

Curriculum Vitae  
COIETTE MORTON

EDUCATION

University of St. Thomas, Houston, Texas  
Ed.D. in Ethical Leadership 2021

Texas Southern University, Houston, Texas  
Master of Arts in History 2014

Prairie View A&M University, Prairie View, Texas  
Bachelor of Arts in History 2011  
Minor: Sociology

EXPERIENCE

Prairie View A&M University 2020-present  
Full time- Lecturer I – “U.S. History 1301, 1302”

- Instructor of record for five (5) classes of approximately 50 students in each section
- Develop syllabi and overall course structure suitable for in person and online settings
- Introduce students to research strategies
- Advise a student organization
- Serve on Faculty Senate
- Serve on the Grade Approval Committee

Know Thyself Academy 2020-2021  
History Instructor – African and African American History

- Developed History lessons and activities in an online classroom setting
- for young students
- Used appropriate technology to interact with students during the Covid Pandemic
- Created lesson plans germane to age group and ability
- Introduced students to research strategies
- Taught students how to use technology in presentations

Lee College  
Adjunct Instructor – “U.S. History 1301, 1302” 2018-2020

Commonwealth Institute  
Adjunct Instructor – “U.S. History 1302” 2016-2019

Art Institute of Houston  
Adjunct Instructor – “U.S. History 1301” 2016-2018

San Jacinto College  
Adjunct Instructor – “U.S. History 1301, 1302” 2015-2020

- Developed syllabi and overall course structure suitable for in person and online settings and administered all grades.
- Teacher of record for “dual credit students”
- Differentiated instruction based on both the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) and Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB)
- Created lesson plans based on the textbook and content requirements of the particular educational institution
- Introduced students to historical research strategies
- Helped students to make connections between history and the real world
- Liaison for students between high school and college representatives

Texas Southern University  
Graduate Teaching Assistant “U.S. History 1301, 1302, Texas History, Honors History” 2013-2014

- Collaborated on curriculum and exam development with Professor of Record,
- Held office hours with students upon request,
- Graded all assignments including final exam papers.

#### ACADEMIC MEMBERSHIPS

- American Educational Research Association 2018-Present
- Prairie View A&M University Faculty Senate 2021-2023
- Ruth J. Simmons Center for Race and Justice- Committee Member 2020-2022
- National Society of Leadership and Success 2019

#### PUBLICATIONS and CONFERENCES

- The Hill We Climbed – Contributing Author 2023
  - Submitted “Reverend Phillip” chapter of “The Hill We Climbed” to 2025 Texas State Historical Association conference.
- Western History Association- presenter

- “Cultural Relevance of United States History Textbooks” 2022
- Texas HBCU Conference- Huston-Tillotson University- **panel**  
**Online learning during the pandemic** 2022
- “Lead With a Sense of Humor: Why (and How to) Be a Funnier and More Effective Educational Leader and Laugh All the Way to Your Institution.” 2021
- History for the Curious High School & College Students: Why Study History? (The Undecided Student's Guide to Choosing the University Major & Career Path). 2021
- Dissertation: “Cultural Relevance of United States History Textbooks to Black American, Hispanic American, and Asian American Community College Students” 2021

### Unpublished works

- Texas A&M University Press peer review: From the Cotton Fields to Corporate Vice President, author: Fred L. Thompson 2024

### Media Releases

- Black History Month Opinion Piece:  
<https://www.pvamu.edu/blog/opinion-black-history-makes-america-great-heres-why/> 2023  
<https://www.pvamu.edu/blog/opinion-we-must-protect-black-history-month-heres-why/> 2022
- Women’s History Month Opinion Piece: <https://www.pvamu.edu/blog/opinion-celebrating-the-black-women-who-tell-our-stories/> 2023
- Appeared on student podcast, Dream on Air with De’Aundrea- Black Women’s History episode:  
<https://open.spotify.com/episode/6qe0hpEzILZJkx5fiMhBbM?si=IVxdQEDfSmiQSU9eDD0wiA> 2023
- Houston Area Urban League: [video1652727731.mp4](https://www.hauleague.org/video/1652727731.mp4) 2023
- USA Today interview: ·  
<https://www.usatoday.com/story/news/nation/2023/06/18/juneteenth-business-exploitation-pushback/70326867007/> 2023
- KCEN-TV interview concerning CROWN Act  
<https://www.kcentv.com/article/news/community/community-shares-excitement-over-crown-act-passing-in-texas/500-95e199f3-01be-4ee2-8550-1da8abbfaa28>. 2023

## Service

- The Color Purple: Panel discussion 2024
- Coordinated Black History Month Events: 2023
  - Film Screening: Brown Sugar.
  - Dive Deeper Talks: Student Activism at Prairie View A&M University
  - Film screening: The Color of Friendship
- Prairie View A&M University Panther Camp presenter and chaperone 2023-present
- Phillis Wheatley Book Club- advisor 2022-present
  - Hosted Field Trips for Book Club Members
    - <https://www.houstongrandopera.org/on-stage/intelligence>
    - <https://www.thehobbycenter.org/events/souls-of-black-houston/>
- Harris County Election worker and Registrar 2022- present