

James E. Miles

Biography

James Miles is a senior educational consultant with the International Center for Leadership in Education. Prior to joining the ICLE staff, Jim taught for 38 years with the Pittsford Central School District in upstate New York as a Business Education, Marketing, and Computer Technology teacher, department chairperson, work experience coordinator, and adult education instructor. Mr. Miles is an adjunct associate professor teaching both undergraduate and graduate courses at Monroe Community College and Nazareth College in Rochester, New York.

Professional activities include chairperson of the National Business Education Association's Awards Committee, a member of the Joint Council for Economic Education, and a member of the NBEA task forces on computer technology, interdisciplinary curriculum strategies, and accounting. Jim is the past chairperson of the National Policies Commission for Business and Economic Education, and past president of the Pittsford District Teachers Association, the Monroe County Business Educators Association, and the New York State Business Teachers Association.

On the local, state, and national levels, he facilitates staff development workshops on Developing Rigorous and Relevant Curriculum, Using Data to Make Curriculum Decision, Integrating Academic and Career and Technical Education, **Strategies for Increasing Reading Comprehension in the Content Area, Creating Successful 9th Grade and Career Academies, Developing** School-to-Work Partnerships, Using Technology in the Classroom, Curriculum Standards and Rubrics, and Current Research in Career and Technical Education.

Mr. Miles has published 15 professional articles, authored student supplements and templates for ***Business Analysis with Computer Applications***, co-authored the textbook ***Dynamics of Work*** (2000; Thomson Publishing) with Dr. Willard Daggett and co-authored ***E-Commerce*** (2005; Glencoe/McGraw-Hill) with Roy "Chip" Dolce. In addition, Jim is the lead author of the International Center for Leadership in Education's ***Academic Success through Career and Technical Education and Reading Strategies in the Career Academies and Career-Technical Education***.

Mr. Miles has been honored as the National Business Education Teacher of the Year in 2000, Eastern Business Education Teacher of the Year in 2003, New York State Business Education Teacher of the Year in 1984, 1987, and 1988, and as Monroe County Business Educator of the Year in 1986 and 1993.