

## Curriculum Vitae for Dr. John A. Huss

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### EDUCATION

Doctor of Education (Ed.D) in Curriculum and Instruction  
Areas of Specialization: Curriculum and Instruction, Middle Grades Education,  
Teacher Education  
University of Cincinnati  
June 1997-December 2000

Master of Arts in Secondary Education  
Northern Kentucky University  
June 1996-May 1997

Bachelor of Arts in Middle Grades Education  
Northern Kentucky University  
June 1993-August 1995

Bachelor of Science in Sociology  
Northern Kentucky University  
August 1984-May 1993

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Professor of Education  
Northern Kentucky University Highland Heights, Kentucky  
(August 2015-)  
*Member Graduate Faculty*





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| Spring, 2018 | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School Leaders<br>EDD 849 Dissertation Seminar   |
| Fall 2017    | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDU 324 Fundamentals of Secondary Education<br>EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School Leaders<br>EDD 898 Dissertation Research |
| Spring 2017  | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School Leaders<br>EDD 898 Dissertation Research  |
| Fall 2016    | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School Leaders<br>EDD 898 Dissertation Research  |
| Summer 2016  | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School Leaders<br>EDD 898 Dissertation Research  |
| Spring 2016  | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School Leaders<br>EDD 898 Dissertation Research  |
| Fall 2015    | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School Leaders<br>EDD 898 Dissertation Research  |
| Summer 2015  | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School Leaders   |
| Spring 2015  | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School Leaders<br>EDD 849 Dissertation Seminar   |

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| Fall 2014   | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School Leaders<br>EDD 849 Dissertation Seminar  |
| Summer 2014 | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School Leaders<br>EDG 692 Applied Educational Research II   |
| Spring 2014 | EDU 305 Introduction to Education   |
| Fall 2013   | EDU 305 Introduction to Education   |
| Summer 2013 | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School Leaders  |
| Spring 2013 | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDD 849 Dissertation Seminar   |
| Fall 2012   | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDD 849 Dissertation Seminar   |
| Summer 2012 | EDD 849 Dissertation Seminar<br>EDD 898 Dissertation Research   |
| Spring 2012 | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDU 348 Teaching Social Studies in the Middle Grades<br>EDD 811 Qualitative Research<br>EDD 849 Dissertation Seminar   |
| Fall 2011   | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School Leaders<br>EDG 691 Applied Educational Research I<br>EDD 810 Introduction to Action Research, Academic Writing, and the Dissertation Process |
| Summer 2011 | EDU 305 Introduction to Education<br>EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School Leaders<br>EDG 691 Applied Educational Research I  |

Spring 2011 EDU 305 Introduction to Education  
 EDG 691 Applied Educational Research I  
 EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School  
 Leaders  
 Student Teaching/University Supervisor  
 Reassigned Time (Doctoral Committee Work)

Fall 2010 Sabbatical Leave

Summer 2010 EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School  
 Leaders

Spring 2010 EDG 691 Applied Educational Research I  
 EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School  
 Leaders  
 EDU 305 Introduction to Education  
 EDU 104 Introduction to the Education Profession  
 Student Teaching/University Supervisor

Fall 2009 EDD 812 Participatory Action Research and Program  
 Evaluation  
 EDG 605 Introduction to Educational Research for School  
 Leaders  
 EDU 305 Introduction to Education  
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| Spring 2003 | EDG 600 Applied Research in Education<br>EDU 305 Introduction to Education                              |
| Fall 2002   | EDG 600 Applied Research in Education,<br>EDU 305 Introduction to Education                             |
| Summer 2002 | EDU 600 Educational Research<br>EDU 601 Contemporary Practices in Teaching and<br>Learning              |
| Spring 2002 | EDU 600 Educational Research  |
| Fall, 2001  | EDU 600 Educational Research  |
| Summer 2001 | EDU 630 Foundations of Literacy   |
| Spring 2001 | EDU 310 Teaching Language Arts in the Early Grades  |
| Fall 2000   | EDU 310 Teaching Language Arts in the Early Grades  |
| Summer 2000 | EDU 636 Reading Instruction in the Middle Grades  |
| Spring 2000 | EDU 312 Teaching Social Studies in the Early Grades   |
| Fall 1999   | EDU 312 Teaching Social Studies in the Early Grades<br>EDU 348 Teaching Social Studies in Middle Grades |



**PROFESSIONAL PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS****Accepted**

Huss, J. (2021). Give em something to smile about: Connecting with your online students through humor. Research paper presented at the Pedagogicon Conference, Council on Postsecondary Education, May 14, Eastern Kentucky Unive0 6 71itsomy

presented at the International Lilly Conference on College Teaching,  
November 18, Oxford, Ohio.

Huss, J., & Eastep, S. (2016). Okay, our courses are online, but are they ADA compliant? An investigation of faculty awareness of accessibility at a Midwestern university. *Inquiry in Education*, 8(2), 1-21.

- Huss, J., & Eastep, S. (2011). A tri-state study: Is the middle school movement thriving or barely surviving? *Research in Middle Level Education*, 34, 1-13.
- Huss, J. (2010). The current middle school movement in Tennessee: Surging or staggering? *Tennessee Association of Middle Schools (TAMS) Journal*, 42, 4-11.
- Huss, J. (2009). The attitudes of middle school teachers toward the use of humor in teaching: Do laughing and learning mix? *Current Issues in Middle Level Education*, 14, 1-13.
- Huss, J. (2008). Getting serious about humor: Attitudes of secondary teachers toward the use of humor as a teaching strategy. *Journal of Ethnographic and Qualitative Research*, 3, 28-36.
- Huss, J. (2007). something to smile about! *South Carolina Middle School Journal*, 1-4.
- Huss, J. (2007). Perceptions of secondary principals toward online teacher preparation. *Journal of Ethnographic and Qualitative Research*, 2, 23-31.



**PROFESSIONAL PEER-REVIEWED PRESENTATIONS**

International/National

ething to smile about: Connecting with your online students through humor. Presentation at the Pedagogicon Conference Council on Postsecondary Education, Eastern Kentucky University.

Research presentation at the New England League of Middle Schools Conference, Georgetown, Massachusetts.

Huss, J., & Eastep, S. (2020, May). ADA compliance in online courses: Free tools and resources for creating an inclusive environment for both students and instructors. Research presentation at the Pedagogicon Conference Council on Postsecondary Education, Eastern Kentucky University.

Huss, J., & Eastep, S. (2019, November).



Huss, J. (2012, September). Learning to laugh, laughing to learn: Using humor as a pedagogical tool. Presentation at the International Teaching and Learning Cooperative Lilly Conference, Traverse City, Michigan.

Huss, J. (2012, June). Winning hand! Card-sort activities to encourage cooperation and critical thinking. Presentation at the Teaching Professor Conference, Washington D.C.









- Huss, J. (2007, March). Accountable talk: Giving students something to talk about. Paper presented at the Kentucky Teaching and Learning Conference, Louisville, Kentucky.
- Huss, J. (2006, October). Tri-state attitudes toward online teacher preparation programs: Are we logging on or logging off? Paper presented at the Kentucky Association of Teacher Educators, Georgetown, Kentucky.
- Huss, J. (2006, September). A winning hand: Card-sort activities combining critical thinking with cooperative learning. Session presented at the Kentucky Middle School Association Conference, Lexington, Kentucky.
- Huss, J. (2006, March). Combining critical thinking, technology and cooperative learning. Session presented at the Kentucky Teaching and Learning Conference, Louisville, Kentucky.
- Huss, J. (2005, September). Cooperative learning and critical thinking: Two practices, one successful strategy. Session presented at the Kentucky Association of Teacher Educators Conference, Georgetown, Kentucky.





Reappointment, Promotion, and Tenure Task Force (2005)  
 Peer Evaluation Committee (2005)  
 Facilitator of Long- Range Planning Team (2004-05)  
 Secondary Education Work Team (2004-05)  
 Search Committee for Educational Tech Faculty Position (2004-05)  
 Search Committee for Math Education Faculty Position (2004-05)  
 Chair of Peer Evaluation Committee (2004)  
 Search Committee for Coordinator of Preservice Teaching (2003, 2004)  
 Search Committee for Freshman Advisor/Lecturer (2004)  
 Student Grade Appeals Committee (2002-04)  
 Long-Range Planning Committee/Design Team (2002-05)  
 Curricular Reform Faculty Group (2002-03)  
 Field Experiences and Unit Capacity NCATE (2002-03)

### **SERVICE TO UNIVERSITY**

Scorer, General Studies (2021)  
 Member, Reappointment, Promotion, and Tenure Committee, School of  
 Kinesiology, Counseling, and Rehabilitative Science, Full Professor (2020)  
 Member, Advisory Board Institute for Student Research and Creative Activity  
 (2019-)  
 Member, International Study Scholarship Committee (2016-2018)  
 Member, Online Learning and Technologies Task Force (2015)  
 Presenter, NKU Office of Academic Affairs (2014)  
 Presenter, Summer Faculty Institute (2012)  
 Presenter, NKU Office of Academic Affairs (2011)  
 Speaker, *Destination Northern* (2011)  
 Member, Student Research and Creative Awards Committee (2011-2015)  
 Member, Selection Committee, Faculty Excellence Awards (2010)  
 General Education Program Structure Committee (2009)  
 General Education Exploratory Task Force (2008-2009)  
 Graduate Council (2008-2009)  
 LSAC Online Evaluation Committee (2004-2008)  
 Dual Credit Committee (2004-05)  
 Professional Concerns Committee (2002-03)

### **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

External Reviewer for Promotion and Tenure, Wright State University  
 External Reviewer for Promotion and Tenure, Center for Scholastic Inquiry (CSI)  
 Peer Reviewer, *Kentucky Journal of Teacher Education*  
 Peer Reviewer, *Educational Research and Reviews*  
 Peer Reviewer, *Education Research for Policy and Practice Journal*  
 Peer Reviewer, *International Journal of Leadership in Learning*  
 Peer Reviewer, *Journal of Ethnographic and Qualitative Research*  
 Peer Reviewer, *The High School Journal*  
 Collaboration with Beechwood Independent School District (2007-)  
 Newport Cohort Collaborative/Admissions Semester (2006-)

Making Place Matter (2004-)

Action Council of United Way of Greater Cincinnati (2004-05)

Teacher Leadership of Northern Kentucky, Chamber of Commerce (2003-04)

Teacher Educator, Kentucky Teacher Internship Program (2002-)

Member, Steering Committee for Middle Level Academies (1999-2000)