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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

An English language teacher, trainer, and Cambridge CELTA/DELTA tutor with advanced degrees in applied linguistics and education (EdTech) and 15+ years of experience in higher education. Skilled in all aspects of classroom operations, curriculum design, online learning environments, evaluation of student progress, differentiated skills-based instruction, and coordination with faculty and administration. Seeking to bring expertise, innovation, and enthusiasm to your organization.

SKILLS

EAP/IELTS instruction • continuing education • curriculum design/consulting • CELTA/DELTA tutoring materials writing/editing • progress reporting • performance assessment • online learning tools

CAREER HISTORY

Associate Professor, TESOL Department

International Graduate School of English (IGSE), Seoul, Korea

2005–Present

- Instruct graduate school students (B1–C1 CEFR) in all facets of academic and professional writing using a variety of process genre-based teaching strategies and interactive computer lab experiences.
- Design reading, listening, and speaking classes (B1–B2) that are intrinsically motivating and use techniques that address learner needs, from language-based focus on accuracy to message-based focus on interaction, meaning, and fluency.
- Accountable for classroom materials design, writing and grading assignments, and teaching subject courses, including *Introduction to Linguistics*, *ELT Curriculum Design and Development*, *Teaching Reading and Writing*, *Practical Teaching Methodology*, and *Computer Assisted Language Learning*.
- Contribute to program curriculum, department objectives, and institution direction; responsible for skills program coordination, reviewing MA theses, and advising the extensive reading club.
- Mentor students, including thesis/project advising, as well as advising on career paths, degree requirements, and post-graduate education options.

Cambridge CELTA Tutor

School of Continuing Education (IGSE), Seoul, Korea

2019–Present

- Design and lead input sessions, assess teaching practice, and report on candidate progress in the capacity of assistant course tutor (ACT).

Cambridge DELTA Tutor (M2)

Nile-ELT, Norwich, UK

2021–Present

- Assess teaching practice and report on candidate progress in the capacity of regional DELTA tutor (RDT).

Teacher Trainer

School of Continuing Education (IGSE), Seoul, Korea

2005–Present

- Spearheaded a novel teacher training initiative for ELT materials developers in China (New Oriental, TAL, C&F) that has resulted in \$1.5M in revenue.
- Design and lead continuing education courses for in-service public-school teachers as part of the Non-Residential In-service Intensive English Teacher Training Program (NIIETTP).

Teacher Trainer/English Language Teacher

Teacher Training Institute International, Seoul, Korea

2002–2005

- Designed and led continuing education courses for in-service public elementary and secondary school teachers. Led creative workshops with short-term goals on practical teaching methods and techniques. Developed and published ELT resource materials and collaborated on curriculum development projects for public secondary school teachers in China.
- Taught English for general purposes and business English to adults (B1–B2) with an emphasis on oral proficiency. Designed engaging communicative lessons to meet learner needs. Planned and implemented lessons involving multimedia and taught technology classes to faculty and staff. Conducted demonstration classes for the Seoul Education Board.

English Language Teacher (Teens)

Kyong-hwa Girls' Middle School, Gwangju, Korea

1998–2002

- Taught English to middle school students (A1–A2) using self-made teaching materials and supplementary teaching aids. Maintained classroom motivation, participation, and discipline through creative teaching techniques (e.g., Reader's Theater) and active student participation in the learning process. Supervised extra-curricular activities and coordinated eight winter/summer English camps.

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

Testing & Assessment

IELTS Examiner

IDP Education Australia

2006–Present

BEC (Preliminary/Vantage) Examiner

Cambridge Assessment English

2014–2020

Publishing

Writer

IGSE Press

2014–2018

- *Academic Writing*, a writing skills coursebook (B1–B2) for graduate school students
- *Genre Writing*, a writing skills coursebook (B1–B2) for graduate school students
- *English for the Cosmetology Industry*, a college-level ESP coursebook for cosmetology students

Nexus Publishing

2008–2012

- *After School Reading*, a multi-level series of middle school (A1–A2) reading skills coursebooks
- *Word Expert*, a TOEFL vocabulary self-study workbook
- *How to TOEIC Vocabulary*, a multi-level series of vocabulary self-study workbooks
- *This is Grammar, New Edition*, a multi-level series of grammar textbooks

Editing, Proofreading, and Review

Cambridge University Press (Korea), Edubox, Educational Broadcasting System (EBS),
I-Scream Education, Nexus Publishing, Visang, Yoon’s English Academy

2002–Present

- Edited, proofread, and reviewed 50,000+ pages of ELT study/testing material

EDUCATION

Master of Applied Linguistics

The University of Southern Queensland, Australia

Master of Education, Education Technology

The University of Southern Queensland, Australia

Bachelor of Arts, Political Science

Western University, Canada

Certifications & Studies

DELTA (Diploma in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages)
Cambridge Assessment English

CELTA (Certificate in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages)
Cambridge Assessment English

COLT (Certificate in Online Tutoring)
International House World Organisation

VOLUNTEERING

International Conference Committee Member

Korea Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages (KOTESOL), Korea

- Created conference websites and managed online presence of three international ELT conferences.

AFFILIATIONS

Member, TESL Ontario/Canada

Member, KOTESOL, Korea

Member, TESOL, U.S.A.