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**Education and Training:**

2010 Bachelor of Science; Family and Consumer Science,  
Southern University, Baton Rouge, LA.

**Certification:**

2017 [Early Childhood Ancillary Certificate](#)  
2017 Louisiana Pathways Trainer II

**Professional Experience:**

2013- present: Lead Teacher  
LSU Early Childhood Education Laboratory  
Preschool, Baton Rouge, LA.

2002-2013: Teacher  
Woman's Hospital Child Development  
Center, Baton Rouge, LA.

**Professional Societies:**

Louisiana Early Childhood Association, 2019

**Continuing Education:**

**2020**

Stepping Stone for a Stress Free Environment

**2019**

Using TS Gold Objectives for Planning,

Goals and Program Strategies Quality Feedback,

Scaffolding and Providing Information, Desiree Collins Louisiana Pathway

Trainer#IND-021156 Baton Rouge, LA (1.5 Credit Hour)

Teaching Strategies Golds, Brigitte Beal, Baton Rouge, La. (1 clock hour)

Stress Management, Angela Barnes, Director, Pathway Trainer ID# FTR-02319 Baton  
Rouge, LA. (1 hour)

GoReact & Policies & Procedures, Charlene Jenkins, Pathway trainer ID # FTR-02187  
Baton Rouge, LA. (1 hour)

Reggio- Inspired Philosophical Approach, Cynthia Dicarolo, PhD Trainer ID # FTR-0433- 2019, Baton Rouge, LA. (1 hour)

Promoting Positive Behavior in Early Childhood Classroom, Cynthia Dicarolo, PhD Trainer ID # FTR-0433, and Baton Rouge, LA. (2 hour)

Ergonomics and Childcare, Angela Barnes, Director, Pathway Trainer ID# FTR-02319 Baton Rouge, LA. (1 hour)

## **2018**

Using video to improve your teaching, along with training partner

Engaging Environment for Infant and Toddlers, along with training partner

Working with Families and Creating Supportive Relationships in Childcare, Jennifer Faber, Family Service of Greater Baton Rouge, Baton Rouge, LA. (3 clock hours)

Powerful and Engaging Interactions, Addie Hester, Louisiana Pathways, Baton Rouge, LA. (3 CDA hours)

Teaching Strategies Gold, Samantha Williams, Volunteers of America, Baton Rouge, LA.(10 clock hours)

Creating Supportive Environments, Jenifer Faber, Family Service of Greater Baton Rouge, Baton Rouge, LA. (1 clock hour)

Building Positive Relationships, Jennifer Faber, Family Service of Greater Baton Rouge, Baton Rouge, LA. (1 clock hour)

Social-Emotional Teaching Strategies, Jennifer Faber, Family Service of Greater Baton Rouge, Baton Rouge, LA. (1 clock hour)

Health and Safety and Food Safety, Darlene Bosch, Louisiana Department of Health and Hospital Office of Public Health, Baton Rouge, LA. (3 clock hours)

Engaging Families of Infants and Toddlers with Disabilities Strategies to Enhance Your Practice, by Amanda Schwartz and Lorelei Pisha (1.5Hours)

## **2017**

Effective Communication and Interactions with Young Children, Jennifer Faber, Child Care Key, Baton Rouge, LA. (3 clock hours)

Practical Strategies to Enrich Teacher/Child Interactions, Addie Hester, Volunteers in America, Baton Rouge, LA. (3 clock hours)

## **Service:**