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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2017-2020

Instructor, Program in Academic English/ESL
Courses Taught: Academic Writing and Reading

University of California, Irvine, CA

2018

Instructor in Russian, Summer Language Institute
Courses Taught: Intermediate Russian

University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA

2011-2017

Lecturer in Russian and Academic English,
Languages and Applied Linguistics Department
*Courses Taught: Beginning Russian,
Intermediate Russian, Russian Culture through Cinema,
Independent Russian Studies*

Russian Play Director, Annual International Playhouse

University of California, Santa Cruz, CA

2016

Instructor of Russian,
Summer Intensive Language Program
Courses Taught: Intermediate-to-Advanced Russian

Nazarbayev University, Kazakhstan

2012-2014

Instructor of Russian,
Summer Intensive Language Program
*Courses Taught: Elementary Russian,
Intermediate Russian, Advanced Russian*

Monterey Institute of International Studies, CA

2012

Online Instructor, Applied Linguistics Program
Courses Taught: Introduction to Linguistics

University of Massachusetts, Boston, MA

2010 Online Instructor,
Graduate Speech Language Pathology Program
Courses Taught: Introduction to Linguistics

Longwood University, Farmville, VA

2007-2009 Graduate Fellow/Visiting Lecturer,
Department of Languages and Culture Studies
*Courses Taught: Elementary Russian,
Intermediate Russian, Introduction to Linguistics*

Trinity College, Hartford, CT

2002-2007 Graduate Teaching Assistant
Department of Russian and Slavic Studies
*Courses Taught/Assisted in: Beginning Russian,
Intermediate Russian, Advanced Russian,
Advanced Topic in the Russian Language,
Russia: Empire to Federation*

University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ

2000-2002 Graduate Teaching Assistant,
Department of Languages and Linguistics
Courses Taught: Beginning Russian

University of Texas, El Paso, TX

EDUCATION

2010 Ph.D. in Second Language Acquisition and Teaching

University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ

2002 M.A. in Linguistics

University of Texas, El Paso, TX

1996 – 1998 Graduate student

Karaganda State University, Kazakhstan

1996 B.A. with Honors (English)

Karaganda State University, Kazakhstan

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

2020	Active Learning Institute, UC Irvine
2020	Canvas Training Certification Program, Golden West Community College
2019	Equity Workshop, Golden West Community College
2018	Faculty Summer Institute, Santa Monica College
2017	Heritage Language Learners Workshop, University of California, Los Angeles
2016	ACTFL MOPI Workshop Stanford University
2015	STARTALK for Russian Teachers University of Iowa,
2014	STARTALK for Russian Teachers Middlebury College
2013	Online TEFL Certification Program University of Arizona

AWARDS, GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS (SELECTED)

2020	Active Learning Institute, UC Irvine
2018	Faculty Summer Institute Scholarship, SMC
2017	Small Research Grant, UC Santa Cruz
2016	Large Professional Development Grant, UC Santa Cruz
2014	Small Research Grant, UC Santa Cruz
2007-2009	Graduate Fellowship, Trinity College, Hartford, CT

- 2007** Graduate Professional Student Council Travel Grant,
U of Arizona
- 2006** Social and Behavioral Sciences Research Institute
Dissertation Grant, U of Arizona

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL)
- American Association of Teachers of Slavic and Eastern European Languages (AATSEEL)

LANGUAGES

- Russian (native)
- English (fluent)
- Modern Hebrew, French (elementary)

COMPUTER/SOFTWARE KNOWLEDGE

Canvas, Zoom, Microsoft Office, PRAAT (speech analysis program), SPSS (statistical analysis program), D2L, Blackboard Vista, Blackboard Learn, Moodle

REFERENCES

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