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Dr. Pavlik's career as a teacher, college professor, director of faculty development, administrator and textbook author spans 40 years. He earned his Bachelor's degree from the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater and his Master's and Doctoral degrees from the University of Northern Colorado. He taught in the Waukesha and Lake Geneva School Districts for a total of seven years and at the University of Northern Colorado, Cardinal Stritch University, and Marquette University for a total of 33 years. While on sabbatical during the 1992-93 school year, Dr. Pavlik renewed his K-12 teaching experiences by experimenting with Howard Gardner's Theory of Multiple Intelligences.

Today, he serves as the Director of the School Design and Development Center within the Institute. He works with various groups to design and open new schools and works with existing schools to transform their programs – any schools in Milwaukee.

Dr. Pavlik's name appears in over 200 K-12 books for mathematics, science, driver education, social studies, English and reading – as author, editor or consultant. The Great Source Company published his seven latest series of literature books written for students in grades 6-12, and he is working on the revision of the series now. He and his older daughter are co-authoring a professional textbook on content area literacy.

Dr. Pavlik has avid interests in literacy, learning, spirituality, school reform and sustainable futures. He is a futurist, studying how individuals and organizations change. He believes that all of us can develop and use our intellectual and spiritual gifts much more than we do.

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