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English Education Specialist - 2007
Northeastern State University
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Education

44 Graduate hours in administration beyond Masters

MS, Northeastern State University, 1997.

Major: College Teaching

Supporting Areas of Emphasis: English, Communications, Administration

Capstone Title: Billy Bob, Jo Ed, Early Ray Ginther and Coyote Woman-a film

University of Nevada Reno, 1989.

Major: Shakespeare and Northern Nevada Writing Project

Project Title: Shakespeare and the "F" Word

Sierra Nevada College, 1986.

Major: Special Studies

Supporting Areas of Emphasis: Great People and their biographies

BS, Indiana State University, 1967.

Major: English Area

Supporting Areas of Emphasis: journalism and humanities

Professional Positions

Academic - Post-Secondary

American Indian Heritage Committee. (August 2009 - Present).

Education Advisor, Cherokee Language & Culture Program. (August 2009 - Present).

English Education Specialist. (January 2007 - Present).

Teacher Education Council. (January 2007 - Present).

Licensures and Certifications

American Literature, British Literature, Grammar & Usage, Composition, Oklahoma State Department of Education. (2008).

Professional Memberships

National Council of Teachers of English. (2007 - Present).

Southwest Texas Popular/American Culture Association. (January 2007 - Present).

Sigma Tau Delta International English Honor Society. (2001 - Present).

Northeastern State University Foundation. (2010 - 2011).

Development Activities Attended

Conference Attendance, "'Hands Across Nations'," Center for Tribal Studies, Tahlequah, OK, USA. (April 13, 2010 - Present).

Conference Attendance, "'Hands Across Nations: Smart Legacies, Strong Spirits'," Center for Tribal Studies, Tahlequah, OK, USA. (April 13, 2010 - Present).

Conference Attendance, "'Hands Across Nations: Smart Legacies, Strong Spirits'," Center for Tribal Studies, Tahlequah, OK, USA. (April 13, 2010 - Present).

Film and Panel discussion, "'Waiting for Superman'," Center for Teaching and Learning, Tahlequah, OK, USA. (March 14, 2011).

Workshop, "Faculty Research Mission," Academic Affairs, Tahlequah, OK, USA. (November 30, 2010).

Seminar, "Jerusalem Women Speak "One Land, Two Peoples, Three Faiths: Time for Reconciliation, Justice and Peace"," AAUW and NSU Social Work, Tahlequah, OK, USA. (November 4, 2010).

Self-Study Program, "Fry Bread Babies," COLA Women's and Gender Studies, Tahlequah, OK. (November 3, 2010).

Workshop, "Digital Measures and Chalk & Wire," COE NSU, Tahlequah, OK. (October 19, 2010).

Seminar, "Dialogue & Debate: Professors Should Remain Neutral in Course Presentations," Dr. Martin Tadlock Academic Affairs, Tahlequah, OK, USA. (October 15, 2010).

Workshop, "DARS Digital Academic Records System and advising," COLA, Tahlequah, OK, USA. (October 15, 2010).

Seminar, "Student Centered University," NSU Academic Affairs, Tahlequah, OK, USA. (September 28, 2010).

Seminar, "Gateway Community Sustainability," Dr. Martin Tadlock NSU, Tahlequah, OK, USA. (September 20, 2010).

Lecture, "Civil War Nurses," COLA Women's and Gender Studies, Tahlequah, OK, USA. (September 14, 2010).

Seminar, "Students as Clients, Commodities, or Customers," Dr. Tadlock, Tahlequah, OK, USA. (September 10, 2010).

Development of Women's & Gender Studies minor, "Women's & Gender Studies minor," College of Liberal Arts, NSU, Tahlequah, OK. (April 23, 2010).

Symposium, "'Cherokee Casino: Tribal Sovereignty in Tourism and Entertainment'," 38th Symposium on the American Indian, Center for Tribal Studies, NSU, Tahlequah, OK. (April 12, 2010 - April 17, 2010).

Symposium, ""Indigenous Studies in the 21st Century", " 38th Annual Symposium on the American Indian, Center for Tribal Studies, NSU, Tahlequah, OK. (April 12, 2010 - April 17, 2010).

Symposium, ""Nothing Fancy--Just Living a Dream" astronaut Commander John Herrington," 38th Annual Symposium on the American Indian, Center for Tribal Studies, NSU, Tahlequah, OK. (April 12, 2010 - April 17, 2010).

Symposium, ""The Role of the University in Language Revitalization: Western Carolina University and the Cherokee Language" Dr. Hartwell Francis," 38th Annual Symposium on the American Indian, Center for Tribal Studies, NSU, Tahlequah, OK. (April 12, 2010 - April 17, 2010).

Conference Attendance, ""Indigenous Studies in the 21st Century", " Center for Tribal Studies 38th Annual Symposium on the American Indian, Tahlequah, OK, USA. (April 15, 2010).

Workshop, "Academic Prioritization Process/College Assessment for the College of Liberal Arts," NSU, Tahlequah, OK, USA. (March 30, 2010).

Workshop, "College Assessment for College of Liberal Arts," NSU, Tahlequah, OK. (March 30, 2010).

Conference Attendance, "OACTE/OCTP/OATE 2009 Fall Conference," NCTE/OU, Norman, OK. (November 12, 2009 - November 13, 2009).

Tutorial, ""Drug Free Workplace", " NSU Faculty and Staff Training Assessment, Tahlequah, OK. (October 24, 2009).

Workshop, ""Constitution Day", " American Democracy Project/New York Times/NSU, Tahlequah, OK. (September 17, 2009).

Conference Attendance, ""Commentary on Tas-La-Gi Ancient Village Reconstruction Project: Documentary and Archaeological Evidence for the Reconstruction", " 5th Annual State of Sequoyah Conference NSU, Tahlequah, OK. (September 3, 2009).

Conference Attendance, ""Creating a circa 1710 Cherokee Village and Landscape at the Cherokee Heritage Center", " 5th Annual State of Sequoyah Conference NSU, Tahlequah, OK. (September 3, 2009).

Conference Attendance, ""Finding the Rosebuds" Historical Reconstruction and the Cherokee Female Seminary", " 5th Annual State of Sequoyah Conference NSU, Tahlequah, OK. (September 3, 2009).

Conference Attendance, ""Introduction to Heritage Center Research Activity and Relocation of Ancient Village", " 5th Annual State of Sequoyah Conference, Tahlequah, OK. (September 3, 2009).

Conference Attendance, "Traditional Family Stories as Seed Corn," Annual State of Sequoyah Conference NSU, Tahlequah, OK. (September 3, 2009).

Training, "NSU Service Excellence Values Training," NSU, Tahlequah, OK. (April 29, 2009).

Workshop, "Preparations for Program Review," NSU COE, Tahlequah, OK. (April 24, 2009).

Conference Attendance, "Dances in Literary Criticism and American Indian Literature or, Maybe the Band Can Play Your Song," Symposium on the American Indian, Tahlequah, OK. (April 15, 2009).

Conference Attendance, "My Life in Show Business," Center for Tribal Studies Annual Symposium on the American Indian, Tahlequah, OK. (April 15, 2009).

Lecture presentation, "Teaching in an Age of Accountability," NSU, Tahlequah, OK. (February 3, 2009).

Conference Attendance, "The Looting of Spiro Mounds," Northeastern State University, Tahlequah, OK. (November 7, 2008).

International Guest Speaker, "Exchange Programs with Swansea University, Wales," COLA and Business & Technology, Tahlequah, OK. (September 24, 2008).

Faculty Presentation, "Exchange Teaching in China," NSU COLA, Tahlequah, OK. (September 11, 2008).

Workshop, "Tying Exams to Objectives," NSU COE, Tahlequah, OK. (September 9, 2008).

Conference Attendance, "Oklahoma Higher Education Teaching & Learning Spring Conference," Tahlequah, OK. (2007).

Workshop, "Chalk and Wire Training," College of Education Northeastern State University, Tahlequah, OK. (2007).

ITV workshop for NCATE, "Preparation for Program Review," NCATE COE, Tahlequah, OK. (December 9, 2007).

ITV web Conference, "National NCATE #2," NCATE, Tahlequah, OK. (September 24, 2007).

ITV web conference #3, "National NCATE conference," NCATE, Tahlequah, OK. (September 14, 2007).

Workshop, "Building Learning Communities," Center for Teaching & Learning, Tahlequah, OK. (September 5, 2007).

Workshop, "Your First Online Lesson," Center for Teaching & Learning, Tahlequah, OK. (August 28, 2007).

Workshop, "Getting Started in Blackboard," Center for Teaching & Learning, Tahlequah, OK. (August 22, 2007).

Awards and Honors

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSIGNMENTS

English Education Specialist, Department of Languages & Literature ,(August 2007 - Present).

TEACHING

Teaching Experience

Northeastern State University

ENGL 1113, Freshman Composition I, 12 courses.
ENGL 1213, Freshman Composition II, 16 courses.
ENGL 4133, Teaching English in Secondary School, 8 courses.
SPED 1113, Fundamentals of Oral Communication, 8 courses

Non-Credit Instruction

Guest Lecture, Cherokee Language & Culture Program, "Directing Instruction," 8 participants.
(October 2010).

Directed Student Learning

Undergraduate Research Sponsor, "Effects of No Child Left Behind," Other (Within Northeastern State University). (November 18, 2010)
Advised: Chelsey Kofska

Supervised Research, "Uniting a Subculture: The Impact of Okie Noodling," Other (Within Northeastern State University). (2007 - Present).
Advised: Sam McMillen

English Education Project, Work Sample Project for BA 4251 and NCATE, Northeastern State University, 2007 – Present
Advised: All English Education candidates since 2007

RESEARCH

Published Intellectual Contributions

Books

Henshaw, C. O., M., B. T. (2011). In Baker and Henshaw (Eds.), *Women Who Pioneered Oklahoma: Stories from the WPA Narratives* (third ed., 280pp.). Norman, Oklahoma: University of Oklahoma Press.

Baker, Terri M., Henshaw, C. O. (2007). *Women Who Pioneered Oklahoma: Stories from the WPA Narratives* (280pp.). Norman, OK: University of Oklahoma Press.

Book Chapters

Henshaw, C. O., M., B. T. (2009). In Baker, Terri; Faulds, Joseph; Cowlshaw, Bridget; Malone, Christopher (Eds.), *Vision and Voice* (p. 305). Plymouth, MI: Hayden-McNeil.

Henshaw, C. O. M.B. T.(2011) In Stanley, Mary; Clevenger, Shari; Haggard, Kendra; O'seland, Tony (Eds.), *Vision and Voice: A College Reader/Rhetoric*, Southlake: Fountainhead.

Editing

Aldridge Sanford, Amy. (2010) "I Can Air My Feelings Instead of Eating Them": Blogging as Social Support for the Morbidly Obese. *Communications Studies* Vol. 61, No. 5, November-December, 2010, pp. 567-584.

Presentations Given

- Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), 39th Annual Symposium on the American Indian Hands Across Nations, "'Handiworks' Readers' Theater, Center for Tribal Studies, Tahlequah, Oklahoma. (April 14, 2011).
- Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), Dialogue and Debate series, "Tenure in Higher Education Should Be Abolished," by invitation of Provost/VP of Academic Affairs, Webb Auditorium, NSU. (April 14, 2011).
- Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), K. W. (Presenter Only), "COE Lesson Plans and Competencies," Cherokee Language & Culture Program, Tahlequah, OK. (October 28, 2010).
- Henshaw, C. C. M., B. T. (Presenter & Author), Book Event, Nighthawk Books, Fayetteville, ARK. (August 7, 2010).
- Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), M., B. T. (Presenter & Author), Annual Symposium on the American Indian, "Women Who Pioneered Oklahoma," Center for Tribal Studies, Tahlequah, OK. (April 2009).
- Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), Living Literature Conference, "1800's Feminists," College of Liberal Arts NSU, Broken Arrow, OK. (November 2008).
- Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), M., B. T. (Presenter & Author), "Oklahoma's Pioneer Women," Indian Territory Historical Genealogical Society, John Vaughn Library Ballenger Room. (October 27, 2008).
- Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), Alumni Banquet, "A Good Base Makes for Lifelong Learning," Wood Memorial High School, Oakland City, Indiana. (June 21, 2008).
- Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), "Pioneer Stories of Women from Indiana, Illinois, and Kentucky," Friends of the Oakland City Library, Oakland City, Indiana. (June 20, 2008).
- Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), Seniors Read, "Indiana Pioneer Women's Stories," Gibson County Library, Princeton, Indiana. (June 20, 2008).
- Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), M., B. T. (Presenter & Author), Friends of the Tahlequah Library, "Women Who Pioneered Oklahoma: Stories from the WPA Narratives," Friends of the Tahlequah Library, Tahlequah, OK. (May 8, 2008).
- Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), Living Literature Conference, "Civil War Letters of Mrs. Stand Waitie," College of Liberal Arts NSU, Tahlequah, OK. (March 2008).
- Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), M. B., American Symposium on the American Indian, "Oklahoma's Diverse Native Women," American Indian Heritage Committee and COLA, Armory, Tahlequah, OK. (March 6, 2008).
- Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), M, B. T. (Presenter & Author), Diversity Week, "Pioneer Women of Many Colors," NSUBSA, University Center. (February 2008).
- Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), M., B. T. (Presenter & Author), Southwest Texas Popular and American Culture Conference, "Women's Perception Shifts Pioneering Indian Territory and Oklahoma Territory," SWTPAC, Albuquerque, New Mexico. (February 13, 2008).

Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), Living Literature Conference, "Broonies, Selkies, and Fairies," College of Liberal Arts, Broken Arrow, OK. (December 4, 2007).

Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), Annual Symposium on the American Indian, "Sisters of Ages," Center for Tribal Studies, Tahlequah, OK. (April 2007).

Henshaw, C. C. (Presenter & Author), M., B. T. (Presenter & Author), Southwest Texas Popular & American Culture Conference, "Women Who Pioneered Oklahoma: A Collective Autobiography," SWTXPAC, Albuquerque, New Mexico. (February 2007).

Media Contributions

Newspaper

RiverHawks Daily. (December 9, 2010).

Awards and Honors

Circle of Excellence nominee. (2009).

Scholarship, Oklahoma Institute for the Arts. (2007).

Intellectual Contributions in Submission

NCATE Program Review, English Education

Research in Progress

"Boarding Schools and Women's Leadership in Territory" (On-Going)

This is to be a survey of various women who attended boarding schools in territorial days and a follow up of their contributions to their communities upon return to their home locations.

"Civil War in Oklahoma through Women's Eyes" (On-Going)

This project is a growing collection from the WPA Narratives of women's recollections and versions of the impact of the Civil War in Oklahoma in particular and their deconstruction of some of the history of specific battles.

"Impacts of Assessment for Higher Education Being Established Outside the Academic Community" (On-Going)

This project may be too massive to handle, but collection of information is in the works. The starting position is that unless higher ed takes an active leadership role in its own assessment, those outside academia without thorough understanding of the educational process will dictate measurements that are easily quantifiable but not necessarily useful to program improvement.

"Tenure Should Be Abolished in Higher Education" (Writing Results)

This project focuses upon the positive aspects of eliminating tenure in higher education. It, of course, also pays respect to different positions on the topic and offers alternatives to tenure.

SERVICE

Department Service

Faculty Advisor, AP Assessment in the Major/English. (September 2010 - Present).

Faculty Advisor, Cherokee Language Education Degree Program Advisory Council. (2008 - Present).

Subject Area Specialist for English Education, NCATE. (2007 - Present).

Committee Member, Teacher Education Council. (2007 - Present).

Committee Member, Selection of Chair for the Department of Languages & Literature. (March 2011).

Academic Prioritization Report, English Education, College of Liberal Arts (November 2010).

Supervise English Education BA Major 4251 candidates in field internships, 2007-present.

University Service

College of Education Teacher Education Professional Interviews. (2007-2011).

Program Organizer, Silent Auction, American Indian Heritage Committee. (August 2009 - Present).

Program Organizer, English Education - Academic Prioritization Committee. (February 2010)

Committee Member, Teacher Education Council. (August 2007 - Present).

Program Coordinator, English Education Program, NCATE Program Review, 2010-2011

Public Service

Committee Chair, Silent Auction, American Indian Heritage Committee, Tahlequah, OK. (August 2009 - April 2011).

Director, Producer, Actor; *Vagina Monologues*, benefit for Help In Crisis, Tahlequah, OK. (February 2004 - February 2009).

Consulting

Academic, Cherokee Languages & Cherokee Culture Programs, NSU Tahlequah. (January 2009 - Present).