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EDUCATION PREPARATION

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN EDUCATION, 3.94 GPA 2008
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA Santa Barbara, CA

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

- Independently wrote and published dissertation titled, "Self-Efficacy in the Teaching of Writing: Elementary Teachers Participating in the IIMPac Program"
- Wrote an independent research project titled, "Students' Feelings Towards Standardized Tests as a Predictor of their Performance on Such Tests"
- Worked in tandem with tenured professors and a cohort of graduate students on a research project measuring the success of the Effective Schools Program, a partnership between the university and local elementary schools

MASTER OF ARTS IN EDUCATION IN TEACHING & LEARNING, 3.835 GPA 2003
AZUSA PACIFIC UNIVERSITY Ventura, CA

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN LIBERAL STUDIES 1998
CALIFORNIA POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY San Luis Obispo, CA

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

- Emphasis in children's literature
 - Minor in Spanish
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TEACHER CREDENTIALING

CLEAR MULTIPLE SUBJECT PROFESSIONAL TEACHING CREDENTIAL 2001
AZUSA PACIFIC UNIVERSITY Ventura, CA
Awarded by the State of California Commission on Teacher Credentialing

CROSSCULTURAL, LANGUAGE AND ACADEMIC DEVELOPMENT (CLAD) 2001
AZUSA PACIFIC UNIVERSITY Ventura, CA
Awarded by the State of California Commission on Teacher Credentialing

Professional Experience

LECTURER/SUPERVISOR

September 2016 – Present

CALIFORNIA POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY

San Luis Obispo, CA

State University providing Bachelor's and Master's degrees in traditional classroom settings.

Lecturer for **EDUC 428**, K-8 Literacy; **EDUC 439**, Clinical Practice I Seminar; **EDUC 455**, Clinical Practice II Seminar; **Lead Supervisor** for Clinical Practice, Guadalupe School District; and **Clinical Practice Supervisor**

FACULTY SUPERVISOR/INSTRUCTOR

September 2013 – Present

BRANDMAN UNIVERSITY

Santa Maria, CA

Nationally accredited university, providing Multiple and Single Subject Teaching Credentials in traditional classroom settings, as well as online, offering blended course options.

Instructor for **EDMU 521**, Literacy and Language in K-8 Classrooms; **EDUU 512**, The Art & Craft of Teaching; **EDUU 514**, Physical Education for Elementary Teachers; **EDUU 600**, Research and Evaluation Methods; **EDUC 605**, Democracy, Education and Social Change; **Clinical Practice Supervisor**.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER, CLAD CERTIFIED

August 1999 – June 2012

OXNARD SCHOOL DISTRICT

Oxnard, CA

K-8 Public School District serving 43,000 students across 48 schools. There is a 95% minority enrollment, primarily serving Hispanic students.

During my tenure, I served on school Leadership Teams, Response to Intervention Teams, and hosted 8 Student Teachers.

COURSES TAUGHT AT CALIFORNIA POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY

- **EDUC 428**, Foundations of K-8 Literacy Teaching and Learning in Schools with Diverse Populations
- **EDUC 439**, Clinical Practice I Seminar
- **EDUC 455**, Clinical Practice II Seminar

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- **EDMU 521**, Literacy and Language in K-8 Classrooms
- **EDUU 512**, The Art & Craft of Teaching
- **EDUU 514**, Physical Education for Elementary Teachers
- **EDUU 600**, Research and Evaluation Methods
- **EDUC 605**, Democracy, Education and Social Change