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EDUCATION

Graduate Certificate in Workplace Instructional Design

Boise State University, Boise, Idaho

Master of Arts in International Studies

Texas State University-San Marcos, San Marcos, Texas

Fellowship: Kenneth & Verena Wilson Fellow

Bachelor of Arts in Spanish & Mandarin Chinese

Trinity University, San Antonio, Texas

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor | Texas A&M University-San Antonio, San Antonio, Texas

First-Year Seminar (Fall 2020, Fall 2026)

Designed and facilitated coursework centered on academic transition, critical thinking, college-level research, and degree planning for first-generation and underrepresented students.

Jaguar Tracks II (Spring 2017, Fall 2017, Spring 2018, Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Spring 2020)

Taught foundational student success courses; designed and facilitated coursework on career exploration, ethical decision-making, and academic persistence.

Instructor of English | Royal University of Phnom Penh, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Listening, Speaking, and Reading (Summer 2008)

Facilitated intensive English language instruction for undergraduate students, emphasizing oral proficiency, textual analysis, and conversational fluency.

ESL & Civics Instructor | Austin Asian Chamber of Commerce, Austin, Texas

English as a Second Language & Civics (Spring 2003, Fall 2003)

Delivered adult education classes in language acquisition and U.S. civics to support non-native English speakers in community integration and citizenship readiness.

ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP

Interim Assistant Vice Provost for Academic Affairs | Texas A&M University-San Antonio
July 2022 - November 2022

- Administered CourseLeaf curriculum software; trained faculty and academic deans on course scheduling, syllabus alignment, and new program proposals.
- Partnered with academic departments and the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB) to review, update, and approve university-wide degree curricula.
- Overhauled the 2022-2023 undergraduate and graduate course catalogs to optimize student degree progression.

STUDENT SUCCESS LEADERSHIP

Executive Director of Academic Advising | Texas A&M University-San Antonio
August 2016 - Present

- Designed and executed a 46-hour training curriculum for academic personnel centered on student retention, advising pedagogy, and developmental learning outcomes.
- Spearheaded institutional initiatives targeting non-productive grades (DFW rates), leveraging midterm grade reporting to connect struggling students with targeted academic interventions.

Assistant Vice President for Orientation, Advising & Success Programs | The New School, New York, New York
March 2016 - August 2016

- Directed strategic planning, resource allocation, and learning outcomes assessment for orientation, academic retention, and NY State grant-funded opportunity programs.
- Spearheaded cross-training initiatives across academic departments to train personnel on holistic, integrated advising models.

Senior Director of Academic Advising | Center for Student Success | The New School, New York, New York

May 2014 – March 2016

- Built a dedicated First-Year Advising Center focused on student acclimation, academic persistence, and personal development.
- Developed student learning outcomes for staff development and authored the university's first training manual for student development practitioners.

Director of Advising Operations | Parsons School of Design, The New School, New York, New York

July 2011 – May 2014

- Collaborated with faculty to design and deliver professional workshops preparing academic advisors and admissions officers for a campus-wide undergraduate curriculum rollout.

Coordinator of Academic Advising | College of Education | Texas State University-San Marcos – San Marcos, Texas

August 2005 – April 2009

- Designed and executed the college's first academic advising assessment framework anchored in student learning outcomes.

SELECTED SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS

- "Power of Portfolios: Transforming the Everyday into Insight for Growth"
NASPA Annual Conference, 2024
- "Why Saying No is Sometimes Best: Making Sense of Policy in Your Student-Centered Role"
NASPA Annual Conference 2023 and NASPA Webinar

- "Giving Undocu/DACAmented Students a Fighting Chance: How to Build Support Systems in Your College"
NACADA Annual Conference (2019)
- "Colegio a Carrera: Peer Mentoring Dreamers for Career Engagement"
NASPA Conferences on Student Success & Prepárate: Educating Latinos for the Future of America (2019)
- "A Change Will Do You Good: Communication Strategies for Leading Your Advising Team Through Institutional Change"
NACADA Annual Conference (2017)
- "'Bueller?... Bueller?... Bueller?...' Helping Disinterested Students Discover Their Passions"
NACADA Annual Conference (2008)
- "Charting Your Course as an Academic Advisor: Using a Portfolio to Assess Your Own Growth and Development"
NACADA Annual Conference (2007)

ACADEMIC SERVICE & EVALUATION

- Proposal Reader / Evaluator, NACADA Annual Conference (2019, 2021)
- Program Reviewer, NASPA Conferences on Student Success (2019)
- External Program Reviewer, Fashion Institute of Technology – Academic Advising Review (2016)
- Member, A&M-San Antonio Academic Policies Working Group (2021)
- Member, Parsons Curriculum Implementation Working Group (2012-2014)
- Board Member, Trinity University Women's Club (2021-2022)

AWARDS & HONORS

- Team Service Excellence Award, The New School
- Excellence in Academic Advising – Primary Role Award, TEXAAN
- Academic Advisor of the Month, Texas State University-San Marcos

- Kenneth & Verena Wilson Fellowship, Center for International Studies, Texas State University

INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGIES

- Blackboard, Canvas, Banner, CourseLeaf, EAB Navigate, Civitas Inspire, Starfish, Qualtrics, Typeform, HTML