

Curriculum Vitae
Regina Rahimi, Ed.D.
Professor, Middle and Secondary Education
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Educational/Professional Credentials

<i>Ed.D. Curriculum Studies</i>	<i>Georgia Southern University, 2002</i>
<i>Ed Leadership/Supervision Certification</i>	<i>Georgia Southern University, 1997</i>
<i>Ed.S. Middle Grades Education</i>	<i>Georgia Southern University, 1996</i>
<i>M.Ed. Middle Grades Education</i>	<i>Georgia Southern University, 1994</i>
<i>B.S Middle Grades Education</i>	<i>Armstrong State College, 1992</i>

Teaching Certifications

T-7 Middle Grades Certification: Concentrations in Math, Social Studies, and Language Arts
L-7 Leadership and Supervision

Higher Education Teaching Experience

<i>Assistant Professor, Armstrong State University</i>	<i>2006-2012</i>
<i>Associate Professor, Armstrong State University</i>	<i>2012- 2018</i>
<i>Professor, Georgia Southern University, Armstrong Campus</i>	<i>2018-Current</i>

Administrative Experience

<i>Interim Department Chair</i>	<i>2014-2017</i>
<i>Graduate Program Coordinator</i>	<i>2008-2014</i>

Professional Experience

<i>Middle Grades Teacher</i>	
<i>Myers Middle School</i>	<i>1996-2006</i>
<i>Team Leader</i>	
<i>Developed/Taught Reading/Writing Intervention Courses</i>	
<i>Developed/Taught Math/Writing Connections Course</i>	
<i>Taught Standards-Based Language Arts, Grades 6-8</i>	
<i>Tompkins Middle School</i>	<i>1992-1996</i>
<i>Saturday School Coordinator</i>	
<i>Social Studies Teacher</i>	

Courses Taught

Undergraduate Courses

Socio-Cultural Perspectives in Education
Middle School Theory and Practice
Adolescent Development
Curriculum and Methods
Adolescent Literature
Language Arts Methods
Classroom Management
Assessment for Diverse Learners
Policy and Professional Standards for Teachers

Graduate Courses

Educational Research
Reading and Writing Across the Curriculum
Social Foundations of Education
Educational Psychology
Advanced Instruction for Diverse Learners
Curriculum and Instruction Capstone Course
Advanced Pedagogy for Content Areas
Educational Assessment
Introduction to Middle and Secondary Schools
Research in Current Trends and Issues
Teaching and Learning in Diverse K12 Contexts
Supervision of Interns and Student Teachers

Intellectual Contributions

Professional Publications: Peer Reviewed Journals Articles

Rahimi, R. & Cossa, N. (Under review). "Honestly, I think it's going great so far... I did have a mental breakdown" Examining the experiences of paid residents in their first year. *Action in Teacher Education*.

McBrayer, J.S., Rahimi, R., *Mathewson, T, & *Fallon, K. (Submitted Fall 2021). Partnering educational leadership and preservice teacher candidates to conduct virtual classroom observations via a practitioner-based mentor-teacher candidate model. *The Professional Educator*.

Rahimi, R., Liston, D., Adkins, A., & Nourzad, J. (2021). Teacher awareness of trauma informed practice: Raising awareness in Southeast Georgia. *Georgia Educational Researcher* (18)2, article 4.

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. (2018). Experiences of Female Dropouts: A Study in South Georgia. In *Journal of At-Risk Issues*, Spring, 2018.

Rahimi, R. & Franklin, T. (2015). Implementing Co-Teaching Models in University Settings to Enhance Teacher Candidates' Self-Efficacy towards working within Inclusion Settings. In *International Journal of Education and Social Sciences*. 2(11), pp 9-17.

Long, L., Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. (2015) Student Athletes' Perceptions of Sexual Harassment. In *International Journal of Education and Social Sciences*. 2(11), pp. 45-54

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. (2011). Race, Class, and Emerging Adolescent Sexuality. In *Gender and Education*, 23(7), pp.799-810.

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. (2009). What Does She Expect When She Dresses Like That?: Teachers' Perceptions of Emerging Female Adolescent Sexuality. In *Educational Studies* ,45(6), pp.512-533.

Rahimi, R. (2008). \Literacy as Classroom Management, In: *Connections: The Journal of the Georgia Council of Teachers of English*, 45(2) pp.49-63.

B. Books/Monographs/Chapters

(Books)

Liston, D. & R. Rahimi (2019) *Promoting Social Justice through the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning*. Indiana University Press.

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. (2012): *Pervasive Vulnerabilities: Sexual Harassment in School*. Peter Lang: New York.

(Book Chapters)

Liston, D. & Rahimi, R. (2022). SoTL and Social Justice: Developing forms of curriculum inquiry. In Watson (Ed.), *Conceptual analyses of curriculum inquiry methodologies*. IG Global

Rahimi, R., Keener, V., Liston, D., and Adkins, A. (in press). Collaborative Professional Development Supporting Trauma-Informed Practices: Linking Preservice Teacher Candidates with Behavioral Interventionists. In Schepers, O., Brennan, M., and Bernhardt, P., Eds. *Developing Trauma-Informed Teachers: Creating Classrooms that Foster Equity, Resiliency, and Asset-Based Approaches*. (Information Age Publishing)

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. (2013). Campus Conflicts: College Students' Perceptions of Heterosexism and Homophobia in Colleges and Universities. In Devitis, J. (Ed). *Contemporary Colleges and Universities: A Reader*. Peter Lang Publishers: New York

Liston, D. & Rahimi, R. (2013). Taking Toll: The Impact of Sexual and Gender Harassment in the Lives of Middle and High School Students. In Hall, J. (Ed). *Children's Human Rights and Public Schooling in the US*. Sense Publishers: Boston.

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. (2011) " Teachers Perceptions of Adolescent Sexuality: Hip-Hop and BET vs. Mayberry and the Moral Majority". In Carlson, D., & Roseboro, D. (Eds). *The Sexuality Curriculum and Youth Culture*. Peter Lang Publishers: New York.

Liston, D. & Rahimi-Moore, R. (2005). "A Disputation of a Bad Reputation. The Impact of Adverse Sexual Labels on the Lives of Five Southern Women" In Bettis, P. & Adams, N. *Geographies of Girlhood*. Lawrence Erlbaum Associates. Mahwah, N.J.

Professional/ Conference Papers/Proceedings

McBrayer, J., & Rahimi, R. Partnering Leadership Preparation and Teacher Preparation Programs. Presented at the Georgia Professional Standards Certification and Program Officials Conference, November, 2021.

Rahimi, R. & Cossa, N. *Jumping right in: Examining a teacher residency model*. Presented at the Georgia Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, October, 2021.

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *Bringing trauma informed pedagogy to campus: Strategies for working with college students*. Presented at Georgia Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, October, 2021.

Liston, D., & Rahimi, R. *Trauma-Informed Pedagogy: Engaging Diverse Learners in the College Context*. Presented at the Center for Engaged Learning at Elon University, July, 2021.

Rahimi, R. Trauma informed classroom management. Presented at the Southeastern School Behavioral Health Conference, University of South Carolina, April, 2021

Rahimi, R. & Cossa, N. *Honestly its going great so far... I did have a mental breakdown: Exploring the experiences of paid residents in their first year*. Presented at the Eastern Educational Research Association Annual Conference, February 2021 (online).

Rahimi, R. *Preparing students to work with students affected by trauma*. Accepted to present at: Center for Scholastic Inquiry: International Academic Research Conference, April 6-7, 2020.

Rahimi, R., Liston, D., & Adkins, A. *Educators and Trauma Informed Pedagogy: Measuring Understanding*. Presented at the Georgia Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, October, 2019.

Rahimi, R., Liston, D., and Adkins, A. *Hidden Dimension of Cultural Competence: An Agenda to Promote Trauma Informed Pedagogy*. Presented at the Association of Teacher Educators, Atlanta, February, 2019.

Liston, D., Adkins, A., & Rahimi, R. Trauma Informed Pedagogy: *Hidden Dimension of Cultural Competence*. Presented at the National Youth At Risk Conference, Savannah, Ga., November, 2018.

Liston, D.. and Rahimi, R. Transformative Education and the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning. *International Journal of Arts and Sciences' (IJAS)*. Rome, Italy, September, 2018.

Rahimi, R. Adkins, A. and LISTON, D.D. *Trauma Informed Practice*. Presentation. Southeast P20 Collaborative, October 23, 2018.

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *Social Justice and Transformative Practice through SoTL*. Presented at the Meeting of the International Society for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning, Calgary, Canada. October, 2017

Whitford, E., Rahimi, R., Butler, L. Stone, D, and Barrett, M. *Parents as Key Stakeholders in the Professional Development School*. Presented at the National Association of Professional Development Schools Annual Meeting. Washington, DC. March, 2016.

Liston, D. & Rahimi, R. *SoTL: Transformative or Not?* Presented at the Southeastern Regional Association of Teacher Educators. Jeckyll Island, Ga. October 2015

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *Social Justice in the Classroom: Through the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning*. Presented at the Georgia Educational Research Association Annual Meeting. Savannah, Ga. October, 2015

Rahimi, R. *Girls Leaving School: Advocating for Change*. Presented at the 14th Annual Cross-Cultural Counseling and Education Conference for Research, Action and Change. Savannah, Ga. February, 2015.

Rahimi, R. & Franklin, T. . *Preparing MG Teachers for Inclusion: Modeling in the University*. Presented at the Association of Middle Level Education Annual Meeting. Nashville, TN. November, 2014.

Rahimi, R. & Smith, R., Liston, D. *Get out and Stay Out: Why Girls Leave School*. Presented at the International Organization of Social Sciences and Behavioral Research Annual Meeting. Las Vegas, NV. October 2014

Long, L., Rahimi, R., Liston, D. *Student Athletes' Perceptions of Sexual Harassment on Campus*. Presented at the American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting. April, 2014

Rahimi, R. & Franklin, T.. *Improving Co Teaching Experiences in ELA Classrooms*. Presented at the Georgia Council of Teachers of English Annual Conference. February, 2014.

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *Exploring the Experiences of Female Dropouts in the South*. Presented at The Eastern Educational Research Association Annual Meeting. Jacksonville, Ga. February, 2014.

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *Raising Their Voices: Exploring Experiences of Female Dropouts*. Presented at the Academic and Business Research Institute Annual Conference. Orlando, Fl. January, 2014

Rahimi, R., & Liston, D. *Sexual Harassment and Bullying Experiences in Middle and High School*. Presented at the International Organization of Social Sciences and Behavioral Research Annual Meeting. Atlantic City, NJ. April, 2013.

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *Exploring the Experiences of Female High School Dropouts in Georgia*. Presented at the Georgia Educational Research Association Annual Conference, October, 2013.

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *Boys will be Boys? Male Students' Perceptions of Heterosexism and Harassment*. Presented at the Eastern Educational Research Association Annual Meeting. Hilton Head, SC. February, 2012.

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *Just Playin' Males' Perspectives of Sexual Harassment in Schools*. Presented at the American Educational Studies Association Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO, Nov. 2011

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *Sexual Bullying in School: Male Perspectives on the Matter*. Presented at the Georgia Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Savannah, Ga., October, 2011.

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *Adolescent Issues of Disconnect: Perceptions, Dialogue, Social Change and Leadership: "Male Students' Perceptions of Harassment in School."* Presented at the American Research Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA. April, 2011

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *Hegemony, Race, and Teachers' Perceptions.* Presented at the 10th Annual Southeastern Conference on Cross Cultural Issues in Counseling and Education. Savannah, Ga. February, 2011.

Rahimi, R. *Developing Independent Readers in Middle School?* Presented at the Georgia Council of Teachers' Annual Conference. Calloway Gardens, Ga. February, 2011.

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *You Mean That Still Goes On? Young Women's Experiences With Sexual Harassment in High School.* Presented at the American Educational Studies Annual Conference. Denver, October, 2010

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *Just Playin' Males' Perspectives of Sexual Harassment in Schools.* Presented at the American Educational Studies Association Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO, Nov. 2011

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Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *The New Hello And Other Forms of Harassment in Schools.* Presented at the Georgia Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Savannah, October, 2010.

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *Challenging Experiences of Female Administrators and Students: Female Students Perceptions of Harassment in Schools.* Presented at the American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Denver, April, 2010

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *Hostile High: Sexual Harassment in High School.* Presented at the Eastern Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Savannah, Ga. February, 2010.

Rahimi, R. *Hip Hop and Bet vs. Mayberry and the Moral Majority: Negotiating Sexuality, Race, and Gender in Schools*. A Chapter Preview. Presented at the Summit for Popular Culture, Youth Cultures, and Democratic Sexuality, Wrightsville Beach, NC, February, 2010.

Rahimi, R. *Success for ESOL students in the Middle Grades Classroom*. Presented at the National Middle School Association National Conference. Indianapolis, IN. November, 2009.

Rahimi, R., Askew, S., Campbell, S., Williams-Adams, M.. "*Cultural Responsiveness: The Impact of Study Abroad Experiences in Teacher Preparation Programs*". Presented at the Georgia Association of Teacher Educators Annual Conference, Jeckyll Island, Ga., October, 2009.

Rahimi, R., Alley, E., Askew, S., Campbell, S., Foster, C., Williams-Adams, M., *AASU and Belize: A Partnership between AASU and Elementary schools in Belize*". Presented at the COBEC (Consortium for Belize Educational Cooperation) Annual Conference. Savannah, Ga. July, 2009.

Rahimi, R. & Liston, D. *Race, Class, and Emerging Female Sexuality: Teacher Perceptions and Sexual Harassment*. Presented at the American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, April, 2009.

Rahimi, R. *Effective Language Arts Instruction for ESL: What Middle and High School Students Say*. Presented at the Georgia Council of Teachers of English, 2009 Annual Conference, Jeckyll Island, Ga. February, 2008.

Rahimi, R. and Liston, D. *What Does She Expect When She Dresses Like That?: Teachers' Perceptions of Emerging Adolescent Female Sexuality*. Presented at the American Educational Studies Association Annual Meeting, Savannah, Ga. October, 2008.

Rahimi, R. and Liston, D. *Teachers' Perceptions of Emerging Adolescent Female Sexuality*. Presented at the Women and Girls in Georgia Annual Conference, Athens, Ga. October, 2008.

Rahimi, R., and Liston, D. *What Does She Expect When She Dresses Like That? Teachers' Roles in Labeling Sluts*. Presented at the American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, New York, April 2008.

Rahimi, R. *Help! My Eighth Graders Cant Read: Literacy and the Adolescent*. Presented at the Georgia Council of Teachers of English 2008 Conference, Callaway Gardens, Ga. February 2008.

Rahimi, R. *Making Sense of Standards: The Relationship of Theory and Practice in the Life of a First Year Professor*. Presented at Making an Impact: Best practices to Enhance Achievement, Assessment, and Accountability for P-12 Learning, Atlanta, March, 2007

Strauser, E., Rahimi, R., & Mahan, M. *Out of the Ivory Tower and into the Trenches: Case Study of Taking a Year's Leave to Again Teach in the Middle Grades Classroom*. Presented at the National Middle School Association's Symposium on Middle Level Teacher Preparation, Destin, Florida, February, 2007.

Rahimi, R. *Forged by Fire: Using a Sharon Draper Novel to Excite Writers*. Presented at Voices from the Coast: Navigating the Tides of Teaching, Annual Fall Conference of the Coastal Georgia Writing Project, November, 2006

Rahimi, R. *Good Books Go a Long Way: Designing Literature Based Classrooms to Encourage Language and Literacy Development*. Presented at the Second Regional ESOL Symposium, Savannah, October, 2006

Liston, D., MOORE-RAHIMI, R. *A Disputation of a Bad Reputation: The Impact of Adverse Sexual Labels on the Lives of Five Southern Women*. Paper presented at the American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, April 2002.

Liston, D., Lickteig, M., Gilpin, L., MOORE-RAHIMI, R. & Saye, N. *Women's Philosophies of Education: An Experiential Introduction*. Presented at SEPES, 51st Annual Meeting of Southeast Philosophy of Education Society, Atlanta, Georgia, February 2001.

Professional Presentations

Rahimi, R., Adkins, A., & Liston, D. *Trauma Informed Practice in College*. Presented to the Diversity Committee in the College of Science and Mathematics, Georgia Southern University, July, 2021.

Rahimi, R., *Classroom Practices for Addressing Trauma*. Presented to the Faculty of Richmond Hill High School, November, 2019.

Holt, P., Wells, R. and Rahimi, R. *Diversity in the Classroom*. Presented to the Lower School Faculty of Savannah Country Day School. Savannah, Ga. April, 2017.

Rahimi, R. *Preparing to be a Teacher*. Presented at the Career Expo for St. Francis Cabrini Middle School. Savannah, Ga. 2016.

Rahimi, R. Commencement Address to 8th Grade Class of Oglethorpe Charter School. Savannah, Ga. May, 2015.

Rahimi, R. *Pervasive Vulnerabilities: Sexual Harassment in Middle and High Schools*. Presented for the Faculty Lecture Series. Armstrong State University. October, 2013

Rahimi, R. *Writing about Sexual Harassment in Schools: Keynote Address*. Presented at the College English Teachers Association Annual Conference. Savannah, Ga. April, 2013.

Rahimi, R. *Schools Fostering Appreciation of Student Diversity*. Presented for the Armstrong Atlantic State University Common Read Panel. November, 2010.

Rahimi, R., Rambo, E., Tupper, C., Williams, R. *Life in a College of Education*. Presented at the Future Educators of America Spring Training 2010, Jeckyll Island, Ga. April, 2010.

Rahimi, R. and Students in Belize Study Abroad. Presented at Literacy Open Day. St. Mary's Anglican School. Belize City, Belize. May, 2009.

Rahimi, R. *Successfully Teaching English Language Learners*. Presented for BOE Brown Bag Discussion. Armstrong State University, October, 2008.

Bergin, J., White, S., Hepting, N., Battiste, B., Rahimi, R. *Literacy skills across the curriculum*. A multi-media workshop consisting of 24 hours of in-service instruction for 23 early childhood and middle grade teachers. Belize City, Belize, Central America. May 12-15., 2008

Rahimi, R., Zaldivar, P, Rayans, D., Peny, J., Crosby, C. *You're Not Like Me! Dealing With Our Differences*. Presented at the Future Educators of America Spring Training, St. Simons Island, Ga. April 2008.

Rahimi, R. *Helping Adolescents Who Struggle with Reading*. Presented at the Annual Diocesan Teachers Institute. Savannah, Ga. March, 2008.

Rahimi, R., Davis, E. & Hannigan, P. *Games! Games! Games! (And other strategies for getting to know others)*. Presented at the Future Educators of America Fall Training, Covington, Ga. 2007

Rahimi, R., Wilson, A., Hannigan, P., Davis, E., Hutchinson, M. *What Will College Classes Really be Like?* Presented at the Future Educators of America Spring Training, St. Simons Island, GA, April 2007

Editorial/Reviewer Projects (current)

- Member, Editorial Review Board of Research in Middle Level Education Online, 2009-Current
- Manuscript Reviewer, *Educational Studies*, Current
- Manuscript Reviewer, *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*
- Manuscript Reviewer, *PUPIL: International Journal of Teaching, Education and Learning*

C. Professional Organizations/Memberships

- Member, American Educational Studies Association
- Member, Eastern Educational Research Association
- Member, Georgia Educational Research Association
- Member, ASCD

D. Offices, Committees (Current)

- Co-Chair, Southeastern P20 Collaborative
- Co-Chair, Trauma Informed Educational Symposium
- Co-Chair, Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee
- CAEP Site Accreditation Visiting Team Member, 2015-Current
- AAQUEP Site Accreditation Visiting Team Member, 2019-Current
- Member, Oglethorpe Charter School Governing Board and Education Committee Chair
- Member, Faculty Grievance Armstrong Campus
- Search Committees, Departmental Faculty Position
- Member, Academic Assessment Steering Committee

