Eva E. Price

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PHILOSOPHY

The library is the hub and the heart of a learning community, and it is my goal as an educator and librarian to ensure that the heartbeat is strong and far-reaching. Through communication and collaboration, I hope to create a comfortable and well-resourced space that empowers people to be enthusiastic readers, effective researchers and ethical participants in the community and their learning.

EDUCATION

Texas Woman's University

Masters in Library Media Science

4.0 GPA
Dec 2012

University of Southern Maine (Extended Teacher Education Program)

Masters in Teaching and Learning

Maine Teaching Certification, 7-12 English

4.0 GPA

May 2006

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Emerson College

Bachelor of Arts in Film

Cum Laude
2001

Minor in Multicultural Literature

LIBRARY / MEDIA EXPERIENCE

Portland High School

Teacher Librarian

Portland, Maine

2015-2016 (one year position only)

- Managed all aspects of the library, including circulation, budget, acquisition and programming
- Guided library staff and student aids in completing tasks aligned to library program goals
- Collaborated with teachers to design, co-teach and co-assess lessons across the curriculum
- Redesigned under-utilized library website to create a high-traffic resource and information hub
- Coordinated a dynamic and flexible environment that created a central, efficient learning space
- Liaised with the school and local community to ensure resources were current
- Promoted the ethical use of information in regards to copyright, licensing and fair use

Nagle College

Sydney, Australia

2013-2015

Teacher Librarian

- Orchestrated all aspects of the school media center for 800 students in grades 7-12
- Supervised four full time library and information technology staff members
- Overhauled the library website to enable access to digital and classroom resources
- Maintained Nagle College media and technology outlets such as the school website, social media tools, parent newsletters, conference and resource bookings

E-Learning Coordinator

- Researched, evaluated and promoted learning technologies to staff and students
- Led technology team meetings with a focus on planning, implementation and support
- Designed and implemented professional development and support programs
- Organized and implemented the Google school-wide initiative and the iPad program

Al Zahra College (International Baccalaureate World School)

NSW. Australia

Head of Media / Media Teacher

March 2012 - April 2013

- Designed a state-of-the-art media program in digital citizenship, filmmaking and technology
- Planned and purchased film equipment, digital resources and MacBooks for new program
- Taught film and media classes to students in year 7-10 that aligned state and IB standards

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TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Moriah College

Sydney, Australia

English, History, Drama Teacher (Grades 6/7)

August 2010-Dec 2011 (temporary position)

- Guided Gifted and Talented students through an innovative and individualized curriculum
- Aligned units and lessons with the State Board of Studies Outcomes
- · Revamped semester-long inquiry-based learning unit, focused on primary sources

English First

Shanghai, China

ESL Teacher / Foreign Expert English Teacher

2009-2010

- Taught English conversation, grammar and structure to students from age 2-18
- · Planned and implemented innovative literacy-based lessons for students of all levels
- Researched and utilized current ESOL practices to advance language acquisition

South Portland High School

South Portland, Maine

English Teacher

2004-2009

- Planned and taught student-centered literature curriculum for multi-level classes
- Created hands-on, interdisciplinary lessons and assessments

Learning Alternatives Teacher

2007-2009

- Taught before and after school courses in photography, ecology, English and history
- Supported at-risk students within the mainstream high school curriculum

Nature's Classroom

New England, USA

Outdoor Education Teacher

2001-2003

- Taught field groups of 4th—8th graders, emphasizing natural sciences, team building and hiking
- Facilitated large group discussions to raise students' awareness of global and local issues

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

International Trip Leader

Costa Rica, Dominica, Utah, Fiji, Iceland

2005-2009 (summers)

World Horizons / Rustic Pathways

- Led 3-8 week long, international community service based high school programs
- Communicated with parents and staff regarding discipline, program updates and projects
- · Managed the full-time emotional and medical needs of students in an international setting

Wilderness Trip Leader / Cabin Counselor

Maine, USA

Hidden Valley Camp / Camp Laurel

2002-2003 (summers)

- Led intensive outdoor adventure trips for 14-15 year olds throughout Maine and Canada
- Coordinated environmental outreach and volunteer programs within the local community

EXTRACURRICULAR / LEADERSHIP HIGHLIGHTS

Yearbook Advisor: 2015-2016

School Newspaper Advisor: 2005-2009

Debate Coach: 2010-2011

Model United Nations Advisor: 2004-2008

Technology Team Leader: 2013-2015

Peer Literacy Tutoring Advisor: 2013-2015

Mavericks Leadership Team: 2013-2014

NSW Reading Challenge Advisor: 2013-2015