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Education

Ph.D., English, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2015

Concentration: Rhetoric and Composition

M.A., English, Portland State University, 2006

Concentration: African American Literature

B.A., Interdisciplinary Arts and Sciences, University of Washington, 2004

A.A., Green River Community College, 2002

Teaching Experience

Lecturer, Cornell University, Dyson School of Applied Economics & Management - SC Johnson College of Business, July 2022 to Present

Courses: Management Communication (AEM 2700) and Sustainable Arguments (AEM 2818)

Lecturer, Cornell University, Nolan School of Hotel Administration - SC Johnson College of Business, July 2020 to July 2022

Courses: Business Writing for Hospitality Professionals (HADM 1650) and Management Communication (AEM 2700)

Visiting Lecturer, Cornell University, Dyson School of Applied Economics & Management - SC Johnson College of Business, Spring 2020

Course: Management Communication (AEM 2700)

Visiting Lecturer, Cornell University, School of Hotel Administration - SC Johnson College of Business, Fall 2019 to Spring 2020

Course: Management Communication 1 (HADM 1650)

Instructor, Cornell University, Prefreshman Summer Program – School of Continuing Education and Summer Sessions, Summer 2017 to Present

Course: An Introduction to Writing in the University (WRIT 1340 – Summers Only)

Assistant Professor, Ithaca College, Department of Writing, Fall 2015 to Spring 2020

Courses: Academic Writing (WRTG 106); Argument (WRTG 201); Inquiry and Research Writing (WRTG 217); Grammar and Usage (WRTG 225); Writing from Cultural Experience (WRTG 318); Critical Thought and Reading for Creative Writers (WRTG 350); Selected Topics: Graphic Narratives (WRTG 354) and Language, Literacy, and Writing Studies (WRTG 360).

Teaching Assistant, University of Illinois at Chicago, English Department, 2011 to 2014

Courses: Academic Writing 1: Writing in Academic and Public Contexts (ENGL 160), Academic Writing 2: Research Writing (English 161), and Tutoring in the Writing Center (ENGL 222)

Instructor, Western Washington Community College System, 2007 to 2008

Courses: Introductory Composition (ENGL 095), College Writing (ENGL 100), English Composition 1 (ENGL 110), Research Writing: Social Sciences (ENGL 112)

Graduate Assistant, Portland State University, English Department, 2004 to 2006

Courses: Introduction to Fiction (ENGL 100), College Writing (WR 121), Special Topics in Writing (WR 199), and Writing as Critical Inquiry (WR 323)

Academic Service

Provost's Working Group on Innovation in Assessment, Cornell University, Fall 2024 to Present.

Student Multidisciplinary Applied Research Teams, *Faculty Team Lead*, Cornell University, Summer 2024 to Present.

Dyson Awards Committee, Dyson School of Applied Economics & Management, Cornell University, Fall 2023 to Present

Faculty Fellows for Inclusive Excellence, Dyson School of Applied Economics & Management, Cornell University, Fall 2022 to Spring 2024

Undergraduate Admissions Committee, Nolan School of Hotel Administration, Cornell University, Spring 2022

Composition Committee, Department of Writing, Ithaca College, Fall 2016 to Spring 2020

Curriculum Committee, Department of Writing, Ithaca College, Member, Fall 2015 to Spring 2020, **Co-Chair**, Fall 2016 to Spring 2018

Committee for College-wide Requirements – Diversity Designation subcommittee, Ithaca College, Member, Fall 2017 to Spring 2018

CP Snow Lecture Series, Ithaca College, Member, Fall 2016 to Spring 2018

Emerging Scholars Program, Ithaca College, Mentor, Fall 2014 to Spring 2018

Professional Experience

Dyson School Writing Program Coordinator, Cornell University, Dyson School of Applied Economics & Management - SC Johnson College of Business – 2023 to Present

- Hiring an average of 15 graduate course assistants per semester
- Designing and holding training sessions for course assistants
- Providing support for Faculty writing courses

Assistant Director of the Writing Center, University of Illinois at Chicago, Writing Center, 2012 to 2014

- Directly trained and supervised 10 writing tutors each semester
- Collaborated in the redesign of the Tutoring in the Writing Center course
- Created a new scheduling system that reduced administrative scheduling time by 75%

- Participated in the hiring of at least 20 new tutors each semester
- Collaborated with Director and other Assistant Directors to provide support for over 100 tutors

Writing Coordinator, University of Washington Tacoma, Teaching and Learning Center, 2008 to 2010

- Created weeklong training workshop for new and returning tutors
- Completely revised policy and training manuals
- Hired and trained new tutors on a quarterly basis
- Led redesign of writing center website
- Held tutoring sessions with advanced students 20 hours per week
- Collaborated with faculty, other writing center staff, and library staff to expand Writing Center services across campus

Presentations

- “Identity is ‘Just Rhetoric.’” Paper presented at *Rhetoric Society of America*, May 2024
- “Diversity in Translation.” Paper presented at *Rhetoric Society of America*, June 2018.
- “Assessing Student Writing” *State University of New York Conference on Writing*, September 2017.
- “Change to Hope For: Post-Racial America as Utopia.” Paper presented at *Rhetoric Society of America*, May 2016.
- “Experimenting with Ethnographic Coding to Assess Tutor Training.” *International Writing Center Collaborative at the Conference on College Composition and Communication*, March 2015
- “Writing Across the Curriculum.” Northwest Indian College at Muckleshoot. Auburn, WA. January 2010.

Publications

- “With great power comes ethical communication: Technology, superheroes, and family conversations in communication ethics” co-authored with Christina McDowell Marinchak. In M. Roberts McGinley, J. Burk, and J. Ward (Eds.), *Communicating with our families: Continuity and integration*. Lexington Books, 2022.
- “Trump’s University: Argument and pedagogy in the ‘Post-Fact Era’” co-authored with Thomas Girshin, *Literacy in an Age of Misinformation and Disinformation*. Working and Writing for Change Series. Parlor Press, 2021.

Awards and Fellowships

- Pre-Doctoral Diversity Fellowship, Ithaca College, 2014-2015
- Lincoln Fellowship, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2010 - 2014
- Graduate Assistantship, Portland State University, 2004 - 2006

- Service Award, University of Washington, 2004
- Mary Gates Endowment for Student Leadership Grant, 2004
- Next Step Scholars Scholarship, University of Washington, 2002 – 2004