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Teaching Experience	Position Title	Institution Name	Position Dates
	Professor	Prairie View A & M University	2010-present
	Assistant Professor	New England College	2005-2009
	Adjunct Instructor	Concordia University	2003-2004
	Instructor	ITT Technical Institute	2001-2004
	Associate Instructor	Indiana University	1996-1999
	Teaching Assistant	University of Arkansas	1994-1996

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	Principal Editor	<i>Journal of Fandom Studies</i>	2022-present
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