# LINDSEY SOWELL

## PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR/LEADER

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# PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS

#### MATHEMATICS (5-9)

State of Florida

# SEL FOR TEACHERS & CLASSROOMS

**UNESCO MGIEP** 

#### **SENIA CERTIFIED TEACHER**

Inclusion Instruction
SENIA Academy (in progress)

# TEACHING ENGLISH AS A FOREIGN LANGUAGE (TEFL)

Level 5
The TEFL Academy

# **EDUCATION**

#### MASTER OF EDUCATION (M.Ed.)

International Education Framingham State University Framingham, MA 2010

## **BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (B.S.)**

Finance Florida State University Framingham, MA 2010

# PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

MYP Level 1
Adaptive School
Autonomy Based Learning
KAGAN Cooperative Learning
Structures

# **PROFILE**

Experienced educator with dedication to promoting social-emotional learning (SEL) as a cornerstone of holistic education. Demonstrated commitment to fostering emotional intelligence, empathy, and resilience in students through tailored curriculum design and instructional practices. Committed to assisting students in cultivating their essential skills to promote both academic and lifelong success. A strong presence in the classroom with a proven track record of engaging learners in their own learning process to achieve mastery in a variety of subject matters. Proficient in the delivery of instruction both in person and online using various EdTech tools.

# **WORK EXPERIENCE**

### MIDDLE SCHOOL MATH, GEOGRAPHY

Seoul International School, Seoul, South Korea | August 2023 - present

- Facilitate collaboration between the Counseling Department and grade-level team to provide professional development sessions to team of 7 teachers, aimed to enhance their ability to deliver and integrate lessons focusing on life skills and social emotional learning.
- Consistently assess student data and develop personalized educational interventions tailored to each student's needs, with the aim of fostering proficiency and mastery of specific learning goals.
- Develop engaging and authentic learning opportunities to meet the diverse array of student personalities and varying developmental stages, ensuring inclusivity and relevance for all learners.
- Monitor, assess, and provide ongoing feedback to 80+ students, tracking learning progress in Google Classroom (LMS) and formally reporting in PowerSchool.

### MIDDLE SCHOOL MATH, ADVISORY LEAD, MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT LEAD

Carol Morgan School, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic | August 2020 - July 2023

- Reviewed and reimaged social emotional lessons with the Counseling Department to enhance the curriculum to better align with the distinctive characteristics and requirements of our middle school student body.
- Spearheaded the development and implementation of hands-on, inquiry-based, authentic assessments to enhance student learning outcomes and foster critical thinking skills.
- Designed and implemented online learning modules tailored to meet the diverse needs of remote learners ensuring continued academic progress amidst the challenges of distance education.
- Served as the dedicated sponsor for the AMC 8 Math Challenge, facilitating student
  participation and engagement in the competition, fostering a passion for mathematics,
  and nurturing a culture of academic excellence within the school community.

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# **SKILLS**

#### **PROFESSIONAL**

Curriculum Design

Leadership

**Project Management** 

**Productivity Software** 

**Presentation Competency** 

Relationship Building

**Active Listening** 

**Problem Solving** 

Attention to Detail

Time Management

#### **TECHNICAL**

Common Sense Media

Google Certified Educator

Pear Deck

**Ouizziz Certified** 

Microsoft Office

Google Workspace

LMS: Google Classroom

# LANGUAGES

#### **ENGLISH**

Native Speaker

#### **SPANISH**

Pre Intermediate (A2)

# WORK EXPERIENCE CONTINUED

# MIDDLE SCHOOL MATH/SCIENCE, ADVISORY LEAD, MATH DEPARTMENT LEAD

Korea International School, Jeju, South Korea | August 2017 - July 2020

- Piloted a cross-curricular STEM initiative, co-teaching a math-science class to foster student engagement and facilitate the transfer of essential skills from the classroom to world applications.
- Collaborated with Counseling Department to design and implement a comprehensive middle school Advisory program focused on social-emotional learning and applied skills to align with the distinctive characteristics and requirements of our middle school student body.
- Guided educators in aligning middle school math curriculum with Common Core, including curriculum mapping and pacing guide creation, resulting in improved student mastery of math concepts and alignment with state standards.
- Incorporated technology tools to enhance instructional delivery and promote interactive learning, resulting in increased student participation and understanding of course material.

# MIDDLE SCHOOL SCIENCE, GRADE LEVEL LEAD, ADVISORY COORDINATOR

Riffa Views International School, Manama, Bahrain | August 2014 - July 2016

- Developed and implemented a comprehensive SEL program, equipping students with essential skills in self-awareness, self-management, social awareness, relationship building, and responsible decision-making, resulting in improved emotional intelligence and positive social interactions among students.
- Utilized Google Classroom LMS for seamless instruction, ongoing progress monitoring, targeted assessment, and timely interventions, resulting in enhanced student engagement, academic performance, and personalized support.
- Created tailored instructional materials accommodating diverse learning styles and needs, including those of English language learners and students with disabilities, promoting equitable access to education and facilitating deeper understanding and mastery of content.
- Created a positive behavior reinforcement program, which was successfully adopted across grades K-8, resulting in notable improvements in student behavior, classroom atmosphere, and overall school culture.

#### **MYP MATH**

American International School Kuwait, Salmiya Kuwait | August 2012 - July 2014

### MIDDLE SCHOOL SCIENCE/TECHNOLOGY/MATH/ADVISORY LEAD

American School of Guatemala, Guatemala City, Guatemala August 2008-July 2012

### MIDDLE SCHOOL SCIENCE/DEPARTMENT CHAIR/REGIONAL SCIENCE COORDINATOR

South Sumter Middle School, Webster, USA | August 2003 - July 2008