

REBECCA TEMPLE

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EDUCATION

Ph. D. Candidate, Texas AM-Commerce, 2020 –present GPA 3.8

M.A., English, The University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, MS, Summer 1996

B.A., English, Mississippi State University, Starkville, MS, Summer 1994

SECONDARY TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Madison Central High School

- Full time English Teacher, Madison, MS, Fall 2005- present
- Classes: Advanced Placement Language and Composition, Advanced Placement Literature and Composition, Accelerated English III, Accelerated English III-HTVP cohort, English II, III, IV, Compensatory English II, Creative Writing

Northwest Rankin High School

- Full time English Teacher, Flowood, MS, 2003-2005
- Classes: English II and III

Ocean Springs High School

- Full time English Teacher, Ocean Springs, MS, 1997-2003
- Classes: Alternative School, English I, II, IV, AP Language and Composition, Creative Writing, 20th Century Literature

COLLEGE TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Texas A&M-Commerce

- ENG 333: Advanced Writing: Creative Non-Fiction, Fall 2021

Mississippi College

- Adjunct English Instructor, Clinton, MS, as needed 2017 to present
- Classes: Online World Literature, Freshman Composition I

Holmes Community College

- Adjunct English Instructor, Ridgeland, MS, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2010
- Classes: American Literature I and II, Freshman Composition I

The University of Southern Mississippi

- Adjunct English Instructor, Gautier, MS, 2000
- Classes: Technical Writing, American Literature I

Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College

- Adjunct English Instructor, Gautier, MS 1998
- Classes: Freshman Composition I

PRESENTATIONS AND PUBLICATIONS

- Review of *Women's Professional Lives in Rhetoric and Composition: Choice, Chance, and Serendipity*; Coalition of Feminist Scholars in the History of Rhetoric and Composition; *Peitho Journal*, Winter 2021
- "Marginalization of Lydia Maria Child's *Hobomok*" University of Missouri Literary Conference, 1996
- "My Southern Language," *Mississippi Magazine*, Mar/Apr 2014
- "Sounds of Sanctuary: Horace Benbow's Consciousness" *Mississippi Quarterly*, Mississippi State University, June 1997
- *The Reflector*, Mississippi State University, news reporter, 1992-1994
- Book Review *The Heaven Of Mercury*, by Brad Watson *Sun Herald*, 18 Aug 2002
- OSHS parent quarterly newsletter, 2002-2003

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Madison County School District High School Teacher of the Year, 2019-2020
- Madison Star Teacher, MS Economic Council, 2016, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021
- Most Energetic Teacher, Ocean Springs, 2000

PROFESSIONAL INVOLVEMENT AND ASSOCIATIONS

- Teaching with *The New York Times* project, 2020: inaugural class
- Mississippi Teacher Advisory Council, 2019-2020
- Mentor Teacher, 2016-2017
- Mississippi Association of Educators Legislative Board, 2017
- Mississippi state high school representative, SREB Convening, Atlanta, GA, 2016

CERTIFICATIONS

- Mississippi AA Teaching License, 1997-2024
- National Board-Certified Teacher, ELA/AYA 2014-2024
- Qualified Teacher Status, UK

GRANTS

Nissan Mini-Education Grant, 2014

Ocean Springs School Book Grant, 2002

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- Coalition of Feminist Scholars in the History of Rhetoric and Composition;
- Mississippi Professional Educators 2003-present
- Mississippi Association of Educators, 2016-2019

RELATED EXPERIENCE

- Online Scorer, Pearson SAT 2019, 2020
- AP Language and Composition Scorer, 2018, 2020
- ACT individual tutor, 2017 to present

REFERENCES