**Application Questions for the Content Enhancement Routine Strand of the Content Literacy Leadership Institute for Prospective SIM™ Professional Developers**

1. **Commitment.** Why would you like to become a SIM™ Professional Developer in Content Enhancement? Briefly describe how you would like to use your expertise as a SIM Professional Developer in your career, school/district, or region/state.
2. **Describe your current position.**
3. **Classroom Impact.** Describe the impact that the implementation of Content Enhancement has had on your teaching.
4. **Professional Development Background.** Describe your background in delivering professional development sessions for individuals or groups of teachers related to SIM (if you hold a SIM Specialist micro-credential) or related to any evidence-based practices and/or other initiatives in your school/district/organization.
5. **Instructional Coaching Background.** Do you have experience providing instructional coaching related to SIM (if you hold a SIM Specialist micro-credential) or related to any evidence-based practices and/or other initiatives in your school/district/organization.
6. **Adolescent Literacy Background.** Describe your background knowledge and skills related to adolescent and/or content literacy (i.e., literacy across the curriculum and discipline-specific literacy, such as math or science literacy).
7. **Letters of Support.** Who are the two individuals sending letters of support and what role do they play in your on-going professional learning?
8. **Apprenticeship.** Describe your understanding of the apprenticeship requirements. Provide the name of your SIM Mentor or let us know if you need help identifying a SIM Mentor.
9. **SIM Learning Strategies Background.** If you have had any instruction or have implemented any of the SIM Learning Strategies, describe the extent, length, content, and name(s) of the professional developer(s). Additionally, are you certified as a SIM Professional Developer in Learning Strategies? (Experience with the Learning Strategies is not necessary to be a Content Enhancement Professional developer but knowledge of your experience is helpful to the institute instructors.)