

Curriculum Vitae

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Areas of Specialization

Global Epistemologies & Cross-Cultural Research in Education & Literacy Research

Diversity, Social Justice, Equity & Indigenous matters

Digital Literacies

Nature of Literacy, Meaning Making, Reading Comprehension & Reading-Writing relationships

Text Matters

Teaching, Learning & Development

Assessment

Teacher Education

Educational History

Postgraduate	Workshops in research methods, sociology & psycholinguistics	Engagements with various scholars	
Graduate	PhD & Masters	University of Georgia	1974
Undergraduate	Toward BA	University of Sydney, Macquarie University	1967-1970
	BScEd	Jacksonville State University	1971
	Teaching Diploma	William Balmain Teacher's College, Sydney, Australia	1965-1966

Employment History

University of British Columbia	Professor	2013-Current
University of Sydney	Honorary Professor	2013-Current
Beijing Normal University	Distinguished Professor	2013-Current
University of Sydney, Faculty of Education and Social Work	Dean and Professor	2010-2013
University of British Columbia, Faculty of Education	Dean and Professor	2000-2010
Ohio State University	Professor	1989-2000
School of Teaching and Learning	Director and Professor	1996-2000
College of Education, Dept. of Educational Theory & Practice	Chairperson & Professor	1992-1996
	Associate Professor	1986-1989
University of California-Berkeley	Associate Professor	1986-1987
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	Associate Professor	1982-1985
Center for the Study of Reading	Senior Scientist	1979-1981
Harvard University	Associate Professor	1981-1982
University of Arizona	Associate Professor	1978-1979
	Assistant Professor	1974-1978
University of Georgia	Research & Teaching Assistant, Instructor	1972-1974
New South Wales, Department of Education	Classroom Teacher & Demonstration teacher (Sydney University)	1967-1970

SCHOLARSHIP

Global Epistemologies & Cross-Cultural Research in Education & Literacy

Published Papers

- Tierney, R. J. (2018) Toward a model of global meaning making. *Journal of Literacy Research*, 50, 4. 1–26.
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- Teasdale, R., Tierney, R. J., Ames, W., & Wray, R. (1978). A cross-cultural comparison of item analysis data on the Revised ITPA. *Australian Psychologist*, 3, 391-399.
- Tierney, R. J. (1976). A comparison of Australian and American reading teachers. In J. E. Merritt (Ed.), *New Horizons in Reading* (pp. 537-549). Newark, DE: International Reading Association.

Monographs & Reports

- Tierney, R. J. & Morgan, R. (2017) *Foreword*. In Su De, Mei, Yuan *Studies on the Policies of Basic Education for Ethnic Minorities in China*. Science and Education Press. Beijing.
- Tierney, R. J., Arua, A., Moanakwena, P. G., Rogers, T., & Lenters, K. (2005). *Improving the quality of literacy learning in the content areas: situational analysis of secondary level education in Botswana*, International Reading Association and UNESCO Section for General Secondary, Technical and Vocational Education.
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Presentations at National & International Meetings

- Tierney, R. J. (2018) *Imagining and Realizing a New Paradigm for China's Educational Future*. Keynote address at the International Conference on

- “Ideas and action for educational excellence” at Nanjing Normal University, September 23, 2018.
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- Kan, W., & Tierney, R. J. (2017) *Beyond western empiricism to global eclecticism in educational research*. Paper presented at the World Educational Research Meeting, Hong Kong, December 1, 2017.
- Tierney, R. J. (2017) *Global Compliance and the Challenges of Internationalizing Educational Research in the Age of the Western Empire Building*. Paper presented at Sixth Worldwide Forum for Comparative Education, Beijing Normal University, September 24, 2017.
- Tierney, R. J. (2017) *Comparative educational research: in search of an ethical compass*. Paper presented at Sixth Worldwide Forum for Comparative Education, Beijing Normal University, September 23, 2017.
- Tierney, R. J. (2017). *Internationalization of collaborative inquiry across time and space zones for teaching and learning: interculturalidad traverses, ethical praxis, the body politic*. Paper presented at Third Global Summit of Teacher Education, Beijing Normal University, October 15, 2017.
- Tierney, R. J. (2017) *Rediscovering our worlds: readers as situated participants, reflexive responders, respectful entrepreneurs, discerning critics, creative artists and cultural advocates*. Keynote presentation to Tenth Pan-African Literacy conference, Abuja, Nigeria, August 28, 2017.
- Tierney, R. J. & Smith, G. (2017) *Internationalization of the Literacy Research association*. Workshop given to the Literacy Research Association Board, San Antonio, April 26, 2017.
- Kan, W., Xiang, R., & Tierney, R. J. (2017) *Empirical literacy education research across space and time*. Paper presented at the American Educational Research Association meeting, San Antonio, April 28, 2017.
- Tierney, R. J. (2016). *Cross national research: the shaping of epistemologies and ethics*. XVI World Congress of Comparative Education Societies Beijing, August 2016.
- Tierney, R. J. (2016). *Ethics in international contexts – processes, procedures and cultural considerations*. Paper presented at Literacy Research Association Annual meeting, Nashville Tennessee, November 30, 2016.
- Tierney, R. J., Xiang, Ran, Kan, W. (2016) *Western Epistemology and Global Literacy Research: A Decade of Literacy Research in the United States*. Paper presented at the Literacy Research Association Annual Meeting, Nashville, Tennessee. November 30, 2016. https://www.academia.edu/30717654/Western_Epistemology_and_Global_Literacy_Research_a_Decade_of_Literacy_Research_in_the_United_S_tates
- Tierney, R. J. (2016) *Literacy; some of the waves of development in contemporary times*. Keynote address at 15th Annual Reading Association of Nigeria, October 4, 2016, University of Calabar.
- Tierney, R. J. (2016). *Unpacking Ethical Chasms: The Guise of Global Educational Empowerment and Internationalization*. Paper presented at World Educational Research Association/American Educational Research Association joint meeting, Washington DC. April 9, 2016. In conjunction with the symposium Border Crossings and Ethical Praxis: Global Educational Pursuits Within and Across Cultures Sat, April 9, 2016.

- Tierney, R. J. (2015). *Ideologies of research: Respecting others; seeing and positioning self*. Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Literacy Research Association, Carlsbad, California. December 2015.
- Tierney, R. J. & Kan, Wei. (2015). *The shaping of educational scholarship at a time of heightened globalization: turning the mirror on insularity, ignorance, arrogance and collusion*. Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Literacy Research Association, Carlsbad, California. December 2015.
- Tierney, R. J. & Kan, Wei. (2014). *Confronting global knowledges: Chinese and US educational researchers in the 21st century*. Paper presented at World Educational Research Association, Edinburgh, Scotland, November 21, 2014.
- Tierney, R. J. (2014). *Striving to become a leading University and Faculty of Education: Lessons from different countries*. Paper presented at the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Faculty of Education, Beijing Normal University, June 28, 2014.
- Tierney, R. J. (2014). *Cross-national educational research and the changing knowledge economies: global convergence, local divergence and transformation within China, North America and the Pacific*. Paper presented at Tri-nation education conference on Internationalization in Education at the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, March 30, 2014.
<https://www.academia.edu/RobTierney/Papers>
- Tierney, R. J. (2010) *Beyond the paradoxes with cross-border pursuits*. Paper presented at the Hawaii International Conference on Education, January, 2010 Honolulu
- Tierney, R. J. (2009) *Global issues: multi-directional forces and tensions*. Invited presentation U 21 Education meeting/ American Educational Research Association. April 20, 2009 San Diego.
- Tierney, R. J. (1988). *Cross-national perspectives on the state of reading research*. Address presented at the Twelfth World Congress on Reading, Queensland, Australia.
- Tierney, R. J. (1976). *Directions for Australian and American reading instruction*. Paper presented at Sixth World Congress on Reading, Singapore.
- Tierney, R. J. (1974). *A comparative perspective: Australian and American reading teachers*. Paper presented at the Fifth World Congress on Reading, International Reading Association, Vienna, Austria.
- Tierney, R. J. (1974). *The generalizability of psycholinguistics research to other English-speaking cultures*. Paper presented at the Nineteenth Annual Convention, International Reading Association, New Orleans, Louisiana. Published in ERIC-CRIER ed. 092 917.

Research

Published Papers

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- Tierney, R. J. (2009). Shaping New Literacies research. extrapolations from the Handbook of Research on New Literacies. *Reading Research Quarterly*, 44(3), 322-339.
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Monographs & Reports

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- Tierney, R. J., Butler, D., & Heap, J. (2010). Accord on research in education-background statement. Association of Canadian Deans of Education, Canadian Society for the Study of Education. <http://www.csse-scee.ca/acde/accords>

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https://www.academia.edu/9699516/Literacy_Research_and_Rhetorical_Space_Reflections_and_Interpretive_Possibilities

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- Tierney, R. J. (2010). *Reflections on the aims and functions of national research centers: past, present and future*. Annual conference of the Literacy Research Association, Fort Worth, Texas, December 2, 2010.
- Tierney, R. J., Butler, D., Heap, J (2010) *Accord on research in education*. Association of Canadian Deans of Education, Canadian Society for the Study of Education, May, 2010, Montreal,
- Tierney, R. J (2009) *Reading research: how and when it has an impact*. Invited presentation, International Reading Association Annual meeting, May 4, 2009, Minneapolis.
- Tierney, R. J. (2008) *Collaborative models for school leadership*. Meeting of major educational stakeholder groups jointly sponsored by Association of British Columbia Deans of Education, BC Ministry of Education, Ministry of Advanced Education and Labour Market Development & BC Leadership council, Vancouver.
- Tierney, R. J. (2008) *Introduction to E. B Huey*. Paper presented at the Annual meeting of the International Reading Association, Atlanta, May, 2008.
- Tierney, R. J. (2008) *Recapturing our professionalism: moving forward from troubled times to new literacies*. Featured speaker presentation at the Annual meeting of the International Reading Association, Atlanta, May, 2008.
- Tierney, R. J. (2007) *Reflections on the Inspector-General's report on Reading First: Reflections on our field and ourselves*. Paper presentation at National Reading Conference, Austin, November 28, 2007
- Tierney, R. J. (1999) *Reflections on the National Reading Conference*. Annual meeting of the National Reading Conference, Orlando, Florida, December 2, 1999.
- Tierney, R. J. (1997) *Literacy research and interpretative spaces*. Paper presented to the faculty at Edith Cowan University, Perth, Western Australia
- Tierney, R. J. (1996). *Literacy research and interpretative spaces*. National Reading Conference, Charleston, S.C.
- Tierney, R. J. & T. Crumpler (1996). *Literacy research and rhetorical spaces*. American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, New York.
- Tierney, R. J. (1995) *The rhetoric of research in reading*. Paper presented to the faculty and

graduate students at the University of Queensland, Brisbane.

- Tierney, R. J. (1994). *Research in a state of change: some shifts in literacy education research*. Paper presented at the 39th Annual Convention, International Reading Association, Toronto.
- Tierney, R. J. (1994). *Shifts in research and the politics of science*. American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans.
- Tierney, R. J. (1992). *Discussant. America 2000: Anthropological perspectives*. American Anthropological Association, 91st Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA. December 5, 1992.
- Tierney, R. J. (1992) *Trends in research topics, methodology and reporting that is occurring in the context of pursuing instructional research in reading*. Paper presented at IRA 1992 World Congress, Maui, Hawaii.
- Tierney, R. J. (1992) *Trends in publishing literacy research*. Paper presented at IRA 1992 World Congress, Maui, Hawaii.
- Tierney, R. J. (1991). *The eye of the bumble bee: A multifaceted view of literacy or on matters of subjectivity, knowledge claims the art of method and ethics in literacy research*. National Reading Conference Presidential Address, Palm Springs, CA.
- Tierney, R. J. (1988). *Perspectives on literacy research*. Paper presented at the thirty-third Annual Convention of the International Reading Association, Toronto, Canada.

Diversity, Social Justice, Equity & Indigenous Matters

Published Papers

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- Tierney, R. J. (2018). *Strategies to transform the educational experiences and outcomes for indigenous students*. University of Canberra, October, 23, 2018.
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- Tierney, R. J. (2012). *Compounding inequities: Australia's widening the gap*. American Educational Research Association Meeting, Vancouver, April 16, 2012.
- Tierney, R. J. (2012). *Our worlds, our challenges: equities and robust social justice*. Te Whare Wānanga o Awanuiārangi: indigenous-university, Indigenous Education Research Symposium, Whatatanga, December 6, 2012.
- Tierney, R. J. (2012). *Equity through education: mapping Australia and China*, Beijing Normal University 80th Anniversary, International Symposium, Beijing, June 13, 2012.
- Tierney, R. J. (2012). *Education access and inequity in Australia: complicities, complacencies, complexities*. University of Newcastle, June 5, 2012.
- Tierney, R. J. (2012). *Growing inequities: How do we contribute?* New Zealand Educational Research Association. Tauranga, New Zealand, November 29, 2011.
- Tierney, R.J. (2010) *Collaborations with local scholars to develop indigenous research capacity*. Annual conference of the Literacy Research Association, Fort Worth, Texas, Dec 1, 2010.

Digital Literacies

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- Brochure: A Conversation with Robert Tierney. A 15-page transcript of a conversation held about reading during a trip to Australia in 1978. Organized and distributed by Ashton-Scholastic Publishing Company, NSW, Australia.
- Contributing Author: National teachers' examination for reading specialist, reading comprehension subtest, 1978.
- Tierney, R. J. (1986). Exploring the effects of glib responses to journal entries. In *Dialogue*, 3, 4. Pp. 7-8.
- Tierney, R. J. (1975). Requirements for reading. Published in *The Epistle*, 4.

- Tierney, R. J. (1974). An evaluation of doctoral experience. *The Epistle*, 2, 8–9.
- Tierney, R. J. (1973). The relationship of originality and critical thinking to effective questioning in reading. In E. P. Torrance (Ed.), *Exploring Studies in Creativity*. Athens: University of Georgia.

CURRICULUM SERIES

- Consultant, Holt Rinehart Winston, High school science curriculum. 2000-2002.
- Major Co-author, *Celebrate Reading!* Glenview, IL: Scott, Foresman Co., 1993 (This is a K-8 classroom literature anthology series).
- Major Co-author, *Scott Foresman Reading*, Glenview, IL: Scott, Foresman and Co., 1989. (This is a K-8 basal reader series.)
- Major Co-author, *Collections: A literary anthology*. Glenview, IL: Scott, Foresman and Co., 1988. (This is a 1-6 literature anthology series)
- Major Co-author, *FOCUS: Reading for success*, Glenview, IL: Scott, Foresman Co., 1980 & 1985. (This is a K-8 basal reading series.)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

National/International Committees and Service

- Served as a member of key consortiums such as the Universitas 21 global university Faculties of Education, Spencer Foundation Deans of Education, national (Australian Council of Deans of Education), state (New South Wales Deans of Education) and provincial committees (Association of British Columbia Deans of Education). Consulted with Foundations (e.g. George Lucas, Bill and Melinda Gates, Vancouver) and corporations (e.g., Apple Computer, Intel). Consultant to major urban schools in China (Beijing #4, Erdos, Inner Mongolia), US (e.g. Milwaukee City Schools, Columbus City School, Fairfax County-Virginia, Montgomery County-Maryland, Tucson Schools), Canada (Vancouver City Schools, Richmond), Australia (e.g., NSW schools, South Coast Region, NSW: Walgett School, Menindee)
- President, Association of Canadian Deans of Education, 2005-2008

- Board member, Action Schools, 2005-2006
- President, Association of British Columbia Deans of Education, 2006-2007
- Advisory committee member, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore, Centre for Research in Pedagogy and Practice, National Institute of Education, 2003-2006
- Board member, Canadian Society for Study of Education, 2002-2005
- Board member, Faculty of Education, University of Melbourne, 2002-2010
- National Academy of Education, Reviewer of Grants and Fellowships, 1996-1997
- Evaluator, National Reading Research Center, Universities of Georgia and Maryland, 1992
- National Advisory Committee, Children's Television Workshop, 1989-1996
- National Advisory Committee, International Evaluation of Educational Achievement (Over fifty countries were involved in pursuing a cross-national assessment of literacy), 1988-1990
- National Advisory Committee, Center for Adolescent Development, Funded by Carnegie Foundation and Lily Foundation and Office of Educational Research and Improvement, 1987-1995
- Research Proposal Review Panel, Office of Educational Research and Improvement (OERI), 1979-1984, 1987
- National Advisory Committee for Planning, 1977-1979, Implementing and Interpreting Future NAEP in Reading, 1982-1984
- Member, National Institute of Education (NIE) Basic Skills Synthesis Panels, 1978-1982
- National Advisory Committee for Interpreting the Results of the 1970-1971 and 1974-1975 National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) in Reading, 1976-1979
- American Educational Research Association (AERA), Division C and H
- Speaker, Chairperson and discussant at Annual Convention, 1980-Present
- Member, research paper review 1980–2000
- Member, SIG Basic Studies in Reading, Participant, 1980–2005
- Member, SIG Writing research review committee, 1985-1990

Member, SIG Discourse Structure, Participant, 1980-1990

Chair, Division C, Section 3, 1981-1982

Literacy Research Association, Formerly National Reading Conference (NRC)?

International Special Interest Group

Editorial Review Board, conference proceedings, 1974-2010

Conference submissions, 1978-2000

Elected Board Member, 1986-1988

Elected President, 1992

International Reading Association (IRA)

Member, Awards committee, 2007-2010

Member, Assessment committee, 2005-2007

Chair, Committee on Interpretation and Analysis of the NAEP in Reading, 1976-1979

Chair, IRA Research Awards Subcommittee (Outstanding Dissertation Award), 1979-1981

Member, Cognitive Psychology and Reading Comprehension, 1979-1981

Chair, IRA Special Interest Group, Socio-psycholinguistics, 1983-1984

Member, research paper review committee, 1980-2000

Co-leader, IRA Seminar Series, 1981-1983

Member, NIE-IRA Advisory Committee, 1982-83

Chair, Reading Research Fellowship, 1983-1984

Member, Research and Studies Committee, 1983-1985

Member, Creative Uses of Language Committee, 1985-1987

Member, William S. Gray Award, 1990-1992

Editor, Reading Research Quarterly, 1990-1995

National Council for Teachers of English (NCTE)

Research committee of NCTE, 1979-1981

Testing practices committee, 1986-1988

National Conference for Research in the Teaching of English (NCRE), Member, 1979-Present

Elected Board member, 1983-1986

Fellow status, 1986-present

NCTE-NCRE, Research Assembly, 1983-1984

Elected Chair (The Assembly included over 200 researchers from around the US and Canada representing various disciplines related to teaching Language Arts and English)

Apple Computer, Inc., 1987-1999

Apple Classroom of Tomorrow, Consultant (Involved in research related to a national project on the effects of advanced technology upon schools)

Bolt Beranek Newman, 1981-1983

Member, Advisory Board, Writing curriculum for microcomputers (Quill)

OTHER SERVICE

Have served as a consultant to the Education Commission of the States, United States Office of Education, US Justice Department, Pima County (Arizona) Supreme Court, various international government agencies (e.g. World Bank, UNESCO), selected foreign governments (Singapore, New Zealand, Poland, Turkey, Indonesia). Served as a consultant to various school districts and state department of education. Testified at hearings at state and federal level.

Organized several international, national and regional conferences including the bi-annual Tri-nations conference (China, Canada, Australia) 2011, 2012, 2014, Pacific Region Reading Research Symposium, 1979; Center for the Study of Reading Pre-IRA Conferences, 1981, 1983; Learning to Reading in American Schools, 1981; and Arizona State Reading Council, 1980, National Reading Conference, 1990, National Council for Teachers of English Research Assembly workshop and conference.

Organizer and Conference Chair: Co-sponsored with Beijing Normal University "The nature of educational reforms: role of governments and universities across US, UK, Australia-NZ, China" 2008.

Organizer and Conference Chair: Co-sponsored with Hanban China "Research on Teaching Mandarin" East China Normal, November, 2007

Organizer and Chair: Summit on the Nature and Impact of Educational Research, October, 2007. 30 Canadian institutions represented as well as representatives from the US and Australia. Beijing, 2007.

DOCTORAL STUDENT COMMITTEES

Have directed a number of award winning dissertations (International Reading Association Outstanding Dissertation of the year, Finalists for IRA Dissertation Award, NRC Student Award, NCTE Promising Researcher Award).

Dissertation Director for 32 students, 1975-Present

Examining Committee for over 60 students, 1975–Present.

ACADEMIC & PROFESSIONAL HONORS

Award recipient, Distinguished International Research Award, Beijing Normal University, 2014

Award recipient, British Columbia Deans of Education. Contributions to public education in British Columbia, 2010

Award recipient, Lifetime member, Association of Canadian Deans of Education, 2010

Award recipient, Honorary member, British Columbia Teachers Federation, 2008

Award recipient, Reading Hall of Fame Inductee, 2000

Award recipient, W. S. Gray Citation of Merit, International Reading Association, 2003

Award recipient, Outstanding contributions to the Literacy of Ohio Students by the Literacy Educator and Advocacy Forum, 1997

Award recipient, Excellence in Teacher-Researcher Collaborations, American Association of College Teacher Educators, 1986

Award recipient, Teacher Excellence Award. University of Illinois, 1985 and 1986

National Conference on Research in English, elected to membership. NCRE, 1978, elected to Fellow, 1987

Scholarship recipient, Australian representative to International House Program, USA. Awarded International House scholarship, one foreign national from each of 20 countries selected to participate. 1970-1971

Scholarship recipient, Rotary Scholar, District 686, Rotary International, 1970

Scholarship recipient, Education Warrant by NSW Department of Education to attend Macquarie University, 1967-1969

Scholarship recipient, Teachers' College Scholarship by NSW Department of Education, 1964–66

Scholarship recipient, L. J. Hooker Scholarship for Civil Engineering, University of New South Wales, 1963

GRANTS

Director, *Center for cultural practices of literacy*. Ongoing funding by Canadian Funds for Innovation, 2013-2016

Principal Co-investigator, *Cross-national case studies of ethnic student access, engagement and graduation in selected universities* (China, Australia and Canada), Beijing Normal University and the University of Sydney, \$25,000. 2013-Present

Principal co-investigator on United States Office of Education grant: *The effects of captions on Reading Comprehension*. 200,000 dollars, 2001-2003

Principal co-investigator, *INE Research Alliance—Multiple literacies*, \$800K SHRCC—Joint proposal with University of Toronto, Vancouver School Board, British Columbia Teachers Federation 2003-present

Principal Co-Investigator, United States Office of Education Technology-Enhanced Teaching and Learning Project. Capacity Building Grant (with S. Damarin) June, 1999-June, 2000. \$200,000

Principal Investigator, Apple Computer, Inc.-*Follow up to longitudinal study on computer appropriation*, 1997-1998, \$15,000

Principal Co-Investigator, *Eisenhower National Clearinghouse in Science and Mathematics Education*, Co-Principal Investigator, 6 million, 1997-2000

Co-Principal investigator, *Teacher education development project for Indonesia*, World Bank and Indonesia Government, \$6 million 1994-1998

Principal investigator, *Portfolio evaluation as history: evaluation of the history academy for Ohio teachers*. \$18,000 US Department of Education, The

Secretary's Fund for Innovation in Education,
CDFA84215S 1993-1984

Principal investigator, Apple Computer, Inc.-
Approx. \$125,000 per annum, *A study of the
thought processes enhanced during computer based
writing activities.* 1987-1993

Principal Co-Investigator Center for the Study of
Writing \$100,000 (contract for Center for Study
of Reading), *A synthesis of the research on reading-
writing relationships.* 1986

Principal co-investigator, Carnegie Corporation -
\$15,000 (with R. C. Anderson and J. Osborn),
*"Learning to read in American schools: Basal readers
and content texts." Conference for executives from
North American publishing companies.* 1981

Principal co-investigator, University of Illinois
Research Board - \$6,220, *"Dependencies of
discourse structure on modalities."* (with P. Cohen)
1980-1981

Principal co-investigator, National Institute of
Education: Teaching and Learning Program
Research Grant - \$120,000, *"Learning from
expository text: The interaction of text structure with
reader characteristics."* (with D. Schallert) 1980-
1981

Principal investigator, College of Education Research
Grant, (University of Arizona) - \$1,000, *"Aspects
of discourse structure: An examination of the
characteristics of discourse, memory of discourse and
the discourse processing operations of children."*
1976

Principal Investigator, Graduate College Research
Grant, (University of Georgia) - \$250, *"The
generalizability of psycholinguistic findings to other
English speaking cultures."* 1974.
