

ANASTASIA P. SAMARAS, PH.D.

SERVICE

Institutional Service and Leadership, GMU

- 2010 – 2011 Human Subject Review Board and Institutional Review. Served on the Steering Committee as the CEHD Representative for campus-wide review of HSRB conducted by Huron Consulting
- 2008 Reviewer, Provost Faculty Study Leave Proposals, Provost Office
- 2007 Member, Dean's CEHD Task Force on Teaching Excellence, GMU
- 2006 – 2007 Chair, Search Committee for Secondary Education Program Coordinator, GMU
- 2006 – 2007 Designed and orchestrated Career Switcher Annual Alumni Celebration
- 2004 Member, Dean's Task Force on GSE Governance Restructuring, GMU
- 2004 Member, GSE Arlington Campus University Task Force Group, GMU
- 2004 Designed and orchestrated IET Alumni Gathering with Dr. Mary Catherine Bateson, GMU Robinson Professor as keynote speaker
- 2003 – 2005 Chair, Search Committees for Tenure-track Faculty, IET, GMU
- 2001 – 2002 Dean's Representative to Washington Area Education Council, College of Arts and Sciences, The Catholic University of America (CUA)
- 2001 – 2002 Dean's Representative to DC Voice, College of Arts and Sciences, CUA
- 1993 – 2002 Dean's Representative to the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, College of Arts & Sciences, CUA
- 1993 – 2002 Dean's Representative to the Deans' & Administrators Quarterly Meetings, DCPS, College of Arts and Sciences, CUA
- 1993 – 2002 Dean's Representative to the DCACTE monthly meetings, College of Arts and Sciences, CUA
- 1993 – 2002 Director of Department National and State Accreditation Program Visits, NCATE The Catholic University of America; achieved continuing accreditation for 1995 and 2000 visits
- 1993 – 2002 Certification Officer, Education Unit: Education, Music, Library Science, CUA
- 1989 – 1990 Coordinator, The College of Education Early Childhood Conference, University of Maryland, College Park

Professional Service to College of Education & Human Development (CEHD)

George Mason University, CEHD

Administrative

- 2016 – 2018 Division Director, Elementary, Secondary, and Literacy Programs (ELS)
- 2013 – 2016 Academic Program Coordinator, Secondary Education Program
- 2005 – 2007 Coordinator, Career Switcher Program
- 2002 – 2005 Director, Initiatives in Educational Transformation Program

Committee Membership

- 2107 – 2018 Member, CEHD Promotion and Tenure Committee for Full Professor Cases
- 2016 – 2018 Member, Educator Preparation Council
- 2016 – 2018 CEHD Leadership Team
- 2016 – 2018 Provost Chairs Committee
- 2009 to date Faculty Liaison to Library Education Specialist, CEHD
- 2005 to date Advisory Board Member, Center for International Education

2008 – 2015	Member, CEHD Scholar Research Committee
2015 –2016	Search Committee, Research Methods Faculty
2015 –2016	Search Committee, Science Endowed Chair
2014 –2015	Dean’s Task Force exploring undergraduate teacher education
2011 –2014	Member, PhD Committee
2014	Member, Search Committee for Office Program Manager, Secondary Education
2012 to 2014	Member, Faculty Evaluation Committee, Co-Chair, 2013-2014
2012 – 2013	Member, Mathematics Search Committee
2012	Chair, Faculty Search Committee, International Elementary Education
2010 – 2011	NCATE, Standard 1 and Standard 3, CEHD Coordinating Committee
2009	Evaluation Team with Drs. Bon and Taboada, CEHD Research Symposium
2006 – 2007	Member, GSE Curriculum Committee
2006 – 2007	Chair, Search Committee for Secondary Education Program Coordinator
2005 – 2006	Member, CEHD Promotion and Tenure Committee
2005 – 2006	Secretary, CEHD Promotion and Tenure Committee
2004 – 2005	Chair, Search Committee for Tenure-track Faculty
2002 – 2005	Member, GSE Committee of Program Coordinators and Directors
2005	Member, Search Committee for Faculty
2004	Chair, Search Committee for Faculty
2003	Chair, Search Committee for Tenure-track Faculty
2004	Member, GSE Arlington Task Force Group
2004	Member, Performance Assessment Committee
2004	Member, Interdisciplinary Ph.D. Specialization in Language & Culture, Literacy

First-Tier Committee Review

2018	Chair, First-Tier Review Committee, Promotion to Full Professor
2017	Member, First-Tier Review Committee, Promotion to Full Professor
2015	Member, First-Tier Review Committee, Promotion to Full Professor
2015	Member, First-Tier Review Committee, Promotion & Tenure
2013	Chair, First-Tier Review Committee, Promotion to Full Professor
2010	Member, First-Tier Review Committee, Promotion to Full Professor
2009	Member, First-Tier Review Committee, Promotion
2007	Member, First-Tier Review Committee, Promotion & Tenure
2004	Chair, First-tier Review Committee Promotion Evaluation
2002	Chair, First-tier Review Committee, Tenure Evaluation

Presenter

2004 – 2012	Guest Speaker, Doctoral Seminar
2010	Guest Speaker, Elementary Education Master Level Class
2009	Guest Speaker, Early Childhood Doctoral Class
2007 & 2015	Facilitator, CEHD Professional Development Committee Workshop
2004 –2015	Participant/Speaker, Center for Teaching and Faculty Excellence Annual Conference

The Catholic University of America, Washington, DC

Administrative and Committee

1993 – 2002 Director of Teacher Education
 1993 – 2002 Director of National (NCATE) and State Accreditation Reviews and Folios
 1993 – 2002 Chair, Teacher Education Committee
 1993 – 2002 Member, Council on Teacher Education Committee
 1993 – 2002 Dean's Representative to AACTE
 1993 – 2002 Dean's Representative to the Deans' & Administrators Quarterly Meetings, DCPS
 1993 – 2002 Dean's Representative to the DCACTE monthly meetings
 1993 – 2002 Academic Advising Coordinator for Education Unit
 1993 – 2002 Certification Officer, Education Unit
 1993 – 1995 Co-Coordinator of Restructured Early Childhood and Elementary Program
 1992 – 2002 Coordinator, Elementary Undergraduate and Graduate Program
 1992 – 2002 Member, Teacher Education Committee
 1994 – 2002 Member, Second Language Education and Cultural Diversity Committee
 1995 – 2002 Chair and Member, Doctoral Committees
 1996 – 2002 Member, Recruitment Committee
 1998 – 2001 Member, Department of Education Advisory Committee
 1998 – 2001 Member, Orientation of Teaching Assistants Committee
 1999 – 2002 Teaching Innovation: Co-designed and taught drama for teacher education course
 2001 – 2002 Chair, Masters Cohort Committee
 2001 – 2002 Coordinator Study Abroad Experiences for Education Majors

Professional Affiliations

American Educational Research Association (AERA)
 American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education (AACTE)
 AERA, Division K Teaching and Teacher Education
 Association of Teacher Educators (ATE)

Hellenic American Women's Council (HAWC)
 Self-Study of Teacher Education Practices SIG (S-STEP)

Professional Service to the Academy

Service and Leadership in Professional Affiliations

2015 – 2017 Past Chair of The Self-Study of Teacher Education Practices SIG,
 American Educational Research Association
 2015 Invited member of The International Honorary Committee of the Summer
 University: *Greece today: Language, Culture, and Media*. Organized by the University
 of Ioannina and Association of European Journalists, Andros, Greece.
 2013 – 2015 Chair of The Self-Study of Teacher Education Practices SIG, American
 Educational Research Association, began May 1, 2013
 2011 – 2013 Chair-Elect of The Self-Study of Teacher Education Practices SIG, American
 Educational Research Association
 2010 - 2012 Board of Directors, University of Maryland, Education Alumni Chapter
 2008 Board of Directors, Conference Planning Committee, *Research on
 Women and Education AERA SIG 34th Annual Fall Conference*, Arlington, VA

- 2002 Co-Chair of Program Committee, *Fourth International Conference on the Self-Study of Teacher Education Practices*, East Sussex, England
- 2001 – 2002 At Large Officer, *District of Columbia Association of Colleges for Teacher Education*
- 2001 – 2002 Dean's Representative to Washington Area Education Council
- 2001 – 2002 Dean's Representative to DC Voice
- 1999 – 2000 President, *District of Columbia Association of Colleges for Teacher Education*
- 1997 Tellers Committee Member. Board Elections of *American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education*, Washington, DC
- 1995 – 1998 State Legislative Liaison, *District of Columbia Association of Colleges for Teacher Education*
- 1994 Director, *Symposium on Educational Professions with CUA, Trinity College, and Howard University*, Washington, DC
- 1994 Director, *Symposium on Professional Organizations with CUA, Trinity College, Howard University, Gallaudet, UDC, American University, & DC Teacher Certification Branch*, Washington, DC
- 1993 Writing Consultant Developmentally Appropriate Practices Book, *National Association for the Education of Young Children*
- 1991 – 1995 Member at Large, *Maryland Community Association for the Education of Young Children*
- 1987 – 1990 Legislative Liaison, *Maryland Community Association for the Education of Young Children*

Reviews and Professional Organization Service

- 1999-2018 Conference Proceedings Reviewer. Biennial International Conference on Self-Study of Teacher Education Practices, England
- 2013 Proposal Reviewer for the Center for Teaching and Faculty Excellence Annual Innovations in Teaching Conference
- 2011 Chair, The processing of becoming a teacher educator. The Self-Study of Teacher Education Practices SIG, AERA Conference, New Orleans
- 2011 Chair, Understanding the complexity of becoming a teacher educator. The Self-Study of Teacher Education Practices SIG, AERA Conference, New Orleans
- 2009 Chair, Conference Session. AERA Conference, San Diego, CA
- 2008 Chair, Conference Session, Research on Women and Education AERA SIG 34th Annual Fall Conference, Arlington, VA
- 2007 Discussant, Conference Session. AERA Conference, Portfolio SIG, Chicago, IL
- 2006 Discussant, Conference Session AERA Conference, San Francisco, CA
- 2006 Conference Paper Reviewer. AERA, Qualitative Research SIG
- 2004 Discussant, Conference Session. AERA Conference, San Diego, CA
- 2003 Discussant, Conference Session. AERA Conference, Chicago, IL
- 2002 Chair, Conference Session, AERA, New Orleans
- 2001 Discussant, Conference Session AERA, Seattle, WA
- 2001- 2014 Conference Paper Reviewer. AERA, Self-Study of Teaching and Teacher Education Practices

2001 – 2008 Conference Paper Reviewer. AERA, Division K: Teacher Education
 2000 Conference Paper Reviewer. Annual Meeting of AACTE
 2001 Committee Planner. S-STEP, Preconference session, AERA. Seattle, WA
 1997 Conference Paper Reviewer. Annual Meeting of AACTE

External Faculty Reviewer

Samaras, A. P., (2018, Sept). External Faculty Evaluator, Promotion, University of Kwa-Zulu-Natal, Durban, South Africa

Samaras, A. P., (2017). External Faculty Evaluator, Promotion, University of Iceland

Samaras, A. P., (2016). External Faculty Evaluator, Promotion, University of Kwa-Zulu –Natal, Durban, South Africa

Samaras, A. P., (2015). External Faculty Evaluator, Tenure and Promotion, University of Hawaii

Samaras, A. P., (2015). External Faculty Evaluator, Promotion, Full Professor, Kent University

Samaras, A. P., (2014). External Faculty Evaluator, Promotion to Full Professor, Brock University

Samaras, A. P., (2014). External Faculty Evaluator, Promotion to Senior Lecturer, Monash University, Australia

Samaras, A., P. (2014). Review for faculty teacher excellence nomination, Canadian Scholar Award, OISE

Samaras, A. P. (2014). Examiner Report for Master's Thesis Dissertation of S.E. Magubane, *Cultivating intrinsic motivation for learning technology: A teacher's self-study*. University of Kwazulu Natal, Durban, South Africa

Samaras, A. P. (2013). External Faculty Review, Promotion to Full Professor, University of Houston Clear Lake

Samaras, A. P. (2012). External Faculty Review, Tenure & Promotion, Duquesne University, PA

Samaras, A. P. (2011). External Faculty Review, Tenure & Promotion, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Samaras, A. P. (2010). External Faculty Review, & Promotion, The Catholic University of America, Washington, DC

Samaras, A. P. (2008). External Faculty Proposal, National Institute of Education, Singapore

Samaras, A. P. (2005). Examination Review, Doctoral Thesis, Monash University, Australia

Samaras, A. P. (2005). External Reviewer, Faculty Tenure & Promotion, Bowling Green State

Samaras, A. P. (2002). External Review, Faculty Tenure & Promotion, Ontario Institute for

Studies in Education, University of Toronto, Canada

Samaras, A. P. (2001). External Review, Faculty Promotion, University of Hawaii, Honolulu

Samaras, A. P. (1999). External Review, Faculty Tenure and Promotion, Trinity College, Washington, DC.

External Examiner

Samaras, A. P. (2003). Research Grant Evaluation Report. Enhancing elementary teacher education through school-based learning experiences: Program development from a case study of Physical Education methods. Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada

Samaras, A. P. (1999). Blue Ribbon Advisory Panel Member Report, U.S. Office of Personnel Management. Director's Award for Outstanding Work/Life Programs

Samaras, A. P. (1997). Award Report, Maryland Staff Development Council's Annual Recognition for Excellence in Staff Development Award, Washington, DC

Professional Service to School Communities

2013 Political campaign canvassing

2007 to 2009 Boys & Girls Club of Annapolis & Anne Arundel County

2008 Political campaign canvassing in Ohio and "Get the vote out" efforts

2000 – 2002 Children's Education Center, CUA; Designed and implemented *First Teachers*

1999 Member, Friendship/Construction Team, International Life, Peace, and Hope Centers, Croatia

1996 Guest Speaker, Annapolis Senior High, Career Pride Awareness Day

1997 – 2001 Chesapeake Youth Symphony Orchestra Volunteer

1996 – 1997 St. Anthony's School, Washington, DC, Designed & implemented *First Teachers*

1995 – 1996 Van Ness Elementary School, Washington, DC, Designed and implemented *First Teachers* Model. Received Volunteer Award

1994 Workshop and Greek Interpreter, Greek Embassy adopted Bunker Hill Elementary, Washington, DC

1992 – 2003 Annapolis Senior High, Annapolis, MD

Committee Member for Scholar Athletes, 1999-2003

Member, Parent, Student, Teacher Association, 1992-1996, 1999-2003

Booster Band and Orchestra Club, 1992-1996, 1999-2003

Volunteer Teacher in Child Development Laboratory, 1999

Received Volunteer Awards

1990 – 1999 Bates Middle School, Annapolis, MD

Coordinator, Information Session on Middle School Curriculum, 1996

Member, Citizens Advisory Council, 1990 -1992, 1996-1997

Regional Representative, Citizens Advisory Council, 1996-1997

Member, Parent, Student, Teacher Association, 1990 -1992, 1996-1999

Orchestra and Music Camp Volunteer, 1997

Member, Band and Orchestra Booster Club, 1997-1999

Member, School Improvement Team, 1997-1999

- Received Volunteer Awards
- 1982 – 1996 Germantown Elementary School, Annapolis, MD
Member, Computer Technology Committee, 1995-1996
Member, Citizens Advisory Council, 1982 -1989, 1990 -1996
Member, Parent, Student, Teacher Association 1982 -1989, 1990 -1996
Member, Strategic Instructional Planning Committee, 1995
Chairman of Entertainment, Spring Fling Fundraiser, 1987-1993
Teacher Volunteer, Picture Person Program, 1992-1996
Teacher Volunteer, Writing to Read Computer Project, 1986-1992
Co-Chairman and Chairman Playground Committee, 1986 -1993
Speaker and Representative at School Board and County Council Meetings
Orchestra and Music Camp Volunteer, 1996
Outstanding Volunteer Service Award, 1996
- 1982 – 1999 Ss. Constantine & Helen Greek Orthodox Church, Annapolis, MD
Coordinator, Sunday School Christmas Pageants, 1993-1999
Sunday School Kindergarten and Preschool Teacher, 1981-1993
Dance Coordinator, Chesapeake Bay Regional Folk Dance Festival, 1990-1992
Director and Teacher, Youth Folk Dance Troupe, 1982-1992
Entertainment Director, Annual Church Festival, 1982-1992
- 1972 International Charities Festival, Sandy Point State Park, MD,
Administrative Assistant