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Brickell, Miami, FL

Education

School of The Art Institute of Chicago

Aug 2022 – May 2024

Master of Fine Arts - Writing

School of The Art Institute of Chicago

Aug 2018 – May 2022

Bachelor of Fine Arts - Art Education

Experience

English Composition Instructor

University of Georgia

Aug – Dec 2024

- Designed and taught English composition and rhetoric to 38 students for the UGA First Year Writing program.
- Experimented with integrating AI as a part of the curriculum.
- Promoted human-centered, self-aware writing with a detail-oriented habit.

Content Writer

The Art Institute of Chicago - Partnered with *inChicago*

Aug 2022 – Jun 2024

- Wrote advertising and educational articles for the Art Institute of Chicago's official Chinese social media platform with about 2k readers per article.
- Designed the visual presentation for each periodical article.
- Advertised new exhibitions with historical anecdotes, art appreciation knowledge, staff interviews, museum visiting tips, and fun facts.
- Curated culturally specific content facing Chinese-speaking audiences.

Docent

The Art Institute of Chicago - Partnered with *inChicago*

Aug 2022 – Jun 2024

- Guided Chinese tours through museum collections and special exhibitions facing tourists from diverse backgrounds.
- Customized and organized tours based on demand for improved accessibility, engagement, and communication.
- Translated complex art histories into relatable narratives.

Apprentice Art Teacher

Robert Healy Elementary School

Sep 2021 – Apr 2022

John F. Kennedy High School

Sep 2021 – Apr 2022

- Managed K-12 Art classrooms in both Chicago public schools.
- Designed and taught day-to-day classes, for roughly 275 students, in public school classrooms.
- Obtained the *Illinois k-12 Art Education license* after 550 hours of teaching experience.

Skills & Knowledge

Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mandarin Chinese (Native)• Spanish (B1/Intermediate)
Software	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Adobe Photoshop (Highly skilled)• Adobe Illustrator (Highly skilled)• Adobe Premiere• Adobe Audition• Microsoft Word• Microsoft Excel• Microsoft PowerPoint
Artmaking	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Painting & Drawing• Photography• Video & Sound Editing• Screenwriting• Creative Writing• Philosophy & Literature• Art History
Future development	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Research• Problem-Solving• AI Literacy (Moderate to high)

Qualifications

Illinois Licensed K-12 Art Educator

May 2022

Trained Mental Health First Aid

Sep 2018