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EDUCATION

Graduate Level Courses, University of Louisiana Lafayette, Lafayette, LA 2012-2013
MFA Creative Writing, California State University Fresno, Fresno, CA, 2010
BS Mass Communication, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, 2005

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor, English, Lamar State College Orange, Orange, TX 2021-Present
Instructor, English, Lamar State College Orange, Orange, TX 2015-2021
Success Seminar Coordinator, Lamar State College Orange, Orange, Tx 2017-2021
Adjunct Instructor, Arts and Sciences, Lamar State College Orange, Orange, TX 2011-2015
Success Seminar Instructor, Lamar State College Orange, Orange, TX 2012-2021
Teaching Associate, California State University Fresno, Fresno, CA 2007 to 2010
Writing Tutor, California State University Fresno, Fresno, CA 2007 to 2008
Intern, The Normal School, Fresno, CA 2009 to 2010
Intern, Phillip Levine Prize, Fresno, CA 2009 to 2010

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Lamar State College Orange

American Literature – (Face to Face, Online, Hybrid, 8wks, 16 wks, Dual Credit)
British Literature – (Online, Dual Credit)
College Success
Composition I - (Face to Face, Online, Hybrid, 8wks, 16 wks, Dual Credit)
Composition II (Introduction to Literature) - (Face to Face, Online, Hybrid, 8wks, 16 wks, Dual Credit)
Developmental Integrated Reading and Writing – (Face to Face, Online, Hybrid, 8wks)
Developmental Writing
Education 1300
World Literature – ((Face to Face, Online, Hybrid, 8wks, 16 wks, Dual Credit)

California State University – Fresno

Academic Literacy I

Academic Literacy II
Beginning Fiction Writing

EXTRACURRICULAR UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Faculty Senate President, Lamar State College Orange, Orange TX 2021-Present
Creative Writing Association Advisor, Lamar State College Orange, Orange TX 2020-Present
Phi Theta Kappa Advisor, Lamar State College Orange, Orange TX 2016-2018
Instructor, Young Writer's Conference, Fresno, CA 2007 to 2010
Editorial Board, Young Writer's Conference, Fresno, CA 2007 to 2010

AWARDS AND CERTIFICATIONS

QM Certification, Quality Matters, 2022
NISOD Excellence Award for Teaching, NISOD 2020
Certificate in Effective Instruction, The Association of College And University Educators And The American Council on Education, 2019
Teaching Excellence Award, Lamar State College Orange 2018

PUBLICATIONS

2011 "The Measure of Creation." *Annalemma* 8 36-45.

REFERENCES - available upon request