**Personal Statement**

"My mission as an ESL teacher is to greatly improve the lives of those around me, to be an example of high integrity, to be a great communicator, to uplift and inspire, to make the teaching experience fun for the students as well as for myself. It is my responsibility to inspire the student to reach new heights, to want to go "outside the box", to challenge the student to go beyond his/her own perceived limitations and to provide a hunger to want to learn more.

**Education**

National University of Ireland, Maynooth. 2002

**B.Sc. Mathematical Physics, Applied Mathematics.**

National University of Ireland, Maynooth. 2003

**Graduate Diploma Mathematical Science**

I-TO-I, TEFL Ireland 2005

**TEFL Certificate.**

Dublin Business School. 2014

**Fund Accounting and Treasury.**

Dublin Business School. 2015

**Graduate Diploma Software Development**

University of Middlesex \*Sept 2018

**PGCE Computer Science and ICT**

**Work Experience**

**Salesianas Rota 2018**

Spanish public school where I taught students from 3 years old to 16 years old.

* Planned classes for 3 year olds up to 16 year olds
* Took part in school activities
* Maintained discipline inside and outside of the classroom

**Vaughan Systems Barcelona 2016/2017**

English Teacher

* + - Taught students from 8 years old to adults
    - Followed the Vaughan Method of teaching
    - Selected to teach the ‘Masters’ class due to strong student reviews

**Fidelity Investments Dublin 2015 Systems Analyst/Quality Assurance Engineer.**

* Carried out functional and regression testing.
* Compiled current state analysis documents.
* Team member and participated in daily stand ups.
* Completed ISTQB certification

# Private Tutor Dublin 2014/2015

I tutored Mathematics and Science to Middle and High school students preparing for their state exams. One of my students who had never passed a math exam received a grade C in his state exam.

**Eurocenter, Taipei, Taiwan 2011**

**English Instructor**

This position consisted of mainly one to one teaching. Students ranged from elementary school to business people. I was responsible for designing and implementing all curriculums and preparing students for the Cambridge exams.

**Shinheung College, Seoul, S. Korea 07-10**

# English Lecturer

* Developed teaching strategies for college students.
* Designed, administered and maintained records of tests given to students.
* Proofread communication for the institute and corrected spelling and grammar.
* Participated in college staff meetings and various other programs.

# I was a Founding member of “Language Café”, where students could interact with lecturers only in English in a non-formal setting

**Chung-Ahn University, Seoul, S. Korea**

# Summer and Winter Camp Instructor (3 Camps)

Summer and winter camp English Instructor for Elementary, Middle, and High School students. In this position I was required to spend 3 weeks at a time living on campus with students in a dormitory.

I received most outstanding teacher award.