

# Andrew P. Marcinek, M.Ed.

## EXPERIENCE

### **CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER, Worcester Academy**

**July 2016 – Present**

Focused on implementing professional learning for the Worcester Academy 1:1 learning program for grades 6-12, transitioned the school to Google Apps for Education, and designed new policy on responsible use of technology, communications for safety and security, and academic scheduling. In addition to these goals, I designed a blended and online learning program that sought to provide distance learning opportunities for our international boarding students, enrichment programs for post graduate and current students, and access to courses for students of need in Worcester, MA.

### **CHIEF OPEN EDUCATION ADVISOR, United States Department of Education**

**August 2015-June 2016**

Focused on expanding and accelerating the adoption of open education policies within the Department, encouraged the expansion of such policies across the federal government and supported initiatives that dramatically increased the curation and sharing of open educational materials by educators throughout the country. Organized a White House event that brought together EdTech companies, district and state leaders, and nonprofits to help launch a national movement called #GoOpen that supports PreK-12 school districts in the expansion of implementing openly-licensed educational materials, the development of better discovery and curation tools from Amazon, Microsoft, and Edmodo, and guidance for strategic planning and sustainability.

### **CO-FOUNDER, EducatorU**

**2011-Present**

Founded, along with colleagues Dennis Villano and Bob Cunha, a professional development group that supported New England area schools in designing a comprehensive plan to integrate a successful 1:1 learning environment through infrastructure analysis, device deployment organization, effective management, and tailored professional development.

### **DIRECTOR OF TECHNOLOGY, Grafton Public Schools and Town**

**August 2014-June 2015**

Led several large-scale transitions that impacted student learning and engagement, budget, and sustainability of educational technology resources. Revised the Grafton High School 1:1 iPad program to provide new devices for every high school student and teacher and repurposed legacy devices to support learning and instruction in two elementary schools. Incorporated monthly community technology nights for parents and community members, led personal learning communities on personalized and blended learning, revised the district website, and co-organized Edcamp Grafton to support staff and surrounding districts.

**DIRECTOR OF TECHNOLOGY, Groton-Dunstable Regional School District  
August 2013-June 2014**

Managed a \$562,000 technology grant to design a strategic plan that provided a sustainable education technology environment that immediately impacted teaching and learning. Collaborated with the technology team to transition staff and students to Google Apps for Education and provide professional development for the entire staff, launched and managed 700 Google Chromebooks, and presented weekly after school, optional PD for staff, refreshed faculty laptops by providing choice between Mac and PC, and upgraded network infrastructure to provide robust, wireless access in all six school buildings.

**ACADEMIC TECHNOLOGY, Burlington Public Schools  
August 2011-June 2013**

Helped lead one of the first large-scale 1:1 iPad rollouts in Massachusetts by contributing to all facets including technical support and setup, professional learning trainings (both online and face-to-face) and direct classroom support for technology integration. Designed and created one of the first student led technology help desks, which became a blueprint for districts across the country and was featured in my first publication, *The 1:1 Roadmap: Setting the Course for Innovation in Education*.

**SOCIAL MEDIA CONSULTANT, MobileAware  
January 2012 – August 2012**

**ENGLISH PROFESSOR, Montgomery County Community College  
August 2009-June 2011**

**ENGLISH TEACHER, Boys' Latin Charter School of Philadelphia  
August 2009–June 2010**

**ENGLISH TEACHER, Springfield Township High School  
August 2006-June 2009**

**EDUCATION**

**EASTERN UNIVERSITY**

2004-2006, St. David's, PA

Masters in Multicultural and Secondary Education

**UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI**

1999-2003, Coral Gables, FL

Bachelor of Science in Communication

**PUBLICATIONS**

**THE 1:1 ROADMAP: SETTING THE COURSE FOR INNOVATION IN EDUCATION,**  
Corwin Press, 2014

**EDUTOPIA BLOGGER,** Edutopia, 2010-Present

## SKILLS

It is my goal to combine my range of experience with classroom technology and my ability to be a compassionate, enthusiastic, intelligent leader and educator who will make a positive contribution to teaching and learning that promotes life-long learning, equity, and inclusivity.

## HONORS

KEYNOTE SPEAKER, Tech & Learning Conference, Princeton, NJ, 2016  
KEYNOTE SPEAKER, Libre Learn Lab Conference, MIT Sloan School of Management, 2016  
CONNECTED FELLOWSHIP, U.S. Department of Education, 2015  
APPLE DISTINGUISHED SCHOOL AWARD, Burlington High School, 2013

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