

YVETTE WALKER

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PROFILE

Highly qualified, 21st century English Language Arts educator with dual certification in ESL. More than twenty years of experience including global education, curriculum design, assessment and education administration. Published writer, editor, researcher and attorney.

EMPLOYMENT

NCVPS Online English Instructor, North Carolina Virtual Public Schools - 2022
Teach high school English courses online

Adjunct English Professor, Mars Hill University - Mars Hill, NC - 2021
Teach college Language and Literature courses

ELA/Social Studies Instructor, Gaston County Schools - Mt. Holly, NC - 2019-2021
Teach 7th grade English Language Arts and Social Studies

English Instructor, Charlotte Mecklenburg Schools - Charlotte, NC - 2014- 2019
Teach International Baccalaureate and Standard 12th grade English

English Instructor, Durham Public Schools - Durham, NC - 2007-2014
Teach Honors 11th and 12th English to 10th grade students in a dual high school/college program.

Contributing Writer, Oxford University Press - New York, New York - 2009
Write nonfiction articles for publication in *Encyclopedia of African American History 1896 - Present*.

Multiple Positions, Omuteko Gwamaziima Charter School - Durham, NC - 1999-2005

Director 2002-2005 - Responsible for daily, short and long term operation of the school and all related matters including but not limited to curriculum implementation and course scheduling, discipline, transportation, meals, personnel matters, grant writing, public relations, fundraising, etc.

Curriculum Consultant/Facilitator 2001-2002 - Create and develop K-12 curriculum integrating N.C. State Standard Course of Study and school's curriculum complete with pacing guide. Facilitate comprehensive education model developed by Temple University and align to N.C. standards.

Testing Coordinator 2001-2002 - Create and administer benchmark tests. Create and deliver professional development for staff and tutoring for student remediation and enrichment based on test scores and aggregated data.

Instructor 1999-2001 - Teach grades 7-10 all subjects and prepare students for state tests.

English Instructor, Durham Public Schools - Durham, NC - 1994-1996

Teach Basic and Academically Gifted English to 9th grade students and 11th grade English

English Instructor, Public Schools of Robeson County - Lumberton, NC - 1990-1993
Teach three levels (Basic, College Prep and Honors) of 9th grade English.

English Instructor, Saint Andrews College Preparatory School - Boca Raton, FL - 1989-1990
Teach college preparatory 11th grade English in a private school.

English Instructor, Robeson Community College - Lumberton, NC - 1985-1987
Teach college students English Composition and Business English.

SUMMER AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT

iBridge Education - Education Services - New York City 2021

LeapUp Learning - Tutoring Service - New York City 2021

Civic Leadership Institute Instructor, Northwestern University Center for Talent Development - Chicago, Illinois - Summer 2012

English Instructor, Student U - Durham, North Carolina - Summer 2011

English Instructor, NCCU Aspiring Eagles Academy, Durham, NC - Summer 2010

English/Public Speaking Instructor, Mount Olive College, Research Triangle Park, NC 2009-2010

English Instructor, Durham Technical Community College, Durham, NC 1993-1994 and 1999-2000

English Instructor, Duke University Talent Identification Program – Durham, NC - Summer 1996

Communication Skills Instructor, Pembroke State University - Pembroke, NC - Summers 1990-1993

EDUCATION

North Carolina Central University School of Law, Durham, North Carolina (Juris Doctorate 1999)

Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island (Masters of Arts in Teaching - English Education - 1989)

Duke University, Durham, North Carolina (Bachelor of Arts - English - 1984)

HONORS AND AWARDS

Charlotte Mecklenburg Schools Digital Teacher Leader Badge 2017

NEH Teacher Scholar Institute Summer 2016

IREX Teachers for Global Classroom Fellow 2014-2015

WRAL TV 5 Teacher of the Week October 2, 2013

Durham Public Schools Teacher of the Year District Finalist 2013-2014

Josephine D. Clement Early College High School Teacher of the Year 2013-2014

Full Frame Documentary Teach the Teachers Participant 2013

Durham Civil Rights Mural Project 2013

NEH Teacher Scholar Institute Summer 2012

Dominican Republican Mural Project/Teacher Study Exchange 2012

Durham Public Schools Superintendent's Teacher Advisory Council 2011-2012

Josephine D. Clement Early College High School Principal Search Committee

Provincetown Fine Arts Work Center Poetry Residency Summer 2006

North Carolina Central University School of Law Alumni Association Scholarship Recipient 1999

Susie Sharp Inn of Court Scholarship Recipient 1998

North Carolina Writing Fellow 1992

Brown University Full Tuition Scholarship Recipient 1988-1989
W.N. Reynolds Scholarship Recipient 1979-1984
A Better Chance Scholarship Recipient 1976-1979

RELATED SKILLS AND QUALIFICATIONS

TESOL Certification, Experienced Grant Writer, Published Writer, Editor, ESL Certification, Legal Researcher, Education Technology Skills (Canvas, Google Classroom, etc.)

REFERENCES

Mary Wright, Law Professor at NCCU School of Law (Former Professor/Supervisor),
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