

Curriculum Vitae

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Personal Profile

I am a trainee English teacher based at St. George's Academy, Ruskington. I have previously worked in China as a university English teacher. I have also completed the Erasmus foreign exchange programme (in Belgium). I speak French (at an advanced level) as well as Chinese (at a beginner level).

Academic Qualifications

2014 **York St. John University**
CELTA (*pass*)

2012-2013 **University of York**
MA in Linguistics (*pass*)

2009-2012 **Bishop Grosseteste University**
BA (Hons) in Education Studies & English (2:1)

2009 **St. George's Academy**
A2-Levels in English (A), French (C) and History (D)
GCSE levels in e.g. English (A*), Maths (A) and Science (AA)

Certificates and Awards

2016: Safeguarding and Child Protection (Hays Recruiting) (85%)
2014: City & Guild Employability and Personal Development (Level 1)

Employment History

September 2015 - June 2016: English teacher at Hubei University of Arts and Science

XiangYang, China

Hubei University of Arts and Science is a 2nd-tier university with 11,000 full-time students. My contract included a maximum of 16 lessons of 45-minute duration over a 5-day week. I taught Oral English, which involved public speaking (presentations, speeches, debates). My students were English- and non-English majors.

February 2015 to July 2015: English teacher at Life English

XiangYang, China

Life English is a small language training school. My contract included 25 teaching hours plus 3 office hours over a 6-day week. I taught speaking, reading, writing and listening skills to children aged between 7 and 11 using a PowerPoint-based curriculum. Alongside my teaching, I was involved with course planning.

April 2014 - June 2015: English / Drama teacher at MLF-PSA

XiangYang, China

Mission L'äique Française has schools all over the world that teach the French curriculum. The school in XiangYang has two teachers and six pupils, who are aged between 10 and 13. I worked there for one afternoon a week, giving English lessons, drama lessons and guitar tuition. I also directed three short musical productions.

February 2014 - February 2015: English teacher at Aston English

XiangYang, China

My contract for Aston included 20 teaching hours plus 3 office hours over a 4-day week. I taught speaking and listening skills to children aged between 3 and 14 using a textbook-based curriculum. Moreover, I taught demo classes at local kindergartens and primary schools; I taught outdoor / activity based lessons and I handed out flyers.

Volunteering

September 2011 - September 2012: Erasmus Ambassador for the British Council

Lincoln, England

I helped the International Office at Bishop Grosseteste University to promote studying abroad in general and the Erasmus foreign exchange programme in particular. I also gave a presentation at a local secondary school to promote Erasmus.

March 2011 - April 2011: English Assistant at Institut Notre Dame de Bonne-Esperance

Braine-le-Comte, Belgium

I taught English on a temporary, part-time basis to 14-15 year-olds. My tasks included teaching grammar, vocabulary and aural skills. I prepared my own teaching resources.