

Michele Michaelis

Michele Michaelis, a GED Adult Education Instructor with Metropolitan Community College in Nebraska, brings over 20 years of experience as an educator to the table. She has directed adult and children's choirs and has experience preparing performances for high-profile events.

Examples of events she prepared performing artists for include televised news clips, fundraisers attended by local government leaders, and a spotlight performance in conjunction with Grammy-winning artists, The Three Priests at the Holland Center. Additionally, she has experience managing large scale events involving up to 500 performers at venues such as The Cathedral in Omaha, NE. With an undergraduate and master's degree in music education under her belt, she is returning to graduate school to study Learning Design and Technology at Purdue University, West Lafayette Campus.

Michele attends Purdue online and lives with her husband, her beloved 5- year-old rescue dog, and her college-aged girls when they choose to come home. Her hobbies include dog training, ice skating, music, reading, and the fine arts. Special professional interests include educational neuroscience, gamification as a learning tool, and creating learner-centric experiences. Most recently, she has joined ATD and looks forward to her tenure as Director of Member Experience.