

Joshua Brown

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Experience

Educator, Goodrell Middle School

August 2006 - Present

- My work in the classroom gives me a passion for the best interests of the students of Iowa.
- My experiences as a teacher equip me with firsthand knowledge of the critical issues facing public education and the education profession.
- I have worked collaboratively with others as a teacher, coach, team leader, district PLC leader, and coordinator of the Goodrell summer/after school program.

NEA Director

September 2013 - Present

- As NEA Director, I work with NEA lobbyists to help advance legislative and political initiatives.
- I lobby members of Congress on critical issues facing public education and the education profession.
- I run a Facebook page from my role as NEA Director for the members of the Iowa State Education Association I represent.
- I continually collaborate with other ISEA officers, leaders, and members to help lead our state organization.

NCUEA Central Region Director

July 2012 - Present

- I work collaboratively with leaders from across the nation to advocate for our members and students.
- I have led professional development trainings on how to effectively communicate using social media.
- I have helped organize national leadership development and union advocacy conferences.

DMEA Leader

June 2007 - Present

Variety of roles including: Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, SLA Chair, PMR Chair and many more

- I provided trainings and presentations at the local, state and national levels.
- I coordinated membership campaigns including the design and production of materials.

- I organized members to participate in various events ranging from political actions to community outreach to social events.

Education

Morningside College, Masters of Arts in Teaching

May 2009

Simpson College, Bachelor of Arts

May 2005

Major: Political Science and Religion Minor: Secondary Education and Philosophy