

## Harry R. Noden

### Objective

I am interested in finding new challenges to utilize my experience as a published author, veteran teacher, and workshop presenter.

### Qualification Highlights

Author of *Image Grammar*, an original approach to teaching grammar through writing. (Heinemann)

Author of *The Image Grammar Activities Book* for Middle School (*Perfection Learning*)

Selected as 1996 Ohio Outstanding English Teacher

First teacher selected for the Distinguished Teacher Award in the Hudson School System

Presented Image Grammar workshops for teachers in over 40 different universities throughout the country

Developed the *Middlezine Magazine*, the third middle school internet magazine developed in the United States

Co-authored manuals for Magnetic Resonance Imagers for Technicare (later, General Electric).

Paul and Kate Farmer Award for Best *English Journal* Article of 1996-97

Co-author of the book *Whole Language in Middle and Secondary Classrooms*. with Rich Vacca. (Harcourt Brace)

Author of *The Image Grammar Activities Book* for High School (*Perfection Learning*)

Author and co-editor of the Professional Development Column in *Reading Teacher* '93 to '95

Created the first electronic portfolio and web page produced by HarperCollins. Used for *Educational Psychology* by Borich and Tombari

Taught at every grade level from seven through college with 30 years of experience at Hudson and 20 at University of Akron

Author of the manual and CD for *Reading in the Content Area*, Vacca's best-selling reading text

## Education

**M.A. in Literature** (1968), Kent State University, Kent, Ohio. Thesis entitled, "The Satire on America in Mark Twain's *A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court*." (Completed 30 additional graduate hours in English, Kent State University)

**B.S. in Education** (1965), English major, Slippery Rock State College, Slippery Rock, PA,

## Employment History

- 5/99 - Present      **Part Time Instructor** (Education Department, (ADED, TLCS, Teaching, Leadership & Curriculum Studies), Kent State University, Kent, Ohio)
- Summers 98-05      **Writing Instructor**, Northeast Ohio Writing Project, Kent State University, Kent, Ohio (Summer Workshops)
- 9/67 - 6/98      **English Teacher**, Hudson Middle School, Hudson Local Schools, Hudson, Ohio.
- 9/77 - 5/98      **Technical Writing Instructor**, University of Akron, Akron, Ohio. (Evenings, Part Time)
- Summer 5- 8/86      **Technical Writer**, Technicare (General Electric), Solon, Ohio
- Summer 5-8/85      **Technical Writer**, Technicare (Johnson and Johnson), Solon, Ohio
- Summers 75-76      **Writing Instructor**, Upward Bound at Case Western Reserve University.

## Publications

### Books

- The Immortal Game* (young adult novel currently being marketed)
- 6/08      *The Image Grammar Activities Book I (Middle School)* Perfection Learning Corp.
- 6/07      *The Image Grammar Activities Book II (High School)* Perfection Learning Corp.

9/99 *Image Grammar* with Heinemann/ Boynton Cook Publishers

3/94 *Whole Language in the Middle and Secondary Classroom*,  
HarperCollins, co-authored with Richard Vacca.

## Articles

4/03 "A Review of Carol Olson's *The Reading/Writing Connection*,  
*National Writing Project Quarterly*.

2/03 "Heinemann Confidential Reader Report on *Sentence Composing Tools* "  
by Don and Jenny Killgallon

3/01 "Image Grammar: Painting Images with Grammatical Structures,"  
*Voices in the Middle*, NCTE magazine for middle school teachers

2/98 "Image Grammar," in *Lessons to Share on Teaching Grammar*  
Connie Weaver ed., Heinemann.

9/97 "Walleye Fishing with Ahab," *Fine Fishing Magazine* (an online  
electronic zine) Reprinted in *Ohio Teacher's Write* fall '97 Issue.

1/97 "Letter to Eileen," anthologized in *Together: Where We Belong* (a  
collection of inspirational writings for students) Troll Communications, New  
Jersey.

10/95 "A Journey through Cyberspace: Reading and Writing in a Virtual  
School," *English Journal*. (Awarded Best EJ article of 1995-96.)

3/95 "Nurturing Artistic Images in Student Reading and Writing,"  
Co-authored with Barb Moss, *Reading Teacher*.

1/95 "Creating Integrated Curriculum," Co-authored with Barb Moss, *Reading  
Teacher*.

10/94 "A Guide to Books on Portfolios: Rafting the Rivers of Assessment,"  
Co-authored with Barb Moss, *Reading Teacher*. (Selected for  
reprint in *Reading Assessment in Practice: A Book of  
Readings* published by the International Reading Association.)

3/94 "Perceiving Discussion as Eskimos Perceive Snow," Co-authored with  
Barb Moss, *Reading Teacher*.

10/93 "Virtual Schools: Reading and Writing Across the Internet," Co-authored  
with Barb Moss, *Reading Teacher*.

- 10/85 "Rick Ruskin: A Twenty Year Fingerpicking Odyssey," *Frets*, a national magazine for acoustic guitar players. Cupertino, California.
- 9/72 Common Point: Scripts 1-15, **WKNT Broadcasting**, a series of radio scripts for a weekly twenty minute news show hosted and co-authored by eighth-grade students.

## Manuals

- 6/07 *Image Grammar Activities Book I: Teacher's Manual* for *The Image Grammar Activities Book*, Perfection Learning
- 6/95 *Instructor's Manual* for Vacca and Vacca's *Reading in the Content Area*, HarperCollins Publishers.
- 8/86 *Teslacon 2.0 : An Operating Manual*, General Electric, Co-authored with Barb Hill. Solon, Ohio. (Teslacon 2.0 is a magnetic resonance imager.)
- 8/85 *Engineering Product Performance Specification: The 1.5 Tesla Teslacon*, Technicare, Solon, Ohio.

## Software Programs

- 6/07 *Image Grammar Activities Book II (Teacher's Manual on CD* for *The Image Grammar Activities Book*, Perfection Learning
- 9/99 *Image Grammar Companion CD* for *Image Grammar*, Heinemann Publishers.
- 11/96 *An Electronic Portfolio* (web page design) for Borich and Tombari's *Educational Psychology*, HarperCollins Publishers (Second Edition)
- 7/96 *Electronic Portfolio* (Web page design)for McCormick and Pressley's *Educational Psychology*, Addison Wesley Publishers
- 2/96 *Middlezine Magazine*, an internet magazine for middle school students located at <http://www.hudson.edu/hms/middlezine/> (Supervised production of the magazine.)
- 4/95 *Electronic Portfolio*, for Vacca and Vacca's *Reading in the Content Area*, HarperCollins Publishers.

5/94 *Electronic Portfolio*, for Vacca, Vacca, and Gove's *Reading and Learning to Read*, HarperCollins Publishers.

## **In-Service Presentations**

### **Workshops and Keynote Speeches**

- 8/08 **North East ISD**, San Antonio, Texas
- 6/08 **Keller ISD**, Image Grammar Inservice, Southlake, TX
- 6/08 **Mansfield ISD**, Image Grammar Inservice, Mansfield, Texas
- 12/07 **UCI Writing Project**. Image Grammar Inservice, California
- 11/07 **Fort Worth ISD**, Image Grammar Inservice, Texas
- 8/07 **Coppell Independent School District**, Image Grammar Workshop, Coppell, TX
- 8/07 **Lake Worth Independent School District**, Image Grammar Workshop, Lake worth, TX
- 7/07 **Greater Houston Area Writing Project**, Image Grammar Workshop, [Houston, Texas](#)
- 7/07 **Ohio Writing Project Workshop**, Image Grammar Workshop, Miami University
- 7/07 **Education Service Center XV Inservice**, Image Grammar Workshop, San Angelo, TX
- 6/07 **Pasadena Independent School District**, Image Grammar Inservice, Pasadena, Texas
- 6/07 **Humble ISD**, Inservice for English Teachers, **Kingwood, Texas**
- 6/07 **Gifted Student Writer's Project**, University of South Carolina, With **Midland Writing Project and Santee-Wateree Writing Project**, Columbia, SC
- 2/07 **The National Writing Project at Rutgers University, Keynote Speech** and follow-up workshop, New Brunswick, NJ
- 2/07 **Shawnee State University Writing Workshop**, Image Grammar Workshop, **Portsmouth, Ohio**

- 11/06 **St. Clair County School District**, Marysville, Michigan
- 11/06 **UCI Writing Project**, University of California Irvine, Image Grammar Workshop
- 10/06 **Marysville School District Teacher Inservice Day**, Marysville, Ohio, Image Grammar Workshop
- 10/06 **South Coast Writing Project**, University of California at Santa Barbara, California
- 8/06 **Perfection Learning Kansas Convention**, Kansas City, MO.  
**Keynote Speaker** on Image Grammar
- 8/06 **English Language Arts Academy**, Kent State University, Kent, Ohio  
Image Grammar Workshop
- 8/06 **Alvin ISD**, Alvin, Texas, Image Grammar Workshop
- 7/06 **Jacksonville State University Writing Project Summer Institute**  
Jacksonville, Alabama, Image Grammar Workshop,
- 7/06 **Southeast Alabama Regional Convention**, Sandestin Golf and Beach Resort,  
Florida, Image Grammar Workshop,
- 6/06 **Shawnee State University**, Ohio, Image Grammar Workshop,
- 4/06 **Central California Council Teachers of English Conference, Napa Valley  
California**, Image Grammar Workshop
- 4/06 **Mayfield City Schools**, Mayfield, Ohio, Image Grammar Workshop,
- 4/06 **Ohio Council of Teachers of English/Language Arts (OCTELA)**  
Spring Conference (**Keynote Speaker**)
- 4/06 **Columbiana County Educational Service Center, Ohio** Image Grammar Workshop
- 1/06 **Alvin Texas School District**, Alvin, Texas, Image Grammar Workshop,
- 1/06 **Quaker Valley School District's Middle School**, Image Grammar Workshop,  
Sewickley, PA
- 12/05 **University of Irvine Writing Project**, Image Grammar Workshop,  
Irvine, California

- 11/05 **Michigan 'Reading Association Convention, “Grammar and Reading”** Presentation, Macomb County, Michigan
- 11/05 **National Council of Teachers of English Convention,** (Pittsburgh) "Strategies for Teaching Grammar as Part of the Writing Process" with Connie Weaver
- 10/05 **El Paso Professional Development Workshop,** Region 19 ESC, Image Grammar Workshop, El Paso, Texas
- 10/05 **Columbiana County Educational Service Center,** Image Grammar Workshop, Lisbon, Ohio
- 10/05 **Northwest Inland Writing Project,** Coeur d'Alene, ID Spokcane, Washington
- 9/05 **El Paso's National Writing Project Fall Conference,** Imaged Grammar Workshop and **Keynote Speech,** El Paso, Texas
- 8/05 **Howard County Public School System,** Image Grammar Workshop, Ellicott city, Maryland
- 8/05 **Houston Cypress-Fairbanks ISD,** Image Grammar Workshop, Houston, Texas
- 7/05 **South Carolina Winthrop Writing Project,** Image Grammar Workshop, Rock Hill, SC
- 6/05 **Carrollton-Farmers Branch Independent School District,** Image Grammar Workshop, Dallas, Texas
- 6/05 **Grapevine Colleyville ISD,** Image Grammar Workshop, Grapevine, Texas
- 6/05 **North Star of Texas Writing Project Second Annual Summer Writing Workshop,** Image Grammar Workshop, University of North Texas, Denton, TX
- 4/05 **San Antonio Area Council of Teachers of English,** Image Grammar Workshop, San Antonio, Texas
- 4/05 **Brackenridge High School,** Image Grammar workshop, San Antonio, Texas

- 3/05 **ESC Region XV School District**, Image Grammar Workshop, San Angelo, Texas
- 3/05 **Michigan Reading Association**, Image Grammar Workshop, Grand Rapids, MI
- 1/05 **Texas Council of Teachers of English Language Arts State Conference**, Image Grammar Workshop, San Antonio, Texas
- 12/04 **Austin Independent School District**, Image Grammar Workshop
- 11/04 **National Council of Teachers of English Convention**,  
"Strategies for Teaching Grammar as Part of the Writing Process"
- 10/04 **North Harris County Council of Teachers of English**, Houston, Texas
- 10/04 **Aldine Independent School District**, Houston, Texas
- 10/04 **The New Jersey Writing Project in Texas**, Houston, Texas
- 10/04 **South Texas Writing Project Annual Fall Conference** , Houston, Texas
- 9/04 **South Texas Writing Project Laredo**  
Laredo Community College. Laredo, Texas
- 7/04 **Assembly for the Teaching of English Grammar Annual Convention**,  
Keynote Speech and Workshop, North Seattle Community College
- 7/04 **California State University Long Beach**, Long Beach Writing Project
- 7/04 **University of California, Irvine**, UCI Writing Project, Image Grammar Workshop
- 6/04 **Murray State University**, Purchase Area Writing Project
- 6/04 **Clemson University**, South Carolina Upstate Writing Project,  
Image Grammar Workshop
- 1/04 **South Carolina Council of Teachers of English**, Image Grammar Workshop
- 11/03 **National Council of Teachers of English Convention**, Image Grammar Presentation
- 10/03 **Southwestern Pennsylvania Writing Project**, Image Grammar Workshop

- 7/03 **University of Houston-Clear Lake**, Greater Houston Area Writing Project, Image Grammar Workshop
- 7/03 **University of California, Irvine**, UCI Writing Project
- 6/03 **University of Utah**, Image Grammar Workshop for the Utah Writing Project
- 6/03 **The University of South Carolina** Image Grammar Workshop for South Carolina Writing Project (upcoming)
- 2/03 **Northeastern Ohio Language Alliance**, Teaching Grammar as Part of the Writing Process, for NEO Teachers
- 1/03 **Cobb County Public Schools**, Image Grammar Workshop for Cobb County Area Teachers
- 11/02 **University of California at Irvine**, Image Grammar Workshop for the UCI Annual Writing/Reading Conference
- 11/02 **Columbia, South Carolina** , Image Grammar Workshop for Columbia Area Teachers
- 11/02 **Atlanta, Georgia**, National Council of Teachers of English, Image Grammar Workshop with Bill Strong
- 8/02 **Brownsville, Texas**, Image Grammar Workshop for the Brownsville School District (Follow-up workshop on 9/02)
- 7/02 **University of San Jose**, Image Grammar Workshop for the San Jose Writing Project
- 7/02 **California Saddleback School District**, Image Grammar Workshop
- 7/02 **University of San Marcos**, Image Grammar Workshop for the San Marcos Writing Project
- 7/02 **University of California at Irvine**, Image Grammar Workshop for the UCI Writing Project
- 7/02 **University of Utah**, Image Grammar Workshop for the Utah Writing Project

- 6/02 **The University of South Carolina** Image Grammar Workshop for South Carolina Writing Project
- 4/02 **OLRC [Ohio Literacy Resource Center] Writing Conference**  
Columbus, Ohio
- 1/02 **LaRue County Schools**, Image Grammar Workshop for LaRue County Teachers. Hodgenville, Kentucky
- 11/01 **Utah State University**, Workshop for the Utah Writing Project, Logan, Utah
- 11/01 **University of Connecticut**, Image Grammar Workshop for the Connecticut Writing Project, Storrs, Connecticut
- 11/01 **Portage County Educational Service Center**, Image Grammar Workshop for the Portage County Schools, **Portage County, Ohio**
- 11/01 **National Council of Teachers of English Convention**, Image Grammar Workshop for the NCTE members with Bill Strong
- 10/01 **Western Reserve of Ohio Teachers of English**, Image Grammar Workshop for English teachers' professional group in Northern Ohio,
- 10/01 **Gannon University**, Keynote Speech for Northwestern Pennsylvania Writing Project Presentation, Erie, Pennsylvania
- 6/01 **University of California Irvine**, Image Grammar Workshop for the California Development Institute for Reading and Writing, Irvine, California
- 6/01 **Fresno University**, Image Grammar Workshop for the Reading and Writing Institute in Fresno, California
- 7/01 **University of California Irvine**, Image Grammar Workshop for the UCI Writing Project at Irvine, California
- 7/01 **California State University**, Image Grammar Workshop for the Los Angeles Writing Project in Los Angeles, California
- 6/01 **Murray State University**, Image Grammar Workshop for the Purchase Area Writing Project at Murray State University

- 6/01 **Western Kentucky University**, Image Grammar Workshop for the WKU Writing Project.
- 9/00 **Howard County Public School System**, Image Grammar Workshop held in Ellicott City, Maryland.
- 8/00 **Kent State University**, Image Grammar Workshop for the Northeastern Ohio Writing Project, Kent Ohio.
- 7/00 **University of California at Santa Barbara**, Image Grammar Workshop for the UC Santa Barbara Writing Project, Graduate School of Education, Santa Barbara, CA
- 7/00 **UCLA**, Image Grammar Workshop for the UCLA Writing Project, Los Angeles, California.
- 7/00 **University of California Irvine**, Image Grammar Workshop for the UCI Writing Project, Irvine, California. (Invited back in Oct. and again in Dec.)
- 7/00 **University of Toledo**, Image Grammar Workshop for the Toledo Area Writing Project, Toledo, Ohio.
- 6/00 **Marshall University**, Image Grammar Workshop for the Marshall University Writing Project, Huntington, West Virginia
- 6/00 **Murray State University**, Image Grammar Workshop for the Purchase Area Writing Project, Murray, Kentucky.
- 5/00 **Gannon University**, Image Grammar Workshop for the Northwestern Pennsylvania Writing Project, Erie, Pennsylvania. (Invited back in Oct.)
- 3/00 **Portage County Educational Service Center**, Image Grammar Workshop, Ravenna, Ohio.
- 1/00 **West Virginia University**, Image Grammar Workshop for the National Writing Project, Morgantown, West Virginia.
- 11/99 **National Council of Teachers of English Convention**, (Denver, Colorado)Image Grammar Workshop for the NCTE members with Connie Weaver
- 7/99 **Kent State University**, Image Grammar Workshop for the Northeast Ohio National Writing Project, Kent, Ohio

## **Presentations on Internet Applications in the English Classroom**

- 3/98 **Michigan Reading Association Conference** "Using the Internet to Teach Reading and Writing."
- 3/98 **Ohio Council of Teachers of English and Language Arts**, "Now that I'm connected to the Internet, what next?" Presentation in Beechwood, Ohio.
- 3/97 **Ohio School Boards Association and the Internet Subcommittee of the Ohio Legislature**, "The Benefits of Learning on the Internet," Columbus, Ohio.
- 5/97 **"Reading and Writing in the Coming Cyberspace Culture"** Featured Speaker at the International Reading Association Convention in Atlanta
- 6/94 **"Educational Opportunities on the Internet"** Educational Enhancement Partnership for Canton City Schools, Canton, Ohio.
- 3/93 **"Virtual Schools: Writing and Reading on the Internet,"** WVIZ Technology Conference, Kent, Ohio.

## **Workshops on Interdisciplinary Approaches**

- 6/95 **Educational Enhancement Partnership for Canton City Schools**, "Teaching Strategies for Middle School English," (Conducted similar workshop in summer of 1994 and 1993.) Canton, OH.
- 5/89 **"2121, a Future Simulation to Improve Students' Thinking Skills,"** Cuyahoga Community College.
- 5/85 **"Teaming for Excellence,"** United States Department of Education Conference on Excellence in Education (Oglebay State Park) Wheeling, West Virginia.
- 2/83 **"Publishing House: A Writing Simulation for the English Classroom,"** Ohio Council of Teachers of English Language Arts, Akron, Ohio.

## **Awards**

- 6/08 **Nominated for Distinguished Teacher Award** at Kent State University
- 9/04 **Graduate's Applause Award 2004**, from Kent State University, given to "a teacher who made a difference in the life of a graduating senior." (Received similar awards in 2003 and 2002)
- 3/97 **Paul and Kate Farmer Award** for Best Article in the *English Journal* in the publishing year 1996-1997. Presented by the National Council of Teachers of English
- 3/96 **Ohio Outstanding Language Arts Teacher Award**, Presented by the Ohio Teachers of English and Language Arts.
- 9/84 **Distinguished Teacher Award** First teacher in Hudson Ohio School System to receive the award.

## **Professional and Community Service**

**National Council of Teacher's of English Speakers Bureau** (To represent NCTE in media inquiries (magazines, television, radio, etc.)

**NCTE Workshop Presenter** (Workshops on Image Grammar)

**Former member of Governing Board of the East Regional Professional Development Center** (Disburses state educational grant funds.)

**Former member of the International Reading Association Committee on Adolescent Literacy**

**Former Elder at the First Christian Church of Stow** (also served as Deacon and Vice Chairman of the Governing Board)

**Past President of the Hudson Education Association**

**Former Chairman of the Hudson Local Schools Curriculum Council**

**Former Co-director of the Kent State national Writing Project**