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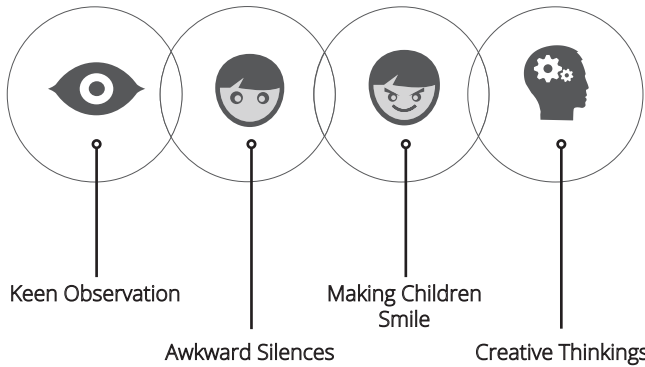
PERSONAL STATEMENT

I am a recovering biologist and bartender, currently employed as a middle school science teacher. I have practical experience in the areas of education, customer service, graphic design, and horticultural arts. I have also been writing short stories and sometimes illustrating them since the second grade.

Recent life events have triggered a shift in priorities. I want less bureaucracy and more time, less rush hour and more deep breathing, less stress and more YES! I have spent most of my years living and working and collecting knowledge. I plan to spend the second half writing about it.

My goal is to promote positive change through creative expression.

SUPERPOWERS



BUCKET LIST

- World Championship
- Iowa Writer's Workshop
- Live on Tropical Island
- Write Everyday
- Newbery Award
- Best American Short Stories
- Pushcart Prize
- Homeowner
- Be Happy
- Surf Everyday
- Be My Own Boss
- Master of Time and Space
- Live as American Expat
- NY Times Bestseller

LANGUAGE SKILLS



EMPLOYMENTS

January 2005 to June 2017
Teacher - Science, Digital Media
Stone Valley Middle School
Alamo, CA

June 2000 to December 2004
Bartender, Server
Stagnaro Bros., Santa Cruz, CA

February 2000 to January 2001
Graphic Design, Technical Writing
Santa Cruz Biotech, Santa Cruz, CA

September 1993 to April 2000
Bartender, Room Service
The Dream Inn, Santa Cruz, CA

June 1993 to August 1993
Field Biology, Endangered Species
San Mateo & Santa Cruz Counties

EDUCATIONS

September 2009 to December 2013
Horticulture, Creative Writing
Diablo Valley College, Concord, CA.

January 2004 to December 2004
Multiple Subject Teaching Credential
California State University, East Bay.

September 1998 to May 2003
Digital Media, Creative Writing, Language
Cabrillo College, Aptos, CA.

September 1988 to June 1993
B.A. Psychobiology, Minor Anthropology
University of California, Santa Cruz.

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RECOGNITIONS



Teaching

Alamo Rotary Teacher of the Year (2011)
PTA Service Award - Environmental Science Program
& Stone Valley School Garden (2011)



Ultimate Frisbee

World Club Champion (1995), Second Place (1993, 1997)
National Collegiate Champion (1991)



Writing

Bookshop Santa Cruz Short Story Contest, First Place (2004)
Pushcart Prize Nominee (2015)



Videography

Next Vista Teacher Video of the Year, Bohr Model of the Atom (2012)
Next Vista Distinguished Content Creator (2013)

HOBBIES & INTERESTS

