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EDUCATION: Bachelors Degree, West Georgia College English Literature/Minor in Psychology

Master of Arts in English at University of West Georgia

WORK HISTORY:

2016-Presnt University of West Georgia

December 2013-2016 **Woosong University** Daejeon, South Korea

Title: Inter-Departmental Teacher (IDT) for the Culinary Arts English Program. Teaches English, TOIEC Preparation.

August, 2008 - 2013 **Ivy Collegiate Academy** (Boarding School) Taichung, Taiwan

Title: Dean of Faculty, English Teacher Taught AP English, British Literature, Language Arts, Film as Literature, AP Music, Academy Singers (school chorus), Night School extra reading classes, SAT/TOEFL, Senior College advisor Developed my own curriculum

August 2007 to August 2008 **State University of West Georgia**

May 2006-May 2007 **Herald School Academy House** Andong, South Korea

Taught English Second Language/TOEFL

2005-2006 **University of West Georgia**

English 101 Composition (Graduate Assistant)

2004-2005 **Kidspeace** Residential Treatment Facility

Late night staff/ Taught Shakespeare to Boys Unit 3

2002-2004 **Inner Harbour** Residential Treatment Facility

Taught Itanca Boys Unit (all subjects and levels)

September 2001-July 2002 **American Academy of Beirut**

Taught English to grades 7,8,9,11,& 12; Music to grades 2-6

1997-2001 **International School of Choueifat**, Cairo, Egypt

Taught Advanced English/ I.G.C.S.E. grades 10, 11, 12 & Music KG-8

1995-1996 **South Douglas Elementary School**, Douglas County, GA

Taught Shakespeare, Spanish, Drama, Creative Writing

1993-1995 **Global International Language School**, Jeju-do, Korea

1987-1990 **Georgia Quickstart Program**, Atlanta, GA

Technical Writer projects with major corporations through the Department of Technical and Adult Education

SPECIAL SKILLS:

Languages Studied: Korean, Arabic, Spanish; Play Piano, PADI Certified Rescue Diver

ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Columbus Museum Play Writing Award 2011; Most Outstanding Graduate Student Award 2004;Georgia Collegiate Press Association Award 2003;Winner of the Kay Magenheimer Poetry Prize 2003; published poet (various publications)