

College of Education and Human Services, and School of Social Work  
Annual Report Executive Summary, 2017-18  
(Part A, Narrative)

Mission:



University School of Social Work and Research Professor in the Department of Health Law, Policy and Management at the Boston University School of Public Health.

2<sup>nd</sup> Annual National Symposium on Educational Leadership and Poverty – The keynote speaker was Dr. David Volkman, Executive Deputy Secretary, Pennsylvania Department of Education. This was a symposium produced in conjunction with the doctoral program in educational leadership.

6<sup>th</sup> Annual Millersville University Social Studies Conference. Several panels with local teachers, experts, and intellectuals, provide excellent advice and inspiration for the future.

Millersville University Disability Pride Day

Disability Film Festival Offerings

- o October 17, 2017 – An Evening of Short Films
- o February 7, 2018 – Me Before You
- o February 10, 2018 – Beyond Measure
- o March 7, 2018 – 2e twice exceptional
- o April 16, 2018 – Defiant Lives

### Select Special Faculty Achievements

Nanette Dietrich, EDFN, 2018 Millersville University of Pennsylvania, Distinguished Civic Leadership Award

Ann Gaudino, EDFN, Appointed Co Editor, International Education Research Journal.

Gordon Nesbitt, WSSD, NIRSA Annual Regional Service Award for the significant contributions to develop the student leadership resources within the association as a member of the NIRSA Leadership Commission, March, 2018.

Jeff Wimer, WSSD, invited to join the Board of Directors of Compass Mark, a local non profit whose mission is to reduce the incidence, prevalence, and consequences from addiction to alcohol and other drugs.

Karen Rice, SOWK, Journal Reviewer of the Year, the Journal of Baccalaureate Social Work.

Charlton Wolfgang EMEE, Outstanding Educator of the Year, Pennsylvania Association for Gifted Education.

Andrew Bland, PSYC, Alumni Award for Outstanding Contributions to Humanistic Psychology, University of West Georgia Psychology 50th Anniversary Reunion and Conference.

Laurie Hanich, EDFN, appointed as a principal member of the Institute of Education Sciences' Special Education Research Scientific Review Panel for a 3 year term, spring 2017 fall 2019. Served as panel chair for spring 2017 review panel.

Dr. Marc Felizzi, SOWK, was appointed to the Council on Social Work Education's (CSWE) national committee that is working with the Association of Social Work Board (ASWB) to create a curriculum guide to assist faculty in teaching on the topic of licensing and regulation

### Student Achievements

Tiffany Peruso was appointed as BSW Student Representative on NASW of Directors as



the system level over the past couple of years, it has caused confusion and delays in getting programs approved and offered in a timely manner.