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EDUCATION:

1998-2001	MA in English	University of Alabama in Huntsville	Huntsville, AL
		Degree Granted: May 2001	
<i>2000</i>	<i>Certificate in Technical Writing</i>	University of Alabama in Huntsville	
1989-1995	BA in Art History	University of Cincinnati, DAAP	Cincinnati, OH
	Minor in Architecture	Degree Granted: December 1995	

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

Senior Lecturer	2019-present	University of Alabama in Huntsville
<i>Course</i>		<i>Semester/Year Taught</i>
EH101S College Writing with Studio		F18; F19; SP20; SP21; F21; F22; SP23
EH101 College Writing I		F18; F20
EH102 College Writing II		S19; F19; S20; S21; SP23; S23; F23
EH103 Accelerated College Writing		SP19; SP20; SP21; SP22
EH105 Honors English Seminar		F18; F19; F20; F21
EH208 Readings in Literature & Culture II: Disturbing Modernity		SP19; F22; F23
EH210 Honors Readings in Literature & Culture II		SP19
EH208-H01 Honors Readings in Literature & Culture II: Disturbing Modernity		F22
Full-Time Lecturer	2008-2019	University of Alabama in Huntsville
EH 101S Intensive Writing/Freshman Composition/College Writing with Studio		
EH101 Freshman Composition/College Writing I		
EH102 Freshman Composition/College Writing II		
EH103 Accelerated College Writing		
EH105 Honors English Seminar		
EH205 British Literature		
EH207 Readings in Literature & Culture I		
EH208 Readings in Literature & Culture II		
EH210 Honors Readings in Literature & Culture II		
EH240 World Literature I		
EH241 World Literature II		
EH230 American Literature		

Full-Time Lecturer (Cont'd)

EH300 Business Writing

EH/CM301 Technical Writing

Visiting Lecturer **2007-2008** University of Alabama in Huntsville

Part-Time Instructor **2001-2007** University of Alabama in Huntsville

Substitute Instructor **2000-2001** University of Alabama in Huntsville
Freshman Composition I & II; Survey of American Literature

Graduate Teaching Assistant **1999-2001** University of Alabama in Huntsville
Writing Center Consultant Education and Training
Writing Center Administration
Peer Consultation

SERVICE:

Member – English Department Retention Committee, UAH, Fall 2023-present

Chair – Retention Sub-Committee for Faculty English Major Advisor/Mentor, UAH, English Dept.
Fall 2023-present

Advisor/Mentor – Faculty English Major Advisor/Mentor, UAH, English Dept.
Spring 2021-present

Member – WPA Composition Textbook Evaluation/Selection Group; Fall 2022-Spring 2023

Member – Dean's Committee on Mental Health Support, UAH, CAHS; Fall 2022

Member – GTA Hiring/Scholarship Committee, UAH, English Dept., Spring 2016 to Fall 2022

Member – Student Experience-Advising Committee, UAH, English Dept.; Fall 2019-Spring 2022

Member – Composition Lecturers Hiring Committee, UAH, English Dept.; Spring 2020

Member – Dean's Lecturer Committee, CAHS, Fall 2019-2020

Founding Member – Lecturers Standing Committee, UAH, English Dept., Fall 2016 to present

Member – Common Text Selection Committee, EH105 Honors English Seminar
Spring 2016, Fall 2016 to Spring 2021

Member – WPA Committee, UAH, English Dept.; Fall 2015, 2016- Spring 2022
WPA Curriculum Assessment Committee, UAH, English Dept.; 2015-Spring 2022
WPA Sub-Committee, EH101S Curriculum Revamp; Summer 2017-2021

Member – CAHS Awards Committee, UAH, 2016-2017; 2019-2020

Reviewer – *Perpetua* article review, Nov. 2018

SERVICE (Cont'd)

Member – CAHS Student Misconduct Committee, 2017-2018

Member – *Charger Times* Guidance Committee, 2017-2018

Member – Lecturers Hiring Committee, UAH English Dept., Spring 2016

Member – Composition Textbook Evaluation/Selection Committee, Composition Director/English Dept., Fall 2014

Co-Advisor – *The Odyssey* (UAH Chapter), Editorial/Content input, AY2016-2017

The Charger Times (UAH), AY2017-2018

Co-Director of Composition –UAH English Department, Summer 2015

Member – Committee to Reassess and Define Learning Objectives for Sophomore Literature Surveys, UAH English Dept., 2012-14

Member – Textbook Evaluation/Selection Committee; UAH English Dept., March 2007

RESEARCH/PUBLICATION:

Editor/Compiler *UAH First-Year Composition Guide/UAH College Writing Guide*

Fall 2014-Spring 2015, Summer 2016 & 2017, Spring 2019

Edited, compiled and updated textbook for UAH First-Year/College Writing Composition Program. Worked with instructors, students, publishing design representative and Director of Composition.

Reviewer *May 2017* **Fountainhead Press Reader for Georgia State University**

Author *August 2020* “The Truth is No One Cares”
 Essay for ***Outside In Trusts No One: 156 New Perspectives on 156 X-Files and Kolchak Stories by 156 Writers.*** ATB Publishing

October 2021 “How to Raise a Good, Strong Boy by Mademoiselle Dion,
Mother of Henri”
Essay for ***Outside In Wants to Believe: Perspectives on X-Files and Millennium***.
ATB Publishing

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Acting WPA	Summer 2016, 2017, 2020, 2022	UAH, English Department
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Co-Director of Composition	Summer 2015	UAH, English Department
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Mentor to GTAs teaching EH101S	2014 to 2022	UAH, English Department
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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (Cont'd)

Acting Director—UAH Writing Center Fall 2007-Summer 2008 UAH, English Department

Technical Editor/Writer Part-time 2003 Northrup-Grumman HSV, AL
Part-time 2001-2003 TRW E-Learning Group HSV, AL

Editor 2000-2002 *Historic Huntsville Quarterly of Local Architecture and Historic Preservation*

Editor and Proofreader Fall 2006-2011 Mr. Sha Li
Spring 2001, 2004-2007 Mrs. Nancy Rohr
Fall 2002-2003 Mr. Frank Chappell

Writing Consultant Summer 1999 UAH Writing Center

Research Assistant Fall-Winter 1997 Dr. Ruth K. Myers
Introduction to Catalog for Frick Museum

Grader 1995-1997 University College, Art History Department,
University of Cincinnati

Slide Library Attendant 1996-1997 College of DAAP, Art History Department,
University of Cincinnati

Architectural Intern 1991-1994 Five three-month assignments at three
architectural firms
Nashville, Baltimore and Cincinnati

PUBLISHED WORK:

Student Textbook: *UAH College Writing Guide* Fountainhead Press, 2017; 2019

First-Year Composition Guide Fountainhead Press, 2016

Master's Thesis: "De-Silvering the Mirror: Women Writers Using Women's Bodies" UAH, 2001

Articles:

- "The Truth is No One Cares." Essay; *Outside In Trusts No One* (Aug 2020) ATB Publishing
- "How to Raise a Good, Strong Boy By Mademoiselle Dion, Mother of Henri." Essay;
Outside In Wants to Believe: 156 Perspectives on 156 X-Files Universe Stories by 156 Writers (Oct 2021) ATB Publishing
- "Recess." Poem; *ARETE* (Spring 2001) University of Alabama in Huntsville
- "The Natural Canvas: Landscape and Architecture as Artistic Media for Nineteenth-Century Landscape Painters Bierstadt, Cropsey and Church." *ArtWords 2* (Spring 1996) University of Cincinnati
- "New Art 6: Andrea Zittel." Exhibition Review; *ArtWords 2* (Spring 1996) University of Cincinnati
- Work Sample of structure of office building. Use of Form-Z beta computer program. Used in ads in architectural periodicals; 1992

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Speaker – LSAMP Summer Bridge Program, UAH College Writing Overview; July 5, 2022

Presenter – Society for Women Engineers, Huntsville chapter

Resume Construction workshop; March 2008

Instructor – Human Resources Course for UAH; Writing in Business

2-hour presentation; March 2008

Member – NCTE; 2003-2007

Award Committee Member – AAUW, Huntsville branch; Scholarship essay reader; Feb. 2002

Presenter – CCCC Convention; Minneapolis, Minnesota; 2000

Attendee – National and East Central Writing Center Associations Conference

Indiana University, Bloomington, IN; April 1999

Speaker – Close Inspection Gallery Talk; *Portrait of the Duchess of Montesquiou-Fezenac* by

Oskar Kokoschka; Cincinnati Art Museum; Cincinnati, OH; March 23, 1996

Presenter – The 22nd Ohio Area Student Symposium-Assoc. of Art History Students

University of Notre Dame, South Bend, IN; April 13, 1996

Presenter – Crossing Boundaries in Practice: Approaches to Architecture and Built

Environments Across Cultures and Disciplines; The 2nd Center for the Study of the Practice of Architecture Symposium on Architectural Practice and the 5th

International and Interdisciplinary Forum on Built Form and Culture Research; Cincinnati, OH; October 14-17, 1993

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

Student – “Diversifying Classroom Texts,” SPLC Learning for Justice, Professional Development Certificate; April 20, 2023; 1 hour

Student – Adult Mental Health First Aid USA, National Council for Mental Wellbeing; April 12, 2023; 8 hours

Student – UAH Inclusive Excellence Certificate Program, UAH, College of Professional Studies; Fall 2023; 15 Modules

Attendee – “Working with Students on the Spectrum: Social Interaction and Communication” Lunch and Learn; UAH; Feb. 2020

Organizer – Mental Health in Freshmen; Presentations for Instructors; Spring 2018

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS:

- “More Than a Place for the Coffeepot: Writing Center Environments, Multiple Intelligences, and Environmental Psychology.” CCCC, Minneapolis, MN; April 2000
- “The Cocoon of Vienna: Oskar Kokoschka’s *Portrait of the Marquise de Montesquieu*.” The 22nd Ohio Area Student Symposium-Association of Art History Students; University of Notre Dame, South Bend, IN; April 13, 1996

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (Cont'd)

- “Personal Architecture: A Way to Social Responsibility.” The 2nd CSPA Symposium on Architectural Practice and the 5th International and Interdisciplinary Forum on Built Form and Culture Research; Cincinnati, OH; October 14-17, 1993

HONORS AND AWARDS:

2019 & 2020 CAHS Nominee for University Excellence in Teaching Award

2009-2010 UAH Student Government Association Liberal Arts Instructor of the Year

2000-2001 Distinguished Academic Achievement and Service Award
UAH, Department of English, MA Program

Spring 2000 Essay Award: Literary Analysis by Graduate Student UAH, Department of English

1999-2001 Sigma Tau Delta Member; Upsilon Mu Chapter

1998-2001 Graduate Dean's List – College of Liberal Arts, UAH

1999-2001 Graduate Teaching Assistantship UAH, Dept. of English

1995 Departmental Award: Art History University of Cincinnati

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

Parent Coach – LEGO Robotics League; Challenger Elementary School 5th Grade Team; 2012-13

Reading Coach Volunteer – Challenger Elementary School; 4th grade ESL students; 2011-12

Judge – Optimist Club of Huntsville Annual Essay Contest; Spring 2008

Participant – Research participant in PhD candidate Andrea Word's study of instructor/student communication on writing; UAH; Summer 2003

Participant – Instructor trial of plagiarism detection software, Turnitin.com; UAH; Summer 2003

Volunteer – SEASEC 2001; Huntsville, AL, March 2001

Member – Dean's Student Advisory Board; UAH College of Liberal Arts, 1999-2001

Volunteer – University Children's Hospital; Cincinnati, OH, 1995-1996

Volunteer – Writing Program Mentor; Fifth/Sixth Grade; St. Anne's School; Cincinnati, OH, 1996