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OBJECTIVE

EDUCATION

Middlebury College Middlebury, VT
Master of Arts, Chinese August 2010

- Practicum in Teaching Chinese as a Foreign Language
- Received Kathryn Wasserman Davis Scholarship for Peace Studies, summer 2007 and STARTALK Scholarship for summer 2010
- Completed courses in literature, Chinese culture and linguistics

Pennsylvania State University State College, PA, USA
Graduate Certificate in Curriculum & Instruction 2004- 2006

- Courses focus on children's literature
- Certificate part of a masters degree in the same field
- Courses taught online and involving large amounts of research
- Maintained a 4.0 GPA

Snow College Ephraim, Utah
Associate in Arts, TSFL Expected 5/2012

- Focused on practical teaching strategies for foreign languages
- Teaching Assistant for ESL listening and grammar courses
- Participated in community awareness activities for Chinese language and culture
- President of the Chinese Club of Snow College
- Dean's List each semester

National Ping Tung Institute of Commerce Ping Tung, Taiwan
Bachelors of Arts, Applied Languages 1999- 2001

- Studied advanced courses in Western and Asian Languages
- Partook in numerous seminars in Western and Asian Culture
- Teaching/ Education courses in ESL

Nanrong Institute of Technology & Commerce Tainan, Taiwan
Associates of Science, International Trade 1994 – 1999

- Focused on international business
- Basic accounting and banking training courses
- Strong computer technology skills

CHINESE & ENGLISH LANGUAGE CERTIFICATES & SKILLS

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Dept of Education:
Chinese Teacher Certification, earned May 2011

University of Virginia Startalk Training, Summer 2011, High School
Curriculum and Teaching Emphasis

National Kaohsiung Normal University: Teaching Chinese as a
Second Language (90 hours)

National Cheng Kung University: Teaching Chinese as a Second
Language (54 hours)

National Sun, Yat-Sen University: Teaching Chinese as a Second
Language (72 hours)

I-to-I School: Teaching English as a Foreign Language Certificate
(Adult and children training for 46 hours, received a High-Pass)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Teaching License in Chinese

PUBLICATIONS (TRANSLATIONS INTO MANDARIN)

Global Village: Easy English Conversations, GVO Publications, 2007.

Global Village: Practical & Effective Business English, GVO Publications, 2007.

Global Village: Parent-Child English, GVO Publications, 2007.

GEPT Preparation Guide: Basic Speaking & Listening Skills, Tung Wua Books, 2005.

EMPLOYMENT

8/2007 – Present Pioneer Valley Chinese Immersion Charter School
Chinese Elementary Teacher Hadley, MA

- Teach content courses in Chinese in an immersion environment
- Write and develop curriculum
- All traditional aspects of typical elementary teaching and responsibilities
- Presented Designing Chinese Thematic Units: examples from an immersion School at ACTFL 2010 Conference in Boston

2/2006- 2/2008 Global Village Organization Taipei, Taiwan
Freelance Translator

- Translated textbooks from English to Mandarin for in-house use
- Edited contracts and articles for GVO

2/2004 – 7/ 2006 Ivy Bilingual Kindergarten Kaohsiung, Taiwan
English Kindergarten Teacher

- Taught students ranging from 5-7 years old
- Directed kindergarten graduation play and other holiday plays
- Organized class trips and off-campus activities

7/ 2004 – 2/2005 New Yorker Language School Feng Shan, Taiwan
English Teacher

- GEPT preparation classes for junior high school students
- Develop material and curriculum
- Test-taking strategies
- Teaching Kaohsiung County Civil Servants and Administrators speaking and listening skills (Adults)

6/ 2001 – 8/ 2004 Hess Language Schools Southern Taiwan
Senior Chinese- English Teacher

- Head Chinese Teacher/ Branch Assistant Manager in Ping Tung School
- Part-time teacher at a Kaohsiung branch
- Taught ESL to students ranging from 8-14 years old.

VOLUNTEER ENGLISH & CHINESE TEACHING EXPERIENCES

Quai Li Elementary School, Ping Tung, Taiwan

Fourth grade English Teacher for the 2000-2001 School year

Snow College Chinese Language Club: President 2006-2007