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Curriculum Vitae

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**EDUCATION**

- MA in Classics  
University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY  
in progress; expected May 2016
- 2014 MA in Teaching English as a Second Language, with distinction  
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign  
Thesis: "Scientific Laws and Causality in the Philosophy of Second Language  
Acquisition: A Neo-Aristotelian Approach" (received Katharine O. Aston Award)
- 2010 BA in English literature, *summa cum laude*  
Bryan College, Dayton, Tennessee

**TEACHING**

- 2012-15 Pontificia Università della Santa Croce, Rome, Italy  
Instructor, *Parlare il greco koinè* [Speaking Koine Greek]  
July 13-31, 2015: Level I  
July 7-25, 2014: Level I  
July 8-26, 2013: Level II (with Fabrice Butlen)  
July 9-27, 2012: Level I (with Christophe Rico and Flavia Farina)
- 2014-15 Ave Maria University, Ave Maria, FL  
Instructor, *Elementary Greek: Communicative Approach* (Level I)  
June 1-19, 2015  
May 21 to June 10, 2014
- 2013-14 Department of Linguistics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign  
Graduate Teaching Assistant, International Teaching Assistant (ITA) Program  
Instructor of record for "Oral Communication for ITAs" (Fall 2013, Spring 2014)
- 2011-13 Department of Linguistics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign  
Graduate Teaching Assistant, English as a Second Language  
Instructor of record for "Introduction to Academic Writing" (Fall 2011: two sections)  
and "Oral and Written Communication" (Spring 2012; Fall 2012: two sections;  
Spring 2013)

**PRESENTATIONS**

- 2012b “Child Language Socialization: Unlikely Implications for Writing Center Theory and Practice.” International Writing Centers Association (San Diego, CA), October 25-27.
- 2012a “Applying SLA Research to the Classical Language Classroom: Interaction and Negotiation.” Illinois Classical Conference (University of Chicago), October 5-7.

**WORKSHOPS AND TALKS**

- 2013-15 Pontificia Università della Santa Croce, Rome, Italy  
Teaching methodology seminar  
July 15-19, 2013; July 14-18, 2014; July 20-24, 2015  
“Introduction to the Polis Method” (2013-15)  
“Group and Pair Work in the Ancient Language Classroom” (2013-15)  
“Group and Pair Work for Ancient Greek” (2014, 2015)  
“Drama in the Ancient Language Classroom (Greek)” (2013 only)

**HONORS AND AWARDS**

- 2015 CAMWS Award for Outstanding Accomplishment in Classical Studies  
(Classics, University of Kentucky)
- 2014-15 Graduate School Academic Year Fellowship, University of Kentucky
- 2014-15 Royster Graduate Student Excellence Award, University of Kentucky
- 2014 Katharine O. Aston Award for Outstanding MATESL Thesis, Department of Linguistics, UIUC
- 2011-14 List of Teachers Ranked as Excellent By Their Students, UIUC  
Fall 2011, Spring 2012 (outstanding), Fall 2012 (outstanding), Fall 2013, Spring 2014
- 2012 Graduate College Travel Grant, UIUC (Fall)  
Department of Linguistics Travel Grant, UIUC (Fall)
- 2011 Philological Award, English Department, Bryan College
- 2009 Sigma Tau Delta

**CERTIFICATES**

- 2012 Graduate Teacher Certificate  
Center for Teaching Excellence, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign  
April 2012
- 2011 Parlare il greco koinè [Speaking Koine Greek] I e II  
Pontificia Università della Santa Croce, Rome, Italy  
July 2011
- 2010 Cambridge Certificate in English Language Teaching to Adults (CELTA) (Pass B)  
International House, Budapest, Hungary  
May 2010

**SERVICE**

- 2014 Abstract reviewer, Illinois Language and Linguistics Society, 6th Annual Conference  
2013 Abstract reviewer, Illinois Language and Linguistics Society, 5th Annual Conference

**PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

Society for Classical Studies  
Classical Association of the Middle West and South

**LANGUAGES**

Ancient Greek  
Latin  
French  
Spanish  
Italian  
German (in progress)