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EDUCATION

MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY - MILWAUKEE, WI

Master of Arts in Spanish, August 2014-May 2016 - GPA: 4.0/4.0

LA UNIVERSIDAD DE MURCIA – MURCIA, SPAIN

Spanish Culture and Literature as Rotary International Ambassadorial Scholar, 2013-2014 GPA: non-applicable (all classes passed)

TRUMAN STATE UNIVERSITY – KIRKSVILLE, MO

Bachelor of Arts in Spanish, August 2009–December 2012 GPA: 3.93/4.0 - Summa Cum Laude

EL CIPET – ALAJUELA, COSTA RICA

Latin American History and Culture, Summer 2011 - GPA: 4.0/4.0

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY

- SPAN 2001 Intermediate Spanish 1
- SPAN 2003 Intensive Intermediate Spanish
- **SPAN 1003** Intensive Elementary Spanish
- SPAN 3300 Peoples and Cultures of Spain
- EDUC 4931 Advanced Methods Foreign Language
- **SPAN 1001** Elementary Spanish 1 (grading/feedback only)

CARDINAL STRITCH UNIVERSITY

• SPN 312 Counter Kulture: Expressions of Identity and Resistance

ST. THOMAS MORE HIGH SCHOOL

- SPANISH 1 Elementary Spanish
- SPANISH 2 Intermediate Spanish

CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY

• **ESL** Intermediate Speaking and Listening

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY – MILWAUKEE, WI

Spanish Teaching Assistant, August 2014 - May 2016

Visiting/Teaching Instructor of Spanish, Fall 2017 - present

- Design lessons, assess learning, and track attendance primarily for SPAN 2001, 2003, and 1003.
- Collaborate with colleagues and provide further assistance for students during office hours.
- Develop student competence and communication skills by directing classes entirely in Spanish.

CARDINAL STRITCH UNIVERSITY - MILWAUKEE, WI

Adjunct Instructor, January - May 2018

• Instructed 24 students in a class on countercultures and resistance with a focus on Latin America.

ST. THOMAS MORE HIGH SCHOOL – MILWAUKEE, WI

Spanish Teacher, August 2016 - June 2017

- Instructed 139 high school students in 6 elementary and intermediate Spanish classes.
- Guided students in language acquisition while adapting instruction to fit individual student needs.
- Facilitated conversations with Spanish-speaking families at school and community events.

MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY - MADRID, SPAIN

Study Abroad Program Assistant, February - July 2016

- Contacted families to host students of Marquette's 1-month, 6-credit study abroad program.
- Handled confidential bank information and facilitated payment of host families.
- Taught 16 undergraduate students in SPAN 3300 about people and cultures of Spain.
- Organized weekend travel in Spain by making group reservations and distributing information.

CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY – MEQUON, WI

English Language Adjunct Instructor (ESL), Summer 2015

- Taught communicative ESL to 35 students in 2 sections of Intermediate Speaking and Listening.
- Tailored lessons for students from different cultures, backgrounds, and learning styles.

TRUMAN STATE UNIVERSITY – ALAJUELA, COSTA RICA

Study Abroad Program Assistant, summer 2012

- Created lessons and exams for 30 students in a 9-week, 12-credit study abroad program in Alajuela.
- Utilized Microsoft Office Suite to calculate and maintain expenses of the program.

TRUMAN STATE UNIVERSITY – KIRKSVILLE, MO

Spanish Tutor, January 2011 - December 2012

• Lead 5 groups of 5 to 6 students each week, engaging with students primarily in Spanish.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

SPAN 2001 Lead Instructor, August 2019 – May 2022

- Shared lessons, syllabi, and instructions with other instructors of SPAN 2001.
- Served as main contact with LingroLearning support for SPAN 2001 questions and concerns.

Advanced Methods Supervisor, January – May 2019

- Attended three whole group lessons in student's field placement for EDUC 4931.
- Provided feedback before and after observations took place.

Caribe Conference, November 2014

• Acted in performance of *La Madre y la Guillotina* (Matías Montes Huidobro), directed by Dr. Raquel Aguilu de Murphy.

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

Ambassadorial Scholar, January 2013-January 2014

- Acted as ambassador between Rotary District 6040 of Kirksville, MO, and District 2203 of Spain.
- Designed lessons in English for university students and families, offering lessons free of charge.
- Gave 15 cultural presentations to Rotary clubs throughout Spain and the United States.

SIGMA DELTA PI – NATIONAL COLLEGIATE HISPANIC HONOR SOCIETY

Vice President/Publications Chair, August 2011–December 2012

- Created cultural presentations to promote understanding among students of different backgrounds.
- Designed and delivered posters, t-shirts, and Facebook events to publicize organization plans.

PHI SIGMA PI – NATIONAL HONOR FRATERNITY

Regional Delegate/Service Committee Member, January 2011–December 2012

- Maintained contact with all seven chapters of Phi Sigma Pi in the Greater Plains region.
- Organized events for those chapters, including an annual conference attended by 100.

LANGUAGES

- English Native speaking, reading, and writing proficiency
- Spanish Near-native speaking, reading, and writing proficiency