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EDUCATION

Notre Dame de Namur University**,** Belmont, CA

Master of Arts in English - Literature emphasis - 2004

GPA: Cum 3.7

Thesis: Strategies for Teaching Reading to Vietnamese

Learners of English

University of Pedagogy, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

Bachelor of Arts in English – 1981

Studied English 18 years

TEACHING

 37 years teaching experience with adults and high school

students

 Taught English skills to fluent Vietnamese speakers

**.** Speaking, Listening, Pronunciation Skills.

. Reading, Grammar, Writing Skills

 TOEFL

 Literary Analysis

 Organized, enthusiastic and helpful as evaluated by students

 Commended for high standard of excellence

COMMUNICATION SKILLS

Fluent in speaking and writing in Vietnamese, English.

TEACHING PHILOSOPHY

 Treat students equally and friendly

 Be aware of multicultural diversity and learning differences

 Be available to students in class and out of class

 Make the lessons adaptable to daily activities

 Grade students fairly and correctly

 Help students to understand the lessons better

RELEVANT COURSES

Classes attended at Notre Dame de Namur University:

Linguistics & Semiotics Native American Literature

Advanced Writing Asian American Literature

Writing: Theory & Practice Latino Literature

Narrative Creative Writing: Fiction

Seminar in Literature Lyric

Contemporary American Literature ESL – Methods and Materials

EXPERIENCE

2007 – present English Instructor Houston North/Fairbanks Center

14955 Northwest Fwy

Houston, TX 77040-4024

832-782-5012

Teach Comp. & Rhetoric 1301, 1302

Dev. ENGL 0304, 0306, 0307

Writing Level 5 (0375)

Certified Tutor for Level I, II, III

2013 – present English Instructor Houston Community College

1300 Holman St.

Houston, TX 77004

713.718.7201

Teach Co-req. classes, ENGL 1301, 1302, 0370

ESOL/Intensive Level 3 & 4 Reading & Writing

Certified Tutor for Level I, II, III

2006 – 2013 Instructor Assistant Kumon Math & Reading Center

of Gessner

Houston, TX 77080

713-932-6284

2008 – 2013 Wal-Mart Deli Associate 9460 West Sam Houston Pkwy

Store # 3302 Houston, TX 77099

2002 –1993 Instructor

University of Pedagogy - Language Center

280 An Duong Vuong St., District 5

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Ho Chi Minh City – Vietnam

2000 – 2002 Instructor VUS (Vietnam – US Language Center)

Ho Chi Minh City – Vietnam

1993 – 1987 Teacher Vo Thi Sau High School

Ho Chi Minh City – Vietnam

1987 – 1984 Teacher Le Hong Phong High School

Ho Chi Minh City – Vietnam

1984 – 1981 Teacher Nguyen Trung Truc High School

Ho Chi Minh City – Vietnam