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EDUCATION:

6/06-6/07 **Stanford University**, Stanford Teacher Education Program, Graduate School of Education, Stanford, CA
M.A. in Education and California Preliminary Multiple Subject Credential.

9/02-6/06 **Stanford University**, Stanford, CA
B.A. in Psychology.

CREDENTIALS AND CERTIFICATES:

Maker Educator Certificate, Sonoma State University, Rohnert Park, CA, 2017

California Professional **Clear Administrative Services Credential**

California Professional **Clear Multiple Subject Teaching Credential**

HIGHLIGHTED PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS:

Chang, Stephanie, Colleen Graves, Kristina Holzweiss, and Robert Pronovost. "Successful and Sustainable Makerspaces in Low-Income and Rural Schools." ISTE Conference, 26 June 2018, McCormick Place West, Chicago, IL. Panel.

Brahms, Lisa, Mindy Porter, and Robert Pronovost. "Expanding Maker Education Through Community Hubs." SXSW EDU Conference, 8 March 2018. Austin, TX. Case Study.

Barron, Brigid and Pronovost, Robert. "Creating (and Lighting Up) a Map of Your Technology Learning." Bright Futures: Equitable Access to Learning in the Digital Age Conference, Redwood City School District, 6 May 2017, Redwood City, CA. Conference Presentation.

Brumbaugh, Kyle, Elizabeth Calhoon, Ramsey Musallam, Robert Pronovost, and Catlin Tucker. *Creating a Google Apps Classroom*. Huntington Beach, CA: Shell Education, 2014. Print.

HONORS AND AWARDS:

2015 **Roundtable Invitee at White House Event on Making and Education**, The White House, Washington D.C

2015 **Innovation Award**, Ravenswood Makerspace Collaborative, Microsoft & Krause Center for Innovation

2014 **STEM Innovation Award**, Creator of Ravenswood Makerspace Initiative, Silicon Valley Education Foundation

2012 **Emerging Leader**, International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE)

2012 **Outstanding Emerging Teacher**, Computer-Using Educators (CUE)

EMPLOYMENT:

11/18-6/20 **STEAM Center Director**, San Mateo County Office of Education, Redwood City, CA

10/17-10/18 **Innovative Learning & Technology Integration Coordinator**, San Mateo County Office of Education, Redwood City, CA
Co-taught Making for Educators course through Sonoma State University.

9/16- **Adjunct Faculty**, Foothill-De Anza College District, Los Altos, CA
Co-authored Foothill College's California Community Colleges (CCC) Maker grant application with Krause Center for Innovation's Professional Learning Network Director, awarded \$250,000 in funding. Co-taught 2017 MADE (Modeling, Analysis, Design and Engineering): Science program and modified for K-6 teachers. Taught Mini-MERIT (Making Education Relevant and Interactive through Technology) course.

8/16-9/17 **STEM Coordinator of Maker Education**, San Mateo County Office of Education, Redwood City, CA
Led partnership with Google, Maker Education Initiative and Children's Museum of Pittsburgh to support makerspace development throughout the county. Co-developed Make/Learn Maker Mindset professional learning series and supported local schools with Makerspace development.

6/16- **Founder**, EmpowerMINT LLC, Redwood City, CA
Consulted and/or led maker-centered learning and/or technology integration workshops with multiple school districts.

7/15-6/16 **Director of Curriculum and Instruction**, Ravenswood City School District, East Palo Alto, CA
Directed and supervised content coordinators for English Language Arts, STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics), English Language Development. Continued support of Ravenswood Makerspace Collaborative.

4/15-8/18 **Online Summit Host, Event and Social Media Consultant**, California Teacher Summit, New Teacher Center

8/12-6/15 **STEM Lead Coordinator**, Ravenswood City School District, East Palo Alto, CA
Coordinated STEM curriculum and programs across seven schools, K-8. Supported classroom teachers with technology integration. Led award-winning Ravenswood Makerspace Collaborative, from research through implementation. Facilitated TECHIE (Technology Integrated Effectively) Team of teachers and district leaders who piloted technology and made district recommendations.

8/07-6/12 **Teacher**, Belle Haven Elementary, Ravenswood City School District, Menlo Park, CA
Taught sixth, fourth, and second grade. Grade level Lead Teacher and Professional Learning Team Facilitator. Member of the Math Adoption Committee, Professional Learning Team Advisory Team, and Writing Workshop Lead Teacher Team. Successfully built partnerships to secure technology schoolwide.

COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION:

1/18- **Board Member**, Community Science Workshop Network

10/13-4/16 **Tools & Models Team Member**, San Mateo Innovation Zone (iZone)

7/12-1/19 **Leadership Committee Member**, Young Educators Network, International Society for Technology in Education

10/11- **President, Vice President, Secretary, Webmaster**, Silicon Valley Computer-Using Educators (SVCUE) Board of Directors