

## EDUCATION

Columbia College Chicago, Illinois Bachelor of Arts in Early Childhood Education 2018  
Professional Educator License Early Childhood Endorsement  
Focus in Theater

Learning and Behavioral Studies I Endorsement (in progress)

Mercer Island High School, Mercer Island, Washington 2014

## Awards and Scholarships

Dean's List Spring 2015

## College and Community Involvement

Education Advocates Member since fall 2015, President 2016- 2017  
Columbia College Hillel Member since fall 2014, President 2016- 2017

## CLINICAL OBSERVATIONS

Christopher House Uptown, Chicago, IL, 0-3 Year Olds, 28 hours 2016

Chicago Commons Guadalupano, Chicago, IL, 3-5, 50 hours 2016

Currently Student Teaching projected completed hours, about 250 hours 2017

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Participated in Study Tour of Reggio Emilia Schools/Centers, Reggio Emilia Italy 2017

**Association of Educational Therapists, Workshop: "Slow Processing Speed and Sluggish Cognitive Tempo"** 2017  
presented by Dr. Ellen Braaten, Director of the Learning and Emotional Assessment Program (LEAP) at Mass. General Hospital and the Track  
Director of the Child Psychology Training Program at MGH/Harvard Medical School.

**October Seminar Series** 2016

Connecting Curiosity, Materials, and Documentation

An Overview of the Reggio Emilia Approach to Early Learning

Presented By, Lella Gandini, Liaison for Reggio Children, Reggio Emilia, Italy;  
and Jane Racoonin, Director of Beginnings Nursery School, New York

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## Education for Democracy

Tiziana Filipini, Former Pedagogista, Reggio Emilia, Italy; Mara Krechevsky, Project Zero Senior Researcher; and Ben Mardell, Project Zero Principal Investigator

## **Special Needs Workshop, featuring Guest Speaker Dori Mages, 2016 College Nannies, Glenview, IL**

Dori Mages, MSW, LCSW, is a Clinical Social Worker and Therapist, and the Founder of North Shore Family Services.

## **Workshop, Educational Therapy in a Complex World: The Interface Between Brain Function, Learning Challenges and Clinical 2016 Intervention, Association of Educational Therapists, Chicago, IL**

Presented by Joseph Palombo LCSW and Andrew Sutt explaining a child needs to change their own perception of life story in order to rewrite it, Julie Lyman on Literacy, and Dr. Christina Perry on Supporting Self-Regulated Learning.

## **Workshop, Best Practices For Collaborative Teaching, DePaul 2016 University, Chicago, IL**

Presented by Dr. Cory Christopher

## **Workshop, Understanding Dyslexia: Assessment And Intervention, 2015 Wolcott School, Chicago, IL**

Presented By Dr. Nancy Mather (University of Arizona)

## **Using Yoga and Sensory Systems, To Support Attention and Regulations, 2015 Illinois Learning Disability Association, Annual Conference, Chicago, IL**

Presented by Brooke S Backsen MOT, OTR/L, RYT Occupational Therapist Yoga Instructor for Children and Families, President of My Recess Therapy

## **Youth Leadership Forum For Students With Disabilities, Evergreen 2013 State College, Olympia, WA**

## SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Expertise in relating to and accommodating children with needs (e.g., ASD, anxiety and behavioral disorders), visual arts, performing arts, cooking.