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Education

Southern Oregon University, Ashland, OR September 2022 – Present

Major: English

Certificates: Transgender Studies; Gender, Sexuality, and Women's Studies; Teaching English as a Second Language, and Applied Learning and Essential Skills

Micro-credential: Conversational American Sign Language

Anticipating graduating in June 2026

Chonnam National University, Gwanju, South Korea

June 2024-July 2024

Lane Community College, Eugene, OR

September 2019 – Spring 2022

Major: N/A

Degrees: Associate of Arts General Studies and Associate of Arts Oregon Transfer

Certificates: Teacher Aide

Graduated in June 2022

Academic/Research Interests

- Holistic education
- Multicultural education
- English language education theory in international contexts
- Culturally responsive teaching
- Queer student educational experiences

Publications

“Intertwined”, Powders Press, Winter 2023, Issue 4: Spectrum,
<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1RwunBrlQSRcQp-N5NShL9ceALtJfFtBH/view>.

“Oh No, That Won't Do” Wild Greens Magazine, Winter 2023, Volume 3, Issue 3,
<https://www.wildgreensmagazine.com/archive/january2023>.

“Goodbye, Sweet Darling”, The Graveyard Zine, Horror Haiku Contest, Fall 2022,
https://www.instagram.com/p/Ck5kq6iJCEo/?img_index=2.

“Goodbye, Sweet Darling”, Spooky Short Story Contest, Fall 2022,
https://www.instagram.com/p/CkHLC3byAtH/?img_index=5.

“Moving Like Molasses”, Not Ghosts, But Spirits, Fall 2022, Volume 11

“Let Me Remind You Of This: You Are Not Crazy”, Denali's student, staff, alumni online magazine, Fall 2022, <https://denali.lanecce.edu/let-me-remind-you-of-this-you-are-not-crazy-by-jordan-coen/>.

“Like Broken Glass”, Denali's student, staff, alumni online magazine, Spring 2022, <https://denali.lanecc.edu/like-broken-glass-by-jordan-coen/>.

“Sweet, Sweet Lips”, Denali's student, staff, alumni online magazine, Spring 2022, <https://denali.lanecc.edu/sweet-sweet-lips-by-jordan-coen/>.

“And Just Like That, It Was Gone”, Strawberry Zine, Winter 2022, Issue One, pg. 17, https://issuu.com/strawberrymagazine/docs/lost_and_found_issue_final_.

“Mini Earthquake Inside You”, Denali's student, staff, alumni online magazine, Winter 2022, <https://denali.lanecc.edu/mini-earthquake-inside-you-by-jordan-coen/>.

“Little Dude”, The Story Behind the Stories (The C.R.W.P Collection), 2022, Volume Two.

“Apple Cider Sweetness”, National Edition, "The Next Generation" Colleges & Universities 2022-2023, 2022.

“Sour Love”, National Edition, "The Next Generation" Colleges & Universities 2022-2023, 2022.

“Numb”, National Edition, "The Next Generation" Colleges & Universities 2022-2023, 2022.

“Grandma”, The Story Behind the Poems (The C.R.W.P. Collection), 2021, Volume Two.

“Esmeralda’s Journey”, Nota Bene Phi Theta Kappa’s (PTK) Anthology, 2021, 26th Edition, pgs. 73-75, https://www.ptk.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/05/nota_bene_2020-26.pdf.

Public Presentations: Conferences

“Native Americans In Schools”, Southern Oregon University Creativity Conference, Ashland, OR, May 2024.

“Lovely”, Southern Oregon University Not Your Typical Bodylogues, Ashland, OR, February 28th 2024.

“A Braided Destiny”, Lane Community College’s Research Day, Eugene, OR, June 2022.

“Overwhelmed: A Collection of Short Stories Illustrating Diverse Mental Health Struggles” and “Unrequited: Poems Devoted to One-Sided Love”, University of Oregon’s Undergraduate Research Symposium, Eugene, OR, May 2022.

Course Presentations

“Trans Workplace Laws Vs. Other LGBTQIA Workplace Laws”, Inclusion & Special Needs, ED 216, March 2021, a lesson plan laying out policy analysis regarding trans and queer workers.

Research Experience

"Noam Chomsky In The World Of Linguistics", literature review. February, 2024, supervised by Dr. McCain, Southern Oregon University Department of Education. The main objective of this paper was to examine Chomsky's theories, his impact on language acquisition, and how his theories relate to my teaching.

"Learning Before Teaching: How Teachers Can Further Help Their Trans Students", literature review. December, 2023, supervised by Dr. de Vries, Southern Oregon University Department of Gender, Sexuality, and Women's Studies. The main objective of this paper was to examine queer student experiences at the elementary school level and how we need to educate preservice teachers on queer students.

"Significant Developmental Milestones For Preschoolers", literature review. November 2022, supervised by Dr. Martin, Southern Oregon University Department of Education. The main objective of this paper was to examine developmental milestones for preschool children.

"American Indian Students In Schools", literature review. October-December 2022, supervised by Dr. Casto, Southern Oregon University Department of Education. The main objective of this paper was to review culturally responsive and instructional strategies for American Indian students of Elementary age.

"Tabloid Journalism In Jackie Kay's Trumpet", literary analysis. May-June 2023, supervised by Dr. Maltz, Southern Oregon University Department of English. The main objective of this paper was to analyze the use of tabloid journalistic tactics in Jackie Kay's book, Trumpet.

Honors and Awards

- Award for Making Exchange and International Students Feel at Home Spring 2024
- NEW Leadership Oregon Scholar Spring 2024-Present
- SOU Ronald E. McNair Post-Baccalaureate Achievement Program Winter 2023-Present
- Pride Foundation Scholar Fall 2023-Present
- SOU Provost's List Winter 2024
- Service Award Spring 2023
- All Oregon Academic Team Spring 2022
- Phi Theta Kappa Catalyst Spring 2022

Grants and Scholarships

- SEOG Grant Fall 2024-Present
- Pell Grant Fall 2024-Present
- Barbara & Jim Batzer Scholarship Fall 2024-Present
- Pride Foundation Scholarship Fall 2023-Present
- Oregon Opportunity Grant Fall 2023-Present
- Education Together Foundation Scholarship Fall 2023-Present
- Audria M. Edwards Scholarship Fall 2023-Present
- ME & Virginia Abbott Scholarship Fall 2023-Present
- Raider Transfer Scholarship Fall 2023-Present

Related Work Experience

- Youth Programs Office Assistant, Southern Oregon University March 2024-Present
- Outdoor Discovery Program Supervisor, Phoenix-Talent School District January 2023
- ACADEMY Senior Counselor, Southern Oregon University June 2023-July 2023
- YMCA Camp DeBoer Camp Counselor, Lake of The Woods July 2023-August 2023
- Instructional Assistant Substitute, Junction City School District July 2022-August 2022

Other Work Experience

Gender and Sexuality Justice Coordinator for Events, Southern Oregon University	October 2022 - Present
Gender & Sexuality Alliance Social Media Coordinator, Lane Community College	September 2021 – June 2022
Phi Theta Kappa Ambassador	September 2021 – June 2022

Community/Volunteer Service

Rotaract, Southern Oregon University	September 2023 - Present
International Student Association, Southern Oregon University	September 2023 - Present
Holistic Teaching and Learning Club, Southern Oregon University	September 2022 - Present
TRIO, Southern Oregon University & Lane Comm. College	September 2019 - Present
Practicum, Crater Renaissance Academy, Southern Oregon University	January - February 2023
Practicum, Southern Oregon University Community Preschool	September - December 2022
Gender & Sexuality Alliance Social Media Coordinator, Lane Community College	September 2021 – June 2022
Phi Theta Kappa Ambassador	September 2021 – June 2022
Internship, Elmira Elementary School	February – June 2022
Internship, Territorial Elementary School	January 2022

Leadership Experiences

Communications Liaison, Holistic Teaching and Learning Club	September 2023 - Present
Secretary, Queer Student Union	October 2023-Present
Gender and Sexuality Justice Coordinator for Events, Southern Oregon University	September 2022 - Present
Outdoor Discovery Program Supervisor, Phoenix-Talent School District	January 2023
ACADEMY Senior Counselor, Southern Oregon University	June - July 2023
YMCA Camp DeBoer Camp Counselor, Lake of The Woods	July – August 2023
Instructional Assistant Sub, Junction City School District	July – August 2022
Practicum, Southern Oregon University Community Preschool	September - December 2022
Practicum, Crater Renaissance Academy, Southern Oregon University	January 2023-February 2023
Gender & Sexuality Alliance Social Media Coordinator, Lane Community College	September 2021-June 2022
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Conference Attendance

Southern Oregon University Creativity Conference	May 2024
Oregon Education Association Winter Recharge Retreat	February 2023
Gender, Advocacy, and Inclusion Network Conference	April 2023
TRIO Civic Leadership Conference	April 2023
Women’s Leadership Conference	April 2023
Phi Theta Kappa Catalyst Conference	April 2022

Memberships and Affiliations

- SOU, Queer Student Union October 2023-Present
- Communications Liaison; Membership, Holistic Teaching and Learning Club
 - Communications Liaison September 2023-Present
 - Membership September 2022-Present
- Membership, Rotaract September 2023-Present
- Membership, International Student Association September 2023-Present
- Membership, Oregon Education Association September 2022-Present
- Membership, National Education Association September 2022-Present
- Membership, Creative Writing Club September 2022-Present
- Membership, TRIO September 2019-Present
- Ambassador; Membership, Phi Theta Kappa
 - Ambassador September 2021-June 2022
 - Membership September 2021-June 2022
- Social Media Coordinator; Membership, Gender & Sexuality Alliance
 - Membership September 2019 -June 2022
 - Social Media Coordinator September 2021-June 2022

Professional Training and/or Workshops Attended

Identifying The Leader Within	April 2024
The 7 C's To Activate Your Authenticity	April 2024
Empowerment Through Conflict Styles	April 2024
How To Support Emergent Bilinguals, Even If Your Monolingual	February 2024
Building Personal and Collective Resilience: Body Activism For Systemic Change	February 2024
Overdose Prevention Training	February 2024
ADA Frontline Worker Training	October 2023
Sexual Violence Prevention For Undergraduate Students Training	2023
Child Abuse and Neglect Training	2023
At-Risk Mental Health Training For Faculty and Staff	2023
Generalist vs. Specialist Workshop	April 2023
Tailoring College Skills To Your Business Workshop	April 2023
Career Development Workshop	April 2023
Best Practices To Increase and Sustain Inclusive Environments For Nonbinary and LGBTQ+ Faculty In Higher Education Workshop	April 2023
Beyond Accommodation, Toward Access Workshop	April 2023
Wise Professionals Panel: Intersection In The Workplace, Inclusivity At Work, Importance Of Equity, and Advocating For DEI Trainings	April 2023
Avoid Disabling By Inaction: Intentional Accessibility As A Means Of Equitable Inclusion For People With Disabilities	April 2023
Epi-Pen Training	August 2023
Mastery In Reading For Kindergarten Training	January 2022
Dyslexia Basics Workshop	2022

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