YA lit: Complex texts, complex lives.” Featured guest for #nctechat, a monthly live conversation on Twitter sponsored by the National Council of Teachers of English. June, 2017.

“Say YA to reading: A conversation about young adult literature and Banned Books Week.” Co-host, with Matt de la Peña, of #nctechat, a monthly live conversation on Twitter sponsored by the National Council of Teachers of English. September, 2015.

### ***Internet radio interviews***

“Teaching your students with diverse young adult literature.” Guest on Education Talk Radio with host Larry Jacobs. September, 2016.

<http://www.blogtalkradio.com/edutalk/2016/09/12/teaching-your-students-with-diverse-young-adult-literature>

“NCTE on the use of graphic novels & a conversation about Banned Books Week.” Guest, with former ALAN President Jeff Kaplan, on Education Talk Radio with host Larry Jacobs.

September, 2014. <http://www.blogtalkradio.com/edutalk/2014/09/15/ncte-on-the-use-of-graphic-novels-a-conversation-about-banned-books-week>

### ***Regional workshops***

“Teaching reading with YA literature: Complex texts, complex lives.” All day workshop for Wayne County RESA, Wayne, Michigan, October, 2018.

“Young adult literature and advocacy.” Afterschool workshop for Youth Literature Festival sponsored by the College of Education, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. October, 2016.

“Cultivating readers using culturally responsive approaches to young adult literature.” Half-day workshop for the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign Chancellor’s Academy, hosted by the Center for Education in Small Urban Communities, a unit within the U of I College of Education. June, 2013.

### ***Local workshops***

“Teaching controversial texts and guiding difficult discussions.” Half day workshop for Orchard Farm School District, St. Charles, MO, October, 2019.

“Broadening our vision for assessment.” School District of Clayton (MO) English Department, September, 2016.

“Widening our landscape for reading.” School District of Clayton (MO) English Department, February, 2016.

“Independent reading: What it looks like, why it matters, how to teach it.” School District of Clayton (MO) English Department, November, 2014.

“Writing a curriculum vitae.” Workshop presentation. Graduate Student Professional Development Series, College of Education and Public Service, Saint Louis University. February, 2015.

## TEACHING

### *Saint Louis University*

English 3241: Young Adult Literature  
English 3854: Teaching the Writing Life  
Education 3300/3500: Curriculum and Methods: Middle & Secondary English  
Education 3305/3505: Practicum in Middle & Secondary English  
Education 3200: Reading and Writing in the Content Fields  
Education 3890: School & Community  
Education 4840: Student teaching supervision  
Education 5600: Foundations of Urban Education  
Education 6930: Ethnographic Research in Education

### *University of Michigan*

English 125: College Writing  
Education 307: Practicum Seminar for Secondary English Education  
Education 440: Methods of Teaching English: Secondary Level

### *Plymouth Canton High School*

English 9  
American Literature  
Intermediate Composition  
Advanced Composition

### *Elizabeth High School*

English 9  
Honors English 9

## ADVISING

### *Dissertations*

Dissertation chair, Jillian Baldwin Kim (expected 2021)  
Dissertation chair, Jingyun Gu (expected 2021)  
Dissertation chair, Renee Stites (completed 2020)  
Dissertation chair, Huijuan Qu (completed 2018)  
Dissertation chair, Larry Green (completed 2017)  
Dissertation chair, Lauren Rea Preston (completed 2016)  
Dissertation chair, Lina Sun (completed 2014)  
Dissertation committee, Jennifer Singleton (completed 2017)  
Dissertation committee, Lisa Gilbert (completed 2017)  
Dissertation committee, Vasiliki Zinos (completed 2017)



Dissertation committee, Maria Fernanda Montes Valencia (completed 2012)  
Dissertation committee, Keisha Panagos (completed 2011)

### ***Ed.D. projects***

Project chair, Lisamarie Collaco (completed 2013)  
Project committee, Amy Schwiderski (completed 2018)  
Project committee, Annette Fields (completed 2014)

### ***Ph.D. oral exam committees***

Exam committee, Anne Boyd\* (completed 2014)

### ***Master's committees***

M.A. project committee, Jasmine Brown+, (completed 2014)  
M.A. thesis committee, Veronica Newton∞, (completed 2013)  
M.A. thesis committee, Joe McNulty (completed 2013)  
M.A. oral exam committee, Jennifer Cooley (completed 2013)  
M.A. oral exam committee, Karen Boyle (completed 2011)  
M.A. thesis committee, Alishia Valeri (completed 2010)  
M.A. thesis committee, Jocelyn Peters (completed 2010)

\* Department of English

+ Department of Communication

∞ Department of Sociology and Anthropology

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

### ***Department***

**Chair, Assistant Professor of Education Policy and Equity Search Committee**  
Educational Studies Department, Saint Louis University, 2018-19

**Assistant Professor of Reading/Literacy Search Committee**  
Educational Studies Department, Saint Louis University, 2012-2015

**Assistant Professor of Social Studies Education Search Committee**  
Educational Studies Department, Saint Louis University, 2010-2011

### ***College***

**School of Education Dean Search Committee**  
School of Education, Saint Louis University, 2016-2017

**Committee for Strategic Planning for Research**

College of Education and Public Service, Saint Louis University, 2009-2010

**Executive Committee**

School of Education, University of Michigan, 2006-2008

**Graduate Affairs Committee**

School of Education, University of Michigan, 2005-2006

***University***

**Faculty Group for First Year Common Reader**

Saint Louis University, 2018

***Field***

**National Council of Teachers of English**

Build Your Stack steering committee member, three-year term 2018-2021

Build Your Stack planning committee member, 2018

Chair of committee tasked with revising NCTE children's and YA lit position statement, 2018

**ALAN (Assembly on Literature for Adolescents of NCTE)**

Ethics committee member, 2020-21

ALAN President, three-year term 2014-2017

Elections committee member, 2016-17

Executive Director search committee member, 2014-2015

ALAN Award committee member, 2012-2013

ALAN Award committee chair, 2011-2012

ALAN Workshop program consultant, 2011-2012

ALAN Workshop program consultant, 2010-2011

Policies and procedures committee chair, 2011-2012

Constitution committee member, 2010-2011

Elections committee member, 2010-2011

Board of directors, three-year term 2009-2012

Amelia Elizabeth Walden Award committee member, 2009-2010

State membership representative, 2005-2009

**Outside examiner, Hobart and William Smith Colleges**

Young adult literature honors project external committee member, 2014

**Editorial board**

*Race, Ethnicity, and Education*, 2018-present

**Manuscript reviewer**

*Race, Ethnicity, and Education*, 2017-present

*Research in the Teaching of English*, 2013-present

*The ALAN Review*, 2010-present

*English Journal*, 2009-present

*Urban Education*, 2010-2011  
*English Education*, 2001-2005

**Eastern Michigan Writing Project**  
Advisory board, 2002-2008

***Chaired conference sessions***

**Build Your Stack**

Buehler, J., Reynolds, J., & Dlouhy, C. (November, 2019). *YA authors and editors as readers*. Panel presentation to be given for Build Your Stack, an exhibit hall program at the National Council of Teachers of English Annual Convention, Houston, TX.

Buehler, J., Zoboi, I., & Karre, A. (November, 2019). *YA authors and editors as readers*. Panel presentation to be given for Build Your Stack, an exhibit hall program at the National Council of Teachers of English Annual Convention, Baltimore, MD.

Buehler, J., Plumb, D., & Thomas, E.E. (November, 2019). *Celebrating complexity in YA lit*. Panel presentation to be given for Build Your Stack, an exhibit hall program at the National Council of Teachers of English Annual Convention, Baltimore, MD.

Buehler, J., Anderson, M. T., & King, A. S. (November, 2018). *YA authors as readers*. Panel presentation for Build Your Stack, an exhibit hall program at the National Council of Teachers of English Annual Convention, Houston, TX.

Buehler, J., Plumb, D., & Thomas, E.E. (November, 2018). *Celebrating complexity in YA lit*. Panel presentation for Build Your Stack, an exhibit hall program at the National Council of Teachers of English Annual Convention, Houston, TX.

**ALAN Workshop**

Chao, G. & Rivera, G. (November, 2018). *Authors in conversation*. Panel presentation for the Assembly on Literature for Adolescents of NCTE, Houston, TX.

Anderson, L. H. & Crutcher, C. (November, 2017). *Authors in conversation*. Panel presentation for the Assembly on Literature for Adolescents of NCTE, St. Louis, MO.

Harden, B., Silver, M., & Stone, T. L. (November, 2013). *Celebrating nonfiction. A world of truth: Digging deeper, looking harder, feeling smarter*. Panel presentation for the Assembly on Literature for Adolescents of NCTE, Boston, MA.

Beram, N., Greitens, E., Rodriguez, G., & Silvey, A. (November, 2012). *Nonfiction*. Panel presentation for the Assembly on Literature for Adolescents of NCTE, Las Vegas, NV.

Bott, C. J., Finkelman, D. & Stover, L., Knowles, J., & Peters, J. (November, 2009). *Sharing light with troubled teens*. Panel presentation for the Assembly on Literature for Adolescents of NCTE, Philadelphia, PA.

Werlin, N., Giles, G. & Sinykin, S. (November, 2008). *Fear and loathing in young adult literature*. Panel presentation for the Assembly on Literature for Adolescents of NCTE, San Antonio, TX.

Levy, A. (November, 2007). *Dark night on Broadway: Lights on at ALAN*. Theater performance for the Assembly on Literature for Adolescents of NCTE, New York, NY.

### **AERA Annual Meeting**

Smith, C., Hall, H. B., Taylor, L., Flack, A. (April, 2017). *Cultural responsive praxis across sites of education*. Roundtable discussion for the American Educational Research Association, San Antonio, TX.

Hargrave, L., Okhremtchouk, I. & Manak, R., Llewellyn, L., O'Brien, C. A., Palmer, E. (April, 2016). *Supporting students: The significance of relationships, behaviors, language, and abilities for student learning*. Roundtable discussion for the American Educational Research Association, Washington, D.C.

Slocum, A., Curwen, M., MacGillivray, L., Ardell, A., Curtis, J., & Ellwood, C. (April, 2015). *Examining class and identity across social contexts*. Roundtable discussion for the American Educational Research Association, Chicago, IL.

Arzubiaga, A. & Nakagawa, K., Lopez, D., & Metz, M. (April, 2014). *Identities and repertoires: The social constructions of race, multiculturalism, and figured worlds*. Roundtable discussion for the American Educational Research Association, Philadelphia, PA.

Garramone, P., Pyscher, T., Razfar, A., Stenhagen, K. (May, 2013). *Praxis and pedagogies in multicultural contexts*. Roundtable discussion for the American Educational Research Association, San Francisco, CA.

### **NCTE Annual Convention**

Christenbury, L., Gere, A. R. & Sassi, K. (November, 2007). *Inscribing stone tablets: Struggling writers and timed writing tests*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, New York, NY.

Christenbury, L., Gere, A. R., & Sassi, K. (November, 2006). *Successful on-demand writers: What teachers can learn from them*. Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, Nashville, TN.

Marshall, J., Webb, A., & Wirtz, J. (November, 2004). *Doctoral degrees in English Education: What do they look like?* Panel presentation for the National Council of Teachers of English, Indianapolis, IN.

## **PROFESSIONAL CONSULTING**

### ***Program evaluation***

#### **K-12 literacy curriculum**

Literature curriculum consulting and site visits, School District of Clayton (MO), Spring & Fall 2014

***Curriculum development***

**Young adult literature text selection for 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grade English units of study**  
Curriculum work for Champaign (IL) Community Unit School District #4, Spring 2011

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

American Educational Research Association	2006-present
National Council of Teachers of English	1995-present
ALAN (Assembly on Literature for Young Adults of NCTE)	1998-present
Eastern Michigan Writing Project	1997-present