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EDUCATION	Colorado State University , Fort Collins, CO <i>Bachelor of Arts in English, Education Concentration</i> <i>Teaching License, Endorsement in English 6-12</i> <i>Honors Scholar / GPA: 3.94/4.0 Magna Cum Laude</i>	Fall 2017 - 2020
	University of Oxford , Oxford, England <i>Shakespeare, History of English</i>	Summer 2019
OBJECTIVES	I am dedicated to personalized, relevant, and collaborative teaching. I am passionate about providing equitable opportunities for youth development. I am responsive in planning holistic and enjoyable student engagement.	
EXPERIENCE	Creative Foods & Sewing Teacher: Kinard Core Knowledge MS; CO	Jan - May 2021
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Long-term substitute; adapted curriculum for COVID-19 remote and hybrid learning• Modified cooking tasks to fit the needs of all students• Incorporated reading, writing, math, science, and life learning	
	Head Volleyball Coach: ClubOne Volleyball Club; CO	Aug 2020 - Present
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Communicate with players, guardians, assistants, and directors to ensure optimum experience• Plan skill-building and efficient practices based on growth areas• Support young girls in their freshmen journey during a pandemic	
	Photographer & Graphic Designer: Kelly Photo & Design; CO	2017 - Present
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Professionally work with high school clients and their guardians for senior photos• Self-assess and reflect how to improve my services and strategies• Market, organize, and track finances to run my business ethically and smoothly	
	Program Coordinator: CSU Public Achievement; Fort Collins, CO	May 2019 - May 2020
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Oversaw and assessed college-age mentors in high school classrooms• Educated student mentors with pedagogical and inclusion training• Collaborated with corresponding teachers and administrators	
	Youth Counselor: Camp Timberline; Denver, CO	Summer 2018
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Engaged campers aged 5-11 with all-day support in conversations and activities• Encouraged emotional, spiritual, physical, and intellectual development• Created safe places for campers to be heard by their peers and leadership figures	
	Reporter & Writer: College Avenue Magazine; Fort Collins, CO	Sep 2017 - Dec 2018
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pitched ideas to staff for upcoming publications• Interviewed college students and community members for sources and stories• Wrote 1-2 articles per week in collaboration with editors	
	Childcare: 3 Different Families; IL and CO	Summer 2017, Summer 2020
PRACTICUMS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Prepared kindergarten activities for a boy with Autism• Planned and participated in engaging activities for two young girls• Carried out a goodnight routine for a small baby	
	Kinard Core Knowledge Middle School: Fort Collins, CO	August - Dec 2020
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Student taught for Intervention, Regular, and Honors 7th Grade English• Designed new online curriculum for COVID-19, making problem-solving a standard• Co-assisted with yearbook creation	
	Thompson Valley High School: Fort Collins, CO	Jan - May 2020
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Supported AVID students in tutorials and curriculum• Prepped American Literature and Journalism materials• Guided students in college preparation and on-task behavior	

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Boltz Middle School: Fort Collins, CO

- Led differentiated mini lessons rooted in 8th grade ELA standards Jan - May 2019
- Graded assessments and gave specific feedback
- Modeled reading and writing skills during workshop time

Blevins Middle School: Fort Collins, CO

Jan - May 2018

- Facilitated small groups focused on literacy
- Provided guidance and encouraged accountability during independent work time
- Built relationships with students by having songs of the day

VOLUNTEER

Alternative Spring Break: CSU Program; Catalina Island, CA; Tucson, AZ Spring 2019 & 2020

- Researched surrounding social issues affecting communities
- Prepared ice breaker activities for team bonding
- Attended bi-weekly meetings and completed projects that served people and the planet

High School Mentor: CSU Public Achievement; Fort Collins High School

- Identified social issues, brainstormed solutions, implemented an action plan Aug 2018 - May 2019
- Democratically led by discussion, research, and collaborative projects
- Collaborated with co-coaches on lesson plans and trajectory

Elementary Student Mentor: Explore Program; Dunn Elementary

Spring 2019

- Facilitated discussions about students' identity as Asian Americans
- Unpacked difficult concepts like discrimination and marginalization
- Guided peer dialogue and promoted a healthy environment for equal talking time

ACHIEVEMENTS

Impact and SafeSport Training	Spring 2021
MAPs and Achieve 3000 Training	Fall 2020
Honors Thesis	Spring 2020
<i>Leveraging Graphic Design to Civically Engage Middle School ELA Students</i>	
AVID & PSAT Training	Spring 2020
Love & Logic, CHAMPS Training	Spring 2020
International Symposium Presenter	February 2020
<i>Analyzing Shakespeare's Collision of Humor and Social Issues</i>	
Truman Alternate	December 2019
Dean's List	Fall 2017 - 2020
CSU Sustainability Essay Contest	Summer 2017

INVOLVEMENT

Captain—Intramural Volleyball	Fall 2017 - Spring 2020
Social Justice Retreat—Campus Step Up	Jan 2020
Historian—International Education Collegiate Club	Fall 2018 - Fall 2019
Vice President—United Nations Association Student Chapter	Fall 2019
Diversity Symposium—Engaging Teens in Diversity; Indigenous Art & Youth	Fall 2019
Colorado Liberal Arts Conference—"Tomorrow's Voices" Theme	October 2019
Project Homeless Connect—Local resources, meals, and guidance	Spring 2018
Sunday School Teacher—4th and 5th graders	2015 - 2017
Best Buddies President—Coordinated activities with students with disabilities	2015 - 2017
Volleyball Coach for 4 th graders—Assistant for 8 th graders—Referee	2015 - 2017
Volleyball Player—School and Travel Club	2011 - 2017

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