

**Jacques Benninga**  
**C&I**  
**Kremen School of Education and Human Development**  
**Multiple Subject**  
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**Academic Degrees:** *(Include teaching credentials, if any)*

<b>Degree</b>	<b>Institution</b>	<b>Area of Emphasis</b>
PhD	Peabody College (Vanderbilt Univ)	C&I; Developmental Psych
MA	Peabody College	ECE
BA	Univ N. Carolina, Greensboro	ECE

**Professional Experience:**

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Position/Institution</b>
2017-present	FERP, Fresno State
1983-2017	Professor, Fresno State
1977-1983	Professor, Fresno State
1976-1977	Asst prof/W. Kentucky Univ
1972-1974	Teacher/Nashville

**Faculty and Administrative Load:** *(Should total 12 units each semester)*

<u>Fall 2018</u>		<u>Spring 2019</u>	
CI 162	3	CI 162	3
LEE 171	3	LEE 235	3

**Community Service**

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Activity/Accomplishments</b>
2003-2015	KVPR/Public Radio	Radio Show
2011-present	J. Character Ed	Co-Editor
1983-present	Various organizations	boards

### University/School Service

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Committee</b>	<b>Activity/Accomplishments</b>
2010-2017	Dept of C&I	Dept Chair
1988-2003	LEE Dept	Dept Chair
1988-1998	Liberal Studies	Coordinator
1997-2019	Bonner Center for Character Ed	Director
Character Ed Awards Program for Schools	Bonner Center	Coordinator

### Professional Association Memberships

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Association/Organization</b>	<b>Role</b>
1985-present	NAEYC	Member
2005-present	Character.org	Member
1984-2015	AERA	Member

### Publications (Selected)

*Benninga, J.S. (2013). The fundamental connection between education for democracy and character education. (Special Issue), 135-139.*

*Benninga, J.S. (2013). Resolving ethical issues at school. Issues in Teacher Education, 22(1), 77-88.*

### Papers and Presentations (Selected)

### Grants and Research

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Activity/Agency</b>	<b>Amounts</b>
2018-2019	Kern Family Foundation	\$20,000
0	USDE	\$1.9 million
0	USDE	\$1.89 million
2004-2006	John Templeton Fnd.	24577
2000-2003	John Templeton Fnd.	\$24,000

### Collaborative Works/Projects (with public schools, community agencies, etc.)

*The Bonner Center for Character Education and Citizenship, an authorized Ancillary Unit of the university that I directed from 1997-2020 provided education and professional development for university students and local districts. We conducted research. We provided a competitive award program for Central Valley schools (33 years) and an annual conference for students and local professionals on character and civic education (35 years). Board membership consisted of Fresno State*

*faculty, Fresno Pacific University faculty, and County Offices of Education representatives from Madera, Fresno, Kings, and Tulare.*

### **Collegial Works/Projects (i.e., grants, articles, conference presentations, etc.)**

*I conducted research with faculty within the Kremen School, from throughout the university (e.g., Psychology and Philosophy departments), and with faculty from other universities.*

### **Professional Development**

#### **Honors (Optional)**

*2018--Honoree, Central California Chapter of the California Association for the Education of Young Children's Week of the Young Child (April 11, 2018), for Benninga's "unwavering devotion to the field of early education and your continued drive to pursue the highest standards of ethical conduct, integrity and civic and social responsibility."*

*2017--Proclamation, Fresno City Council, marking March 10, 2017 as "Jack Benninga Day".*

*2013--Ferd. Kiesel Memorial Distinguished Service Award. Assoc. CA School Administrators (ACSA, Tulare County) [highest honor ACSA can bestow on an individual].*

*201 --Ferd. Kiesel Memorial Distinguished Service Award. Assoc. CA School Administrators (ACSA, CA. Region IX) [highest honor ACSA can bestow on an individual].*

*2013--Kremen School Notable Alumnus [for significant contributions to the field of education]. Kremen School of Education and Human Development Alumni Chapter.*

*2013--Best Practice Award for Professional Ethics and Moral Dispositions in Teacher Education. American Association of Colleges of Teacher Education (AACTE) [writer of and contributor to award].*

*2012--Sanford N. McDonnell Award for Lifetime Achievement in Character Education. Presented by the Character Education Partnership, Washington, DC. November 2012 [highest honor CEP can bestow on an individual].*

*2005--Recipient, Jan and Bud Richter Award for Excellence in Education. Kremen School of Education, CSU Fresno.*

*2000--Golden Ruler Award for "exemplary leadership efforts in promoting character education". Presented to Jacques Benninga and the Bonner Center for Character Education at the International Conference on Character Education, June 2000, San Diego, Ca.*