Curriculum Vitae

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Education

Ph.D.	University of California, Berkeley	Learning Sciences and Human Development (Education in Math, Science, and Technology)	2020
M.S.T.	University of Maine	Teaching (STEM Education)	2012
B.S.	University of Southern Maine	Biochemistry (magna cum laude)	2007

Employment History

Assistant Professor, Department of Learning and Instruction, University at Buffalo, SUNY 2020 – current Lecturer, Science Education, San José State University 2018

Awards

STAR Research Award, Graduate School of Education	2022 - 2023
International Conference of the Learning Sciences Best Paper Award	2022
National Academy of Education/Spencer Dissertation Fellowship	2018 - 2019
The Berkeley Fellowship, UC Berkeley	2013 - 2018
Research in Cognition and Mathematics Education Fellowship, UC Berkeley	2013 - 2016

GRANTS & FUNDING

Visualizing Brilliance for Equity in STEAM (ViBES) with Video Lab, Transformative Labs for Equity Grant, Graduate School of Education, University at Buffalo, \$32,600 (awarded)

Principal Investigator, DiGEST-PHYSICS: Dialogic gesture in collaborative sense-making in physics, NSF ECR-EHR Core Research Award #2201821, \$497,798 (awarded)

National Academy of Education/Spencer Dissertation Fellowship, \$27,500 (awarded)

SUNY PRODIG (Promoting Recruitment, Opportunity, Diversity, Inclusion & Growth), \$15,000 (awarded)

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed Journal Articles (16)

[* denotes student author]

Flood, V. J. & Harrer, B. W. (2023) Kinetically-held questions: Representational gesture post-stroke holds in whole class interactions in STEM. *Linguistics and Education*, 75, 101164.

- *Fong, M., DeLiema, D., **Flood, V. J.**, & *Walker van Aalst, O. (2023). Contesting sociocomputational norms: Computer programming instructors and students' co-operative stancetaking around refactoring. *International Journal of Computer-Supported Collaborative Learning*.
- Walkoe, J., Williams-Pierce, C., **Flood, V. J.**, & *Walton, M. (2023). Towards professional development for multimodal teacher noticing. *Journal for Research in Mathematics Education*, 54(4), 279-285.
- DeLiema, D. Kwon, Y. A., Crisholm, A., Williams, I., Dahn, M. Flood, V. J., Abrahamson, D., & Steen, F. (2022). A multi-dimensional framework for documenting students' heterogeneous experiences with programming bugs. *Cognition and Instruction*. Online First.
- **Flood, V. J.,** & Harrer, B. W. (2022) Teachers' responsiveness to students' gestured candidate responses in STEM whole-class interactions. *Classroom Discourse*, 14(3), 281-301.
- **Flood, V. J.** (2021). The secret multimodal life of IREs: Representational gesture in a familiar questioning sequence. *Linguistics and Education*, *63*, 100913.
- **Flood, V. J.**, Shvarts, A., & Abrahamson, D. (2020). Teaching with embodied learning technologies for mathematics: Responsive teaching for embodied learning. *ZDM Mathematics Education*, 52(7), 1307-1331.
- Abrahamson, D., **Flood, V. J.**, Miele, J., & Siu, Y.-T. (2019). Enactivism and ethnomethodological conversation analysis as tools for expanding Universal Design for Learning: The case of visually impaired mathematics. *ZDM Mathematics Education*, *51*(2), 291-303.
- **Flood, V. J.** (2018). Multimodal revoicing as an interactional mechanism for connecting scientific and everyday concepts. *Human Development*, 61(3), 145-173.
- Hoey, E., DeLiema, D., Chen, R., **Flood, V. J.** (2018). Imitation in children's locomotor play. *Research on Children and Social Interaction*, 2(1), 1-24.
- Bruce, M. R., Wilson, T. A., Bruce, A. E., Bessey, S. M., & **Flood, V. J**. (2016). A simple, student-built spectrometer to explore infrared radiation and greenhouse gases. *Journal of Chemical Education*. *93*(11), 1908-1915.
- Bruce, M. R., Bruce, A. E., Avargil, S., Amar, F. G., Wemyss, T. M., & **Flood, V. J.** (2016). Polymers and cross-linking: A CORE experiment to help students think on the submicroscopic level. *Journal of Chemical Education*. *93*(9), 1599-1605.
- **Flood, V. J.**, Amar, F. G., Nemirovsky, R., Harrer, B. W., Bruce, M. R. M., & Wittmann, M. C. (2015). Paying attention to gestures when students talk chemistry: Interactional resources for responsive teaching. *Journal of Chemical Education* 92(1), 11-22.
- Wittmann, M. C., **Flood, V. J.**, & Black, K. E. (2013). Algebraic manipulation as motion within a landscape. *Educational Studies in Mathematics*, 82(2), 169-181.
- Harrer, B. W., **Flood, V. J.**, & Wittmann, M. C. (2013). Productive resources in students' ideas about energy: An alternative analysis of Watts' original interview transcripts. *Physical Review Special Topics Physics Education Research*, 9(2), 023101.
- Scherr, R. E., Close, H. G., Close, E.W., **Flood, V. J.**, McKagan, S. B., Robertson, A. D., Seeley, L., Wittmann, M. C., & Vokos, S. (2013). Negotiating energy dynamics through embodied action in a materially structured environment. *Physical Review Special Topics Physics Education Research*, 9(2), 020105.

Book Chapters (6)

Flood, V. J. (In Press). Embodiment in Education. In L. Shapiro & S. Spaulding, (Eds.), *The Routledge Handbook of Embodied Cognition*. Routledge.

- **Flood, V. J.** (Accepted). Mathematical enskilment: Embodied apprenticeship in mathematical taskscapes. In Edwards, L. D. & Krause, C. M. *The body in mathematics: Theoretical and methodological lenses*. Brill.
- Swidan, O., Schacht, F., Ludwig, M., **Flood, V. J.** (2024). Instrumental orchestration with emerging digital technology. In B. Pepin, G. Guedet, & J. Choppin (Eds.). *Handbook of Digital Resources in Mathematics Education*. Springer.
- Abrahamson, D., Tancredi, S., Chen, R. S. Y., **Flood, V. J.**, & Dutton, E. (2023). Embodied design of digital resources for mathematics education: Theory, methodology, and framework of a pedagogical research program. In B. Pepin, G. Gueudet, & J. Choppin (Eds.), *Handbook of Digital Resources in Mathematics Education*. Springer.
- **Flood, V. J.,** Shvarts, A., & Abrahamson, D. (2022). Responsive teaching for embodied learning with technology. In S. Macrine & J. Fugate (Eds.), *Movement matters: How embodied cognition informs teaching and learning*. MIT Press.
- DeLiema, D., Dahn, M., **Flood, V. J.**, Asuncion, A., Abrahamson, D., Enyedy, N., Steen, F. F. (2020). Debugging as a context for collaborative reflection on problem-solving processes. In E. Manolo (Ed.), *Deeper Learning, Communicative Competence, and Critical Thinking: Innovative, Research-Based Strategies for Development in 21st Century Classrooms* (pp. 209-228). Routledge.

Refereed Conference Proceedings (17)

- *Zirek, C., **Flood, V. J.**, Harrer, B. W., (In Press). Laminated layers of abstraction in physics students' gesture. In *Proceedings of the International Conference of the Learning Sciences*, 2024. Buffalo, NY: International Society of the Learning Sciences.
- *Booth, E. T., **Flood, V. J.**, Harrer, B. W., (In Press). The enactment of an instant: A study of gesture in introductory physics. In *Proceedings of the International Conference of the Learning Sciences*, 2024. Buffalo, NY: International Society of the Learning Sciences.
- *Lee, S., *Scheuneman, S. M., **Flood, V. J.**, Harrer, B. W., (In Press). Gesture in synthesizing student contributions in whole-class discussion of graphical representations of energy. In *Proceedings of the International Conference of the Learning Sciences*, 2024. Buffalo, NY: International Society of the Learning Sciences.
- *Scheuneman, S. M., **Flood, V. J.**, Harrer, B. W., (2023). Characterizing representational gestures in collaborative sense-making of vectors in introductory physics. In Proceedings of the Physics Education Research Conference 2023. D. Jones, Q. Ryan, and A. Pawl. (Eds.), Sacramento, CA: American Association of Physics Teachers, pp. 290–295.
- **Flood, V. J.** & Harrer, B. W. (2023). How kinetically-held gestures support collaborative problem solving in physics. In Blikstein, P., Van Aalst, J., Kizito, R., & Brennan, K. (Eds.), Proceedings of the 17th International Conference of the Learning Sciences ICLS 2023 (pp. 1522-1525). International Society of the Learning Sciences.
- Wang, X. C., Flood, V. J., & Xing, G. Y. (2023). Preschoolers' embodied and shared self-regulation through computational thinking. In Blikstein, P., Van Aalst, J., Kizito, R., & Brennan, K. (Eds.), Proceedings of the 17th International Conference of the Learning Sciences - ICLS 2023 (pp. 1470-1473). International Society of the Learning Sciences.
- Flood, V. J., Wang, X. C., & *Sheridan, M. (2022). Embodied responsive teaching for supporting computational thinking in early childhood. In C. Chinn, E. Tan, C. Chan, & Y. Kali (Eds.). *International Collaboration Towards Education Innovation For All, International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS)* 2022 (pp. 855-862). Hiroshima, Japan: International Society of the Learning Sciences. **Winner of the ICLS Best Paper Award**
- Wang, X. C., **Flood, V. J.**, & *Cady, A. (2021). Computational thinking through body and ego syntonicity: Young children's embodied sense-making using a programming toy. In de Vries, E., Hod, Y., Ahn, J. (Eds.), *Reflecting the Past and Embracing the Future, International Conference of the Learning*

- Sciences (ICLS) 2021 (pp. 394-401). Bochum, Germany: International Society of the Learning Sciences. **Nominated for the ICLS Best Paper Award**
- **Flood, V. J.**, & Harrer, B. W. (2021). Responding to STEM students' gestured candidate responses. In de Vries, E., Hod, Y., Ahn, J. (Eds.), *Reflecting the Past and Embracing the Future, International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS)* 2021 (pp. 973-974). Bochum, Germany: International Society of the Learning Sciences.
- **Flood, V. J.** & Harrer, B. W. (2020). How physics students re-use gestures in collaborative knowledge building. In D. Keifert (Chair), Analytical designs: Goodwin's substrates as a tool for studying learning. In Gresalfi, M. and Horn, I. S. (Eds.), *The Interdisciplinarity of the Learning Sciences, International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS) 2020, Volume 3* (pp. 1475-1476). Nashville, TN: International Society of the Learning Sciences.
- Fong, M., Walker–van Aalst, O., Flood, V. J., & DeLiema, D. (2020). When features become bugs: Stance-taking around refactoring in a coding classroom. In Y. Kafai (Chair), Turning bugs into learning opportunities: Understanding debugging processes, perspectives, and pedagogies. In Gresalfi, M. and Horn, I. S. (Eds.), The Interdisciplinarity of the Learning Sciences, International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS) 2020, Volume 1 (p. 378). Nashville, TN: International Society of the Learning Sciences.
- **Flood, V. J.,** DeLiema, D., & Abrahamson, D. (2018). Bringing static code to life: The instructional work of animating computer programs with the body. In Kay, J. and Luckin, R. (Eds.), *Rethinking Learning in the Digital Age: Making the Learning Sciences Count, International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS) 2018, Volume 2* (pp. 1085-1088). London, UK: International Society of the Learning Sciences.
- **Flood, V. J.**, DeLiema, D., Harrer, B. W. & Abrahamson, D. (2018). Enskilment in the digital age: The interactional work of learning to debug. In Kay, J. & Luckin, R. (Eds.), *Rethinking learning in the digital age: Making the Learning Sciences count, International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS) 2018, Volume 3* (pp. 1405-1406). London, UK: International Society for the Learning Sciences.
- **Flood, V. J.**, Harrer, B. W., & Abrahamson, D. (2016). The interactional work of configuring a mathematical object in a technology-enabled embodied learning environment. In Looi, C.-K., Polman, J. L., Cress, U., & Reimann, P. (Eds.), *Transforming Learning, Empowering Learners, International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS) 2016, Volume 1* (pp. 122-129). Singapore: International Society for the Learning Sciences.
- **Flood, V. J.**, Neff, M., & Abrahamson, D. (2015). Boundary interactions: Resolving interdisciplinary collaboration challenges using digitized embodied performances. In Lindwall, O., Häkkinen, P., Koschman, T. Tchounikine, P. Ludvigsen, S. (Eds.), *Exploring the Material Conditions of Learning: The Computer Supported Collaborative Learning (CSCL) Conference 2015, Volume 1* (pp. 94-101). Gothenburg, Sweden: International Society of the Learning Sciences.
- **Flood, V. J.**, Schneider, A., & Abrahamson, D. (2014). Gesture enhancement of a virtual pedagogical agent: Forms and functions for proportions. In Polman, J. L., Kyza, E. A., O'Neill, D. K., Tabak, I., Penuel, W. R., Jurow, A. S., O'Connor, K., Lee, T. & D'Amico, L. (Eds.), *Learning and Becoming in Practice: The International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS) 2014, Volume 3* (pp. 1593-1594). Boulder, CO: International Society for the Learning Sciences
- Harrer, B. W., Flood, V. J., & Wittmann, M. C. (2012). How students talk about energy in Project-Based Inquiry Science. In the AIP Conference Proceedings 1513: 2012 Physics Education Research Conference Proceedings. Philadelphia, PA.

Other Publications (2)

Flood, V. J. (2020). *Gesture as a Dialogic Resource in STEM Instructional Interactions* (Publication No. 27996938) [Doctoral dissertation, University of California, Berkeley]. ProQuest Dissertations & Theses Global.

Flood, V. J. (2012). "A Phenomenological Approach to Understanding the Role of Bodily Activity in Chemical Imagining." *Electronic Theses and Dissertations*. 1848. https://digitalcommons.library.umaine.edu/etd/1848

PRESENTATIONS

Invited Presentations (14)

- "Gesture in Teaching and Learning." **Flood, V. J.** Guest lecture for Cultivating Cognitive Development Seminar, Graduate School of Education, UC Berkeley. March, 2024.
- "Embodiment in Education." **Flood, V. J.** Guest lecture for Learning Theories Doctoral Seminar, Department of Learning and Instruction, Graduate School of Education, University at Buffalo, SUNY, December, 2023.
- "Gesturing together in collaborative problem solving in physics: Co-constructing explanations." **Flood, V. J.**, *Booth, E.T., & Harrer, B. W. Data workshop & presentation for Co-Operative Action Laboratory (CoAL), Marjorie H. Goodwin (Director). UCLA, January, 2024.
- "Exploring gesture as a dialogic resource in STEM education." **V. J. Flood.** Cognitive Science Colloquium, University at Buffalo, SUNY, December, 2021.
- "Tuning in to conversations of gesture in STEM." **V. J. Flood.** Maine Center for Research in STEM Education (RiSE) Colloquium, University of Maine, Orono, ME, April, 2021.
- "Computational thinking through body and ego syntonicity: Young children's embodied sense making using a tangible programming toy." X. C. Wang, V. J. Flood, & A. Cady*. Research Talk Friday, Department of Learning and Instruction, GSE, University at Buffalo, SUNY, April, 2021.
- "Gesture in IRE Sequences." **V. J. Flood.** Guest lecture & data workshop. EDUC 203: Cultivating Cognitive Development: From sensorimotor intelligence to embodied STEM concepts, Graduate School of Education, UC Berkeley. April, 2021.
- "Embodied meaning-making in technology-rich STEM learning environments." **V. J. Flood.** Invited seminar presentation at the Department of Teaching and Learning, Policy and Leadership, University of Maryland, College Park, MD, 2019.
- "Exploring embodied meaning-making in STEM learning & teaching." V. J. Flood. Invited seminar presentation at the Department of Educational Psychology, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, 2019.
- "Beyond words: The role of gesture in STEM learning and teaching." V. J. Flood. Invited seminar presentation at the Natural History Museum of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, 2019.
- "Studying the fine details of multimodal learning interactions." B. W. Harrer & V. J. Flood. Invited seminar presentation at the Wisconsin Ideas in Education Series (WIES), University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI, 2018.
- "Multimodal analysis of the interactional work of transforming participation structures in a middle-school classroom." B. W. Harrer & V. J. Flood. Plenary presentation at the Physics Education Research Conference (PERC), Sacramento, CA, 2016.
- "The handiwork of imagining the submicroscopic: Embodied performances as interactional resources for learning chemistry." **V. J. Flood.** Invited presentation at the Science Education Seminar, San José State University, San José, CA, 2015.
- "Using gesture analysis to explore embodied cognition in chemistry." F. G. Amar, **V. J. Flood**, R. Nemirovsky, M. C. Wittmann, M. R. M. Bruce, & T. Wemyss. Invited presentation at the Transforming Research in Undergraduate STEM Education (TRUSE), St. Paul, MN, 2012.

Conference Presentations (27)

- "Laminated layers of abstraction in physics students' gesture." Zirek, C., **Flood, V. J.**, Harrer, B. W. (2024) Graduate School of Education Student Research Symposium. University at Buffalo, Buffalo, NY.
- "How kinetically-held gestures support collaborative problem solving in physics." **Flood, V. J.** & Harrer, B. W. International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS) 2023, Montreal, Canada
- "Embodied responsive teaching for supporting computational thinking in early childhood." **V. J. Flood**, X. C. Wang, & M. Sheridan.* International Conference of the Learning Sciences Online in Hiroshima, Japan 2022.
- "We-Syntonicity: Preschoolers' Collective Embodied Computational Thinking in a Teacher-Guided Programming Session." Wang, X. C., **V. J. Flood,** A. Cady*. In "Embodied, Personal, and Artistic: Reasoning with Gestures and Representations" Roundtable Session. AERA, San Diego, 2022
- "Computational thinking through body and ego syntonicity: Young children's embodied sense-making using a programming toy." X. C. Wang, V. J. Flood, & A. Cady. International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS), online in Bochum, Germany, 2021.
- "How physics students re-use gestures in collaborative knowledge building." **V. J. Flood** & B. W. Harrer. International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS), online in Nashville, TN, 2020.
- "When features become bugs: Stance-taking around refactoring in a coding classroom." M. Fong, O. Walker–van Aalst, V. J. Flood, & D. DeLiema. International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS), online in Nashville, TN, 2020.
- "How instructors use gestures during Initiation-Response-Evaluation/Follow-Up (IRE/F) sequences." **V. J. Flood.** Roundtable Session at the AERA Annual Meeting San Francisco, CA, 2020. http://tinyurl.com/yx5gbwab (In-person conference canceled)
- "Teacher noticing professional development: Re-embodying the dis-embodied." J. Walkoe, C. Williams-Pierce, E. Shokeen, M. Walton, & V. J. Flood. Roundtable Session at the AERA Annual Meeting San Francisco, CA, 2020. http://tinyurl.com/yx5gbwab (In-person conference canceled)
- "Bringing Static Code to Life: The instructional work of animating computer programs with the body." V. J. Flood, D. DeLiema, & D. Abrahamson. International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS), London, UK, 2018.
- "Peer conversations about refactoring computer code: Negotiating reflective abstraction through narrative, affect, and play." O. Walker–van Aalst, D. DeLiema, V. J. Flood, & D. Abrahamson. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Jean Piaget Society (JPS), Amsterdam, Netherlands, 2018.
- "Imitation in children's locomotor play." E. Hoey, D. DeLiema, R. Chen, & V. J. Flood. Paper presented in Ethnomethodology and Conversation Analysis: CA, Multimodality, and Lab Study at the 113th annual meeting of the American Sociological Association (ASA), Philadelphia, PA, 2018.
- "Measuring debugging: How late elementary and middle school students handle broken code." D. DeLiema, D. Abrahamson, N. Enyedy, F. Steen, M. Dahn, V. J. Flood, J. Taylor, & L. Lee. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the American Educational Research Association (AERA), New York City, 2018.
- "Scaffolding debugging: The interactional work of finding and fixing errors." V. J. Flood. 17th Annual Graduate School of Education Research Day, Berkeley, CA, 2018.
- "Productive physical intuitions about patterns of motion: Eliciting and refining intuitions with breaching artifacts." B. W. Harrer & V. J. Flood. American Association of Physics Teachers Winter Meeting, San Diego, CA, 2018.
- "The interactional work of configuring a mathematical object in a technology-enabled embodied learning environment." **V. J. Flood**, B. W. Harrer, & D. Abrahamson. International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS), Singapore, 2016.

- "Animated-GIF libraries for capturing pedagogical gestures: An innovative methodology for virtual tutor design and teacher professional development." **V. J. Flood**, M. Neff, & D. Abrahamson. Paper presented at the 7th annual meeting of the International Society for Gesture Studies (ISGS), Paris, France, 2016.
- "Boundary interactions: Resolving interdisciplinary collaboration challenges using digitized embodied performances." V. J. Flood, M. Neff, & D. Abrahamson. International Conference on Computer Supported Collaborative Learning (CSCL), Gothenburg, Sweden, 2015.
- "Refining mathematical meanings through multimodal revoicing interactions: The case of 'faster." V. J. Flood & D. Abrahamson. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Educational Research Association (AERA), Special Interest Group: Semiotics in Education: Signs, Meanings, Multimodality: Chicago, IL, 2015.
- "Multimodal revoicing interactions: Two new forms." **V. J. Flood** & D. Abrahamson. Presentation at the 15th Annual Graduate School of Education Research Day, University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, 2015.
- "Moving targets: Overcoming challenges of representing and simulating choreographies of multimodal pedagogical tactics for a virtual agent mathematics tutor." **V. J. Flood**, A. Schneider, & D. Abrahamson. In *The learning at hand: Gesture production in virtual pedagogical agents*. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the American Educational Research Association (AERA), Chicago, IL, 2015.
- "Monkeys and bananas: Middle school students' productive ideas about energy." B. W. Harrer & V. J. Flood. American Association of Physics Teachers Winter Meeting, San Diego, CA, 2015.
- "Gesture enhancement of a virtual pedagogical agent: Forms and functions for proportions." **V. J. Flood**, A. Schneider, & D. Abrahamson. International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS), Boulder, CO, 2014.
- "Towards gesture enhancement of a virtual tutor via investigating human tutor discursive strategies." V. J. Flood & A. Schneider. 14th Annual Graduate School of Education Research Day, Berkeley, CA, 2014.
- "Paying attention to gesture in chemical explanations: What does it tell us?" F. G. Amar, V. J. Flood, R. Nemirovsky, M. R. M. Bruce, & M. C. Wittmann. American Chemical Society Meeting, San Diego, CA, 2012.
- "How students talk about energy in Project-Based Inquiry Science." B. W. Harrer, V. J. Flood, & M. C. Wittmann. Physics Education Research Conference, Philadelphia, PA, 2012.
- "How students talk about energy in Project-Based Inquiry Science." B. W. Harrer, M. C. Wittmann, & V. J. Flood. National Conference on Integrating STEM Education Research into Teaching: Knowledge of Student Thinking, Orono, ME, 2012.

Conference Poster Presentations (15)

- "The enactment of an instant: A study of gesture and time in undergraduate physics" Booth, E.T., V. J. Flood, & Harrer, B. W. Poster accepted at the Annual Conference on Language, Interaction, and Culture (CLIC), at the University of California, Los Angeles, 2024. [Conference canceled due to UCLA protests]
- "Characterizing representational gestures in collaborative sense-making of vectors in introductory physics." Scheuneman, S. M., **Flood, V. J.**, Harrer, B. W. (2023). American Association of Physics Teachers (AAPT) Summer Meeting. Sacramento, CA
- "Layers of abstraction in problem solving gestures." Zirek, C., **Flood, V. J.**, Harrer, B. W., (2023). American Association of Physics Teachers (AAPT) Summer Meeting. Sacramento, CA.
- "Distributed knowledge production in small-group whiteboard for collaborative sense-making in physics." S. M. Scheuneman, **Flood, V. J.,** & B. W. Harrer. (2023). Graduate School of Education Student Research Symposium. University at Buffalo.

- "Responding to STEM students' gestured candidate responses." V. J. Flood, & B. W. Harrer. Poster presented at the International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS), Bochum, Germany 2021.
- "Debugging failure: 5th-10th grade students' journal reflections, coding, and artwork about broken code." DeLiema, D., Dahn, M. Enyedy, N., Abrahamson, D., Steen, F., Flood, V. J., & Taylor, J. (2019). In D. A.-L. Lui, D. DeLiema, J. Ryoo, & Y. Kafai (Chairs & Organizers), Failure in the learning process: How learners experience and overcome obstacles through resources and supports. Structured poster session conducted at the annual meeting of the American Educational Research Association, Toronto, 2019.
- "Enskilment in the digital age: The interactional work of learning to debug." **V. J. Flood,** D. DeLiema, B. W. Harrer, & D. Abrahamson. Poster presented at the International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS), London, 2018.
- "The multimodal organization of children's locomotor play." E. Hoey, D. DeLiema, R. Chen, & V. J. Flood. Poster presented at the 9th annual meeting of the International Society for Gesture Studies (ISGS), Cape Town, South Africa, 2018.
- "At work and at school: Parallel practices for configuring objects in technology-rich environments." V. J. Flood. Poster presented at the 22nd Annual Conference on Language, Interaction, and Culture (CLIC), at the University of California, Los Angeles, 2016. **Best Poster Award**
- "The joint accomplishment of a learnable in the case of 'faster:' Negotiating mathematical meanings through multimodal revoicing." V. J. Flood. Poster presented at Social Policy and Research in Cognition and Mathematics Education Conference: A Focus on the Common Core, University of California Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, 2015.
- "Gesture enhancement of a virtual pedagogical agent: Forms and functions for proportions." V. J. Flood, A. Schneider, & D. Abrahamson. Poster presented at the 11th International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS), Boulder, CO, 2014
- "The role of gesture and the body in molecular geometry." **V. J. Flood**, F. G. Amar, M. C. Wittmann, R. Nemirovsky, & M. R. M. Bruce. Transforming Research in Undergraduate STEM Education (TRUSE), St. Paul, MN, 2012.
- "Using lab-based analogies to facilitate meaningful understanding." M. R. M. Bruce, S. Avargil, F. G. Amar, V. J. Flood, & A. Bruce. Transforming Research in Undergraduate STEM Education (TRUSE), St. Paul, MN, 2012.
- "Gesture analysis of chemical explanations: Students' embodied apprehension of molecular scale phenomena." F. G. Amar, **V. J. Flood**, T. Wemyss, R. Nemirovsky, M. R. M. Bruce, & M. C. Wittmann. Gordon Research Conference: Chemistry Education Research & Practice, Foundations and Frontiers, Davidson, NC, 2011.
- "How multimodal analysis helps us understand students' ideas about atoms and molecules." **V. J. Flood**, F. G. Amar, T. Wemyss, R. Nemirovsky, M. R. M. Bruce, & M. C. Wittmann. No Question Left Behind Conference, Orono, ME, 2011.

TEACHING

Graduate Level Courses (7)

Embodiment in Education: The Body's Role in Teaching, Learning, and Technology (LAI 689)

Instructional Strategies in Inclusive Classrooms: Mathematics (LAI 698 – Seminar)

Instructional Strategies in Inclusive Classrooms: STEM (LAI 698 – Seminar)

Instructional Strategies in Inclusive Classrooms: UBTR Mathematics Residents (LAI 698 – Modules)

Problem Posing and Problem Solving (LAI 545)

Implications of the History of Mathematics for Teaching (LAI 543)

Special Topics in Science Education (San José State University)

Undergraduate Level Courses (1)

Knowing and Learning in Mathematics and Science – Teaching Assistant (UC Berkeley)

SERVICE

National Service

Panelist for National Science Foundation, Directorate for Education and Human Resources (EHR)

Reviewer for the Proceedings of the International Society for the Learning Sciences 2018 - present

Reviewer for the Proceedings of the Physics Education Research Conference 2023

Ad Hoc Reviewer:

Instructional Science Journal of Mathematical Behavior Classroom Discourse Mathematical Thinking and Learning Linguistics and Education Digital Experiences in Mathematics Education

Journal of Pragmatics

Routledge Early Childhood Research Quarterly

Graduate School of Education Service

GSE Executive Committee (LAI Representative)	2022 - 2025
Faculty Sponsor, Graduate School of Education Graduate Student Research Symposium	2021 - 2022
Co-chair UB GSE Spencer Dissertation Fellowship Workshop	'20, '21
Learning Sciences Search Committee	2021
Math Education Search Committee	2023

Department Service

Dissertation Committee Service (5):

Veronica Bass (Defended 2021) Lauren Hennings (in progress) Joe'l Staples (Defended 2021) Serena Geokan (in progress) Christina Mead (Defended 2024) Alexandra Herb (in progress)

Research Components (2): Tina Lewis (May 2023); Dana Antonucci-Durgan (May 2023)

PhD Advisement (3)

Minghui Zhu, Curriculum, Instruction, and the Science of Learning (CISL)	2023 - present
Seoyeon Lee, Curriculum, Instruction, and the Science of Learning (CISL)	2022 - present
Stacy Scheuneman, Curriculum, Instruction, and the Science of Learning (CISL)	2021 - 2023

Masters Advisement (27)

Educational Studies in Mathematics EdM; current (13); graduated (1)

Professional Mathematics Education EdM current (8)

Initial/Professional Mathematics Education EdM; current (0); graduated (2)

Teacher Residency Mathematics; current (0); graduated (3)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

National Council of Mathematics Teachers (NCTM)

since 2021

International Society of the Learning Sciences (ISLS)

since 2014

American Educational Research Association

(AERA; currently lapsed due to COVID-19)