# Brian S. Mueller

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#### **Education**

Math for America

New York, NY

Master Teacher Fellowship, Computer Science

2016–Present

- Participate in a community of exceptional educators through monthly professional development and focused collaboration, including:
  - o Exploring and Applying the Practices of Computer Science
  - o Introduction to Computational Thinking, Tools, and Applications
  - o Talk Less, Teach More: Using Video to Create a Blended or Flipped Classroom
  - o Rubik<sup>3</sup>s Cube: An Introduction

Fellowship, Mathematics

2011-2016

- Selective five-year fellowship program with a mission of improving secondary public education. In addition to a
  full-ride graduate degree, fellowship required a four-year teaching commitment and provided mentoring and
  professional development support in addition to pre-service training.
  - o Professional Development: Arduino Professional Learning Team (PLT), Computer Science PLT.
  - o Collaborated with other CS Teachers around content, curriculum, resources, and classroom challenges.

**New York University** 

New York, NY

*May 2012* 

Master of Arts, Mathematics Education

• New York State Initial Certification in 7-12 Mathematics (Summer 2012)

**Colorado State University** 

Ft. Collins, CO

Bachelor of Science, Mathematics Education

December 2010

• Colorado State Initial Certification in 7-12 Mathematics (December 2010)

#### **Experience**

#### **New York City Department of Education**

Brooklyn, NY

Teacher, High School of Telecommunication Arts and Technology

September 2012 to Present

- Teaching 12<sup>th</sup> grade Software Engineering (2016–Present) Ruby, Sinatra, APIs, and Independent Study.
- Teaching 11<sup>th</sup> grade Software Engineering (2015–Present) Github, HTML5, CSS3, jQuery, and Bootstrap.
- Teaching 10<sup>th</sup> grade Software Engineering (2014–Present) p5js, Makey Makey, Arduino, and Google Sheets.
- Taught 9<sup>th</sup> grade Software Engineering (2013–2016) Scratch, Robotics, and Python.
- Mentoring two first-year Math teachers through weekly observations and reflection meetings.
  - o Completed School-Based Mentor Course I, Parts I & II.
- Serving as the Software Engineering Coordinator:
  - o Coach teachers new to Software Engineering in the creation and implementation of curriculum.
  - o Correspond with PENCIL and Deloitte regarding workshops, panels, field visits, and internships.
  - o Coordinate field trips to software engineering companies and events such as the CS Opportunity Fair.
  - o Recruit new students through video creation, parent correspondence, and application vetting.
- Gained 300+ hours of professional development for the rollout of the NYC Software Engineering Program (SEP).
  - Led professional development on JavaScript: demonstrating activities, assessments, and student work.
  - o Collaboratively prototyped a seat-time tracking application at a SEP teacher hack-a-thon.
- Led professional development among school staff including the usage and optimization of formative assessment services, self-built progress report template automation, new laptops, and other educational technology tools.
- Collaboratively planned and taught Integrated Algebra, Common Core Algebra I, and Algebra II / Trigonometry.
  - Participated in New Visions' Accessing Algebra through Inquiry (a2i) program to help schools transition to the new Common Core State Standards. Received individual coaching and school-wide training, and used data from the Silicon Valley Math Initiative assessments to make instructional decisions.

- Advisor for the Photography Club, guiding students through professional shooting and editing techniques.
- Photograph school events such as ceremonies and musicals.

**Landshaw Photography** 

Brooklyn, NY 2009–Present

Owner / Photographer

• Weddings, engagements, portraits, events, and videos.

**Flatiron School** 

New York, NY Summer 2015

Precollege Instructor

• Co-taught Intro to Software Engineering; students built and deployed Model-View-Controller web applications.

• Completed 100 hours of pre-work in HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Ruby, Sinatra, and SQL.

**DeltaMath** New York, NY

Volunteer Programmer

February 2013 – June 2015

• Used PHP and JavaScript to program interactive math homework modules being used by over 2500 teachers.

#### Skills / Interests / Involvement

- Breadth of technological knowledge including various programming languages and Google apps.
- Excellent leadership, flexibility, and communication skills gained through teaching.
- Frequent attendance of CSNYC meetups to contribute to activities and conversations around CS education.
- Expertise in and passion for photography, videography, and music production.
- Attended the annual National Council of Teacher of Mathematics (NCTM) conference in April 2015.

### Awards / Other

- Tenure, Spring 2015–Present
- Luckasen Scholarship, 2010–2011
- Tutor of the Semester, Academic Advancement Center, Spring 2010.
- National Council of Teachers of Mathematics member, 2010–2016.
- Durand Family Scholarship, 2008–2009
- CSU College of Natural Sciences Dean's List, Fall 2008
- Harold and Sylvia Joy Scholarship, 2007–2008

## References

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