

## **Kansas Children's Research Network**

The Kansas Children's Research Network (KanCRN) was established by the Council of Chief Academic Officers on May 17, 2000. Each of the public universities selected a faculty representative who is considered an expert on children's research. KanCRN has nine members, and includes Amanda Golbeck, Director of Academic Affairs at the Kansas Board of Regents. Dr. Mabel Rice, University Distinguished Professor at the University of Kansas, is the convener and also serves as the Regents representative on the Kansas Children's Cabinet.

The objectives of KanCRN include:

- Providing direct access to research on children's issues by publishing a central directory of university experts;
- Determining the most significant issues for children and families in Kansas, and providing research on these topics to policymakers in state government;
- Identifying university research needs and advocating for research support from private and public sectors.

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## CHILD CARE & PRESCHOOL EDUCATION

<b>Expert</b>	<b>Institution</b>	<b>Contact</b>	<b>Department &amp; Address</b>	<b>Research Expertise</b>	<b>Infants, Children or Adolescents</b>
Gwen Bailey, Ph.D.	Kansas State University	email: baileyg@ksu.edu phone: 785-532-7197	Project Director, Kansas Child Care Training Opportunities 250 Foundation Bldg. Manhattan, KS 66506	Child care: professional development	infants and children
Brandi Biddle	Wichita State University	email: brandi.biddle@wichita.edu phone: 316-978-3109	Director, Child Development Center Wichita, KS 67260-0021	Child care	infants to 12-years old
Betty Bunce, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: bbunce@ku.edu phone: 785-864-4690	Director, Language Acquisition Preschool 2101 East Haworth Lawrence, KS 66045	Preschool education; English as a second language; language acquisition	children
Jeri Carroll	Wichita State University	contact Nancy McCarthy-Snyder: nancy.mccarthy-snyder@wichita.edu	Dept. of Administration, Counseling, Education and School Psychology Wichita, KS 67260-0123	Early Childhood: curriculum and instruction	preschool age
Judith Carta, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: carta@ku.edu	Senior Scientist Juniper Gardens Children's Project 650 Minnesota Kansas City, KS 66101	Enhancing child care quality; early use of Head Start; innovative assessments for infants & children with disabilities	infants and children
Christine Gould, Ph.D.	Fort Hays State University	contact Carol Patrick: cpatrick@fhsu.edu	Special Education Hays, KS 67601	Early Childhood Special Education	preschool

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Eva Horn, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: evahorn@ku.edu	Special Education 407 Joseph Pearson Hall Lawrence, KS 66045	Early Childhood Special Education: instructional strategies in all disability areas to promote development of the child; inclusion; enhancing motor development	birth to 5 years old
Lynda Killingsworth	Pittsburg State University	email: lyndak@pittstate.edu phone: 620-235-4175	Dept. of Continuing Studies Pittsburg, KS 66762	Early learning	preschool and childhood
Lynn Marotz, R.N., Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: lrm@ku.edu phone: 785-864-0586	Director, Child Development Program, in Human Development & Family Life 4001 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Quality of early education programs; teacher preparation; health, safety & nutrition	infants and children
Judith McConnell, Ed.D., <b>KanCRN Member</b>	Washburn University	email: zzmccon@washburn.edu phone: 785-231-1010 ext. 1472	Dept. of Education 1700 SW College Ave. Topeka, KS 66621	Preschool and kindergarten education in other countries; 4-year-old public school programs; curriculum in early childhood education settings	children

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Michael Rettig, Ph.D.	Washburn University	email: zzrettig@washburn.edu phone: 785-231-1010 ext. 1424	Dept. of Education 1700 SW College Ave. Topeka, KS 66621	Early Childhood Special Education: play of young children with and without disabilities	infants and children
Barbara Thompson, Ed.D.	University of Kansas	email: bthomps@ku.edu	Special Education 407 Joseph Pearson Hall Lawrence, KS 66045	Early Childhood: inclusive education for children with disabilities; teacher education and Hispanic children	birth to 5 years old
Dale Walker, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: walkerd@ku.edu phone: 913-321-3143	Research Scientist, Juniper Gardens Children's Project 650 Minnesota Kansas City, KS 66101	Inclusive preschool programs; interactions between care givers and young children; early intervention and education for at risk children; improving outcomes for children in poverty	birth to 5 years old
Michael Walker, M.S.	Fort Hays State University	contact Carol Patrick: cpatrick@fhsu.edu	Dept. of Sociology Hays, KS 67601	Childcare availability	children
Randy Winzer	Pittsburg State University	email: rwinzer@pittstate.edu phone: 620-235-4370	Dept. of Engineering Technology Pittsburg, KS 66762	Child care / day care issues in Kansas	children

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Julie Allison, Ph.D.	Pittsburg State University	email: jallison@pittstate.edu phone: 620-235-4529	Dept. of Psychology & Counseling Pittsburg, KS 66762	Social development	all ages
Linda Bakken	Wichita State University	contact Nancy McCarthy-Snyder: nancy.mccarthy-snyder@wichita.edu	Dept. of Administration, Counseling, Education and School Psychology Wichita, KS 67260-0123	Growth and development	adolescents
Steven Barlow, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: smbarlow@ku.edu	Chair, Speech-Language-Hearing Department 3001 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Development of the brain - speech, voice and locomotion; brain injury	neo-nates and infants
Mark Barnett, Ph.D.	Kansas State University	contact Mary Deluccie: deluccie@humec.ksu.edu	Dept. of Psychology Bluemont Hall Manhattan, KS 66506	Psychology: socio-emotional development	children
Tina Bennett-Kastor, Ph.D.	Wichita State University	contact Nancy McCarthy-Snyder: nancy.mccarthy-snyder@wichita.edu	Dept. of English Wichita, KS 67260-0014	Language development	preschool
Stephan Bollman	Kansas State University	contact Mary Deluccie: deluccie@humec.ksu.edu	School of Family Studies & Human Services Director, Family Center Manhattan, KS 66506	Parenting education	all ages
Nancy Brady, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: nbrady@ku.edu	Research Professor, Life Span Institute 1052 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Developmental Disabilities: children's transition from sounds and gestures to first words	infants and children

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Brad Cameron, J.D., Ed.D.	Pittsburg State University	email: <a href="mailto:bcameron@pittstate.edu">bcameron@pittstate.edu</a> phone: 620-235-4331	Dept. of Social Science Pittsburg, KS 66762	Child development	all ages
John Colombo, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: <a href="mailto:colombo@ku.edu">colombo@ku.edu</a>	Human Development & Family Life 4001 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Development of attention; predicting cognitive skills; diagnostic tools for normal development and for disorders such as autism and attention deficit disorder	infants and children
John Couper	Pittsburg State University	email: <a href="mailto:jcouper@pittstate.edu">jcouper@pittstate.edu</a> phone: 620-235-4723	Dept. of Communication Pittsburg, KS 66762	Children's television; televised violence	all ages
Delores Craig-Moreland, Ph.D.	Wichita State University	contact Nancy McCarthy-Snyder: <a href="mailto:nancy.mccarthy-snyder@wichita.edu">nancy.mccarthy-snyder@wichita.edu</a>	School of Community Affairs Wichita, KS 67260-0135	Criminal justice: juvenile delinquency prevention	all ages
Linda Crowe, Ph.D.	Kansas State University	email: <a href="mailto:crowe@humecc.ksu.edu">crowe@humecc.ksu.edu</a> phone: 785-532-1485	School of Family Studies & Human Services Speech & Hearing Clinic Justin Hall Manhattan, KS 66506	Literacy and language development	adolescence

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Mary Deluccie, Ph.D. <b>KanCRN Member</b>	Kansas State University	email: deluccie@humec.ksu.edu phone: 785-532-1475	School of Family Studies & Human Services Justin Hall Manhattan, KS 66506	Fathering	all ages
Kathryn Ellerbeck, M.D.	KU Medical Center	contact Travis Thompson: tthompson2@kumc.edu	Child Development Unit at the Institute for Child Development 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Kansas City, KS 66160	Developmental Pediatrics: autism and treatment of developmental disabilities	children
Bronwyn Fees, Ph.D.	Kansas State University	contact Mary Deluccie: deluccie@humec.ksu.edu	School of Family Studies & Human Services Justin Hall Manhattan, KS 66506	Parenting beliefs	children
Andrea Greenhoot, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: aghoot@ku.edu phone: 785-864-4840	Human Development & Family Life 4001 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Cognitive & memory development; memory for traumatic experiences and the implications for testimony about childhood experiences	children and adolescents
Stephen Hoyer, Ph.D.	Pittsburg State University	email: hoyer@pittstate.edu phone: 620-235-4526	Dept. of Psychology & Counseling Pittsburg, KS 66762	Child development	all ages
David P. Hurford, Ph.D. <b>KanCRN Member</b>	Pittsburg State University	email: dhurford@pittstate.edu phone: 620-235-4534	Dept. of Psychology & Counseling Pittsburg, KS 66762	Human development; reading difficulties; phonological processing; attention deficits	all ages



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Chet Johnson, M.D.	KU Medical Center	contact Travis Thompson: tthompson2@kumc.edu	Medical Director of the Child Development Unit, Institute for Child Development 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Kansas City, KS 66160	Normal child development and the development of children with autism, attention deficit disorder, mental retardation and genetic syndromes causing developmental disorders	infants and children
Michael Kallam, Ph.D.	Pittsburg State University	email: mkallam@pittstate.edu phone: 620-235-4554	Dept. of Special Services and Lead Studies Pittsburg, KS 66762	Behavior disorders; mental retardation; mild disabilities; pervasive developmental disorders	all ages
Rick Lindskog, Ed.D.	Pittsburg State University	email: clindsko@pittstate.edu phone: 620-235-4532	Dept. of Psychology & Counseling Pittsburg, KS 66762	Modification of inappropriate behaviors; attentional disorders	all ages
Kathleen McCluskey-Fawcett, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: kamf@ku.edu phone: 785-864-3661	Interim Dean, College of Liberal Arts & Sciences and Professor of Psychology 213 Bailey Hall Lawrence, KS 66045	Developmental Psychology: children's social development in early childhood and at school age	children
Ann Murray, Ph.D.	Kansas State University	contact Mary Deluccie: deluccie@humec.ksu.edu	School of Family Studies & Human Services Justin Hall Manhattan, KS 66506	Infancy, attachment and language	infants

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Carol Patrick, Ph.D. <b>KanCRN Member</b>	Fort Hays State University	email: cpatrick@fhsu.edu phone: 785-628-4403	Dept. of Psychology Hays, KS 67601	Parenting	children and adolescents
Jim Persinger, Ed.D.	Emporia State University	email: persingj@emporia.edu phone: 620-341-5428	Psychology & Special Education, CB 4031 1200 Commercial Emporia, KS 66801	Special Education: autism	children
Robert Poresky, Ph.D.	Kansas State University	email: bobp@ksu.edu phone: 785-532-1480	School of Family Studies & Human Services Justin Hall Manhattan, KS 66506	Environmental influences on child development	infants and children
Matthew Reese, Ph.D.	KU Medical Center	contact Travis Thompson: tthompson2@kumc.edu	Director of Training and Clinical Professor Institute for Child Development 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Kansas City, KS 66160	Developmental Disabilities: evaluating, diagnosing and treatment of developmental disabilities and severe behavioral challenges; residential programs and public school programs	children and adolescents
Mabel Rice, Ph.D., <b>KanCRN Member</b>	University of Kansas	email: mabel@ku.edu	Director, Child Language Doctoral Program 3031 Dole Bldg. 1000 Sunnyside Ave. Lawrence, KS 66045	Language acquisition; language impairments and language delay; early childhood intervention	children

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Wayne Sailor, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: w-sailor@ku.edu phone: 785-864-4954	Beach Center on Disability 3136 Haworth Lawrence, KS 66045	Behavior and social development of children with disabilities; evaluating programs for children	all ages
Stephen Schroeder, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: schroeder@ku.edu phone: 785-864-4295	University Center of Excellence in Disabilities, Life Span Institute 1082 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Psychotropic drugs for children's behavior disorders; development of aggression & self injury in children with developmental disabilities	all ages
Lauren Shapiro, Ph.D. <b>KanCRN Member</b>	Emporia State University	email: shapirol@emporia.edu phone: 316-341-5810	Psychology & Special Education CB 4031 1200 Commercial Emporia, KS 66801	Psychology: knowledge, memory & eyewitness testimony; narrative development; planning	childhood to early adulthood
Jan Sheldon, J.D., Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: jsheldon@ku.edu	Human Development & Family Life 4001 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Juvenile delinquency; children in need of care - abused, neglected, truants; in home family therapy; children with disabilities	children and adolescents
James Sherman, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: jsherman@ku.edu	Human Development & Family Life 4001 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Children with disabilities; treatment programs for children with autism	children and adolescents

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Robert Sheverbush, Ed.D.	Pittsburg State University	email: <a href="mailto:rsheverb@pittstate.edu">rsheverb@pittstate.edu</a>	Dept. of Psychology & Counseling Pittsburg, KS 66762	Truancy; truancy diversion	all ages
Richard Simpson, Ed.D.	KU Medical Center	email: <a href="mailto:rsimpson@kumc.edu">rsimpson@kumc.edu</a> phone: 913-588-5945	Special Education - KUMC 4001 Miller 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Kansas City, KS 66160	Behavior disorders, autism & asperger syndrome, mental illness; behavior management; impact on families that have children with special needs; parent involvement	children and adolescents
James J. Snyder, Ph.D.	Wichita State University	email: <a href="mailto:james.snyder@wichita.edu">james.snyder@wichita.edu</a> phone: 316-978-9058	Dept. of Psychology Wichita, KS 67260-0034	Psychology: children, families and conduct problems	ages 5 - 15
Travis Thompson, Ph.D.	KU Medical Center	email: <a href="mailto:tthompson2@kumc.edu">tthompson2@kumc.edu</a>	Director, Institute for Child Development, and Professor of Psychiatry 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Kansas City, KS 66160	Intellectual Disabilities: brain, chemical and behavioral aspects of behavior problems in autism and other disabilities; self-injury by people with autism; Prader Willi Syndrome	children and adolescents

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Ann Turnbull, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: aturnbull@ku.edu phone: 785-864-7608	Co-Director, Beach Center on Disability 3136 Haworth Lawrence, KS 66045	Supportive families that have children with disabilities; family quality of life; positive behavioral support for children with disabilities; developmental disabilities	all ages
Dale Walker, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: walkerd@ku.edu phone: 913-321-3143	Research Scientist, Juniper Gardens Children's Project 650 Minnesota Kansas City, KS 66101	Language and communication in children who are at risk for disabilities or who have disabilities; improving outcomes for children from poverty backgrounds; interactions between care givers and young children; early intervention and education	birth to 5 years old
Steven Warren, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: sfwarren@ku.edu	Director, Schiefelbusch Institute for Life Span Studies 1052 Dole Bldg. 1000 Sunnyside Ave. Lawrence, KS 66045	Mental Retardation: early communication and language in children with developmental delays and/or mental retardation; prevention of mental retardation; language acquisition	birth to 5 years old

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Jane Wegner, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	contact Mabel Rice: mabel@ku.edu	Director, Speech- Language-Hearing Clinic 2101 Haworth Lawrence, KS 66045	Mental retardation; autism	all ages
Joyce Wiemers- Wolfe, M.S.	Fort Hays State University	contact Carol Patrick: cpatrick@fhsu.edu	Docking Institute Hays, KS 67601	Juvenile delinquent behavior	adolescents

## CLINICAL SERVICES

<b>Experts</b>	<b>Institution</b>	<b>Contact</b>	<b>Department &amp; Address</b>	<b>Research Expertise</b>	<b>Infants, Children or Adolescents</b>
Yolanda Jackson, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	contact Mabel Rice: mabel@ku.edu	Clinical Child Psychology 2006 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Clinical Child Psychology: coping with stress and trauma; physical and sexual abuse; disorders and adaptive behavior; parent-child relationships	infants, children or adolescents
Michael Roberts, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: mroberts@ku.edu	Chair, Clinical Child Psychology Program, in Human Development & Family Life 2006 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Clinical Child Psychology: treatment for children with emotional disorders; children's safety	children and adolescents
Ann Bosma Smit, Ph.D.	Kansas State University	contact Mary Deluccie: deluccie@humec.ksu.edu	School of Family Studies & Human Services, Speech & Hearing Clinic Justin Hall Manhattan, KS 66506	Speech and Hearing Clinic: specialty in augmentative communication	all ages
Jane Wegner, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	contact Mabel Rice: mabel@ku.edu	Director, Speech-Language-Hearing Clinic 2101 Haworth Lawrence, KS 66045	Speech-Language-Hearing Clinic: specialty in augmentative and alternative communication	all ages

COMMUNICATION DISORDERS: speech, language, hearing & reading impairments

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Kenn Apel, Ph.D.	Wichita State University	email: kenn.apel@wichita.edu phone: 316-978-3171	Communicative Disorders Wichita, KS 67260-0075	Reading, writing & spelling impairments; emergent literacy	children and adolescents
Steven Barlow, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: smbarlow@ku.edu	Chair, Speech-Language-Hearing Dept. 3001 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Development of the brain - speech, voice and locomotion; brain injury	neo-nates and infants
Ann Bosma Smit, Ph.D.	Kansas State University	contact Mary Deluccie: deluccie@humec.ksu.edu	School of Family Studies & Human Services Speech & Hearing Clinic Justin Hall Manhattan, KS 66506	Communication disorders: augmentative communication	all ages
Hugh Catts, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	contact Mabel Rice: mabel@ku.edu	Speech-Language-Hearing 3001 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Reading and dyslexia	children
John Ferraro, Ph.D.	KU Medical Center	email: jferraro@kumc.edu phone: 913-588-5937	School of Allied Health Chair, Hearing & Speech 3031 Miller 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Kansas City, KS 66160	Audiology: improving techniques for diagnosing hearing loss in newborns	infants
Marc Fey, Ph.D.	KU Medical Center	email: mfey@kumc.edu	School of Allied Health, Hearing and Speech 3031 Miller 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Kansas City, KS 66160	Language impairments in children	infants and children



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Amy Finch, Ph.D.	Fort Hays State University	contact Carol Patrick: cpatrick@fhsu.edu	Dept. of Communication Disorders Hays, KS 67601	Communication disorders: augmentative communication	all ages
Diane Frome Loeb, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	contact Mabel Rice: mabel@ku.edu	Speech-Language-Hearing 3001 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Language acquisition; interventions with toddlers, preschool and school age children	children
David P. Hurford, Ph.D. <b>KanCRN Member</b>	Pittsburg State University	email: dhurford@pittstate.edu phone: 620-235-4534	Dept. of Psychology & Counseling Pittsburg, KS 66762	Human development; reading difficulties; phonological processing; attention deficits	all ages
Mabel Rice, Ph.D. <b>KanCRN Member</b>	University of Kansas	email: mabel@ku.edu	Director, Child Language Doctoral Program 3031 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Language acquisition; language impairments and language delay; early childhood intervention	children
Carol Westby, Ph.D., CCC-SLP	Wichita State University	contact Nancy McCarthy-Snyder: nancy.mccarthy-snyder@wichita.edu	Communicative Disorders Wichita, KS 67260-0075	Language development and disorders; autism	all ages
Judith Widen, Ph.D.	KU Medical Center	contact Mabel Rice: mabel@ku.edu	School of Allied Health, Hearing and Speech 3031 Miller 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Kansas City, KS 66160	Audiology: screening and assessment of hearing in newborns, infants and children	infants and children

## DIVERSITY AND MULTICULTURAL ISSUES

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Yolanda Jackson, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	contact Mabel Rice: <a href="mailto:mabel@ku.edu">mabel@ku.edu</a>	Human Development & Family Life 4001 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Child Clinical Psychology: multicultural & diversity issues; coping with stress and trauma; physical and sexual abuse; disorders and adaptive behavior; parent-child relationships	infants, children and adolescents
Michael Kallam, Ph.D.	Pittsburg State University	email: <a href="mailto:mkallam@pittstate.edu">mkallam@pittstate.edu</a> phone: 620-235-4554	Dept. of Special Services and Lead Studies Pittsburg, KS 66762	Native American issues; behavior disorders; mental retardation; mild disabilities; pervasive developmental disorders	all ages
Diane Frome Loeb, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	contact Mabel Rice: <a href="mailto:mabel@ku.edu">mabel@ku.edu</a>	Dept. of Speech-Language-Hearing 3001 Dole Bldg. 1000 Sunnyside Ave. Lawrence, KS 66045	Native American children; language acquisition; interventions with toddlers, preschool and school age children	children
Barbara Thompson, Ed.D.	University of Kansas	email: <a href="mailto:bthomps@ku.edu">bthomps@ku.edu</a>	Special Education 407 Joseph Pearson Hall Lawrence, KS 66045	Teacher education and Hispanic children, especially Mexican families; early childhood special education	birth to 5 years old

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Carol Westby, Ph.D., CCC- SLP	Wichita State University	contact Nancy McCarthy- Snyder: nancy.mccarthy- snyder@wichita.edu	Dept. of Communicative Disorders Wichita, KS 67260-0075	Communication in multicultural populations; language development and disorders; autism	all ages
Sandra Winn Tutwiler, Ph.D.	Washburn University	email: zztutwil@washburn.edu phone: 785-231-1010 ext. 1435	Dept. of Education 1700 SW College Ave. Topeka, KS 66621	Education: impact of family ethnic/cultural background and socioeconomic status on student attainment and achievement; preparing teachers to work with diverse students and families	children and adolescents

EDUCATION: includes counseling, physical education, reading, special education, teacher training

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Paul Bland, Ph.D.	Emporia State University	email: blandpau@emporia.edu phone: 620-341-5776	School Leadership/Middle & Secondary Teacher Education, CB 4037 1200 Commercial Emporia, KS 66801	Secondary education: school leadership	adolescents
Rebecca Brannock, Ph.D.	Pittsburg State University	email: rbrannoc@pittstate.edu phone: 620-234-4569	Dept. of Psychology & Counseling Pittsburg, KS 66762	Elementary and secondary school counseling	all ages
Connie Briggs, Ph.D.	Emporia State University	email: briggsco@emporia.edu phone: 620-341-5762	Jones Institute for Educational Excellence CB 4037 1200 Commercial Emporia, KS 66801	Education: reading development	children
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Mike Culp, Ph.D.	Washburn University	email: zzmculp@washburn.edu phone: 785-231-1010 ext. 1476	Dept. of Education 1700 SW College Ave. Topeka, KS 66621	Brain research and learning styles; social studies	elementary age children and adolescents

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Don Deshler, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	contact Mabel Rice: mabel@ku.edu	Director, Center for Research on Learning 521 Joseph Pearson Hall Lawrence, KS 66045	Special Education: learning disabilities; instructional interventions; teacher training	children and adolescents
Gloria A. Dye, Ph.D.	Washburn University	email: zzdye@washburn.edu phone: 785-231-1010 ext. 1432	Dept. of Education 1700 SW College Ave. Topeka, KS 66621	Learning disabilities; Comer School Development Program	middle school children
John T. Ideda Franklin, Ph.D.	Pittsburg State University	email: jfrankli@pittstate.edu	Dept. of English Pittsburg, KS 66762	Adolescent literature; reading, writing, spelling	adolescents
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Rita Hauck, Ph.D.	Fort Hays State University	contact Carol Patrick: cpatrick@fhsu.edu	Dept. of Technology Studies Hays, KS 67601	Educational technology	all ages
Nick A. Henry, Ed.D.	Pittsburg State University	email: nhenry@pittstate.edu	Dept. of Special Services and Lead Studies Pittsburg, KS 66762	Learning disabilities; special education - administrative and legal issues	all ages
Stephen Kitzis, Ph.D.	Fort Hays State University	email: skitzis@fhsu.edu	Dept. of Psychology Hays, KS 67601	Educational program evaluation	all ages

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Linda McCoy, Ed.D.	Pittsburg State University	email: lmccoy@pittstate.edu phone: 620-235-4502	Dept. of Curriculum & Instruction Pittsburg, KS 66762	Reading and language arts	all ages
Frank Miller, Ed.D.	Pittsburg State University	email: fmiller@pittstate.edu	Dept. of Curriculum & Instruction Pittsburg, KS 66762	Child development; developmentally appropriate practices; curricular models	all ages
Rita Moore, Ph.D.	Washburn University	email: zzmoorer@washburn.edu phone: 785-231-1010 ext. 1474	Dept. of Education 1700 SW College Ave. Topeka, KS 66621	Classroom research by teachers on processes and outcomes; readers' perceptions of their reading miscues and the reading process	children and adolescents

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Carol Patrick, Ph.D. <b>KanCRN Member</b>	Fort Hays State University	email: cpatrick@fhsu.edu phone: 785-628-4403	Dept. of Psychology Hays, KS 67601	Math education	children and adolescents
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Luisa Perez, Ph.D.	Emporia State University	email: perezlui@emporia.edu phone: 620-341-5827	Foreign Languages CB 4024 1200 Commercial Emporia, KS 66801	Foreign languages in the schools	adolescents
Jim Persinger, Ed.D.	Emporia State University	email: persingj@emporia.edu phone: 620-341-5428	Psychology & Special Education, CB 4031 1200 Commercial Emporia, KS 66801	Special Education: early intervention; autism; inclusive education	children

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Charles Romig	Wichita State University	contact Nancy McCarthy-Snyder: nancy.mccarthy-snyder@wichita.edu	Dept. of Administration, Counseling, Education and School Psychology Wichita, KS 67260-0123	Bullying/violence prevention	adolescents
Carol Russell, Ph.D.	Emporia State University	email: russellc@emporia.edu phone: 620-341-5904	Elementary Teacher Education, CB 4037 1200 Commercial Emporia, KS 66801	Elementary Education: early special education; creativity; family supports; inclusion	birth to 5 years old
Wayne Sailor, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: w-sailor@ku.edu phone: 785-864-4954	Beach Center on Disability 3136 Haworth Lawrence, KS 66045	Special Education: school improvement; inclusive education, curriculum, instruction & assessment; evaluating programs for children	all ages



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Duane Whitbeck, Ed.D.	Pittsburg State University	email: cwhitbec@pittstate.edu phone: 620-235-4459	Dept. of Family & Consumer Sciences Pittsburg, KS 66762	Early childhood and adolescent development; curriculum development; program evaluation; social development, guidance and management	all ages
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Julie Allison, Ph.D.	Pittsburg State University	email: jallison@pittstate.edu phone: 620-235-4529	Psychology & Counseling Pittsburg, KS 66762	Sexual assault	all ages
Elaine Bernstorf	Wichita State University	contact Nancy McCarthy-Snyder: nancy.mccarthy-snyder@wichita.edu	School of Music Wichita, KS 67260-0053	Music therapy	all ages
Susan Carlson, Ph.D.	KU Medical Center	email: scarlson@kumc.edu phone: 913-588-5359	School of Allied Health Dietetics/Nutrition Delp Pavilion 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Kansas City, KS 66160	Dietetics/Nutrition: intake of long-chain fatty acids by pregnant women and infants and its affect on growth and brain development in infants	infants
Judith Carta, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: carta@ku.edu	Senior Scientist Juniper Gardens Children's Project 650 Minnesota Kansas City, KS 66101	Effects of pre-natal substance exposure; teen parenting	all ages
Kenneth Gaeddert, Ph.D.	Emporia State University	email: gaeddeke@emporia.edu phone: 620-341-5910	Biological Sciences CB 4050 1200 Commercial Emporia, KS 66801	Infectious diseases	all ages

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Yolanda Jackson, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	contact Mabel Rice: mabel@ku.edu	Clinical Child Psychology 2006 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Clinical Psychology: Coping with stress and trauma; physical and sexual abuse; disorders and adaptive behavior	infants, children and adolescents
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Lynn Marotz, R.N., Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: lrm@ku.edu phone: 785-864-0586	Director, Child Development Program Dept. of Human Development & Family Life 4001 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Health, safety and nutrition - early childhood	infants and children

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Kathleen McCluskey-Fawcett, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: kamf@ku.edu phone: 785-864-3661	Interim Dean, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences and Professor of Psychology 213 Bailey Hall Lawrence, KS 66045	Adolescent pregnancy and parenting	adolescents
Charlene Muehlenhard, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	phone: 785-864-9860	Psychology 426 Fraser Lawrence, KS 66045	Psychology & Women's Studies: date rape & sexual coercion; links between child sexual abuse and subsequent adolescent or adult victimization; communication about sex	college-age adolescents (18-19)
Michael Rettig, Ph.D.	Washburn University	email: zzrettig@washburn.edu phone: 785-231-1010 ext. 1424	Dept. of Education 1700 SW College Ave. Topeka, KS 66621	Early Childhood Special Education: health and development of children adopted from China	infants and children
Michael Roberts, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: mroberts@ku.edu	Chair, Clinical Child Psychology Program, Human Development & Family Life 2006 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Clinical Psychology: children's safety; treatment for children with emotional disorders; evaluating interventions for at risk children	children and adolescents

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Ric Steele, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	contact Mabel Rice: mabel@ku.edu	Clinical Child Psychology 2006 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Clinical Child Psychology: compliance with doctors' orders among children with chronic illnesses, i.e. HIV or cancer; coping with stressful environments	children and adolescents
Debra Sullivan, Ph.D., R.D., L.D.	KU Medical Center	email: dsulliva@kumc.edu	School of Allied Health Dietetics/Nutrition Delp Pavilion 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Kansas City, KS 66160	Dietetics/Nutrition: eating behaviors; obesity in children; intake of calcium in ethnic populations	school age children

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Eric Vernberg, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	contact Mabel Rice: mabel@ku.edu	Human Development & Family Life 4001 Dole Bldg. Lawrence, KS 66045	Clinical Child Psychology: traumatic experiences and behavioral responses; bullying in schools; violence prevention; children's reactions to violence in movies; school-based mental health services	children
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Holly Ardinger, M.D.	KU Medical Center	email: hardinge@kumc.edu phone: 913-588-6379	Pediatrics, Genetics 2010 Miller 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Kansas City, KS 66160	Pediatrics: genetics	children and adolescents
Sharon Cain, M.D.	KU Medical Center	email: scain@kumc.edu phone: 913-588-6489	Psychiatry, Child/Adolescent Division 1012 Sudler 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Kansas City, KS 66160	Pediatrics: psychiatry	children and adolescents
James Casey, M.D.	KU Medical Center	email: jcasey@kumc.edu phone: 913-588-6326	Pediatrics, Endocrinology G011 Miller 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Kansas City, KS 66160	Pediatrics: endocrinology	children and adolescents
Cheng Cho, M.D.	KU Medical Center	email: ccho@kumc.edu phone: 913-588-6336	Pediatrics, Infectious Disease 3043 Wescoe 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Kansas City, KS 66160	Pediatrics: infectious disease	children and adolescents
Janice Davidson, Ph.D.	Fort Hays State University	contact Carol Patrick: cpatrick@fhsu.edu	Dept. of Nursing Hays, KS 67601	Nursing: behavioral health	all ages
Kathy Davis, M.S.	KU Medical Center	email: kdavis2@kumc.edu phone: 913-588-6305	Dept. of Nursing 3032 Delp 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Kansas City, KS 66160	Pediatric Education: child and family life coordinator	all ages

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Jessica Hellings, M.D.	KU Medical Center	phone: 913-588-3012	Psychiatry, Child/Adolescent Division 1037 Sudler Hall 3901 Rainbow Blvd. Kansas City, KS 66160	Psychiatry: developmental disabilities	children and adolescents
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## POLICY

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Nancy McCarthy-Snyder, Ph.D. <b>KanCRN Member</b>	Wichita State University	email: nancy.mccarthy-snyder@wichita.edu phone: 316-978-6536	Hugo Wall School of Urban and Public Affairs Wichita, KS 67260-0155	Child welfare policy	all ages
Tom Skrtic, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	contact Mabel Rice: mabel@ku.edu	Chair, Special Education 530 Joseph Pearson Hall Lawrence, KS 66045	School organizations; professionalism; discrimination and labeling of disability	school-age children
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SOCIAL ISSUES: child abuse & neglect, foster care & adoption, poverty, and services for children considered at risk

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Wayne Busby, Ph.D.	Pittsburg State University	email: wbusby@pittstate.edu phone: 620-235-4322	Dept. of Social Science Pittsburg, KS 66762	Children in poverty; foster care; adoption	all ages
Judith Carta, Ph.D.	University of Kansas	email: carta@ku.edu	Senior Scientist Juniper Gardens Children's Project 650 Minnesota Kansas City, KS 66101	Interventions for poor children with disabilities, esp. developmental delays; child neglect; effects of pre-natal substance exposure; early use of Head Start; innovative assessments for children	infants and children
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Dorothy Stucky Halley, M.S.W.	Pittsburg State University	email: dhalley@pittstate.edu phone: 620-235-4339	Dept. of Social Science Pittsburg, KS 66762	Children and domestic violence	all ages
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