



## Resume

### Anne Strickland Richardson

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#### **EDUCATIONAL RECORD:**

<u>Degree</u>	<u>Major</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Degree Conferred</u>
Ed.D	Educational Leadership	Nova Southeastern University	April, 2008
National Board Certification	Adolescent Generalist	National Board Professional Teaching Standards	November, 2003
M. Ed.	Educational Administration	University of South Carolina Columbia, S.C.	May, 2001
I.M.A.	Theatre	University of South Carolina Columbia, S.C.	May, 1997
B.A.	Dance	Point Park College Pittsburgh, Pa.	May, 1978
Internship	Arts Assessment	Curriculum Leadership Institute In the Arts Lander University Greenwood, S.C.	June, 1998
Certification	Fine Arts	Columbia College Columbia, S.C.	June, 1992
Internship	Gifted and Talented	Governor's School for the Arts Intern Program Furman University Greenville, S.C.	July, 1992
Certification	Fine Arts	University of South Carolina Columbia, S.C.	June, 1992

Certification: Hold South Carolina Certification in Fine Arts, Theatre, and Educational Administration.

**ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE:**

Lead Dance Teacher  
2005-Present

Responsible to Dr. Susan Fedor,  
Director of Academic Programs:

Develop dance curriculum  
Mentoring dance teachers  
Dance teacher In-Services

Plan and supervise  
District Dance Festival

Tri-District Arts Consortium (Tri-DAC)  
Dance Program Director  
2004-Present

Responsible to Craig Duensing,  
Tri-DAC Director:

Dance curriculum development  
supervision and hiring of dance  
teachers and guest artists,

Maintain budget for dance program

Richland School District 2  
2005-Present  
Palmetto Center for the Arts  
Dance Program Director  
Richland School District 2  
Richland Northeast High School  
Columbia, South Carolina  
2001-Present

Responsible to Donna Wilson,  
Palmetto Center for the Arts Director  
Ralph Schmidt, High School  
Principal:

Co-write dance curriculum for  
Middle and High School Dance  
Programs

Organize Parent Dance Board to  
Provide support for dance program

Organize, write grants, raise funds,  
maintain budget for, and  
produce four performances per year

**ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE (Continued):**

	Organize scheduling and hiring of master teachers for Palmetto Center for the Arts Summer Dance Program
	Organize and produce Palmetto Center for the Arts Touring Company
Coordinator for summer and year-round Dance Program at Olar-Denmark Middle School Denmark, South Carolina 1999-2001	Responsible to Olar-Denmark Middle School Principal:  Write dance curriculum for dance program  Conduct auditions for the program  Select and supervise dance teachers
Lead Dance Teacher, Richland District One Columbia, South Carolina August, 1996-2001	Responsible to Richland District One Fine Arts Coordinator:  Supervision of all dance teachers In Richland District One, Middle and High School  Conduct In-Service and coordinate workshops for all dance teachers in Richland District One  Provide support and serve as a resource for all dance teachers

**ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE (Continued):**

Dansework-Jazz, Artistic Director  
Columbia, South Carolina  
May, 1987- January, 1994

Serve as Head of Artistic Staff for  
Dansework-Jazz

Serve as the primary creative voice  
with regard to artistic direction of  
Dansework-Jazz

Maintain a budget to be presented to  
the Board of Directors for approval

Attend Board of Directors meetings

Serve as primary spokesperson to  
media for Dansework-Jazz

Oversee all fundraising activities,  
ticket sales, manage playbill  
advertisement, and write grants

**CONSULTING EXPERIENCE:**

I have presented on the following topics: Creating Interdisciplinary lessons with dance and other subjects, ballet and jazz technique, the process of dance auditions, the importance of dance education for all children, and the development of an advocacy proposal for dance in South Carolina.

Specific organizations are available in my Portfolio.

**COMMITTEE EXPERIENCE:**

I have served in the following capacities: as the faculty representative for Communications and Public Relations, School Improvement Council, and Black History Committee at Dreher High School and chaired the committee to write the District One High School Dance Curriculum.

I currently serve as the faculty representative and Vice Chair for the Richland Northeast High School School Improvement Council, the Miss Richland Northeast Pageant Committee, and Communications and Public Relations Committee. I am the Faculty Follies Director which is the primary fundraiser for the Richland Northeast High School Educational Foundation.

On a district level, I serve as a dance educator on the Richland 2 Fine Arts Strategic Planning Committee Richland School District and have co-written both the Middle and High School Dance Curriculums. I am the Lead Dance Teacher for Richland School District 2. Currently, I serve on the Dance Advocacy Committee for the Midlands, which is under the South Carolina Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance Organization. I am on the South Carolina Dance Association Board where I also serve as the Coordinator for the Midlands.

Specific committees are available in my Portfolio.

**GRANTS:**

I have written, obtained, and managed grants from the Cultural Council of Richland and Lexington Counties and the South Carolina Arts Commission over the past fifteen years totaling over \$16,000.00 with funding ranges \$500.00 to \$3000.00.

Specific types of grants are available in my Portfolio.

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

<u>Year</u>	<u>Teacher</u>	<u>Richland Distict Two</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Subject</u>
2001- Present			Richland Northeast High School	Dance Palmetto Center For the Arts
1986- 2001			Dreher High	Dance, Drama, Fine Arts, Assistant Band Director
1980- 1982			Hand Middle	Dance
1982- 1987			Crayton Middle	Dance
1992- 1993			Alcorn Middle	Dance

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE (Continued):**

Private Institutions

<u>Year</u>	<u>Teacher</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Subject</u>
1973- 1974		Calvert-Brodie School of Dance	Ballet and Jazz
1979- 1991		Calvert-Brodie School of Dance	Ballet and Jazz
1991- 1993		Columbia Ballet School	Ballet and Jazz

Adjunct Professor

<u>Year</u>	<u>Teacher</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Subject</u>
1993- 1994		University of South Carolina	Ballet and Jazz

Adjunct Professor

<u>Year</u>	<u>Teacher</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Subject</u>
1998- 1999		Columbia College	Jazz

**PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:**

South Carolina Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance  
South Carolina Education Association  
South Carolina Alliance for Arts Education  
South Carolina Dance Education Organization

**COMMUNITY SERVICE:**

*Dancin' for Kaytlin* fundraiser performance for liver transplant recipient, February, 2003 and December, 2003, December 2004 and 2005.

*Amazing Feats* fundraiser for National Juvenile Diabetes Foundation, October 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008.

Vacation Bible School at Windsor United Methodist Church, teacher, 2003

University of South Carolina Dance Company, Choreographer, 1993-1994

Carolina Ballet, member of Artistic Staff, Choreographer, 1996-Present

Eboni Dance Theatre, Choreographer, 1996,1997, 2000

Singer, Dancer, Actor, Workshop Theatre, *Annie*, *Fiddler on the Roof*, *A Chorus Line*

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**HONORS:**

Richland Northeast High School Teacher of the Year 2004-2005

Richland School District 2 Honor Roll Teacher of the Year 2004-2005

Sunshine Award, Richland Northeast High School, Richland School District 2, for Outstanding Community Service, 2003

Yearbook Dedication by Dreher High School Senior Class, 2000

Who's Who Among Outstanding Teachers in America, 1998

Top Seven Finalist for Richland District One District Teacher of the Year, 1997

Dreher High School, Teacher of the Year, 1996-1997

Five Point Merchants, Teacher of the Year, 1996-1997

South Carolina Artist-in-Residence Roster, S. C. Arts Commission, 1985-Present

**REFERENCES:**

Ralph Schmidt, Principal  
Richland Northeast High School  
7500 Brookfield Road  
Columbia, South Carolina 29223  
(803) 699-2800, Ext. 2829

Anne Lanier, Retired  
Fine Arts Coordinator  
Richland School District One  
18 Carriage Trace Court  
Columbia, S.C. 29212  
(803) 781-4878

Dorothy Fitzpatrick, Ed.D., Principal  
Olar-Denmark Middle School  
P.O. Box 434  
Denmark, S.C. 29042  
(803) 793-3383

**PRESENTATIONS:**

South Carolina Association for Health,  
Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance  
November, 2001-November 18-20, 2006  
Myrtle Beach, South Carolina

Present jazz technique classes  
to students attending the  
conference

Richland School District 2 Instructional Fair  
October 10, 2006

Present in Interdisciplinary Units  
with Barbara Thomson

South Carolina Arts Alliance in Education  
September 16, 2006

Present on Interdisciplinary Units  
with Barbara Thomson

South Carolina Arts Commission  
South Carolina Folklore Conference  
March 7, 2003

Present on original production  
based on South Carolina folklore  
“Mostly Coastal Ghosts”  
Original Interdisciplinary Production  
for The Palmetto Center for the Arts,  
Richland Northeast High School,  
Richland School District 2  
Fine Arts Magnet Program

South Carolina Dance Masters  
Convention  
Charleston, South Carolina  
1995-Present

Present on Ballet technique  
to dance teachers from across  
the Southeast

State Conference on Gifted and Talented  
Students at the Adams Mark Hotel  
Columbia, South Carolina  
1998

Present on a suggested process dance  
auditions to Fine Arts teachers in  
South Carolina

Richland District 1  
Parent Convocation  
Columbia, South Carolina  
1995

Present on topic “The Importance  
of Dance Education for All  
Students”

Richland District 1  
Parent Convocation  
Columbia, South Carolina  
1995

Present on topic “The Importance  
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**COMMITTEES SERVED:**

South Carolina Dance Education Organization Board Columbia, South Carolina 2003-Present	Serve on board to advance dance education centered in the arts
South Carolina Dance Advocacy Board, Midlands Representative South Carolina Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance 2002-Present	Represent the Columbia Area as a dance educator to provide advocacy for dance in South Carolina
Richland 2 Fine Arts Strategic Planning Committee Richland School District 2 2001-Present	Serve on committee to outline strategic plan for the Fine Arts in Richland School District 2
School Improvement Council Richland Northeast High School Faculty Representative 2002-Present	Represent faculty on council to improve Richland Northeast High School and participate in council activities
Miss Richland Northeast Pageant Committee 2001-Present	Serve on committee to improve pageant, participate in selection of participants, choreograph opening number for participants
Faculty Follies Committee Chair 2003-Present	Coordinate publicity, program, and playbill, choreograph numbers for faculty members, to raise money for teacher and student grants for the Richland Northeast High School Educational Foundation
Communication and Public Relations Committee Dreher High School Faculty Representative, 2000	Faculty representative to get positive local media coverage
School Improvement Council Dreher High School Columbia, South Carolina 1999-2001	Represent faculty on council to to improve Dreher High School

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**COMMITTEES SERVED continued:**

Black History Committee  
Dreher High School  
Fine Arts Teacher Representative  
1990-2001

Design Fine Arts Program  
for school assembly

Richland District #1  
Dance Curriculum Committee  
1997

Chair committee to write District  
#1 high school dance curriculum

South Carolina Center for Dance  
Education  
Columbia, South Carolina  
May, 1992 – June, 1994

Develop advocacy proposal for  
dance in South Carolina

**GRANTS:**

Cultural Council of Richland  
and Lexington Counties  
2001-Present

Additional funding for Palmetto  
Center for the Arts Dance Program

Cultural Council Richland and  
Lexington Counties  
1992-2001

Additional funding for Dreher  
Dance Program

Projects Grant  
South Carolina Arts Commission  
School Districts  
Columbia, South Carolina  
1995

Grant allowing Dreher Dance  
Company to perform and  
master classes

New Works Grant  
South Carolina Arts Commission  
Columbia, S.C.  
1991

Fund original performance with  
Nationally recognized composer,  
John Serry

Cultural Council for Richland and  
Lexington Counties  
1987-1994

Dansework-Jazz performances  
Awarded a total of 5 grants

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**TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

**Richland District #2**

**Columbia, South Carolina:**

Palmetto Center for the Arts  
Richland Northeast High School  
2001-Present

Dance Program Director,  
Dance Educator

Tri-District Arts Consortium

Dance Program Director,  
Dance Educator

**Richland District #1**

**Columbia, South Carolina:**

1980-2001

Dreher High School  
1986-2001

Dance Educator

1990-1992, 1997-2000

Color Guard Instructor,  
Assistant Band Director

1994-1995

Drama Educator

1995-1997

Fine Arts Educator