

April C. Mason
Provost and Senior Vice President
Kansas State University
Manhattan, Kansas

Academic Appointments:

Provost and Senior Vice President Professor, Department of Human Nutrition Kansas State University	Jan. 2010- present
Dean, College of Applied Human Sciences Professor, Department of Food Science and Human Nutrition Colorado State University	Aug. 2004-Dec. 2009
Associate Dean for Discovery and Engagement School of Consumer and Family Sciences Purdue University	Aug. 2002- 2004
Associate Dean for Extension School of Consumer and Family Sciences Purdue University	Feb. 1996 – Aug. 2002
Professor of Foods and Nutrition Purdue University	July 1994 – July 2004
Sabbatical Laboratory of Biochemistry National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute National Institutes of Health Bethesda, MD	Jan. 1993 - June 1993
Associate Professor of Foods and Nutrition Purdue University	July 1989 - June 1994
Assistant Professor of Foods and Nutrition Purdue University	Sept. 1984 - June 1989

Education

Mount Union College, Alliance, Ohio	1977	Bachelor of Science in Biology
Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana	1980	Master of Science in Plant Physiology
Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana	1984	Ph.D. in Foods and Nutrition

Administrative Experience and Selected Accomplishments

Kansas State University Land grant; 25,000 enrollment; Carnegie High Research activity, General Use budget of \$377 M, and Restricted Use budget of \$382 M

Serve as second ranking administrator, responsible for undergraduate and graduate academic programs on three campuses, Information Technology, academic reporting to Kansas Board of Regents, Kansas State Athletic Board member, direct reports of ten academic deans, libraries, continuing education, diversity, international programs, undergraduate studies, sustainability and engagement.

As Provost and Senior Vice President:

- Coordinate the Kansas State University strategic plan, K-State 2025, development with launch in September 2011. Coordinated college and other university unit planning in academic years 11/12 and 12/13.
- Coordinated review of recruitment and hiring processes toward restructuring consistent with University strategic plan and hiring of the first Vice President of Human Capital for the University.
- Led Higher Learning Commission University reaccreditation in 2012.
- Restructured roles and responsibilities of the Provost's office to closely align with new strategic plan.
- Developed and hired new position of Vice Provost for Undergraduate Studies position to assist with retention strategies, general education requirements and the Honors program.
- Hired eight deans: Arts and Sciences, Business Administration, Education, Agriculture, Aviation and Technology, Human Ecology, Engineering and the Olathe campus.
- Conducting search for Dean of Veterinary Medicine 2014-15.
- Worked to initiate and conduct comprehensive development campaign with President and Foundation.
- Chair the University Budget Advisory committee 2013-present.
- Serve on the Kansas State Athletics Board 2010-present
- Chaired search for new Vice President for Research Spring 2014.
- Instituted new student academic convocation initiated Fall 2013.
- Instituted all University faculty awards celebration event Spring 2013.
- Instituted a recognition event for newly tenured and promoted faculty Spring 2011.
- Instituted a newly hired faculty reception Fall 2011.

Colorado State University Land grant; 29,000 enrollment; Carnegie Very High Research activity
Served as Dean of College of Applied Human Sciences with eight units: Construction Management, Design and Merchandising, Food Science and Human Nutrition, Health and Exercise Science, Human Development and Family Studies, Occupational Therapy, School of Education and School of Social Work. The College during my service had approximately 100 faculty, 4000 undergraduates and 850 graduate students and \$26 M budget.

As Dean:

- Developed two new Ph.D. programs in Health and Exercise Science, 2007 and Human Development Family Studies in 2009
- Planned and initiated comprehensive campaign with College goal of \$45 M in 7 years
- Planned and coordinated alumni and external constituency relations
- Represented College to higher administration
- Led undergraduate students Dean's Leadership Council
- Managed all personnel and human resources for college
- Developed College Leadership Team development: hired two department heads and two associate deans
- Coordinated all faculty hiring and tenure and promotion
- Strengthened research support services and set new research expenditure records

- Coordinated college awards and recognition
- Planned college physical plant maintenance and oversaw one new building construction and one building complete renovation

Purdue University

As Associate Dean of Engagement of the School of Consumer and Family Science and Assistant Director of the Cooperative Extension Service Purdue University 1996-2004:

- Provided leadership and coordination of Consumer and Family Sciences Extension, outreach and continuing education programming for the School of Consumer and Family Sciences and for the Purdue University Cooperative Extension Service.
- Provided fiscal responsibility and oversight for \$2.0 million annual CFS Extension budget.
- Provided oversight to both Extension campus faculty and county field staff members on programming.
- Developed and maintained state contacts in the area of family and consumer outreach programming.

As Associate Dean of Discovery of the School of Consumer and Family Science Purdue University 2002-2004:

- Oversaw the graduate instruction, recognition, and fellowship allocation for the school.
- Coordinated new faculty orientation and continued faculty support and development.
- Coordinated the research proposal identification, submission and award of grants within the school.

As Associate Dean/Assistant Director:

- Initiated the first Consumer and Family Science Extension International Rural Development Study Tour. Ireland, May, 2002.
- Led effort to increase the level of understanding of county Extension staff related to accountability and evaluation.
- Helped implement the first Inspiring Families/Building Communities award from the School of Consumer and Family Sciences.
- Addressed the needs of Indiana families affected by the 1996 Welfare Reform legislation through the coordination of specialized programming in the areas of money management, parenting, nutrition and food safety education and childcare.
- Increased visibility and contacts at the state and national level of Consumer and Family Science programming at Purdue University by increased personal contacts with key state and national government and organization leaders.
- Provided vision to develop 1999-2004 Purdue University Cooperative Extension State Plan of Work to address needs of rural and urban Indiana constituents.
- Increased diversity awareness and understanding in the Purdue University Cooperative Extension Service through the efforts of the Diversity Task Force. Served as chair of the Task Force
- With a coalition, instituted Family Impact Seminars for Indiana state legislators.
- Improved communication between Extension campus and field staff through increased written and face-to-face communication.
- Instituted formal merit evaluation of campus Extension Consumer and Family Sciences faculty and staff.
- Worked closely with Dean and Department Heads on the promotion and tenure process for Extension faculty.
- Conducted strategic planning that led to a reorganization of the Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program in response to reduced federal funding.
- Coordinated an in-depth analysis of the Extension staff development process and gave the Director recommendations for change.

- Conducted an evaluation of the structure and function of the Family Nutrition Program in response to a senior staff member's resignation.
- Chaired a revenue generation study committee for CES Director.
- Coordinated evaluation of grant proposal submission procedures with school business officer.

Special Leadership and Administrative Training Programs:

- ACE Advancing to the Presidency: Workshop on Successful Presidential Search and Transition, 2011
- ACE New Chief Academic Officer Workshops 2010-11
- Management and Leadership in Education Institute, June 2009 Harvard University Leadership program
- Leading by Design: Emerging Administrators Workshop, July 2001 Family and Consumer Sciences Administrative Leadership Council
- Academic Leadership Program - 1999-2000 Committee on Institutional Cooperation
- Indiana Agricultural Leadership Program - 1990-1991 Indiana Institute for Agriculture, Food and Nutrition
- Summer Institute for Women in Higher Education Administration – 1989 Bryn Mawr College, Higher Education Resource Services

Research Interests:

Research focus in two main areas: availability of key nutrients from plant based food products, and food security. Plant based food products provide critical calories and essential nutrients to a large proportion of the world's population. Determination of nutrient availability and what factors can inhibit or promote that availability is important in helping to provide adequate nutrition to millions of people worldwide. Availability of safe and secure food to limited income families is critical to child growth and development and the attainment of adult potential.

Published Work:

Eicher-Miller, Heather, April Mason, Connie Weaver, George McCabe, Carol Boushey: Food Insecurity is Associated with Diet and Bone Mass Disparities in Early Adolescent Males but not Females in the United States. *Journal of Nutrition* (July 27, 2011) doi:10.3945/jn.111.142059.

Eicher-Miller, Heather, April Mason, Connie Weaver, George McCabe, Carol Boushey: Food Insecurity is Associated with Iron Deficiency Anemia in U.S. Adolescents. *American Journal of Clinical Nutrition* (September 23, 2009). doi:10.3945/ajcn.2009.

Eicher-Miller, Heather, April C Mason, Angela R Abbott, George P McCabe, Carol J Boushey: The Effect of Food Stamp Nutrition Education on the Food Insecurity of Low-Income Women. *Journal of Nutrition Education and Behavior* 41:3; 161-168, 2009.

Bruhn, Christine, April Mason: Community Leader Response to Educational Information about Biotechnology. *Journal of Food Science* 67:1; 399-403, 2002.

Kannan, Srimathi, S.Suzanne Nielsen and April Mason: Protein Digestibility-Corrected Amino Acid Scores for Bean and Bean-Rice Protein Based Infant Weaning Food Products. *Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry* 49, 5070-5074, 2001.

Kannan, Srimathi, Rodriquez-Burger, Ana Patricia, S. Suzanne Nielsen and April Mason: Iron and Zinc Bioavailability in Rats Fed Intrinsically labeled Bean and Bean-Rice Based Infant Weaning Food Products. *Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry* 49, 5063-5069, 2001.

Medeiros, L., V.N. Hillers, P. Kendall, A. C. Mason: Food Safety Education: What Should We be Teaching to Consumers? *Journal of Nutrition Education* 33:108-113, 2001.

Medeiros, L., V.N. Hillers, P. Kendall, A. C. Mason: Evaluation of Food Safety Education for Consumer. *Journal of Nutrition Education*, 33:S27-S34, 2001.

Miller, I. E., W.D. Burgess, A.C. Mason: Fast and Flexible Low Cost Recipes for a Family or Fifty: A Cookbook for Emergency Feeding Programs and Limited-Resource Audiences. *Journal of Nutrition Education* 31:60B, 1999.

Rodriquez-Burger, Ana Patricia, April Mason, and S.Suzanne Nielsen: Use of Fermented Black Beans Combined with Rice to Develop a Weaning Food of High Nutritional Quality. *Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry*, 46, 4806-4813, 1998.

Blackburn, G.L., J.A. Milner, B.C. Hansen, S.B. Heynsfield, A.C. Mason, G.E. Gaull: Nutrition Societies Presidents' Forum: Future Challenges and Opportunities for Nutrition Societies in the 21st Century. *American Journal of Clinical Nutrition*, 64: 813-822, 1996.

Pohlman, A.J., O.B. Wood, A.C. Mason: Influence of Audiovisuals and Food Samples on Consumer Acceptance of Food Irradiation. *Food Technology*, 48(12): 46-49, 1994.

Saha, P., C.M. Weaver, A.C. Mason: The Effect of Wheat Phytate Content on Iron, Zinc, Calcium and Selenium Bioavailability in Rats. *Journal of Agricultural Food Chemistry*, 42, 2531-2535, 1994.

Arseneau, D.L., A.C. Mason, O.B. Wood, E. Schwab, D. Green: A Comparison between Learning Activity Packages and Classroom Instruction for Diet Management of Pateints with Non-insulin Dependent Diabetes Mellitus. *Diabetes Educator*, 20(6): 509-514, 1994.

Marks, H.S., A.C. Mason: The Bioavailability of Selenium from Soy Flour. *Journal of Nutritional Biochemistry*, 4, 523-527, 1993.

Mason, A.C., C.M. Weaver, S. Kimmel, R.K. Brown: The Effect of Soybean Phytate Content on Calcium Bioavailability in Mature and Immature rats. *Journal of Agricultural Food Chemistry*, 41: 246-249, 1993.

Almanza, B.A., A.C. Mason, R. Widdows, F.J. Girard: Consumer Responses to Nutrition Guidelines Labeling in a University Restaurant. *Journal of the American Dietetic Association*, 93(5): 580-581, 1993.

Sathe, S.K., A.C. Mason, C.M. Weaver: Some Properties of a Selenium Incorporating Sulfur Rich Protein in Soybeans (Glycine Mas L). *Journal of Agricultural Food Chemistry*, 40(11): 2077-2083, 1992.

Sathe, S.K., A.C. Mason, R. Rodibaugh, C.M. Weaver: Chemical Form of Selenium in Soybean (Glycine Mas L): Lectin. *Journal of Agricultural Food Chemistry*, 40(11): 2084-2091, 1992.

Sathe, S.K., A.C. Mason, C.M. Weaver: Thermal Aggregation of Soybean (Glycine max L.) Sulfur Rich Protein. *Journal of Food Science*, 54(2): 319-323, 1989.

Mason, A.C., P.J. Browe, C.M. Weaver: The Metabolism of Selenium from Soybean and Egg Products in Rats. *Journal of Agricultural Food Chemistry*, 36: 256-259, 1988.

Sathe, S.K., G.G. Lilly, A.C. Mason, C.M. Weaver: High Resolution Sodium Dodecyl Sulfate Polyacrylamide Gel Electrophoresis of Soybean (Glycine Max L.) Seed Proteins. *Cereal Chemistry*, 64(6): 380-384, 1987.

Mason, April C., Connie M. Weaver: The Metabolism of Selenium from Intrinsically and Extrinsically Labeled Isolated Soy Protein. *Journal of Nutrition*, 116: 1883-1888, 1986.

Weaver, C.M., Schmitt, H.A., Stuart, M.A., Mason, A.C., Meyer, N.C., Elliott, J.G.: Radiolabeled Iron in Soybeans: Intrinsic Labeling and Bioavailability of Iron to Rats from Defatted Flour. *Journal of Nutrition*, 114: 1035-1041, 1984.

Ziemer, M.A., A.C. Mason and D.M. Carlson: In Vitro Cell Free Translation of Proline-rich Protein mRNAs. *Journal of Biological Chemistry*, 257: 18, 11176-11180, 1982.

Book Chapters and Proceedings:

Sternberg, R.J, Elizabeth Davis, April Mason, Robert V. Smith, Jeffrey S. Vitter, Michele Wheatly (Eds.). Academic leadership in higher education: From the top-down and the bottom-up. Lanham, MD: Rowman-Littlefield. In press, 2015.

Weaver, C.M., A.C. Mason, B. Hamaker: Food Uses. In Designing Crops with Added Value, eds. C.F. Murphy and D.M. Peterson. American Society of Agronomy, 2000.

Mason A.C.: Sharing Knowledge with People: Consumer and Family Science Extension. In For the Greater Good: Contributions of the School of Consumer and Family Sciences at Purdue University to Family Well-Being. Pages 75-88. Editors: Susan Kontos and Shelley MacDermid, Purdue University Press, West Lafayette, IN, 1998.

Mason, A.C.: Selenium. In Trace Minerals in Foods. Edited by Ken Smith. Marcel Dekker, Inc., New York, 1988.

Mason, A.C., C.M. Weaver: Selenium Absorption from Extrinsically and Intrinsically Labeled Soy Products. In: Selenium in Biology and Medicine, Eds. G. Combs, J. Spallholz, O. Levander, J. Oldfield. AVI, New York, New York, 1987.

Rodibaugh, R., C. M. Weaver, A. C. Mason: Incorporation of a ⁷⁵Se Label into Agaricus bisporus. *Proceedings of the Indiana Academy of Science*, 95: 111-113, 1986.

Larkins, B.A., A.C. Mason, W.J. Hurkman: Molecular Mechanisms Regulating the Synthesis of Storage Proteins in Maize Endosperm. In: Protein Turnover, Biosynthesis and Degradation. Critical reviews in Food Science and Nutrition. CRC, February, 199-215, 1982.

Larkins, B.A., K. Pedersen, W.J. Hurkman, A.K. Handa, A.C. Mason, C.Y. Tsai, M.A. Hermodson: Maize Storage Proteins: Characterization and Biosynthesis. In: Genome Organization and Expression in Plants. C.J. Leaver, ed. Plenum Press, N.Y., 203-217, 1980.

Other Referred Publications:

Sternberg, Robert J., April C. Mason: Apply nutritional science's discoveries to academic administration Dean and Provost. Doi:10.1002/dap, 2011.

Grants and Contracts:

Pathways to STEM: Kansas Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation, National Science Foundation, 9/15/13-8/31/18, \$500,000, PI.

Indiana Family Nutrition Program, Indiana Family and Social Services Administration, Division of Family and Children, \$1,300,000, 10/1/03-9/30/04, Co-PI.

Indiana Family Nutrition Program, Indiana Family and Social Services Administration, Division of Family and Children, \$928,000, 10/1/02-9/30/03, Co-PI.

Improving Bone Health in Adolescence Through Targeted Behavioral Intervention, USDA/IFAFS program, \$4,982,895, 9/30/00-9/29/04, Co-PI.

Safe Handling of Home Delivered Meals to Older Americans, USDA, \$349,247, 10/1/01-9/30/04, Co-PI.

Indiana Family Nutrition Program, Indiana Family and Social Services Administration, Division of Family and Children, \$728,000, 10/1/01-9/30/02, Co-PI.

Consumer Food Safety and Food Irradiation Education, Integrated Research Education and Extension Competitive Grant Program—national Food Safety Initiative, UDSA, \$599,971 (Mason subcontract: \$69,135), 10/1/00-9/30/02

Indiana Family Nutrition Program, Indiana Family and Social Services Administration, Division of Family and Children, \$925,000, 10/1/00-9/30/01, Co-PI.

Improvement of Digestibility and Nutritional Quality of Common Bean P.vulgaris, Bean/Cowpea Collaborative Research Support Program (CRSP), Michigan State University, \$17,083, 10/1/99-12/31/00, Co-PI.

Indiana Family Nutrition Program, Indiana Family and Social Services Administration, Division of Family and Children, \$850,000, 10/1/99-9/30/00, Co-PI.

Improvement of Digestibility and Nutritional Quality of Common Bean P.vulgaris, Bean/Cowpea Collaborative Research Support Program (CRSP), Michigan State University, \$6,958 (Mason Subcontract), 10/1/98-12/31/99

Indiana Family Nutrition Program, Indiana Family and Social Services Administration, Division of Family and Children, \$737,557, 10/1/98-9/30/99, Co-PI.

Indiana Family Nutrition Program, Indiana Family and Social Services Administration, Division of Family and Children, \$726,036, 10/1/97-9/30/98, Co-PI.

Safe Food for Indiana's Hungry '97, Family Social Services Administration, Housing and Community Services Section, Division of Family and Children, \$47,344, 1/1/97-12/30/97, PI

Safe Food for the Hungry '97: A Focus on Diversity, CSREES USDA Food Safety and Quality Competitive Grant, \$117,869, 10/1/96-9/30/97, PI.

Bean/Cowpea Complementary CRSP Project, Gerber Foundation, \$70,000, 10/1/95-9/30/97, Co-PI.

S.T.R.E.T.C.H (Safety Training, Resources, Education to Combat Hunger), USDA CSREES, \$60,000, 9/1/95-8/30/96, Co-PI.

Improvement of Digestibility and Nutritional Quality of Common Bean *P.vulgaris* Through Traditional Plant Breeding, Molecular Biology, and Food Technology, Bean/Cowpea Collaborative Research Support Program (CRSP), Michigan State University, \$120,000 Annually, 7/1/92-6/31/98, Co-PI.

Manuscript Reviewer for:

Journal of Nutrition
The Forum for Family and Consumer Issues
Journal of Nutrition Education and Behavior
Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry
Journal of Nutritional Biochemistry
Journal of Food Science

Grant Reviewer for:

USDA SBIR Food Science and Nutrition Panel 2000-01
USDA National Research Initiative Competitive Grants Program, proposal review, 2003
USDA National Research Initiative Human Nutrition and Obesity Panel, 2003
USDA National Research Initiative Human Nutrition and Obesity Panel Manager, 2005
USDA National Research Initiative Human Nutrition and Obesity Panel Manager, 2006

Involvement in Undergraduate and Graduate Teaching:

Foods and Nutrition 105: Introduction to Foods and Nutrition. Guest lectures annually on food safety and food security

Foods and Nutrition 320: Community Nutrition. Guest lecture annually on Extension education in community nutrition

Education and Curriculum Instruction 250: Professional Development in Family and Consumer Sciences Education. Guest lecture annually on Extension programming

Foods and Nutrition 615: Mineral Metabolism. Graduate course in mineral metabolism—team-taught 1994, 1996, guest lectures on selenium 1998

Education and Curriculum Instruction 555: Principles of Extension Education. Guest lecture annually on Consumer and Family Science Extension

Involvement in Graduate Research:

Major Professor for student theses:

Howard Marks M.S., 1988: The Bioavailability of Selenium from Soybeans.
Rosemary Rodibaugh Ph.D., 1989: Identification of Selenium in Soybeans.
Dondeena Bradley M.S., 1989: The Effect of Phytic Acid on Selenium Bioavailability from Soybeans.
Susan Kimmel M.S., 1992: The Effect of Phytic Acid on Selenium and Calcium Bioavailability from Soybeans.
Puspa Saha Ph.D., 1992: The Effect of Phytic Acid on Calcium, Zinc and Iron Bioavailability from Wheat.
Debora Caise M.S., 1992 : The Effect of Educational Tool on Diabetes Patient Knowledge and Behavior.
Marcia Stanley M.S., 1993 : Effects of Educational Treatment on the Gain and Retention of Food Safety Knowledge by Fifth-grade Students.
Gaitry Iyer Ph.D., 1994: In Vitro Synthesis of Selenium Containing Soybean Storage Proteins.
Lisa Spence M.S., 1996: Magnesium and Diabetes Type II.
Kathy Lyons M.S., 2000: Fermentation of bean-based weaning food products to produce Vitamin B-6.
Giselle Maurer M.S., 2002: Production of a fortified bean snack food.
Devon Durkee M.S., 2004: Reversing the hard to cook defect in dry beans
Heather Eicher-Miller M.S. 2005: Food Insecurity
Heather Eicher-Miller Ph.D. 2009: Food Insecurity

Served on graduate student committees:

Alam Khan, Ph.D., 1987
Uma Srinath, M.S., 1988
Wendy Wilson, M.S., 1988
Beth Weber, M.S., 1989
Mary Jane Hoshaw, M.S., 1989
Jung Kang, Ph.D., 1990
Julia Watterson, Ph.D., 1991
Amy Pohlman, M.S., 1993
Sujatha Rajaram, Ph.D., 1993
Brian Hay, M.S., 1994
William Proulx, M.S., 1994
Denise Benway, Ph.D, 1995
Judy Lagge, M.S., 1996
Ana Patricia Rodriguez-Berger, M.S., 1997
Lisa Davis Ackroyd, M.S., 1999

Visiting Post doctoral scholars:

Shridhar Sathe, Ph.D
Professor, Florida State University 1986-88
Characterization of soybean proteins

Srimathi Kannan, Ph.D.
Assistant Professor, University of Michigan 1995-97
Nutrient availability from fermented and germinated bean-based weaning food products.

Neuza Costa, Ph.D.

Associate Professor, University of Visoca, Brazil 1997-98

Effect of Magnesium supplementation on Diabetes Type II in Zucker Fatty Diabetic rats.

Academic Program Reviews:

- Team member for CSREES—Iowa State University, Department of Food Science and Human Nutrition, 2007
- Team member—School of Human Ecology, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, 2008

Accomplishments as Extension Specialist in Foods and Nutrition:

Food Safety:

In 1990, with state Crossroads grant money, Dr. Mason assembled a team of Extension, Research and Teaching faculty and staff from across the schools of Agriculture, Consumer and Family Sciences and Veterinary Medicine to address critical food safety concerns. The food system, from agricultural production to consumer home food safety, was addressed in program materials including audiovisuals, publications, brochures, and teaching curricula.

Food Irradiation:

Food irradiation is an established mode of food processing for pasteurizing contaminated food product like meats and for increasing the shelf life of foods such as onions and potatoes. Dr. Mason and colleagues in 1994 developed the first audiovisual and teaching curriculum to communicate this food processing technology to consumers. Evaluation data collected over 6 years of programming indicated consumers were more accepting of the food irradiation technology after participating in the educational program. In 2002, Dr. Mason coordinated the revision and update of both the videotape and curriculum package.

Safe Food for the Hungry:

Through the leadership of Dr. Mason, Purdue University is known as a leader in the area of food safety and nutrition programming for not-for-profit food distribution programs. For five years, Mason and colleagues, developed educational materials tailored to not-for-profit food organizations. An advisory committee of representatives from food banks, food pantries and homeless shelters has assisted Purdue University staff in identifying critical areas for program development. The team involved in this project was awarded the Secretary of Agriculture's Team Honor award in 1996 for their efforts. Distance learning techniques were used in this programming to impact the greatest number of people. Materials were posted on a Safe Food for the Hungry website and a day long videoconferences were aired by A*Dec satellite to 45 states and 3 sites in Canada as well as 21 sites in Indiana four consecutive years.

Developed Audio-Visual Materials: List available upon request

Packaged program guides for Extension Consumer and Family Sciences Educators: List available upon request

Specialized Extension Training Programs: List available upon request

Extension Publications: List available upon request

Extension Conferences Attended: List available upon request

University, Extension and departmental committee responsibilities: List available upon request

Offices held in state, national, and international societies:

1985-86	Hoosier Chapter, Phi Tau Sigma, Treasurer
1986-89	Indiana Section, Institute of Food Technology (IFT), Treasurer
1986-88	Indiana Association of Family and Consumer Sciences, District III, Secretary
1987-88	Hoosier Chapter, Phi Tau Sigma, President
1987-88	Indiana Nutrition Council, Ways and Means Committee, Chair
1989-90	Indiana Section, Institute of Food Technology, Chair-Elect
1988-89	Indiana Association of Family and Consumer Sciences, District III, President-Elect
1989-90	Indiana Association of Family and Consumer Sciences, District III, President
1989-91	Indiana Association of Family and Consumer Sciences Annual Meeting, Program Chair
1990-91	Indiana Section, Institute of Food Technologists, Chair
1990-92	Indiana Nutrition Council, President
1992-1997	IFT--Nutrition Division Executive Council member
1994-95	IFT--Nutrition Division Chair-Elect
1995-96	IFT--Nutrition Division Chair
1994-96	IFT Babcock-Hart Award Jury Committee
1994-96, 98	IFT Journalism Award Jury Committee
1994-1998	IFT Expert Panel on Food Safety and Nutrition
1994-2004	IFT Food Science Communicator
1997-1999	IFT--Extension Division Executive Committee
2000-2001	IFT—Advisory Committee, Office of Science, Government and Technology
2002	ASNS RIS Chair Community and Public Health
2001-2003	IFT Food and Nutrition Science Alliance (FANSA) representative
2001-2004	ASNS Osborne Mendel Award Jury Committee
2005-2010	Board on Human Sciences, APLU—Executive Committee
2006-2008	Board on Human Sciences, APLU—Program Chair
2009-2010	Board on Human Sciences, APLU—Board Chair
2011-present	Council on Academic Affairs, APLU Executive Committee
2012-present	Council on Academic Affairs, APLU International Liaison
2013-present	President of Association of Chief Academic Officers--ACE
2015-present	Council on Academic Affairs, APLU--Chair

Awards and Honors:

1986	Outstanding Contribution to Nutrition Education - Dairy Council, Inc.
1986	Indiana Home Economics Association New Achiever Award
1991	Junior Extension Specialist Award - Purdue University Cooperative Extension Service

1993	Kappa Omicron Nu - Faculty inductee
1995	Gamma Sigma Delta - Award of Merit
1995	Epsilon Sigma Phi – North Central Region - Mid-Career Award
1995	Team Extension Award - Purdue University Cooperative Extension Service
1996	USDA Group Honor Award for Excellence, Team Leader -
1996	Ann Hancock Award - Purdue University Cooperative Extension Service
2001	Epsilon Sigma Phi Indiana Chapter Team Award for Impact Training
2002	Epsilon Sigma Phi State International Facilitation Award for International Study Tour
2005	Distinguished Agriculture Alumni Award Recipient, Purdue University
2006	Distinguished Consumer and Family Science Alumni Award Recipient, Purdue University
2008	Purdue University Cooperative Extension Specialists Association Team Award: Purdue Retail Food Safety Team
2008	Epsilon Sigma Phi Colorado Chapter Award for Visionary Leadership
2009	Epsilon Sigma Phi Western Regional Award for Visionary Leadership
2009	Purdue University Department of Foods and Nutrition Hall of Fame Award
2015	Purdue University Distinguished Woman Scholar award

Memberships in Academic, Professional and Scholarly Societies:

American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences
 Institute of Food Technologists
 American Society for Nutrition

Consulting

Larimer County, Colorado Food Bank, 2009-10 Board member

Lafayette, Indiana Food Finders Food Bank, 1995-2000 Board member

National Food Processors Association Food Labeling Education Project, 1991-93

MUCIA Indonesian Second University Development Project, 1988 Bogor, Indonesia, Agricultural University of Bogor (Institut Pertanian, Bogor).

National Dairy Promotion and Research Board Consultant, 1987