

Equity Advisory Board

Applicant Package - Citizen at Large

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Term 25 Jun 2024 - 30 Nov 2026

Positions Available 1

Number of applicants in this package 1

- Dean, Nancy

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Board Name: Equity Advisory Board

Primary Phone:

352-514-4650

Please list any civic and professional accomplishments/honors, training or experience related to this appointment::

Lead Team, Voter Rights Initiative, American Civil Liberties Union; other honors and experience on CV.

Please list any current/previous Advisory Board appointments:

none

What Contributions do you feel you could make if you were selected to this board?:

I have broad experience in equity and inclusion connected to education. My work with English language learners and my work with young people of diverse backgrounds give me a clear understanding of the importance and value of diversity to our community and country.

Please Agree with the following statements:

I understand this application is the property of Alachua County and subject to public records laws. I hereby certify that the statements made on this application are true and correct. I understand that Appointees to advisory board/committees are required to attend scheduled meetings as specified in the "Guidelines for Citizen Advisory Boards and Committees". I understand that some boards and committees require Financial Disclosure (Chapter 112, Florida Statutes) and I am willing to file if required. I affirm that my personal and business (if applicable) affairs within Alachua County are in substantial compliance with all county regulatory and taxing authorities rules and regulations?:

Yes

Employer :

retired

Occupation:

retired PK Yonge teacher and active literacy volunteer with Alachua County Library

Are you currently serving, or have you ever served, on an Alachua County advisory board? :

No

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Attachments

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Summary: Professor Emerita, P.K. Yonge Developmental Research School, University of Florida; award-winning teacher, proficient in curriculum design, instructional improvement, and professional development; advocate, committed to cultural diversity and inclusion.

Education

Ed.S. Bilingual and Multicultural Education, University of Florida
M.Ed. Special Education, University of Florida
M.A. English, University of Illinois
B.A. English, University of Florida

Awards and Honors

Distinguished Faculty Award, P.K. Yonge Developmental Research School, 2010
Commencement Speaker, P.K. Yonge Developmental Research School, 1986 and 2007
Scholarship of Engagement Award, College of Education, University of Florida, 2005
State English Teacher of the Year, Florida Council of Teachers of English, 1995
State Teacher of the Year finalist (Crown Region Winner), State of Florida, 1989
Associate Master Teacher, State of Florida, 1985-1987

Teaching Experience

Instructor, Citizenship Preparation Class for non-native speakers seeking US citizenship, in partnership with Alachua County Library and Latina Women's League, 2024, continuing
Conversation Club leader for English Language Learners, Alachua County Library, Gainesville, FL, 2023, continuing
Adult Literacy Tutor, Alachua County Library, Gainesville, FL, 2020-present
Writing and ESOL Tutor, Learning Commons, Santa Fe College, 2020
Associate Professor, P.K. Yonge Developmental Research School, University of Florida, 2006-2007
Assistant Professor, P.K. Yonge Developmental Research School, University of Florida, 1973-2006

Courses Taught:

Advanced Placement English	Ninth Grade English
Twelfth Grade English	Middle School Enrichment
English for Speakers of Other Languages	Cross-age Tutoring
Reading Intervention	World History

English Instructor, The National University of Iran, Tehran, Iran, 1968-70

Special Projects

Leadership Team and Board of Directors, National Literacy Project, 1999 - 2020: member of a team of educators committed to improving professional development and student learning in adolescent literacy
Instructor and Curriculum Developer, *Succeeding in Reading*, P.K. Yonge, 1998-2009: developed course syllabi, training manuals, and materials to train secondary students to tutor young children in reading

Lead Team, Florida Reading Initiative, 2001-2008: facilitated training of secondary reading coaches and teachers, coordinated revision of training modules for secondary professional development in literacy

CAP Program Coordinator, P.K. Yonge, 1997-1998: designed and coordinated curriculum for student advisement

Educational Leadership

Associate Director of Training and Development, National Literacy Project, 2001-2020

Curriculum Coordinator and Secondary Reading Coach, P.K. Yonge, 2002-2007

Chair, English Department, P.K. Yonge, 1980-2000

Faculty Advisor, Senior Class, P.K. Yonge, 1981- 2000

Faculty Sponsor, P.K. Yonge Shakespeare Club, 1975-86

Teacher Education and Service

Educational Coach for Student Interns, Colorado State University, 2019: directed student teachers in Denver, Colorado

Professional Development Specialist, National Literacy Project, 2000 - 2020: with the National Literacy Project team, worked with teachers throughout the U.S. in literacy reform, literacy leadership through teacher and student literacy teams, comprehension strategies, use of tutorials to improve reading and writing, and the teaching of voice in reading and writing

Project Director, *Everyone Reads*, P.K. Yonge, 1998 - 2001: director of Goals 2000 remedial reading and staff development project involving seven school districts and fourteen schools

Teacher Trainer, North Florida Educational Consortium, 1991-97: conducted workshops on reading intervention, cross-cultural communication, and teaching language minority students

Chair, Commission on Community Education, Florida Council of Teachers of English, 1995

Contributor and Instructor, TEACH Content Video #2 (*Integrating Methods for ESOL Instruction*) and TEACH Resource Kit and Study Guide, Florida Department of Education and Jostens Learning Company; 1994-95

Publications

Dean, N. (2000-2019). *Voice Lessons: Understanding the Writer's Tools*. North Mankato, MN: Capstone Professional.

Dean, N. (2017). *Finding Voice: Introductory Lessons to Teach Reading and Writing of Complex Text*. North Mankato, MN: Capstone Professional.

Dean, N. (2016). *Discovering Voice: Lessons to Teach Reading and Writing of Complex Texts*. North Mankato, MN: Capstone Professional.

Irvin, J., Meltzer, J., Dean, N., and Mickler, M.J. (2010). *Taking the Lead on Adolescent Literacy: Action Steps for Schoolwide Success*. Thousand Oaks: Corwin.

Irvin, J., Meltzer, J., Mickler, M.J., Phillips, M., and Dean, N. (2009). *Meeting the Challenge of Adolescent Literacy: Practical Ideas for Literacy Leaders*. Newark: International Reading Association.

Dean, N. (2008). *Writing Intervention Kit for High School*. Gainesville: Maupin House.

Dean, N. and Harper, C. (2005). *Succeeding in Reading: A Complete Cross-Age Tutoring Program. Program Leader's Guide, Buddy Reading Guide, and Buddy Coaching Guide*. Gainesville: Maupin House.