

MARGARET H. GOLDEN

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EDUCATION

Doctor of Education, *Educational Psychology*
University of California, Berkeley (1991)

Master of Arts, *Educational Administration*
University of California, Berkeley (1985)

Bachelor of Arts, *Liberal Studies*
San Diego State University (1983)

CREDENTIALS

- California Multiple Subjects Teaching Credential (1983)
- Massachusetts Elementary Teaching Credential (1988)
- Facilitator for the Center for Courage and Renewal (2005)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2018-Present
Director

Millennium.org
[Forum for Educator Well-Being](#)

2001-2018
Professor (Emerita)

Dominican University of California
School of Liberal Arts and Education

2016-2018
Chair

Multiple Subject Credential Program
School of Liberal Arts and Education
Dominican University of California

2006-2018
Director

Courage to Teach® Program at Dominican University of California
Developed, promoted and facilitated programs of personal and professional renewal for educators based on the work of Parker Palmer and the Center for Courage and Renewal.

2009-2012
Chair

Single Subject Credential Program
School of Education and Counseling Psychology
Dominican University of California

2008-2009
Teacher/
Coordinator

Ocean View School
Albany Unified School District, Albany California
Taught a first-grade class .20 time while providing classroom experience and supervision to university freshman enrolled in the Liberal Studies/Teacher Education Program at Dominican University of California.

2002-2007
Consultant

North Oakland Community Charter School (NOCCS)
Oakland, California
Provided curriculum and instruction support to teachers and school director. Facilitated faculty meetings and participated in faculty evaluations. Provided leadership in the hiring of all new faculty and staff.

1997-2001
Consultant/
Trainer

Educator Consultation and Resources (ECR)
Corte Madera, California
Co-developed and implemented the *Student Centered Learning Project*. Worked as a curriculum developer, teacher trainer, coach, and consultant to principals interested in school reform. Assisted with the implementation of

developmentally appropriate and progressive educational practices in literacy, math, science, and social studies in schools around the Bay Area.

1992-97
Teacher
Grades 3-5

Glorietta School, Orinda Union School District
Orinda, California
Responsible for all aspects of the elementary curriculum within both a multiage classroom and an interdisciplinary team. Served on the district math, science, and common planning time committees.

1990-91
University
Teaching
Assistant

Developmental Teacher Education Program
University of California, Berkeley
Responsible for the placement and supervision of Teaching Credential and Masters students in Bay Area Public Schools. Facilitated student teaching seminars linking educational theory to practice.

1988-89
Teacher
Grades 4-5

Agassiz School, Cambridge Public Schools
Cambridge, Massachusetts
Co-developed a field-based, project approach to U.S. History. Served on the district Conflict Management Committee and promoted the implementation the NCTM Mathematics Standards.

1986-88
Teacher
Grade 4

Marin Elementary, Albany Unified School District
Albany, California
Worked with the California History Project to pilot a social science Curriculum about the Chinese experience at Angel Island.

**Summer
1986 & 87**
Teacher
Grades K-1

Cornell School, Albany Unified School District
Albany, California
Taught summer school with students recommended for remediation in language arts and math concepts and skills.

1985-86
Science
Teacher

Cornell School, Albany Unified School District
Albany, California
Taught elementary science concepts to all 3rd, 4th and 5th grade students using a “hands-on,” multi-sensory approach.

**Summer
1985**

California Assembly Internship
CAL in the Capitol program, U.C. Berkeley
Worked for Assemblyman John Vasconcellos and assisted with work for the Education and Ways and Means Committees.

1980-84
Site Substitute/
ESL Teacher/
Teaching Assistant

Freese Elementary School
San Diego Unified School District, San Diego, California
Bilingual and Gifted and Talented Education Programs

HONORS

2018

Sister M. Aquinas Nimitz, O.P. Award
For outstanding service, commitment, and dedication to all members of the Dominican University community.

2007

Nominated for TEACHER of the YEAR at Dominican University

1987

Outstanding Social Science Teacher Award
East Bay Council for Social Studies

1981-83

Dean's List/Outstanding Academic Achievement
San Diego State University

PUBLICATIONS, PRESENTATIONS, FACILITATION and GRANTS RECEIVED

- October 3, 2019** **Presentation:** *Forum for Educator Well-Being, an adult SEL professional development program.* Collaborative for Academic, Social, and Emotional Learning (CASEL) SEL Exchange/Conference, Chicago, IL.
- Nov 19-19, 2018** **Keynote Presentation and Pre-Conference Session:** *Leading Together: Building Adult Community in Schools.* Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD), Hershey, PA.
- June 20-21, 2016** **Summer Institute:** *Leading Together: Building Adult Community in Schools.* Professional development for K-12 school leadership teams from Alameda and Contra Costa Counties for Project Pathways. Diablo Valley College, Pleasant Hill, California.
- Dec 2015-May 2016** **Faculty/Staff Development:** Facilitated monthly staff development discussions to promote Identity Safe Classrooms. Madera Elementary School, West Contra Costa Unified School District.
- May 15, 2015** **Grant Funded:** \$53,000 from the Kalliopeia Foundation to continue to develop and administer the *Courage to Teach®* Professional Development Program at Dominican University of California.
- March 20, 2015** **Faculty/Staff Retreat:** *Honoring the Teacher's Heart*, School of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences, Dominican University of California.
- January 15, 2015** **International Presentations:** *Developmentally Appropriate Practices for Teaching and Learning* given at the **Vietnam National Institute of Educational Sciences (VNIES)**, the think-tank for the Ministry of Education and Training of Vietnam (MOET) in the areas of strategies, policies, and curriculum development, and at **Vietnam National University, Hanoi College of Education.**
- January 14, 2015** **International Retreat:** *Honoring the Teachers Heart*, United Nations International School (UNIS), Hanoi, Vietnam.
- December 2013** **Co-Author:** *Courage in Multi-Cultural Initiatives* in *New Directions in Student Services*, a quarterly sourcebook published by Jossey-Bass™, Number 144-Winter 2013
- October 19-21, 2012** **Invited Panel Host:** *Transforming Education at Every Level: Whole Human Learning toward a Regenerative Future.* An emergent conversation with visionary teachers and learners, Bioneers Annual Conference, San Rafael, CA.
- June 2012** **Editor of Book:** *Teaching and Learning from the Inside Out: Revitalizing Ourselves and Our Institutions* in *New Directions for Teaching and Learning*, a quarterly sourcebook published by Jossey-Bass™, Number 130-Summer 2012
- April 14, 2012** **Keynote Presentation:** *Sustaining the Courage to Teach: An Inside Out Approach to Professional Development*, **WestEd** Regional Educational Laboratory- the Program for Infant/Toddler Care, Partners for Quality, San Diego, CA.

- October 2011** **Grant Funded: \$45,000** from the Kalliopeia Foundation to continue to develop and administer the *Courage to Teach®* Professional Development Program at Dominican University of California.
- June 2011** **Presentation:** *Teaching and Learning from the Inside Out* in collaboration with PassageWorks™ Institute faculty, San Rafael, CA
- April 2011** **Presentation:** *Roots, Trunk, Branches: The Foundations of Our Work* National Gathering of Courage Facilitators, Asilomar Conference Center, Pacific Grove, CA
- December 2009** **Grant Funded: \$40,000** from the Kalliopeia Foundation to continue to develop and administer the *Courage to Teach®* Professional Development Program at Dominican University of California.
- November 2009** **Presentation:** *Principles and Practices: Refining and Reframing* National Gathering of Courage Facilitators, Mundelein, Ill
- December 2007** **Grant Funded: \$30,000** from the Kalliopeia Foundation to develop and administer the *Courage to Teach®* Professional Development Program.
- December 2005** **Grant Funded: \$30,510** from the Kalliopeia Foundation to develop and administer the *Courage to Teach®* Professional Development Program at Dominican University of California.
- 2003** **Presentation:** Annual Conference of *the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD)* for Teach Our Children Well: *Essential Strategies for the Urban Classroom*, San Francisco, California
- 2001** **Co-Author of Book:** Teach Our Children Well: *Essential Strategies for the Urban Classroom*, with Helen Maniates and Betty Doerr. Heinemann, Portsmouth, New Hampshire, 2001
- 1999** **Paper and Presentation:** *Researcher and Practitioner Perspectives: Results from a Formative Evaluation of Student Centered Learning Project* presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Educational Research Association (AERA), Montreal, Canada
- 1999** **Presentation:** *Building Student-Centered Learning Environments with Effective Discipline*, Annual Conference of the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD), San Francisco, California.

PROFESSIONAL and COMMUNITY SERVICE

- 2010-Present** **Mentor and Program Guide:** *Center for Courage and Renewal, Facilitator Preparation Program.* Provide support and guidance to new facilitators, including practical knowledge related to facilitation and design of *Circle of Trust*© experiences.
- 2008-2017** **DUC School of Education Representative** to Marin County Association of Early Childhood Educators
- 2010-2012** **Advisory Board Member:** *Promoting Early School Success for All (PESSA):* An educational equity project of the Marin Community Foundation and the Marin County Office of Education.
- 2010-2012** **Facilitation:** *Promoting Early School Success (PESSA) Project*

Provided support and facilitation to administration faculty, and parents of Venetia Valley K-8 School and Old Gallinas Pre-School for an educational equity project of the Marin Community Foundation and the Marin County Office of Education

- March 2012** **Facilitation:** *A Day of Reflection and Renewal*, St Gabriel School
San Francisco, CA
- August 23, 2011** **Facilitation:** *St Brendan School Faculty Retreat*
San Francisco, CA
- May 2011** **Co-Convener:** *Soulful Restoration and Connections by the Sea: National Gathering of Courage Facilitators*, Asilomar Conference Center, Pacific Grove, CA
- 2004-2006** **Teacher/Facilitator:** Marin County Office of Education: Beginning Teacher Support and Assessment (BTSA)
San Rafael, California
Facilitated monthly seminars for all beginning K-12 teachers in Marin County. Standards addressed include: creating equitable classrooms, teaching English learners, and differentiating instruction for special populations.
- 2004** **Consultant:** School of the Madeleine,
Berkeley, California
Collaborated with Principal and Faculty to create K-8 grade level curriculum guides aligned with the State Academic Content Standards, Diocesan Standards, and levels of student development for parents and community.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- February 4-5, 2011** **Bridging the Hearts and Minds of Youth Conference:** *Mindfulness in Clinical Practice, Education, and Research*, UCSD Center for Mindfulness and UCSD School of Medicine, San Diego, CA
- June 11, 2011** **TEDx Conference:** *Teach Compassion: Connecting Timeless Wisdom and 21st Century Skills*, Richmond, CA
- February 17-19, 2011** **Learning and the Brain Conference:** iGENERATION: How the Digital Age is Altering Student Brains, Learning, and Teaching, San Francisco, CA
- October 2-3, 2010** **Soul of Education Teaching Presence Course**, Passageworks Institute, Boulder, CO
- June 8-10, 2010** **The Council of Independent Colleges 9th Annual Workshop for Department and Division Chairs:** *Managing Multiple Roles and Responsibilities*, San Francisco, CA
- March 17-21, 2010** **Emergence Conference:** *A gathering of Kalliopeia grantees*, Sausalito, CA
- February 17-20, 2010** **Learning and the Brain Conference:** *Using Brain Research to Raise IQ and Achievement*, San Francisco, CA
- Feb 22-25, 2007** **Uncovering the Heart of Higher Education Conference:** *Integrative Learning for Compassionate Action in an Interconnected World*, San Francisco, CA