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Education

In-progress: Ph.D. Linguistics
The Graduate Center, CUNY
Expected 2017

In-progress: Graduate Certificate, Medieval Studies
The Graduate Center, CUNY
Expected 2017

M.A. Linguistics, 2015
The Graduate Center, CUNY

B.A. English: Linguistics, 2012
Macaulay Honors College, CUNY
College of Staten Island, CUNY
Magna Cum Laude & High Honors

Research Interests

Morphology, historical linguistics (especially of Germanic),
etymology, onomastics, English, English and Anglo-American
witchcraft in the Early Modern era, and supernatural folklore.

Fellowships & Scholarships

Macaulay Honors College Instructional Technology Fellowship
2015-Present

University Fellowship, The Graduate Center, CUNY
2015-Present

Macaulay Honors College University Scholarship
2008-2012

Awards

Tuition Remission
The Graduate Center, CUNY
2013-Present

Auxiliary Services Award for Academic Excellence in English
The College of Staten Island, CUNY
2012

Phi Beta Delta Honors Society Member
2012

Peter Vallone Scholarship
2008-2011

Publications

Nonfiction

- 2016 (*forthcoming*) Vanished Letters
Cricket Magazine
- 2013 Subjects and Predicates (Tutoring Exercise)
Tutoring ESL Students: Thoughts and Practices 40-45
- 2013 Expanding Vocabulary through Photographs (Tutoring Exercise)
Tutoring ESL Students: Thoughts and Practices 46-47
- 2013 Font Continuity Blurb
Tutoring ESL Students: Thoughts and Practices 62-63
- 2013 Formal Address Blurb
Tutoring ESL Students: Thoughts and Practices 63-64
- 2013 Accommodating for the Irrelevance of Transfer
Tutoring ESL Students: Thoughts and Practices 5-7
- 2012 Promoting Successful Learning
Hands On 17-18
- 2012 Approaches to Dealing with Writing Issues
Hands On 44-45
- 2011 CSI Macaulay's Territorial Acquisition
Macaulay Messenger
- 2004 Fort Wadsworth
Weird NJ 23: 66

Poetry

- 2012 My Humble Adobe
Caesura 13.2: 18-23
- 2011 Dance

Caesura 13.1: 10-11

- 2011 Thanksgiving
Caesura 13.1: 12-13
- 2011 Firefly
Yes, Poetry [yespoetry.com]
- 2011 Worm
Yes, Poetry [yespoetry.com]

Other

- 2016 (*forthcoming*) High Roller (Short Fiction)
NYSAL Press 4
- 2015 Beachy Head (Short Fiction)
NYSAL Press 3: 11
- 2014 Hey (Comic)
Stripburger 64: Inside Cover
- 2014 Untitled (Drawing)
Whatever Mom 1: 5
- 2010 An Ornithological Linguistics Joke (Joke & Drawing; Under Alias)
Operation: Three-Legged Dolphin 3: 5

Presentations

Conference Talks

- April 2015 Teenagers from Mars: A Corpus-Stylistic Analysis of the
Misfits' Lyrics
SQUID 10
The Graduate Center, CUNY
- April 2014 B△NDxN▲M3S: Unorthodox Orthography, 1969-2014
SQUID 9
The Graduate Center, CUNY

Invited Talks

- Nov. 2015 The Velvet Underground

The Arts in New York City
The College of Staten Island, CUNY

March 2015 Italian Americans on Staten Island
The Peopling of New York City
The College of Staten Island, CUNY

Dec. 2012 Evolution & Ecology in the Galápagos Islands
Advanced Placement Biology
The Michael J. Petrides School

Feb. 2012 Evolution & Ecology in the Galápagos Islands
Advanced Placement Biology
The Michael J. Petrides School

Professional Experience

Teaching

ENL 422 : Introduction to Linguistics
The College of Staten Island, CUNY
Fall 2014, Spring 2015

Academia

Feb. 2015—Present Instructional Technology Fellow
Macaulay Honors College, CUNY
Working with Macaulay Honors Seminar professors to integrate technology into the classroom. Working with students on digital media projects. Providing students and professors with technological know-how

Aug. 2015—Present Linguistics Program Webmaster
The Graduate Center, CUNY
Maintaining the Linguistics program's website. Posting news and events.

2014—2015 College Assistant
Baruch College, CUNY
Web development for the Office of Academic Assessment. Assisting the Director of Academic Assessment develop strategies to assess Baruch's programs and departments.

2010—2014 English Tutor
SEK, The College of Staten Island, CUNY

Tutoring ESL and EPL college students in various English courses. Running several semesterly workshops on grammar, research methods, and essay formatting. Preparing reports evaluating SEEK's workshop program.

2011—2014

Typesetter

SEEK, The College of Staten Island, CUNY

Typesetting and copyediting several of SEEK's publications, including *Hands On: A Guide to the Art and Craft of Tutoring* and *Tutoring ESL Students: Thoughts and Practices*.

Community

2013—2015

Outreach Coordinator

Second Saturday Staten Island Art Walk

Reaching out to venues, sponsors, audience, and volunteers. Developing initiatives and devising the membership structure. Writing and designing the monthly digest. Building and updating the website.

2010—2013

Administrative Assistant

Second Saturday Staten Island Art Walk

Updating the art walk's website. Writing and designing the monthly digest for the art walk as well as the now-defunct gallery Coyle Cavern, each with over 500 subscribers. Curating shows and organizing performances at Coyle Cavern.

Web Design

April 2015

SQUID 10 (Linguistics Conference)

Coded in CSS and HTML on Tumblr platform. Custom graphics.

squid-10.tumblr.com

April 2014

SQUID 9 (Linguistics Conference)

Coded in CSS and HTML on Tumblr platform. Custom graphics.

squid-2014.tumblr.com

2013—2015

Second Saturday Staten Island (Arts Organization)

Coded in CSS, HTML, and Javascript. Custom graphics. [Site now offline.]

- 2013 Drummer Things (Blog)
Coded in CSS and HTML on Tumblr platform. Custom graphics.
drummerthings.tumblr.com
- 2012 SYNC 2012 (Linguistics Conference)
Coded in CSS and HTML on Tumblr platform. Custom graphics. Set up email system for responding to and handling abstract submissions and conference registration.
sync2012-blog.tumblr.com

Technical Skills

Linguistics

- CLAN, experience using the CHILDES database
- IPA proficiency

Computers

- TEX/LATEX
- Windows ('95–8) and Mac OSX
- Web design, CSS, and HTML
- Tumblr (including building custom themes), WordPress, and Blogger
- Microsoft Office Suite, iLife Suite, Audacity, GIMP

Languages

- Proficient in English
- Substantial experience with Old English, Middle English, Italian, and French

Professional Affiliations

American Dialect Society
International Society for the Linguistics of English
Societas Magica
Pearl Kibre Medieval Study