# General Education Content Experts

Qualifications

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Objective:

My goal is to not only present Common Core aligned lessons in a virtual classroom, but to

provide an avenue of hope for at risk or disengaged youth. As an online educator since

2011, I hope to inspire students of all ages and grade levels to reach their ultimate

potential. I can also help enlighten students on business and communication, which can

help any learner truly understand how important appropriate communication skills are to

advancing a career or an idea within a company. I have changed career paths from the

medical field to education in pursuit of a deep desire of mine to help future generations

overcome the challenges and obstacles of higher education.

Applied Project Action Research Paper, Master's Thesis: Attending a single-gendered

school can affect the overall writing voices of the authors, helping them to relate to

same-gendered characters in literature, television and movies, making them

stronger, more empathetic authors and readers

Doctoral candidate, working dissertation: Creating differentiated and scaffolded

learning for targeted student learning objectives, and the affects of certain behavior

modification techniques in controlling and creating a classroom environment in the

virtual world; creating a teacher training involving and using the MTSS model to

reach disengaged and "at hope" youth

Experience:

August 2014 – present

**ELL Coordinator** 

Web Wise Education

- Run the ELL program contracted by charter schools across America and globally
- Teach 20 hours per week ELL/RTI sessions for children testing below grade level in reading or math K-8<sup>th</sup> grade

October 2012- present

Lead Teacher for Middle School/

Middle School Department Chair

**Teen Parenting Program Director** 

Insight Academy of Arizona (a K12 school)

- -Teach English 11, English 10, English 12 and manage the Middle School. Created a scaffolded program to better assist students at all levels of learning. The program offers 1 on 1, small group, and large group sessions to each student, along with various assignments with multiple opportunities for students at all levels to meet Common Core Standards.
- -Teach Middle Grades Social Sciences for 2014-2015 school year
- Run the Teen Parenting Program for "at hope" youth who are earning high school diplomas while parenting or pregnant.
- Manage the Middle School staff, 7 teachers and 1 student advisor along with over 100 Middle School students
- awarded Master Teacher, Highly Effective Educator for 2012-2013 school year according to new Teacher Evaluator regulations
- awarded Distinguished Teacher, per the new Teacher Evaluator Tool (the highest rating), Highly Effective Educator for 2013-2014 school year
- created a CCS aligned curriculum that incorporated scaffolded and MTSS models for the Middle School students, as well as cross curricular assignments aligned to CCS
  - Licensed 7-12 grade English, 9-12 grades history, and Middle Grades Social Sciences

March 2011 - October 2012

**English Instructor** 

Primavera Online High School

- Taught ENG9A, 9B, ENG10A, 10B, ENG11A, AIMS Reading, and AIMS Writing Prep, American

  History A and B, World History A and B courses as well as moderate the Young Parent Support Group

  and Student Government
  - near end of position, held 175 students, with 90% of my students actively engaged each week
- exceed department expectations for passing rates and contact rates with student load, meet
   100% of expectations each week
  - won "Excellence in Education" Award for 2011-2012 school year
  - Was awarded Master Teacher, Highly Effective Educator for 2011-2012 school year
- Chair Student Government work with students within our school to develop fundraising ideas, create "Panther Pride Nights," and to develop Prom

## **August 2010 – December 2010**

#### Student Intern

## Xavier College Preparatory

Full time student teaching internship; teach four periods of AP English IV and one period of College Preparatory English III; create lesson plans, teach texts and essay writing techniques, prepare students for the AP exam in Language and Composition (11<sup>th</sup> grade) and Literature and Composition (12<sup>th</sup> grade)

## January 2009 - April 2009

## Intervener/Nanny

## Sydney, Australia

Worked as a Nanny/Intervener for two hearing-impaired children, ages 2 and 1. Spoke in sign language with both boys, and was there to educate them on daily living tasks so that they could become independent. I was responsible for the overall education of both children, including familiarizing them with how to read and how to recognize shapes, colors, signs, and animals. Lived in Coogee Beach, Sydney, Australia

## July 2006 - January 2009

#### **Health Unit Coordinator**

## St. Joseph Hospital and Medical Center

Managed the desk of a 48 bed step-down unit on 6 Neuro Acute in the Barrows

Neurological Institute at St. Joseph Hospital; managed nurses' needs during day staff to
maintain optimal patient satisfaction

- Worked extensively with patients suffering from neurological and psychological conditions such as epilepsy, schizophrenia, and brain tumors

**Professional Certification:** 

Safe Environment – 2010

SEI - 2009

Article IX – 2010

Secondary Education, English – 2011

Excellence in Education Award – 2012

Master Teacher – 2012, 2013

#### Travel

Greece - Summer of 2000

- Visited Greece on a religious pilgrimage for the entire summer
- Attended a Greek Orthodox Christian camp for Greek-American teenagers that focused on religion, history, and language

Australia – January – April 2009

- lived in Coogee Beach for work
- Visited many historic landmarks of Australia, mastered the public transit system, and managed two children in a foreign country with little to no connection to family or friends in the States due to the 18 hour time difference

#### Education:

## Doctorate in Education, Educational Leadership and Behavioral Health

March 2013-present (expected graduation May 2016)

## **Grand Canyon University, Phoenix**

-Completed 1 academic year with a 4.0 GPA thus far

## Masters of Art in Education, Secondary Education, English

## *August 2009 – December 2010*

Arizona State University, Phoenix

Maintained a 3.8 GPA; Graduated in December with second Masters, emphasis in English and Language Arts

- Have student taught at both public and private schools
- Studying the overall effects of a single-gendered education on writing techniques

## Associates of Science in Nursing

## January 2007 – Incomplete

Scottsdale Community College, fast track

Incomplete degree in nursing; I left the field before graduation due to my desire to work in education. Nursing was not challenging or intellectually stimulating enough for me.

- Interested in human anatomy and physiology, as well as biology
- Was drawn to caring for others and helping those in need
- Have experience with pediatrics, geriatrics, and psychology

## Masters of Art in Business Communication, Management, and Leadership February 2005 – July 2006

Jones International University, Colorado

Finished MABC with 4.0 GPA; emphasis in management and leadership

- Management of projects and small groups of people
- Created a Cancer Wellness Program that was eventually bought and used in YMCA's in Florida

## Bachelors of Art in English Literature and Language

## August 2002 – December 2004

Arizona State University, Tempe

Completed four year degree in two years

- Studied English and Russian Literature
- Minored in American History
- Studied psychology, specifically social psychology
- Specialize in William Blake and classic literature, wrote paper on William Blake's Marriage of Heaven and Hell with regards to Biblical teachings and religion

## References:

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## **Professional Summary**

Motivated Construction Executive highly effective at finding the best methods possible to complete exceptional construction projects and programs. Led efforts to successfully secure additional client services for a \$200 million joint venture by providing effective team building and exemplary customer service. Built and directed 40 person management team across three profitable offices. Recognition by State Governor for counsel and participation in construction reform laws. Expert construction consultant on \$460 million successful county project completed 4 months early and under budget. Proficient at taking projects off schedule and over budget and revamping team and resources to ensure success.

## **Skills**

Professional Engineer
Project Management Professional
Contract Negotiations
Public-Private Partnerships
Program Management
Mediation and Facilitation

LEED AP
Certified Construction Manager
Process engineering
Team Leadership
Business Development
Budget administration

## **Work History**

## Project Management Consultants (PMC) Director

April 2003-present

Cleveland, Ohio

- Supervisory program management and facilitation on \$460 million successful county project to complete 4 months early and under budget.
- Provide project and program realignment of internal staff and external consultants on \$5 billion public capital improvement program.
- Key executive on team for \$5 million sustainable energy federal grant project.
- Facilitator for mediations over \$1 billion school construction projects over 10 years with a 98% success rate.
- Coordinate and team build international design team for innovative renewable energy design.
- Executive responsible for advising client owners on strategic planning and analytical functions on a diverse range of projects.
- Manage high profile, complex public sector projects, process engineering, budget administration, and program management including public-private mixed funding model project.
- Negotiate contracts for Guaranteed Maximum Price for state with CM at Risk and Design Build firms.
- Recruited by non-profit organization to diagnose and correct time sensitive phase renovation.
- Historic renovation of abandoned building into \$35 million concert hall.

## URS Regional Director

June 1999-April 2003

Pittsburgh, PA/Cleveland, OH

- Led efforts to successfully secure additional client services for a \$200 million joint venture by providing effective team building and exemplary customer service.
- Built and directed 40 person management team across three profitable offices.
- Progressive executive advancement in strategic planning, operating, marketing, administrative and P & L responsibilities for Ohio and Western Pennsylvania region.

# **Civil Environmental Consultants Senior Project Manager**

September 1998-June 1999

Pittsburgh, PA

- Managed and performed technical development and implementation of solutions to complex Civil and Environmental projects for retaining walls, retail site development, post-development storm water management site issues.
- Managed and reviewed civil engineering design work products and provided quality assurance and quality control aspects of project team..
- Worked with President and Vice President to create risk management parameters for project selection for Design-Build projects.
- Supervised Project Managers, CADD drafters, and administrative personnel.

# 84 Lumber Company Project Manager

February 1996-September 1998

Pittsburgh, PA

- Reviewed plans and specifications during pre-construction for quality/cost conformance.
- Due diligence for retail land development go/no go decisions from FL to MD to AZ.
- Obtained building and specialty permits from state and local jurisdictional agencies.
- Successfully built 16 84Lumber stores.
- Spearheaded nationwide billboard development division.
- Supervised CADD drafters and administrative personnel.

## Licenses and Certifications

Professional Engineer, Pennsylvania, Ohio, New York
Project Management Professional, Project Management Institute
Certified Construction Manager, Construction Management Association of America
LEED Accredited Professional, U.S. Green Building Council

## **Education**

Pennsylvania State University, Bachelor of Science, Civil Engineering University of Pittsburgh, Bachelor of Arts, History; Master of Library Science Walden University, Doctorate of Philosophy, Engineering Management

## **Affiliations**

Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle
Construction Management Association of America