



**Curriculum Vita
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EDUCATION

PhD in Rhetoric (December 2022)

Texas Woman's University – Denton, Texas.

Department of English, Speech, and Foreign Languages

Dissertation: *Platonism in Practice: The American Transcendental Rhetorics of Emerson, Thoreau, and Alcott*

Masters of Arts in English (August 2011)

Texas A&M University – Commerce, Texas.

Department of Literature and Languages

Professional Paper: *Bridging the Gap Between Secondary and Post-Secondary Writing*

- **Teaching English as a Second Language (TESOL) Graduate Certification** (May 2011) Texas A&M University – Commerce, Texas.
Department of Literature and Languages

Bachelor of Science in Liberal Studies (May 2008)

Texas A&M University – Commerce, Texas.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Adjunct Professor of English, Texas A&M University – Commerce (August 2023 – Present)

- Freshman composition

Dual Credit English Instructor, Garland ISD/Dallas College (August 2019 – Present)

- World Literature
- Freshman composition

Adjunct Professor of English, Dallas College (January 2019 – Present)

- Freshman composition
- Developmental Reading and Writing

ETS (Educational Testing Service) –AP Reader, Tampa, Florida - June 2019, Virtual - June 2020, June 2021, June 2022, **Table Leader** – June 2023)

- AP Reader for the AP English Language and Composition Exam.

Graduate Teaching Assistant, Texas Woman’s University (August 2018 – August 2019)

- Freshman composition
- Writing Center Tutor
- Editor of the *FYC Reader* – Summer of 2019

Adjunct Professor of English, Collin College – Frisco Campus (August 2018 – August 2019)

- Freshman composition

Adjunct Professor of English, University of North Texas (August 2018 – December 2018)

- Freshman composition

Dual Credit English Instructor, Commerce High School/Texas A&M University (July 2017 – May 2018)

- Freshman composition
- PreAP English

English Teacher, Lone Oak ISD – Lone Oak, TX. (August 2014 – July 2017)

- AP and PreAP English

ESOL Instructor, Richland College – Dallas, TX. (August 2011 – August 2014)

- Taught Writing and Listening/Speaking to international students through the American English and Culture Institute (AECI).

Graduate Teaching Assistant, Texas A&M University – Commerce (August 2009 – May 2011)

- Freshman composition
- Writing Center Tutor
- **Texas Education Agency (TEA)**, Austin, Texas (July 2010 – August 2010)
Auditor through department assistantship.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Bruce Family Memorial Endowment Scholarship - Texas Woman’s University

- Full scholarship – awarded for years 2016 – 2022.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

“Platonism in Practice: The American Transcendental Rhetorics of Henry David Thoreau” *Rhetorics of Resistance*. CCTE/TCEA 2022 Conference – Midwestern State University (March 2022).

“Kenneth Burke’s Identification in the Chameleon Effect and Code-Switching” *Rhetoric and Change*. Rhetoric Society of America – Atlanta, Georgia (May 2016).

“The Portrayal of the Classless Society in *The Giver*” *Writing Democracy: A Rhetoric of (T)Here – Federation Rhetoric Symposium*. Texas A&M University – Commerce (March 2011).

“The Representation of Repression and Enlightenment in Adolescent Literature” *English Graduates for Academic Development Conference (EGAD)*, Texas A&M University – Commerce, TX, (February 2010).

EDITORIAL EXPERIENCE

“FYC Essay Reader” – Editor during Summer 2019 Graduate Assistantship.

“Becoming Global Citizens Without Leaving Home” - Co-edited article for Dr. Jo Ann DiGeorgio Lutz, Professor of Political Science, Texas A&M University – Commerce (April 2010).

- Published in *Teaching in Higher Education* (December 2010)