

# Madeline Brandi Collins

**AVID District Director and Lead AVID Teacher  
Pasadena ISD**

**AVID Staff Developer and Lead Writer**

## Education

M.Ed. Educational Technology - Digital Learning and Leading  
Lamar University, Texas

B.A. Criminal Justice  
Southeastern Louisiana University, Louisiana

## Skills

Including but not limited to: Office 365, Microsoft OneNote, Sharepoint, Teams, AVID eBinders, Schoology (LMS), Padlet, Venngage, Kahoot, Quizlet, Skype, WebEx, Google Suite and Weebly

## Interests

- Creating significant learning environments through choice, ownership, voice and authenticity (CSLE + COVA)
- Promoting effective professional learning through duration, support, active engagement, modeling and context
- Using technology to enhance the learning experience
- Gathering, disaggregating and successfully using CCI data to ensure AVID system fidelity and growth

## Experiences

Led Pasadena ISD team at the AVID District Leadership for College Readiness (DLCCR) pilot. Post DLCCR pilot, continues an active role in forming and implementing a district wide strategic plan to further develop a successful college and career ready culture for all students.

Attended and coached district level AVID teachers in the building of professional learning capacity through the AVID Professional Learning Practices workshop.

Hosted and attended AVID Critical Elements for Implementation pilot workshop with the purpose of empowering Region 4 district leaders to make connections between AVID Schoolwide domains and areas for school improvement that will strengthen the AVID College Readiness System.

Created an online course in Schoology titled: **Teach Paperless. Learn Endless: Creating Significant Learning Environments through OneNote** with the goal for the learner to understand the role technology plays in creating more opportunities for significant learning and apply this new found knowledge to foster engaging, supportive and collaborative environments.

To view my course: go to Schoology.com and enter access code **J3DWF-575HT**.

Created an ePortfolio to showcase my learning journey throughout my Masters program in Educational Technology and beyond.

You are invited to experience **Fearlessly Learning to Lead** by logging on to:

[madelinebrandicollins.weebly.com](http://madelinebrandicollins.weebly.com)



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## Highlights

- AVID Staff Developer for MS IMP - 4 years
- 2019 - First year AVID Staff Developer for Digital Teaching and Learning: Foundations - Secondary
- PATH Staff Developer for MS IMP and CTE
- Lead Writer for ADL 1
- CCI Pilot Campus
- Automated district AVID student recruitment process
- Hosted Region 4 Principals Roundtable Workshop
- Instrumental in the creation of the AVID eBinder Starter Kit
- Microsoft Guest Blogger at SXSW Education Conference
- Showcased AVID eBinders at the Texas Capitol Schoolhouse symposium
- 5 time AVID National Conference attendee
- 2015 named 7-12 Texas Teacher Trailblazer by the Texas Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development for outstanding classroom technology innovations
- Fall of 2019 begin Instructional Technology Doctoral program