

## **LOUISE E. COLEMAN**

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### **EDUCATION**

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| Ed.D. | University of Illinois, Champaign | 1994 |
| Ed.M. | Loyola University, Chicago        | 1980 |
| B.S.  | Chicago State University, Chicago | 1968 |

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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| 1996--Present | Associate, Hazard, Young, Attea & Associates, Ltd.    |
| 1990 - 2002   | Superintendent of Schools, Joliet Public Schools (IL) |
| 1986 - 1990   | K-5 Elementary School Principal (IL)                  |
| 1968 - 1986   | Chicago Public School Teacher (IL)                    |

### **RELATED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

Effective Schools Consultant Phoenix (AZ)  
Beloit (WI)  
Joliet (IL)  
Lake Village (AR)  
Illinois Association of School Boards  
Task Force Member, Illinois State Board of Education School Accreditation Process

### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

American Association of School Administrators  
Illinois Association of School Boards  
National Alliance of Black School Educators  
Will County School Administrators, President - Past Secretary  
Joliet Regional Chamber of Commerce, United Way, Boys and Girls Club, Boy Scouts of America, Board Member  
Kiwanis Club, Member  
Illinois Women Administrators, Member

### **AWARDS AND RECOGNITION:**

ATHENA Award, Outstanding Business Woman of the year, Joliet Chamber of Commerce, 1992  
Gold Star Award, National Hook-up of Black Women, 1992  
Illinois Distinguished Educator Award, Illinois State Board of Education and Milken Family Foundation, 1989  
Resolution offered by Senator Thomas Dunn and approved by the Senate for outstanding services as an educator, 1990  
Resolution from Joliet Board of School Inspectors or outstanding services to Joliet District 86, 1989  
Kizzy Image, Achievement and Service Award - The Black Women Hall of Fame Foundation, 1988  
Featured in Joliet Herald Newspaper on Christmas Day. "Taft School Positive About Students' Success", 1988  
Appeared on Channel 7 (WLS) Documentary: "Schools That Work", 1988  
PTA Honorary Life Membership, 1989, 1994  
Governor's Master Teacher Award, Illinois State Board of Education, 1984