

# Audrey Buchanan

## *Curriculum Vitae*

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### **EDUCATION**

*Master of Arts in English Literature*

Abilene Christian University | Abilene, Texas August

2016

*Bachelor of Arts in English with*

Professional Writing Minor

Abilene Christian University | Abilene, Texas May

2014, *Summa cum Laude*

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

*Professor of English*, Department of Language and Communication, Cisco College, Fall 2018 – Present.

*Instructor of English*, Department of Language and Literature, Abilene Christian University, Fall 2016 – Summer 2018.

*Substitute Teacher*, Abilene Independent School District, Fall 2016 – Spring 2017.

*Instructor of English*, Graduate Assistant, Department of Language and Literature, Abilene Christian University, Fall 2015 – Spring 2016.

*Student Teacher*, Department of Language and Literature (English as a Second Language), Abilene Christian University, January 2014 – July 2014 & July 2015

*ESL Lab Instructor*, Department of Language and Literature (English as a Second Language), Abilene Christian University, July 2014 & July 2015

### **COURSES TAUGHT**

*Literature*

- ENGL 2327 – American Literature I
- ENGL 2328 – American Literature II

### *Composition*

- ENGL 1301 – Composition I
- ENGL 1302 – Composition I
- DERW 0303 - Integrated Reading and Writing
- ENGL 106 & 006 – Academic Composition (and Workshop)
- ENGL 107 & 007 – Rhetoric and Persuasion (and Workshop)
- ENGL 111 – Composition and Rhetoric
- ENGL 112 – Composition and Literature

### *English as a Second Language Team Teaching*

- Summer 2016
  - FLEN 029/039/049 – Writing (Low-Intermediate/High-Intermediate/Advanced)
- Summer 2015
  - FLEN 031 – Reading (High-Intermediate)
  - FLEN 033 – Oral Communication (High-Intermediate)
- Summer 2014
  - FLEN 027/037/047 – Grammar (Low-Intermediate/High-Intermediate/Advanced)
- Spring 2014
  - FLEN 021/031/041 – Reading (Low-Intermediate/High-Intermediate/Advanced)

### **RELATED WORK EXPERIENCE**

*Financial Aid Counselor and Student Services Specialist*, Wildcat Central: Student Services and Academic Advising, Abilene Christian University, August 2017 – March 2018.

*Learning Studio Digital Media Fellow*, AT&T Learning Studio, Abilene Christian University, August 2015 – May 2016.

*Writing Tutor*, Graduate Assistant, ACU Writing Center, Abilene Christian University, August 2014– May 2015.

*Student Worker*, Abilene Christian University, Milliken Special Collections, August 2013 – December 2014.

*Reading Program Coordinator*, University Church of Christ Volunteer Reading Program for Secondgraders, August 2012 – May 2014.

*Copy Editor*, The Optimist Student Newspaper, Journalism and Mass Communication Department, Abilene Christian University, August 2012 – May 2013.

## **TEACHING AND RESEARCH INTERESTS**

American literature, non-fiction, autobiography, social justice, feminist theory, critical race theory, eco-criticism, narrative theory, gender studies, regional studies

## **CONFERENCE PAPERS AND INVITED PRESENTATIONS**

"Life Narratives as Catalysts for Social Change Online: How Social Justice Movement Are

Incorporating Life Narratives Into Their Social Media Campaigns." South Central Modern Language Association, Dallas, TX. November 2016.

Archer, Daniel, Audrey Schaffner, Parker Gordon, Chelsea Johnson, and Kori Cowart. "From Table to

Podium: Intersections between Tutoring and Teaching." South Central Writing Centers Association, (Round Table), Lafayette, LA. March 2016.

"Solidarity in Social Media: A Contemporary Approach to Stimulate the Collective 'I.'" South Central

Modern Language Association, Nashville, TN. October-November 2015.

"The *Problem of Pain* in *Perelandra*." International Congress on Medieval Studies, Kalamazoo, MI.

May 2015.

"The Connective Tissue of Theory and Theology in the Fiction of C.S. Lewis." Southwest Conference

on Christianity and Literature. October 2015.

"Working with Nature in the *Little House*: The Struggles and Freedoms Provided by Life on the

Western Frontier." Southwest/Texas Popular Culture and American Culture Associations Conference. February 2014.

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

Head of Technology and Distance Learning Committee (Spring 2019 – Present)

Member of the Food For Thought Food Pantry Committee (Fall 2019 – Present)

Poetry Contest Judge (Fall 2019)

112 Exit Exam Scorer (May 2017, May 2018)

UIL Ready Writing Judge (March 2018)

Overseer for Honors' Project in 112 Course (Spring 2017, Spring 2018)

Peer-Reviewer for ACU Graduate School Journal, *Conversations*, 2015 & 2016

## **HONORS**

*Outstanding First-Year Graduate Student*, Department of Language and Literature Department,

Abilene Christian University, 2015.

*Tutor of the Year (Peer-selected)*, ACU Writing Center, Abilene Christian University, 2015.