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Objective To teach English as a Second Language to speakers of other languages

Summary of Qualifications Able to set learning objectives around language functions in order to meet the needs of students. Able to effectively sequence classroom activities. Able to assist in adapting and creating lesson plans for varying levels of ESL instruction. Able to develop productive relationships with colleagues and staff at all levels.

Education

- Master of Education degree in TESOL at Seattle University 2008
- Seattle University Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in TESOL, School of Teaching English as a Second Language, Seattle, WA, Summer 2007
- BA Cum Laude in Political Science, University of Massachusetts 1980

Teaching Experience

- English Instructor at Celal Bayar University, Manisa, Turkey, Sep 2014 to present
- English Instructor at YDS Academy, Izmir, Turkey, July 2013 to Sep. 2014
- EFL Instructor at English Time, Izmir, Turkey, Aug. 2012 to June 2013
- EFL Instructor at Yasar University, Izmir, Turkey, Sep. 2010 to Aug. 2012
- ESL Instructor at the ACE Language Institute at Seattle Pacific University, Seattle, WA, April 2010 to July 2010
- ESL Teaching Assistant at North Seattle Community College, Jan. 7, 2010 to April 2010
- ESL Instructor at the Somali Community Center. Feb. to June 2009
- Teaching Internship at North Seattle Community College. Spring 2008
- Tutor in English for international students at Seattle Central Community College, September 2007 to June 2009
- Teaching Assistant at North Seattle Community College. Fall 2007

Experience

- Member of the TESOL professional organization
- Proficient in German at the B2 level
- Senior Programmer Analyst, Nordstrom, Seattle, WA 1995 – 2007.