

**Northwest Missouri State University**  
**College of Arts and Sciences**  
**Department of Communication, Theatre, and Languages**  
**Faculty Information/Department VITA**

**Name:** Durbin, Lori A.

**Present rank:** Instructor

**NWMSU Faculty Member Since:** 1990

**Other position title(s):** Academic degrees (highest first):

<u>Degree</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Major/Minor</u>
MA	1986	Univ. of Missouri-Columbia	Speech Pathology
BA	1985	Univ. of Missouri-Columbia	Speech Pathology

**Academic experience (current first):**

<u>Year</u>	<u>Title/Rank</u>	<u>Department</u>	<u>Institution</u>
1990-Present	Instructor	Communication, Theatre, & Languages	Northwest Missouri State University
2000-Present	Speech Pathologist		Rockport R-V
1993-Present	Speech Pathologist		NE Nodaway R-V
1988-89	Speech Pathologist		Savannah R-III
1987-88	Speech Pathologist		Dept. of Corrections
1986-87	Speech Pathologist		NE Nodaway R-V

**Faculty responsibilities:**

Regular teaching assignments:

- 29-102 Fundamentals of Oral Communications
- 29-325 Listening Behavior and Skills
- 29-351 Normal Language Development
- 29-553 Language, Speech, and Hearing of the Exceptional Child
- 77-101 Freshman Seminar

Current departmental committee assignments:

- Fundamentals of Oral Communication- Director of the program
- Speech/Theatre Education Team Member
- Evaluation Committee
- Library Liaison
- Speech Communication Committee

Current institutional committee assignments:

- Access and Accomodation Committee- Chair

**Professional and Honorary Memberships and Activities:**

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Offices Held</u>	<u>Committees</u>
American Speech & Hearing Assoc.		
Missouri Speech & Hearing Assoc.		
Licensed in Speech Pathology in State of Missouri		
International Listening Association		

**Major Creative/Scholarly Activities (last 5 years):**

- Faculty Research Grant for Listening Research
- Presentation for Head Start on Language Development
- Language Workshop for Early Childhood Program

**Recent Professional Development Activities:**

- Missouri CEC conference

**Current Research Interests/Activities**

Communication Disorders, Listening