**Thanh Duong Ben Mansour**

Houston Community College (HCC)

Department of Integrated Reading/Writing

(713)718-5410 INRW Dept.

[t.benmansour@hccs.edu](mailto:t.benmansour@hccs.edu)

**POSITION: Integrated Reading/Writing Instructor**

**Education**

- Master of Arts, English (California Polytechnic State University 1993)

Dual concentrations: TESOL, Rhetoric/Composition

- Bachelor of Arts, English (California State University, Los Angeles 1990)

Concentration: English Language Teaching

- Preliminary Adult Education Teaching Credential (California 1994-1997)

Concentration: TESOL

**10+ Years College Teaching Experience (USA , abroad)**

- Commonwealth Institute (Houston 2014-present)

Course: Developmental Composition

- University of Houston (Houston 2013-August 2014)

Courses: ESL (all skills), IEP

- Princess Noura University, Riyadh (Saudi Arabia 2013-present)

Courses: ESL (all skills), IEP

- King Saud University, Riyadh (Saudi Arabia Jan 2012-Dec 2012)

Courses: ESL (all skills), IEP

- Higher College of Technology, Muscat (Oman 2011-2012)

Course: Developmental composition

- Amideast, Tunis (Tunisia 2010-2011)

Courses: ESL, English for Special Purposes (Business)

- Al Andalous High School, Dubai (United Arab Emirates 2008-2009)

Course: High School English (EFL)

- University of California, Irvine (USA 2000-2001)

Courses: Developmental composition, freshmen composition.

- University of Phoenix, California (USA 2000-2001)

Courses: Developmental composition, freshmen composition

- University of Redlands, California (USA 1999-2001)

Courses: Developmental composition, freshmen composition

- California State University, Los Angeles (USA 1993-2000)

Courses: Developmental composition, freshmen composition

- Glendale College, California (USA 1996-1997)

Courses: Developmental composition, Freshmen Composition II

- University of Southern California (USA 1995)

Course: English for Special Purposes (Business)

- Burbank Adult School, California (USA 1994-1995)

Courses: ESL (Intermediate)

- Los Altos High School, California (USA 1993-1994)

Courses: World literature

Level: 9th, 12th grade English

- United Education Institute, California (USA 1992-1993)

Course: ESL (Intermediate)

-Vejar Elementary School, California (USA 1990-1992)

Course: Kindergarten teacher

-Writing Center Tutor, California State University, Los Angeles (USA 1987-1990)

Courses: All writing courses

**Awards/Honors**

First place award for short fiction: California Polytechnic State University 1993

First place award for non-fiction: Cabrini Literary Guild 1986

English department scholarship: California State University, Los Angeles 1990

**Computer Skills**

MS Word, Excel, E-podium, Smart Board, Blackboard, CALL

**Research Interests**

Writing across the curriculum, Comparative Arabic-English linguistics

**Languages**

Vietnamese, French, Spanish, Italian, some German, some Arabic