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**EDUCATION**

**Tarleton State University**, Stephenville, TX

Master of Arts in English/History Minor– August 2011 - Magna cum laude

**Tarleton State University**, Stephenville, TX

Bachelor of Arts in English/History Minor with Secondary Certification – May 2003 – Magna cum laude

**Cisco Junior College**, Cisco, TX

Associate of Arts and Sciences – December 1997

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

**Cisco College**, Cisco, TX

Adjunct Instructor (2012 to present)

English 1301 – dual-credit (Fall 2012)

English 2322 – dual-credit (Fall 2012)

English 1302 – dual-credit (Spr 2013)

English 2327 – dual-credit (Spr 2013)

**Cisco High School**, Cisco, TX (August 2009 to present)

Secondary Classroom Teacher

English III/English III Honors (2009 to present)

Dual-Credit English (2012-2013)

Theatre Arts I (2010-2012)

English as Second Language (2009-2011)

**Eastland Middle School**, Eastland, TX (June 2003 to May 2009)

Secondary Classroom Teacher

English/Pre-AP English 8<sup>th</sup> grade (2003-2009)

Theatre Arts I (2004-2009)

## GRADUATE COURSES

Methods of Bibliography and Research Analysis – Dr. Marilyn Robitaille  
Postcolonialism – Dr. Moumin Quazi  
Modern Poetry – Dr. Samuel Dodson  
Restoration and 18<sup>th</sup> Century Literature – Dr. Marilyn Robitaille  
Presidential Rhetoric – Dr. Kathleen Mollick  
Comparative Literature – Dr. Mallory Young  
Studies in English Language/Linguistics – Dr. Jeanelle Barrett  
Studies in Rhetoric – Dr. Brian Fehler  
Studies in Modern Fiction – Dr. Moumin Quazi  
History of the Ancient World – Dr. Christopher Guthrie  
Tudor Monarchs – Dr. Janet Schmelzer  
Directed Readings in Women’s Studies – Dr. Mallory Young

## GRADUATE PAPER TOPICS

“Revenge in *Medea* and *Diary of a Mad Black Woman*: A Cultural Critique”  
“*Things Fall Apart*: A Portrait of Humanity”  
“Power in Femininity: A Third Wave Feminist Reading of *The French Lieutenant’s Woman*”  
“Reevaluating Research Methods: Aspasia in Rhetorical Tradition”  
“Perpetual Change: Feminism in Vice-Presidential Candidacy”  
“Exploration of Maternity in Catastrophe through Forche’s *The Angel of History*”  
“*I Am Legend*: Homer Revisited in Modern Horror Film”  
“James Joyce’s *The Dead*: Marital Disparity”  
“Past Intertwined with Present: Ghosts in Rushdie’s *The Satanic Verses*”  
“Helen and Aphrodite: An Analysis of Attitude Toward Women”  
“Mommy Blogs: A Blurred Depiction of Motherhood”

## AWARDS

Tarleton State University  
Sigma Tau Delta International English Honor Society (Inducted 2002)  
Nominee, Student Teacher of the Year (2003)  
Cisco Junior College  
Outstanding Student Award

## **COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**

Cisco Civic League, Cisco, TX (2009 to present)

Calvary Baptist Church, Cisco, TX  
Children's Ministry Leader (2012)  
Vacation Bible School (2011-2012)

First Baptist Church, Eastland, TX  
Youth Vacation Bible School Director (2007-2009)  
Sunday School Teacher, High School Seniors (2006-2008)

## **REFERENCES**

Dr. Mallory Young, Professor  
Tarleton State University  
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