

Grant Recipient



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Activities

- ❖ What did you do?
 - I attended a virtual conference for the Association for Middle Level Education (AMLE)
 - I was able to network with several other higher education faculty for middle level education programs through job-alike meet ups that were scheduled. I also attended research roundtable sessions to hear new research on middle level education.

Proposal

- ❖ October 23-25, 2020 on zoom
- ❖ Cost of conference was \$199.99
- ❖ We just began a degree track in teacher education for middle level education and I will be teaching the middle level course on curriculum and instruction in the Spring 2021, so I wanted to be up to date on the newest research and components of middle level education. The newest version of This We Believe was also given to all registrants for the conference and so I have also been able to review this resource and consider it for implementation in my spring course.

Outcomes

- ❖ I was able to hear about current research in middle level education which can help guide me in my own future research. Also, I was able to collaborate with editors of journals for middle level education and find opportunities to submit publications.
- ❖ I plan on looking more into the publication opportunities and try to get something submitted to a journal by the end of the spring semester.