Curriculum Vitae for

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EDUCATION

Ed.D. Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX

Educational Leadership—Higher Education

Dissertation: Differences in Persistence and Graduation Rates of Hispanic Students in Texas Community Colleges: A Texas Statewide Study

MA University of Houston, Houston, TX

Communication—Public Relations

Thesis: Risk on the Rise: Cooperative Roles of Public Relations and Human Resources in Managing Romantic Relationships in the Workplace

BA Stephen F. Austin State University, Nacogdoches, Texas Speech Communication; minor, Radio/TV Broadcasting

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2010-Present Professor, Houston Community College System, Southwest College

Introduction to Communication

Public Speaking

Interpersonal Communication

Business and Professional Communication

Voice and Diction

2007-2010 Adjunct Professor, Houston Community College System, Southwest College

Introduction to Communication

Public Speaking

Business and Professional Communication

PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND WORK-RELATED EXPERIENCE

August 2018-present *Interim Division Chair*, Speech, Communications, and Sign Language, Houston Community College System

Provide instructional and operational leadership for the Speech, Communications, and Sign Language programs; designate teaching assignments to faculty members; evaluate part-time and full-time faculty performance; make hiring recommendations to the Dean of English & Communications; review and make recommendations regarding complaints and grievances of faculty and students; encourage professional growth and maintain morale among faculty members; assign and monitor maintenance of workspace, offices, and facilities.

August 2017

Speech Program Coordinator, Houston Community College System, Houston, TX

August 2018

Maintenance of department syllabi; preparation of curriculum guides; textbook selection; participation in annual program reviews; completing the annual Learning Assessment Report and Annual Planning Report.

2011-2015

Assistant Chair of Speech and Humanities, Houston Community College Southwest, Houston, TX

Recruitment of adjunct faculty members; schedule and staff Speech and Humanities courses; complete faculty evaluations and provide suggestions for improvement; serve as a mentor to new hires; provide recommendations to the Division Chair regarding student complaints and grievances; recruit students for the Speech and Humanities program; maintain relationships with book representatives.

2002-2010

Assistant Director of Human Resources and Public Relations, Change Happens, Houston, TX

Budget and personnel management for 60+ employees; develop, coordinate, and revise personnel policies and procedures; manage the organization's employee benefits and pension programs; investigate employee complaints; remain abreast of employment law; attend job fairs to recruit perspective employees; coordinate training and development programs for employees; prepare and distribute press releases, public service announcements, and media kits; create agency brochures and information packets; write and produce agency promotional videos; event planning; maintain media contacts; attend community service projects and community sponsored events.

AWARDS

Houston Community College, League for Innovation in Community Colleges, Innovation of the Year Award for the Z-Degree, 2019
Houston Community College, Faculty Excellence Award, 2015

CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT/COMMITTEE PARTICIPATION

Advisor, Houston Community College Southwest, Student Government Association, 2019-2020

Advisor, Houston Community College Southwest, Campus Bible Study, 2012-2014

Houston Community College English and Communications Division Summit Planning Committee, 2019

Houston Community College Faculty Senate, At-Large Senator, 2019-2020

Houston Community College Instructional Service Award Committee, 2019

Houston Community College Speech Tournament, Co-Chair, 2015-2019

COMMUNITY SERVICE/SERVICE MEMBERSHIPS

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Houston AIDS Walk, 2015, 2013, 2012 Star of Hope Houston Women's Shelter, Volunteer Service, 2014

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

"Coping Strategies: Stress among Community College Leaders in Higher Education Leadership." Southwest Educational Research Association Conference, San Antonio, Texas, February 3-5, 2015.

"Effective Communication Strategies." Change Happens Annual Staff Retreat, Galveston, Texas, August 2009.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

National Communication Association (NCA)
Texas Community College Teachers Association (TCCTA)

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Texas Community College Teachers Association Faculty Leaders Conference (September 2019). National Conference on Race and Ethnicity in American Higher Education (May 2019). Houston Community College Faculty Conference (March 2019). Texas Community College Teachers Association Annual Convention (March 2019).

PUBLICATIONS

Stagg, D. & Slate, J. (2017). Differences between Hispanic and White Texas community college students in their graduation rates: A statewide, multiyear investigation. International Journal of Psychology and Cognitive Science, 4 (5), 47-52.