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- 1. What are your current 3 main areas of research?
 - Reading Teacher Development
 - Metacognition and Comprehension Instruction
 - Close Reading of Complex Texts
- 2. What are the top 3 areas of expertise/tools you are looking for in a research collaborator?
 - Expertise in methods of close reading
 - Expertise in statistical analysis of student test scores
 - Expertise in language and linguistics
- **3.** What 3 skills/tools that you have access to, are you willing to share with a potential research collaborator?
 - Qualitative research methods
 - Action research methods
 - Developmental schemes for adult teachers
 - Reviewing research in metacognition and comprehension across various fields of study