GREG SAMUELSON

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EDUCATION

Scholarship of Educational Leadership Certificate on Curriculum and Pedagogy in Higher Education

University of British Columbia 2017

Master of Arts - Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages Seattle Pacific University 2003

Bachelor of Arts - Linguistics University of Washington 1997

ACHIEVEMENTS

Promotion to Senior Instructor (2019)

Exceeds Expectations Award (2018)

Human Capital Awards – Social Impact Employee (2016 – 2017)

Exemplary Merit Award for the Academic Bridge Program (2013 - 2014)

Zayed University Outstanding Faculty Award Nominee (2013 – 2014)

Certifications

Instructional Design Foundations and Applications (University of Illinois)

Learning Technologies Foundations and Applications (University of Illinois)

Python Basics (University of Michigan)

Python Data Structures (University of Michigan)

Python Functions, Files, and Dictionaries (University of Michigan)

Adult Mental Health First Aid Course (Lighthouse Arabia)

OBJECTIVE

Experienced educator, administrator, curriculum developer and course designer, seeking career move into Instructional Design field.

Demonstrated track record of team building, analytical, technology and interpersonal and intercultural communication skills. Naturally curious and quick to learn new skills and apply past experiences to new situations.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Zayed University 2012 - 2020

Interim Male Program Manager, Student Affairs 2019 – 2020 Senior Instructor, University College 2019 – 2020 Instructor, Academic Bridge Program 2012 – 2019

Male Campus Program Supervisor, Academic Bridge Program 2015 – 2017 Quality Control Manager, Institute for Community Engagement 2016 Level Coordinator, Academic Bridge Program 2013 – 2015

- Created engaging learning environment where students exceed their goals.
- Innovated the classroom environment through the creative use of games and technology to enhance student learning.
- Prepare students for the university level by delivering well planned and effective instruction.
- Increased student engagement through the design of program wide academic competitions.
- Promoted academic success of new students through effective advising and advocacy.
- Earned consistently high student evaluations.
- Evaluated program effectiveness and played key role in curriculum revitalization project.
- Managed and evaluated administrative staff.
- Created English language curriculum, assessments, materials and work-place simulations for oil industry training program
- Streamlined courses and increased efficiency and timely feedback through creative and motivating use of google suite.
- Trained faculty members in most effective use of new educational technology.
- Collaborated with Student Accessibility Services to ensure all students had opportunities to reach their potential.

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SKILLS and CHARACTERISTICS

- Teamwork
- Flexibility / Adaptability
- Problem Solving
- Web Design
- Timeline/Workflow
- Data Collection and Analysis
- Analytical
- Trusted
- Approachable
- Hard-working
- Creative

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Men's Volleyball Coach - Volunteer

Zayed University

2016 - 2020

Volleyball Coach - Volunteer

Raha International School

2018 - 2020

Swim Coach - Volunteer

Raha International School

2014 - 2018

SOCIAL MEDIA

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LANGUAGES

- English
- Spanish
- Moroccan Arabic

WORK EXPERIENCE (CONTINUED)

King Fahd University of Petroleum and Minerals Lecturer and Coordinator, English Language Center 2010 - 2012

- Prepared first year students for academic success through effective and innovative delivery of English for Academic Purposes curriculum.
- Developed new procedures for assessing student progress and trained teaching team in their use.

Desarrollo y Consultoría Pro Mundis Director of Development Project, Southern Morocco 2006 - 2010

- Lead international team of development workers in the creation of six educational and medical projects bringing hope and opportunities to disabled children and adults.
- Raised funds from a network of local and international partners, created budgets and provided full financial reporting.
- Established a physical therapy center for children with Cerebral Palsy by forming partnerships between a local association for disabled people, the municipality and international donors.
- Designed and implemented professional development program for the Moroccan Association of Teachers of English in the Agadir region.

American Language Center

Teacher, Agadir, Morocco 2003 - 2005

- Taught every course offered at center, from beginning to advanced, children to professional.
- Directed team in the writing of all exams.
- Developed highly engaging video materials for integration it into courses and assessments.