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Education

Ph.D.	English, University of North Carolina, Greensboro Specialization: Rhetoric and Composition Studies	1998
M.A.	English, University of New Hampshire	1989
B.A.	English Education, University of North Carolina	1985

Academic Position: Director of Institute for Teaching and Learning, Department of English, University of Akron (Ohio)
 duties include: coordinated university activities within the Department of English; coordinated university activities within the Department of Higher Education and Transfer Network; developed and implemented English Composition program assessment; coordinated university activities within the Department of English; coordinated university activities within the Department of English; coordinated university activities within the Department of English; coordinated university activities within the Department of English.

Coordinator of General Education

2016-2020

- Provided leadership for development and approval of new General Education curriculum; provided communications and outreach to ensure campus-wide understanding of new program; coordinated with registrar to ensure smooth transition to new degree requirements; developed and implemented General Education program assessment that involves significant faculty involvement and a focus on improved student learning.

Director of English Composition

2008-2013

- Provided oversight for first-year compositions courses; hired and supervised part-time faculty; trained and supervised graduate teaching assistants; coordinated professional development for composition faculty; developed supplemental instruction composition course to reduce required remedial coursework.

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