

K R I S T I E B A R B E E

Summary of Experience

High School Social Studies teacher in the Houston ISD for 27 years

Employment History

2015/16 School year East Early College High School, Houston ISD

1994 - 2015 S.P. Waltrip High School, Houston, TX - Social Studies Teacher

Current teaching assignment - AP US History

Past courses - IB History of the Americas, World History, US Government, Research Methods, Pre AP (IB) and regular Geography

1988 – 1994 Sam Houston High School, Houston, TX - Social Studies Teacher

US History (both honors and regular academic program) and World Geography

Professional Activities

- Waltrip High School History Fair Coordinator, 1994 to 2014
- Girls Cross Country Coach, current
- Regional History Fair Coordinator, 1999 to 2013
- HISD Key Teacher (PLOT team), current
- Ram Handler sponsor (spirit organization), 2007 - 2012
- HISD ad hoc Teachers Advisory Committee for General programs, 1999
- Junior Achievement in the Classroom – 4 years
- TAH grant mentor teacher, 2009 - 2011
- Colonial Williamsburg Master Teacher 2009 to present
- Colonial Williamsburg Foundation Teacher Institute Peer Facilitator, 2013 and 2014

Education

MA – Sam Houston State University 2013 – History, with emphasis in the Constitution

BA – Sul Ross State University 1987 – Social Studies Composite, with teacher certification

Graduated magna cum laude

Professional Certification/Training

- 1987 Lifetime Teaching Certificate Composite Social Studies
- Advanced Placement training – Summer 2004, 2006, 2007, 2009, and 2014
- International Baccalaureate training – Nashville, Savannah, Vancouver
- GT training through Bureau of Education and Research and HISD
- CRISS training – 1999 Creating Independence through Student owned Strategies
- Center for the American Idea – one day workshops on US History and Economics
- Bill of Rights Institute – series of workshops 2005-2006, 2 three day seminars in 2008, one in 2011
- Center for the American Idea Summer Seminar at St. Thomas University, June 2006
- American Voices study trips 2006 – 2008, 2012 and 2013
- TAH Summer Institute – HISD and UH two week professional development in teaching American history, from June 2007 to the present
- NEH American Landmarks – FDR, 2008; Lowell, 2009
- Colonial Williamsburg Foundation Teacher Institute participant, 2009; Peer facilitator, 2013, 2014

