**Lisa Dieker, PhD: Expert presenter on inclusive practices**

Lisa presented her work on inclusive practices at the LEAP Convening: Building Inclusive and Equitable Learning Opportunities on March 16, 2018. **Lisa is a Professor and Lockheed Martin Eminent Scholar at the University of Central Florida.** Her primary area of research focuses on collaboration between general and special education, with a specific interest in the unique opportunities that exist for students in urban and rural settings. She has a passion for connecting technology and simulation to impact teacher preparation and student learning. Lisa is the author of [*The Co-Planner (4th ed.): Two Professionals + One Plan for Co-Teaching*](https://www.knowledge-by-design.com/planbook.html).

Lisa is sought out regularly to provide national and international keynote addresses. She serves in numerous leadership roles including serving on the board of the Council for Exceptional Education Teacher Education Division where she was selected by the Council for Exceptional Children as the Child Advocate Network (CAN) coordinator of the year.  She also has been the editor and associate editor for two international journals and is currently the Associate Editor of *Teaching Exceptional Children*.

***The Co-Planner: Two Professionals + One Plan for Co-Teaching***

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This unique lesson plan book is designed to be completed and shared between a general education teacher and a special education teacher.

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More information about Lisa can be found on her website: [Lisa Dieker’s Website](http://www.lisadieker.com/)