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EDUCATION

- Master of Arts in English, Angelo State University (ASU), San Angelo, 2019
- Bachelor of Arts in English, ASU, San Angelo, 2016

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor: Department of English and Modern Languages, August 2023-Present, ASU, San Angelo, Texas

- Instructor of Eng. 1301 Introduction to Composition Class
- Instructor of Eng. 1302 Writing Across the Curriculum
- Created syllabus' and designed curriculum for Eng. 1301 and 1302
- Evaluated and provided feedback student's papers
- Designed and taught in an online format
- Facilitated peer review sessions
- Instructed students in all aspects of the research process
- Taught MLA and APA formatting

Adjunct Instructor: Department of English and Modern Languages, August 2021-May 2023, ASU, San Angelo, Texas

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- Instructor of Eng. 1302 Writing Across the Curriculum
- Created syllabus' and designed curriculum for Eng. 1301 and 1302
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Teaching Assistant: Department of English and Modern Languages, August 2018-May 2019, ASU, San Angelo, Texas

- Instructor of Eng. 1301 Introduction to Composition Class
- Created syllabus' and designed curriculum for Eng. 1301
- Evaluated and commented on student's papers
- Worked with students to get papers published in *Final Drafts* (ASU Lit. Publication)
- Held one-on-one and group conferences with students

- Facilitated peer review sessions
- Taught MLA and APA formatting

Graduate Assistant: Writing Center in Department of English and Modern Languages, January 2017-May 2018, ASU, San Angelo, Texas

- Helped students one-on-one in the Writing Center through all stages of the writing process
- Observed English 1301 Composition with Dr. Mark Hama
- Completed in person and on-line tutor sessions
- Identified writing errors in student's papers and guided them through corrections
- Worked with developmental students as an assistant in 1301T (developmental class) classes
- Assisted in training new Writing Center tutors
- Evaluated and commented on student papers for English 1301
- Created and taught lessons in 1301T
- Assisted in the creation of FYC (First-Year Composition) website for future instructors
- Taught MLA and APA formatting

Peer Tutor: Writing Center in Department of English and Modern Languages, 2014-2016, ASU, San Angelo, Texas

- Helped students one-on-one in the Writing Center through all stages of the writing process
- Assisted in training new tutors
- Identified writing errors in student's papers and guided them through corrections
- Completed in person and on-line tutor sessions
- Received extensive training in helping foreign-language learners
- Worked with developmental students as an assistant in 1301T classes
- Guest lectured 1301T classes
- Created and taught lessons in 1301T classes
- Taught MLA and APA formatting

RELATED EXPERIENCE

Personal Tutoring for non-native speakers (Tibetan and Burmese):
Spring 2019-present

- Created and taught lessons to school-age children to increase their comprehension of written and spoken English
- Provided personalized spoken English lessons to Tibetan Scholars designed to help them be more efficient and understandable teachers of philosophical topics
- Designed reading exercises based on the Tibetan literary canon
- Gave instruction to Tibetan scholars over the religious, philosophical, and cultural landscape of Western culture

Sales: Old Town Books, November 2019 - Present, San Angelo, Texas

- Curated book selections based on Eastern and Western Canons, as well as customers needs
- Organized sales and displays over many literary genres and sales events
- Shipping and receiving
- Promoted children's literacy by hosting in-person and on-line story time for preschool and elementary children
- Assisted customers

Administrative Council: Gampo Abbey (Canadian non-profit Organization), Oct. 2001 – Feb 2011, Pleasant Bay, Nova Scotia, Canada

- Lectured on Eastern philosophy, mindfulness, and history
- Created curriculum for and instructed several Introduction to Tibetan Language classes
- Acted as personal assistant to best-selling author Pema Chodron
- Planned and conducted visits from Tibetan, Japanese, and Bhutanese dignitaries
- Assisted in overseeing planning, budgeting, and operations of the organization.

PUBLICATION EXPERIENCE

Literary Editor: *ASU's Oasis Art and Literary Magazine* 2019

- Collaborated with a team in all aspects of the publication
- Sorted the wide variety of student submissions into themes
- Assisted in the selection and editing process
- Using my knowledge of graphic design, I matched artistic and alphabetic submissions to create the most visually pleasing text
- Copy-edited submissions
- Met assigned deadlines promptly
- Arranged and hosted reception for ASU Faculty and authors

PUBLICATIONS

“Multimodal Learning” – a page for ASU's First Year Composition (FYC) Database (a digital resource for freshman composition teachers)

Committee Translation (Tibetan to English), Jamgon Kongtrul Lodro Taye's commentary on *Distinction between Consciousness and Wisdom*, text appeared in a book entitled *Luminous Heart: The Third Karmapa on Consciousness, Wisdom, and Buddha Nature* by Dr. Karl Brunnhölzl. Published by Snow Lion

Poem, “Ode to Suzanne,” in *The Great American Wise Ass Poetry Anthology*, Lamar University Press

Various Poems in *Oasis ASU Art and Literary Magazine* 2014, 2015, and 2017

Conference, "Revisiting Rock and Roll Nightmare: The Cult Star as Intercessor," Southwest Popular/American Cultural Association Conference, 2018

GUEST LECTURER

Guest Lecturer - KSA (Korean Student Association) orientations

Guest Lecturer -ASU Department of Agriculture (Chicago Style and Scientific Writing Style)

Guest Lecturer – conducted Tutor Talks (a short presentation on ASU's writing center and the services offered there) on numerous occasions throughout ASU's Campus

Guest Lecturer –ASU Department of Philosophy (Talk on Buddhism for Philosophy of Religion class)

Guest Lecturer -Saint Francis Xavier University Department of Religion (Talks on Buddhism)

Guest Lecturer – multiple interfaith gatherings in Texas and Canada

AREAS OF RESEARCH

Composition Studies, Poetry (writing and reading), Teaching non-native speakers, Ethnic/Cultural/Gender studies of ASU English classes, Multimodal learning, Eastern and Western philosophy, Tibetan Language, Literature, and Culture, Pop Culture Studies, and Underrepresented peoples in literature and mass media

REFERENCES

Dr. Erin Ashworth-King, Associate Professor of English, Department of English Chair, Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX., (325)486-6139, erin.ashworth-king@angelo.edu

Dr. Katie Jones, Former Writing Center Coordinator, Now Head of Developmental English Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX., (325) 227- 3682, nan.jones@angelo.edu

Dr. Melissa Huffman, Director of First-Year Writing Program, Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX., (325) 277-6233, mellisa.huffman@angelo.edu

Dr. Laurence Musgrove, Professor of English, Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX., (325) 486-6138, laurence.musgrove@angelo.edu

Dr. Mark Hama, Professor of English, Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX., (325) 486-6147, mark.hama@angelo.edu

Ms. Cindy Burkhalter, Head of Developmental English (Retired) at ASU, San Angelo, TX., (325) 656-6652, Cynthia.burkhalter@angelo.edu

Dr. Mary Ellen Hartje, Owner of Old Town Books and ASU English Professor (Retired), San Angelo, TX., (325) 212-6852, meh@angelo.edu