



JENNY GRANT RANKIN (CV INTRODUCTION)

Award-winning educator Dr. Jenny Grant Rankin has taught the Post Doc Masterclass at **University of Cambridge**, England (as visiting lecturer) in previous years and spends the rest of her time living in Laguna Beach, California writing **books** relating to data, education, teacher burnout, gifted education, and sharing one's research and expertise with the world. She has **2 doctorates**: a **Ph.D.** in Education, as well as an honorary doctorate L.H.D. Dr. Rankin has served as an award-winning K-12 **teacher**, teacher on special assignment, **assistant principal** / school administrator, **school district administrator**, and **chief education & research officer**.

Dr. Rankin presents her research findings and expertise regularly. Her many media appearances include **NBC News**, **National Public Radio (NPR)**, *O: The Oprah Magazine*, *Newsweek*, *Good Housekeeping*, *Huffington Post (HuffPost)*, *The Washington Post*, *U.S. News & World Report*, *Reader's Digest*, Nonfiction Authors Association (NFAA), countless commendations in the media, and congressional testimonies to inform legislation.

She has delivered **184 keynotes** and other presentations at **61 different venues** in **7 countries**, for organizations like the American Educational Research Association (AERA) and U.S. Department of Education, and she frequently presents internationally (e.g., her **TED Talk** at TEDxTUM). She also presents at mainstream events, such as serving as a panelist (on a Mensa panel concerning science and research) at **Comic-Con**.

In addition to her **10 books**, Dr. Rankin's **130 papers and articles** have appeared in **38 different publications**, including *Psychology Today* (for which she writes an ongoing column), *EdSurge*, *Education Week*, *Educational Leadership*, *Los Angeles Times*, *Mensa Bulletin* and other magazines and journals. Dr. Rankin is an active member of [Mensa](#) (serving as Coordinator of the **Mensa** Gifted Youth Program in Orange County) and many educational organizations, and she serves on multiple advisory boards.

Dr. Rankin's many honors include winning Teacher of the Year and being **honored multiple times by the U.S. White House** for her contributions to education (for example, the American flag was flown over the U.S. Capitol Building in honor of Dr. Rankin and her dedication to students). Details on Dr. Rankin's specific accomplishments follow in her CV (below).

EMPLOYMENT

Dr. Jenny Grant Rankin has taught the Post Doc Masterclass at **University of Cambridge**, England (as visiting lecturer) in previous years and spends the rest of the year in California **writing books** for educators, data users, and researchers. An active member of **Mensa**, Dr. Rankin also volunteers as Coordinator of the Mensa Gifted Youth Program in Orange County. She began her career in higher education, followed by a rewarding career in K-12 public education. Dr. Rankin spent many years as a junior high school English **teacher**, teacher on special assignment (TOSA) and technology coordinator, junior high school **assistant principal**, **school district administrator**, and then **chief education & research officer**.

JANUARY 20, 2016 TO OCTOBER 18, 2017

(Once Per Year)

Lecturer

University of Cambridge

- Address: The Old Schools, Trinity Lane, Cambridge CB2 1TN, United Kingdom
www.pdn.cam.ac.uk/postdocs/postdoc-masterclasses
- Department: Department of Physiology, Development and Neuroscience
- Duty: Teaching the Post Doc Masterclass once per year

JULY 1, 2010 TO DECEMBER 31, 2012

(with project-based work continuing to 2017)

Chief Education and Research Officer (CERO)

Illuminate Education Inc. (an Educational Technology Company)

- Address: 47 Discovery, Suite 100, Irvine, CA 92618 ☐ 949-242-0343 ☐ www.illuminateed.com
- Full-Time
- Supervisor: Lane Rankin, CEO/President, 949-242-0343
- Sample Duties: leadership ☐ training staff and educators at all levels ☐ data report and system design ☐ presenting ☐ writing/building online help system ☐ creating abstracts to accompany all reports ☐ working with County Dept. of Ed. on user group meetings and multi-district needs ☐ orchestrating events like 250-attendee user-conference ☐ creating communication tools (board meeting booklets, programs, RFPs, media pieces, etc.)

JUNE 6, 2008 TO JUNE 3, 2010 (FILLED IN FOR THE SAME ROLE AUGUST 2009 AND AUGUST 2010)

District Administrator (Program Specialist for Assessment, Instructional Services)

Saddleback Valley Unified School District

- Address: 25631 Peter Hartman Way, Mission Viejo, CA 92691 ☐ 949-586-1234 ☐ www.svusd.k12.ca.us
- Full-Time
- Based: District Office
- Supervisor: Kathy Dick, Assistant Superintendent, Instructional Services, 949-586-1234
- Sample Duties: leadership ☐ training educators at all levels on data, assessment, etc. ☐ coordinating assessment building, test administration, and data analysis for 35,000-student district ☐ creating data reports and communication tools for varied stakeholders ☐ disaggregating data, spotting/tracking trends, etc. for district ☐ building help system and materials to accompany data ☐ working with County Dept. of Ed. on special projects ☐ classroom observation and feedback ☐ leadership and evaluation of assigned staff ☐ serving as District's representative at State and County meetings

AUGUST 30, 2007 TO JUNE 30, 2008

Assistant Principal

Anaheim Union High School District

- Address: 501 Crescent Way, Anaheim, CA 92803 ☐ 714-999-3511 ☐ www.auhsd.us
- Full-Time
- Based: Orangeview Junior High School
- Supervisor: Kevin Astor, Principal, 949-364-6100
- Sample Duties: leadership ☐ guiding staff in data analysis and use ☐ overseeing testing ☐ creating data reports and communication tools for varied stakeholders ☐ disaggregating data, spotting/tracking trends, etc. for school ☐ student guidance and discipline ☐ classroom observation and teacher evaluation ☐ district and site committees ☐ parent and community outreach ☐ working with local police and organizations on school's crime/gang/drug problems ☐ planning events ☐ streamlining processes

AUGUST 28, 2003 TO JUNE 30, 2007

Teacher on Special Assignment (TOSA)

Buena Park School District

- Address: 6885 Orangethorpe Avenue, Buena Park, CA 90620 ☐ 714-522-8412 ☐ www.bpsd.k12.ca.us
- Full-Time Split with Other/Teacher Role
- Based: Buena Park Junior High School
- Supervisor: Debra Diaz, Principal, 714-521-5134
- Sample Duties: leadership ☐ planning and conducting staff professional development ☐ material adoptions ☐ creating data reports and communication tools for varied stakeholders ☐ disaggregating data, spotting/tracking trends, etc. for school ☐ coordinating testing ☐ training and guiding site staff in data, assessment, etc. ☐ articulation with feeder schools and high school ☐ working with budgets ☐ researching and developing/writing curriculum ☐ leading/serving on district and site committees ☐ parent and community outreach ☐ before Jenny became TOSA, BPJH's Base API was dropping; after Jenny became BPJH's TOSA and began/conducted BPJH's staff development, BPJH's 633 API (2003) rose to 655 (2004), 703 (2005), 708 (2006), and then 726 API (2007), and the school shed its state-assigned Immediate Intervention/Underperforming Schools Program (II/USP) status

AUGUST 28, 2000 TO JUNE 30, 2007

Teacher (English, AVID English, Newspaper, and Intervention)

Buena Park School District

- 6885 Orangethorpe Avenue, Buena Park, CA 90620 ☐ 714-522-8412 ☐ www.bpsd.k12.ca.us
- Full-Time Split with Other/TOSA Role Starting 2003
- Based: Buena Park Junior High School
- Supervisors: Debra Diaz, Principal, 714-521-5134; Rafael Santiago, AP, 714-616-1279
- Sample Duties: won “Teacher of the Year” by 3rd year of teaching ☐ leading/serving on district and site committees ☐ training staff on Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID) Concepts ☐ serving as site technology coordinator ☐ built standards-based curriculum and test bank for English Department based on data ☐ averaging 49% higher student proficiency on state assessments (CST) in classes (with many Title I and EL students due to TOSA funding) compared to other English classes on site ☐ wrote curriculum for summer school writing program

JANUARY 4, 1999 TO AUGUST 25, 2000

Program Coordinator of Visual Arts and Information Technology (IT) Departments

- Learning Tree University (Purchased/Absorbed by Corinthian Colleges Inc. in 2003)
- 2332 McGaw Avenue, Irvine, CA 92614
- Full-Time
- Based: Irvine Campus
- Supervisor: Judy Swanson, President, heyjude56@sbcglobal.net
- Sample Duties: leadership ☐ hiring and training teachers ☐ maintaining compliance with university’s accreditation ☐ designing/writing course curriculum ☐ counseling students (academic) ☐ scheduling courses ☐ contributing to catalog (e.g., course descriptions) ☐ planning learning paths (degree tracks) ☐ hired to oversee Visual Arts Dept. but was promoted to oversee both that and the IT Dept. (LTU’s biggest department), working 2 jobs as 1 for 4 months until replacement for previous position was found ☐ student enrollment in VA Dept. rose by 105.63% within 1st 6 months of employment (best growth rate ever), instructor retention was at an all-time high, and after 7 months scores on student course evaluations (encompassing teacher performance) had improved by 29.8% ☐ while overseeing IT Dept., student enrollment in IT Dept. rose by 26%, revenue increased by 28%, #

of courses offered and managed increased by 38.64%, and LTU President Michael Gould said student course evaluations within IT Dept. had “never been better” □ presentations (open house, recruitment, instruction, colleague trainings in technology and efficiency at headquarters’ Joint Program Meetings, etc.)

AUGUST 27, 1997 TO DECEMBER 11, 1998

Substitute Teacher

Saddleback Valley Unified School District & Irvine Unified School District

- Addresses: 25631 Peter Hartman Wy., Mission Viejo, CA 92691 & 5050 Barranca Pkwy., Irvine CA 92604
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VOLUNTEERING

Dr. Rankin has a long history of volunteer service. As a teenager she volunteered at the Laguna Beach Public Library, where she singlehandedly ran a weekly book+craft class for children, and she also volunteered at the Laguna Art Museum and through Amnesty International. Her Amnesty work continued through college, and her activism in animal rights arose.

Dr. Rankin's weekly letter writing and petition signing continues to this day (largely for education, human rights, animal rights, and environmental issues), joined by her service in the following role:

2015 TO PRESENT

Coordinator

Mensa Gifted Youth Program in Orange County (assistant coordinator for the first 4 years), www.us.mensa.org/learn/gifted-youth

2017

Volunteer

Africa New Day schools, Goma, Democratic Republic of the Congo, www.africanewday.org

PRIOR TO 2015

Laguna Beach Public Library, Laguna Art Museum, Amnesty International, Humane Society, etc.

EDUCATION

Award-winning educator Dr. Jenny Grant Rankin has **2 doctorates**: a **Ph.D.** in Education, as well as an honorary doctorate L.H.D. She is enthusiast about life-long learning and regularly takes classes (such as from Stanford University and Yale University) to expand her knowledge and skills. Dr. Rankin also has an extensive list of credentials and certifications.

This page features Dr. Rankin's:

- Credentials and Degrees
 - Certifications & Assessments
 - Technical Proficiencies
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CREDENTIALS & DEGREES

2019 **Doctor of Humane Letters (L.H.D.)**

- Honorary Doctorate Awarded June 1, 2019
- University of La Verne (LaFetra College of Education), 1950 3rd St, La Verne, CA 91750, www.laverne.edu
- Awarded when Dr. Rankin gave the commencement speech at the university's graduation ceremony
- 2018 The Science of Well-Being (Yale University)
- Completed September 18, 2018 "with 100%"
- Yale University (Online), through www.coursera.org
- Attended July 20, 2018 to September 18, 2018
- www.coursera.org/learn/the-science-of-well-being
- 2016 Statistical Learning (Stanford University)
- Completed April 14, 2016 "with Distinction"

- Stanford University (Online), Stanford, 650-723-2300, www.stanford.edu
- Attended January 12, 2016 to April 14, 2016
- Within Humanities and Sciences Department
- <https://lagunita.stanford.edu/courses/HumanitiesSciences/StatLearning/Winter2016/about>
- This is an introductory-level course in supervised learning, with a focus on regression and classification methods (using R).
- The “with distinction” completion required a score of 90 or more of the 100 points attainable.
- 2013 Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Education
- Completed September 13, 2013
- Northcentral University, San Diego, CA 866-776-0331, www.ncu.edu
- Attended February 1, 2009 to September 13, 2013; Doctoral Candidacy February 20, 2012; successfully completed oral defense September 13, 2013
- Specialization: School Improvement Leadership
- 4.0 GPA
- Dissertation (published by ProQuest) and Study Focus: “over-the-counter” data, an approach to improving educators' data analysis accuracy by embedding analysis guidance within the data system and its reports (much like over-the-counter medication communicates usage guidelines, risks/warnings, etc. through comprehensive labeling and supports)
- 2010 Administrative Services Credential (Clear Credential)
- Preliminary Credential Issued August 31, 2007; Clear Credential Issued June 21, 2010; Expiration for Renewal November 1, 2018
- University of California, Irvine, 949-824-5011, www.uci.edu
- Attended June 1, 2008 to October 31, 2008
- 4.0 GPA
- California Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC) Document #: 101178717
- Obtained Tier I of credential through School Leaders Licensure Assessment (92%, and finished Tier II of credential (clearing credential) through UCI (4.0 GPA), which culminated in a summer in Chiang Mai, Thailand, through UCI’s Leadership Innovation International Program for School Leaders

2008 Single Subject Teaching Credential in English (Clear Credential) and Cross-Cultural Language & Academic Development (CLAD) Certification

- Teaching Permit Issued June 13, 2000; Preliminary Credential Issued October 15, 2003; Clear Credential Issued October 29, 2008; Expiration for Renewal November 1, 2018
- National University, Costa Mesa, 858-642-8000, www.nu.edu
- Attended August 28, 2000 to June 3, 2008
- 4.0 GPA
- California Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC) Document #: 081103735
- Units for a Masters were also obtained and applied elsewhere toward a Ph.D.
- Obtained credential through NCU courses and California Subject Examinations for Teachers (CSET) for NCLB Compliancy in English (passing all 5 subtests simultaneously on 1st try) May 17, 2003, and cleared credential through NCU courses

1994 **Bachelor of Arts (BA) Degree in Art Studio**

- Attended January 1, 1991 to December 1, 1994
- University of California, Santa Barbara, 805-893-8000, www.ucsb.edu
- Degree completed within UCSB's College of Letters and Science
- 3.11 GPA
- Also studied Communications at UCSB, but minors were not officially offered to students who enrolled in 1990
- Education largely paid for by art scholarships (with the requirement that an art degree was consistently pursued) and academic scholarships

CERTIFICATIONS & ASSESSMENTS

- 2018 Elsevier Researcher Academy Author Workshop Certificate of Completion
- 2014 Mensa Admissions Test (SRA Pictorial Reasoning Test); passed in top 2%
- 2009 California English Language Development Test (CELDT) Trainer of Trainers Certificate of Completion; May 27, 2009
- 2008 Educational Leadership: International Leadership Certificate (Leadership Innovation); July 30, 2008
- 2007 Administrative Services Credential (Clear Credential), August 31, 2007 (Preliminary) and June 21, 2010 (Clear)

- 2007 School Leaders Licensure Assessment; passed with score of 184, 92%, on 1st try; June 9, 2007
- 2003 Single Subject Teaching Credential in English (Clear Credential); October 15, 2003 (Preliminary) and October 29, 2008 (Clear)
- 2003 Cross-Cultural Language and Academic Development (CLAD) Certification; October 15, 2003
- 2003 California Subject Examinations for Teachers (CSET) for NCLB Compliancy in English; passed all 5 subtests simultaneously on 1st try; May 17, 2003
- 2001 Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID) Certification (2001 AVID San Diego Summer Institute); English/Language Arts 2 (1-M-ENG) emphasis
- 2001 Developing Capable Young People Facilitator Certification
- 2001 Power Pacing (Spin Cycling) Instructor Certification (YMCA)
- 1999 Principals of Health and Fitness Certification (YMCA)
- 1999 Group Fitness Instructor Certification (YMCA)
- 1998 Healthy Back Instructor Certification (YMCA)
- 1997 California Basic Educational Skills Test (CBEST); earned “Highest Results” status in each category and score of 198 on 1st try; August 9, 1997
- 1990 Aerobics Instructor Certification (Irvine Valley College); scored 98% on both exams
- 1985 First Aid Certification (Life Line Emergency Training and American Life and Health Foundation); renewed regularly through 2009
- 1985 Adult, Child, and Infant CPR and Emergency Cardiac Care Certification (American Heart Association); renewed regularly through 2009

TECHNICAL PROFICIENCIES

- Act; Adobe Acrobat Pro; Adobe AfterEffects; Adobe Go Live (and Creative Suite); Adobe Illustrator; Adobe PageMaker; Adobe Photoshop; Adobe Photoshop Elements; Adobe Premiere; Adobe Reader; AERIES (SIS); AssessmentMaster (Formerly StandardsMaster); Basecamp; Blackboard; Blackboard Collaborate (formerly Elluminate/Wimba); Blackboard Connect; Compass Learning; DataDirector; Edmodo; Educator's Assessment Data Management System (EADMS); EduSoft; Get Satisfaction; Google Calendar, Docs, Forms, Etc.; GoToMeeting; GradeCam; Haiku; Holt Test Generators; Illuminate Activate; Illuminate Data and Assessment Management System; Illuminate ItemBank; Illuminate Special Education System; Illuminate Student Information System (SIS); IntelAssess; iPhone apps; iReport; iTunes; JasperSoft; Key Data Systems INSPECT; Longitudinal Assessment Reporting

System (LARS); MailChimp; McDougall Littel Test Generators; Microsoft Excel; Microsoft FrontPage; Microsoft Image Composer; Microsoft Outlook; Microsoft PowerPoint; Microsoft Word; Multiple Measures Online Assessment Reporting System (MMARS); ParSCORE/Scantron; Plato; Reflections (SIS); Renaissance Learning Accelerated Reader; Sassy (SIS); SquareSpace; SchoolCity SchoolCharts; ScreenSteps (Blue Mango Learning Systems); Skype; Sugar SE; SurveyMonkey; TeleParent; Trac; Various custom programs; Various distance learning interfaces (e.g., Drawbridge); Various research engines and library databases (e.g., ERIC, ProQuest, etc.); Various staff portal apps; Various web apps (e.g., Dropbox); Vidyo; Windows Live Movie Maker; Zangle (SIS); ZenDesk

AWARDS & HONORS

2019 **Honorary Doctorate: Doctor of Humane Letters (L.H.D.)**

- Awarded June 1, 2019 by University of La Verne (LaFetra College of Education)
- Awarded when Dr. Rankin gave the commencement speech at the university's graduation ceremony

2019 **Top spot on *Fupping* 2019 List of Teachers' 7 Blogs to Improve at Molding Young Minds**

- Dr. Rankin's *Psychology Today* Blog *Much More Than Common Core* made top spot on list.
- <https://fupping.com/jacobjacobowitz/2019/05/31/teachers-7-blogs-to-improve-at-molding-young-minds>

2019 **Top spot on *Newsweek* 2019 List of Teacher Appreciation Week Gift Ideas**

- Book *First Aid for Teacher Burnout: How You Can Find Peace and Success* made top spot on list.
- www.newsweek.com/teacher-appreciation-week-2019-freebies-competitions-gift-ideas-1411028

2019 **Leaners Edge Built (and Now Offers) Course on Dr. Rankin's Book**

- Book *First Aid for Teacher Burnout: How You Can Find Peace and Success*.
- <https://courses.learnersedge.com/courses/dl/all/Strategies-for-Decreasing-Teacher-Burnout-A-Resilience-Revolution/5028>

2019 **Outstanding Book Award Honorable Mention**

- From Society of Professors of Education for book *Sharing Your Education Expertise with the World: Make Research Resonate and Widen Your Impact*

2019 Judge for Engineering “Shark Tank” Competition

- Serving as Shark Tank judge on February 2
- Saddleback Valley Unified School District (SVUSD) STEAM Expo

2019 Judge for Miss Anaheim's Outstanding Teen Scholarship

- Serving on the judging panel on January 19
- www.missanaheimpageant.org; leads to Miss California and then Miss America Pageant

2018 Online Coaching School's Top 10 Books

- Rankin's book *First Aid for Teacher Burnout* included on Online Coaching School's "10 Books Which Can Change the Teacher Life"
- <https://onlinecoachingschool.blogspot.com/2018/10/10-books-which-can-change-teacher-life.html>

2018 MiddleWeb's Top 10 Books

- Rankin's book *First Aid for Teacher Burnout* included on MiddleWeb's "10 Books to Keep Us at the Top of Our Game" by Rita Platt
- www.middleweb.com/38757/10-books-to-keep-us-at-the-top-of-our-game/#comment-83390

2018 Psychology Today Essential Topic

- Article Promoted to Essential Topic by *Psychology Today* for April

2018 Certificate of Appreciation

- Awarded by Orange County Council for Gifted and Talented Education (OCC GATE)

2018 Featured in 2018 Winter Book Review Festival

- Inclusion in festival means book was selected by Middleweb as 1 of 17 "favorite books" and "one of the highlights from the past year"

2017 Profiled Mensan

- 1 of 5 members selected by American Mensa to serve as examples for potential members
- www.us.mensa.org/featured-content/should-i-join-mensa

2017 Psychology Today Essential Topic

- Article Promoted to Essential Topic by *Psychology Today* for September

2017 EWA Story of the Week

- Article Selected by Education Writers Association (EWA) for August 4-10

2017 Psychology Today Essential Topic

- Article Promoted to Essential Topic by *Psychology Today*, for August

2017 Outstanding Book Award Honorable Mention

- From Society of Professors of Education for book *First Aid for Teacher Burnout*

2016 American Mensa Top 10 Articles of 2016

- Article Named One of Top 10 Most Accessed by Mensa's *Weekly Brainwave* for 2016

2016 Psychology Today Essential Topic

- Article Promoted to Essential Topic by *Psychology Today*, for November

2016 Author of the Month

- Selected by Routledge/Taylor & Francis, *Eye on Education*, for September

2016 Top 10 Best Blogs on Education

- Notey.com selected Dr. Rankin's *Psychology Today* column for this honor.

2016 Top 10 Best Blogs on Intelligence

- Notey.com selected Dr. Rankin's *Psychology Today* column for this honor.

2016 Thanked by U.S. Secretary of Education

- John B. King, Jr., Secretary of Education of the U.S. Department of Education sent Dr. Rankin a personalized letter detailing Dr. Rankin's impact on students and saying, "I want to thank you for being a dedicated educator."

2016 Thanked by U.S. Department of Education

- Christine of USDE called Dr. Rankin for Teacher Appreciation Week to read the "Amazing Educators across the United States" nomination, which was submitted by Dr. Rankin's former student, and thank her for her service to students and the field

2016 Expert Reviewer

- Reviewing for the journal *Teacher Education Quarterly* for the California Council on Teacher Education (CCTE)

2016 Judge

- For the Orange County Mensa Scholarship essay competition

2015 Winner of ISTE Project ReimaginED Exemplar

- “Awarded for designing exemplary learning resources that address both the Common Core State Standards and the ISTE Standards”, December 9,

www.canvabadges.org/ISTE/badges/criteria/7140/d6e74a46d4ee901952d6bd09897eaa90

2015 Program Committee Member

- Included reviewing paper proposals for the Society for Information Technology & Teacher Education (SITE) 2016

- <http://site.aace.org/conf>

2015 Reviewer

- California Educational Research Association (CERA) Conference

2015 Reviewer

- For the book *Strategies for Increasing Student Success in Urban Classrooms*

2015 Judge

- California Educational Research Association (CERA) Classroom Innovation Grant Award

2015 Finalist

- Inclusion on EdTech Magazine’s 2015 Honor Roll: EdTech’s Must-Read K–12 IT Blogs

- http://list.ly/list/cyf-the-2015-honor-roll-edtechs-must-read-k-12-it-blogs#item_1092224?

2015 Judge

- Milken-Penn GSE Education Business Plan Competition, University of Pennsylvania Graduate School of Education

2015 Judge

- 2015 California Student Media Festival (CSMF)

- Sponsored by PBS SoCAL, CUE, Wells Fargo, & Discovery Education

- www.mediafestival.org

2015 Serving on Panel of Experts

- For the *New Media Consortium (NMC) Horizon Report: 2015 K12 Edition*
- Includes serving on the Horizon Project Advisory Board to provide vision for the Horizon Project, NMC's annual qualitative research project
- Honored with a special listing and acknowledgment in the NMC Horizon Report: 2015 K12 Edition
- <http://horizon.nmc.org>
2015 Expert Reviewer
- Included reviewing for the journal *Teacher Education Quarterly* for the California Council on Teacher Education (CCTE)
2015 Reviewer
- Included reviewing for the AERA Division H Outstanding Paper Competition for the American Educational Research Association (AERA)
2015 Reviewer Panel
- Included reviewing for the AERA Outstanding Dissertation Award for the American Educational Research Association (AERA)
2015 Research Committee Member
- Included reviewing proposals) for the California Council on Teacher Education (CCTE) Fall 2015
2015 Inclusion on MIT List of EdTech Blogs and Sites
- For Dr. Rankin's previous research site (which now redirects to this site) www.overthecounterdata.com
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)
- <http://web.mit.edu/jrankin/www/TAs/edTech.html>
2014 Program Committee Member
- Included reviewing paper proposals for the Society for Information Technology & Teacher Education (SITE) 2015
- <http://site.aace.org/conf>
2014 Mensa Member

- Joined October 18, 2014, after scoring within the top 2% on the Mensa Culture Fair Test on October 11, 2014

2014 Serving on Smarter Balanced Assessment Consortium (SBAC) Panel for Achievement Level Setting

- Reviewing Common Core State Standards (CCSS) assessment questions and recommending achievement level scores

- For the [Smarter Balanced Assessment Consortium](#) (SBAC) within October 5-7, 2014 window

2014 Reviewer

- Of chapter submissions for the *Handbook of Research on Innovations in Information Retrieval, Analysis, and Management* published by IGI Global

2014 Expert Reviewer

- Reviewing for the journals *Educational Researcher* and *American Educational Research Journal: Teaching, Learning, and Human Development* for the American Educational Research Association (AERA)

- Thanked on page 468 of Volume 43

2014 Research Committee Member

- Included reviewing paper proposals for the California Council on Teacher Education (CCTE) Fall 2014

2014 Double-Nominee

- Dissertation of the Year Award

- Northcentral University Graduate School of Education

2014 Winner

- SIGNAL Award for Twitter Followers Momentum

- Dr. Rankin's previous research site (which now redirects to this site) www.overthecounterdata.com won for achieving 47% growth in Twitter followers, May 19, 2014

2014 Winner

- Dr. Rankin's previous research site (which now redirects to this site) www.overthecounterdata.com won inclusion on EdTech Magazine's 2014 Must-Read Higher Education Technology Blogs List (The Dean's List)

- www.edtechmagazine.com/higher/article/2014/05/2014-deans-list-50-must-read-higher-education-technology-blogs

2014 Favorite of the Week

- Video "What the Learning Revolution Means to Me" was selected as the Learning Revolution Weekly Update "This Week's Favorite" March 11, 2014

2014 Participant in Smarter Balanced Assessment Consortium (SBAC) Alignment Study

- Examining alignment issues related to the Common Core State Standards (CCSS) summative assessments from SBAC; Study conducted by HumRRO and CTB, with the involvement of California Department of Education (CDE), for the [Smarter Balanced Assessment Consortium](#) (SBAC)

2014 Judge

- Milken-Penn GSE Education Business Plan Competition, University of Pennsylvania Graduate School of Education

2014 Judge

- 2014 California Student Media Festival (CSMF)
- Sponsored by PBS SoCAL, CUE, Wells Fargo, & Discovery Education

- www.mediafestival.org

2014 Finalist

- EdTech Digest Trendsetter Award
- <http://edtechdigest.wordpress.com/2014/03/20/2014-finalists-winners>

2014 Member

- Golden Key International Honor Society
- Joined invitation-only society for having maintained 4.0 GPA while a graduate student from 2008-2013
- www.goldenkey.org

2014 **Academic Expert**

- Joined Academic Experts' invitation-only academic expertise resource and community only for academics and specialists who have passed the peer-review process to participate in [Association for the Advancement of Computing in Education \(AACE\)](#) or Society for Information Technology & Teacher Education (SITE) (with authored journal and proceedings articles in the [EdITLib](#) Digital Library), <http://academicexperts.org/profiles/JennyRankin>

2013 **Winner**

- Computer Using Educators (CUE) #EduWin Award (November)
- www.eduwin.org/2/post/2013/12/congratulations-to-our-november-eduwin-honorees.html

2013 **Program Committee Member**

- Included reviewing paper proposals for the Society for Information Technology & Teacher Education (SITE) 2014
- www.aace.org/conf/site/committees

2013 **Peer Paper Reviewer**

- For the International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE) 2014

2013 **Alternate for State SBAC Team**

- For California State Network of Educators (SNE) (the state's team evaluating professional learning resources for Smarter Balanced Assessment Consortium's digital library of formative assessment tools/practices)

2013 **Honorable Mention**

- *The Magazine of F&SF* Writing Competition; May 1, 2013

2013 **Education Expert**

- For Quibly (by invitation); <http://quib.ly/users/jennyrankin>

2013 **Semifinalist**

- Writers of the Future Contest; January 1, 2013

2004 **The U.S. flag was flown over the United States Capitol Building (the White House) at the request of the Honorable Christopher Cox, U.S. Representative**

- “in recognition of Mrs. Pasqualino’s [Dr. Rankin’s name at the time] dedication to her students”

2003 Winner

- Teacher of the Year, Buena Park School District; May 1, 2003

2001 Honorable Mention

- Writer’s Digest; Your Assignment Competition; June 20, 2001

Badges

- 2016 ISTE Project ReimaginED Exemplar
- 2014 Academic Experts: Attendance Badge
- 2014 Academic Experts: Autobiographer Badge
- 2014 Academic Experts: Conversation Starter Badge
- 2014 Academic Experts: Networked Badge
- 2014 Academic Experts: Published Badge
- 2014 Academic Experts: Putting a Face to a Name Badge
- 2014 OZeLIVE Presented & Presenting Badges
- 2014 International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE) 2014 Speaker Badge
- 2014 Mozilla 101 Badge
- 2013 Speak Up (Project Tomorrow: National Research Project) Participant Badge
- 2013 Connected Educators Month (CEM) Baby Tweet Badge
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- 2013 Connected Educators Month (CEM) Wiki Wanderer Badge
- 2012 Learning 2.0 Presenter Badge

Scholarships

- 1990-1994 Art Scholarship (Laguna Beach Festival of Arts)
- 1990-1994 Art Scholarship (Laguna Beach Sawdust Art Festival)
- 1990 Academic Scholarship (Private Source)
- 1990 Art Scholarship (Private Source)