

# **Dr. Darnell Johnson**

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## **Curriculum Vita**

### **EDUCATION**

**Doctor of Education, The George Washington University, 2000  
Certificate of Advanced Studies in Administration, Old Dominion University, 1986  
Master of Arts in Mathematics Education, University of Kentucky, 1977  
Bachelor of Science in Mathematics, Elizabeth City State University, 1973**

### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### **Teaching-University Level**

**Associate Professor of Mathematics at Elizabeth City State University, 2004 to present  
Mathematics Department Chairperson, Elizabeth City State University, 2004 to present  
Adjunct Professor of Mathematics at Elizabeth City State University, 1985-1991, 2001-2004  
Adjunct Professor of Mathematics at Norfolk State University, 1985-1986  
Adjunct Professor of Mathematics at Old Dominion University, 1985-1986  
Graduate Teaching Assistant-University of Kentucky, 1973-1974**

#### **Teaching-Middle/Secondary Levels in Portsmouth City Schools-Portsmouth, VA**

##### **Teacher-Mathematics**

**Cradock High School, Manor High School, Waters Junior High School, 1974-1986**

#### **School Administration in Portsmouth City Schools-Portsmouth, VA**

**Principal-Churchland Middle School, 1999-2004  
Principal-New Directions Center, 1990-1993 & 1994-1999  
Assistant Principal-Bayside Junior High School, 1989-1990  
Assistant Principal-Waters Junior High School, 1986-1989**

#### **Central Office Administration in Portsmouth City Schools-Portsmouth, VA**

**Coordinator of Community Schools, 1993-1994**

### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### **BOOKS & RESOURCES**

**Johnson, D. (2000). Perceived Mentor Benefits from a Formal Mentoring Experience. Washington, D.C. The George Washington University  
Johnson, D. (2003). Middle School Resource Guide for Success with Virginia Standards of Learning Curriculum. Portsmouth, VA.  
Johnson, D. (2002). Middle School Resource Guide for Success with Virginia Standards of Learning Curriculum. Portsmouth, VA.**

### **RESEARCH ACTIVITIES**

**CReSIS Education Coordinator  
NASA Public School Math Sprint Coordinator  
CERSER Mentor & Community Outreach  
Mathematics Teacher Education Training  
NASA Earth Science Education Community Outreach**

**Co-PI Mid-Eastern Alliance for Minority Participation (MEAMP)**

### **FUNDED RESEARCH PROJECTS**

**MATHCOUNTS for the Northeastern Mathematics & Science Partnership of NC (\$3,000,000) 05-06**

**MATHCOUNTS for the Northeastern Mathematics & Science Partnership of NC (\$5,000,000) 03-06**  
**Phase II – Mid-Eastern Alliance for Minority Participation, NSF Grant, (\$4,133,305) 2006-2011**  
**Math Sprint Competitions, NASA Grant, (\$20,000) 2003-2005**  
**You Be The Scientist, NASA Grant, (\$50,000) 2000-2004**  
**AIMS Teacher Grant, NSF Grant, (\$225,000) 1999-2004**  
**Eisenhower Mathematics and Science Grant, NSF Grant, (\$300,000)1999-2004**  
**Dropout Prevention Grant, VA Dept of Ed Grant, (\$800,000) 1994-1999**

## **BOARDS, COUNCILS, & COMMITTEES**

**ECSU Education Advisory Council**  
**ECSU Graduate Advisory Council**  
**ECSU Curriculum Planning Council**  
**ECSU Career Services Advisory Board**  
**NC EMPT Advisory Board**  
**ECSU American Education Week Committee**  
**Mathematics Association of America-ECSU Department Liaison**  
**NC-Algebra Research Collaboration Council**  
**ECSU General Studies Advisory Board**  
**ECSU School of MST Research Week Planning Committee**  
**ECSU AASCU-Education Trust Visit Team**  
**ECSU MST Post-Tenure Review Council**  
**ECSU MEAMP Committees**  
**ECSU Faculty Search Committee**  
**ECSU Summer School Committee**  
**ECSU Honor's Program Thesis Defense Team**

## **PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS & CONFERENCES**

**Helping Parents Understand the Role of the Black Male, June, 2006**  
**Encouraging Student Success, March, 2006**  
**Understanding the Black Male in the Educational Setting, March, 2006**  
**Virginia Standards of Learning Process and Assessment-August, 2003**  
**Inclusion in Virginia's Middle Schools, April, 2003**  
**Increasing Mathematics Scores on the Virginia SOL-June, 2003**  
**Classroom Management in Public Schools, 2003**  
**Organizing the Middle School Curriculum of English and Mathematics-April, 2003**  
**Educational Administration-The Assistant Principal, July, 2001**  
**Levels of Leadership, August, 2000**  
**Effective Classroom Instructional Methods, September, 2000**  
**Effective Teaching Methods to Test-Score Gains in Mathematics-October, 2000**  
**Discipline with Dignity, August, 1999**  
**Educational Technology-November, 1999**  
**Computers for Learning in Mathematics-September, 1999**  
**Safe Schools Planning, January, 1998**  
**Moving Toward the Middle School, May, 1991**

## **PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

**ECSU Chapter of IEEE**  
**National Council of Teachers of Mathematics**  
**North Carolina Council of Mathematics Teachers**  
**Mathematics Association of America**  
**Phi Delta Kappa**  
**Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development**  
**National Association of Middle/Secondary School Principals**  
**Virginia Association of Middle /Secondary School Principals**

## **AWARDS**

**Captain, CIAA Football Championship Team, 1972**

**Vice-President Student Government Association, Elizabeth City State University, 1972**

**Who's Who Among American Colleges and Universities, 1972 & 1973**

**ALL CIAA Academic Team, 1973**

**NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship to Southern Region Student Athlete, 1973**

**Graduate Teaching Assistantship to University of Kentucky, 1973**

**Invitation to Dallas Cowboys' Walk on Professional Football Camp, 1973**

**President Student Government Association, Elizabeth City State University, 1973**

**Graduate Student Counselor at University of Kentucky, 1973-1974**

## **HONORS**

**Volunteer Award – Portsmouth Sheriff's Department 1984**

**Manor High School Band Parents Association Award 1986**

**Principal's Award – W. E. Waters Junior High School 1988**

**Chaplain's Award – Southeastern Correctional Ministries 1990**

**Volunteer Award – Alanton Black Male Culture Club 1990**

**Bayside Optimist Club Award 1991**

**Principal's Award - New Directions Center 1993**

**Virginia Urban Fellows Recipient 1994**

**Guest Speaker/Host Channel 47 Portsmouth Public Schools 1995**

**“Liberty Bell” Award – Portsmouth Bar Association 1995**

**Guest Speaker – Channel 47 “High Street Blues” 1996**

**Regional Citizenship Award Finalist – The Virginian Pilot 1997**

**“Man of the Year” Award - Fundamental Baptist Fellowship Association 1997**

**Secondary Principal of the Year Award – Portsmouth Public Schools 2000**

**Hanging of Principal's Portrait – Churchland Middle School PTA Board 2004**