



Curriculum Vita
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EDUCATION	
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M.Div. – Perkins School of Theology at SMU Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX	2006
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Ph.D. - College and University Teaching/Theatre, University of North Texas, Denton, Texas	1997
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M.A. - Theatre, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas Major: Acting/Directing Minor: Technical Theatre/Communication	1982
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B.F.A. - Theatre, Eastern New Mexico University, Portales, New Mexico Major: Theatre Minors: Fine Arts, Oral Interpretation	1980
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TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Commerce High School, Commerce, TX -2023 -Present

Position: Director of Theatre

*Instructional Duties: Teach Theatre classes, Direct and design department productions,
Direct competition plays, oversee department budgets. Black Box Manager.*

East Texas A&M University – 2023 - present
Commerce, TX

Mount Pleasant High School

Position: Director of Theatre

Instructional Duties: Teach Theatre classes, Direct and design department productions, Direct competition plays, oversee department budgets. Auditorium Manager.

Mexia High School

Position: Director of Theatre

Instructional Duties: Coach the debate squad. Teach Theatre classes, Direct and design department productions, Direct competition plays, oversee department budgets.

Paris High School

Position: Director of Theatre

Instructional Duties: Coach debate. Teach Theatre classes, Direct department productions, Direct competition plays, oversee department budget, coordinate with Theatre Designer on productions

Wolfe City High School

Position: Teacher (English/Speech/Theatre)

Instructional duties: Teach regular and AP English, Dual Credit Speech, Dual Credit Theatre, Debate Coach

Paris Junior College

Adjunct Instructor

Position: Taught Speech Communication and Theatre Arts

Lewisville High School, Lewisville, TX

Position: Theatre Teacher

Instructional Duties: Teach Drama 1 and Drama 2, direct plays, assist with production of annual musical.

Carson-Newman College, Jefferson City, TN

Position: Director of Drama

Instructional Duties: Teach courses in Directing, Acting, Movement, Voice, and Design. Also responsible for oversight of two theatre facilities and budgeting for a five show season of plays.

University of North Texas, Denton, TX

Position: Teaching Fellow

Instructional Duties: Teach Aesthetics of Theatre (the introductory course for majors) and Acting.

Greenville High School, Greenville, TX

Position: Teacher

Instructional Duties: Teach Theatre (acting), Technical Theatre, Debate, Forensics

El Centro College, Dallas, Texas
Position: Adjunct Instructor of Communication
Instructional Duties: Teach Public Speaking Courses

University of North Texas, Denton, TX
Position: Teaching Fellow
Instructional Duties: Teaching Introductory Theatre Course, Front of House Practicum, Box office Manager

Daingerfield High School, Daingerfield, TX
Position: Teacher
Instructional Duties: Teach Theatre, Technical Theatre, Debate, Honors English, Poetry, Prose,
Textbook adoption committee

Mummers Square Theatre – Fayetteville, Arkansas
Position: Co-owner and Managing Director and playwright
Duties: serve as executive playwright, direct traveling shows, oversee construction of sets, booking performances.

PUBLICATIONS

“Censorship in Community College Theatre Programs” Community College Journal of Research and Practice 1998.
Debating Locke (2012) Rawls vs. Nozick (2012) Democracy and the Middle East (2013); Truth vs. Confidentiality (2013); Just Society and Just War (2013) The Two Party System and Presidential Politics(2016) Homelessness In The U.S.A. (2017) Free Speech In Academia (2017) When In Conflict, Digital Privacy Ought To Be Valued Above Public Security. (2021) In matters of foreign policy, the United States ought to value universal human rights over economic interests. (2022)