Paul Lee

Education

August 2002-Present University of Texas at Arlington Arlington, TX **PhD. of English**

- I am currently working on the PhD in English with an emphasis in Postcolonial literature. I currently have a 3.9 GPA
- Tentative dissertation title: Bug-Eyed Monsters and the Encounter with the Postcolonial Other: An Analysis of Common Postcolonial Themes and Characteristics in Science Fiction

September 1998-August 2002 Midwestern State University Wichita Falls, Texas

Master of English

I completed my Master's degree at MSU with a 3.8 GPA

Bachelor of English

I completed my Bachelor's degree at MSU with a 2.9 GPA

Interests and activities

Reading, computers, writing, travel

Work experience

May 2009-Present Southern Methodist University

Dallas, TX

Academic Advisor/Adjunct Instructor

- Currently I work as an academic advisor for pre-majors in all disciplines.
- I also periodically teach rhetoric/composition courses where I
 frequently emphasize current events, timely topics with multiple
 approaches including historical, anthropological and
 sociological, among others.

August 2002-May 2009 University of Texas at Arlington Arlington, TX

Graduate Teaching Assistant

While I was working as a GTA and I was solely responsible for conducting and managing my classes on a day-to-day basis for the entire semester. During this time I taught rhetoric and composition classes, including an argument course for first-year students.

August 2002-Present Smarthinking, Inc.

Washington, D.C

Writing Tutor

 I work for Smarthinking, an online tutoring service. I work with students both in an asynchronous mode as well as in real-time. Next month I will also begin writing a chapter of the online handbook for this service. September 2000 to August 2002 Midwestern State University Wichita Falls, TX

Graduate Teaching Assistant

I taught for the university while working on my master's degree. I was solely responsible for my classes on a day-to-day basis and I taught both writing and literature.

October 2001 to June 2002 Vernon College Wichita Falls, TX

Adjunct Instructor

- I taught two trimesters and one summer course at the college. The courses I taught were composition courses.
- Before teaching the fall 2001 course I also tutored reading and composition at the college.

Extracurricular activities

I served as a student senator on the Student Government Association at Midwestern State University during the spring and fall of 2001. I represented Sigma Tau Delta, an English honor society.

During the spring of 2002 I also helped with the organization of a regional conference for Sigma Tau Delta at Midwestern State University.

During graduate study I have also participated in other activities both inside and outside the academy. I have served on textbook committees and have participated in community service projects like the Exxon/Mobile Green Team.

Professional memberships

I am currently a member of the Modern Language Association, as well as the National Academic Advising Association.