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Higher Education & Preservice Training

Relevant facts:

- Only 32 Colleges and Universities nationwide are accredited by CERI and/or IDA in the Knowledge and Practice Standards for Teachers of Reading. None of these institutions are in Georgia.
- 5% of teachers reported they were taught how to reach reading.

What you can do:

• Implement structured literacy curriculum to ensure that program graduates are knowledgeable about, and can apply, the principles and practices of structured literacy when they enter the classroom.

Learn more:

- CERI: <u>https://effectivereading.org/</u>
- IDA Knowledge and Practice Standards for Teachers of Reading: <u>https://dyslexiaida.org/knowledge-and-practices</u> /
- National Reading Panel <u>https://www.nichd.nih.gov/sites/default/files/publications/pubs/nrp/Documen</u> <u>ts/report.pdf</u>

Get in touch:

 Rollins Center for Language & Literacy and its Cox Campus, Dr. Nadia Jones <u>njones@atlantaspeechschool.org</u> – our free online coursework is already in use at Kennesaw State University, the University of Alabama and elsewhere

