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## **EDUCATION**

### **Doctorate of Education, Adult Education**

*Public Speaking Communication Apprehension Among Adult Learners With Bipolar Spectrum Disorder*  
The Pennsylvania State University, 2017

### **Master of Liberal Arts, Humanities**

The Johns Hopkins University, 2004

### **Bachelor of Arts, Speech**

York College of Pennsylvania, 2000

### **Certificates and Professional Development**

Instructional Practice Certificate (Penn State, 2018)

Certificate for Online Teaching (Penn State, 2015)

*Students in Crisis: Student Affairs Support Services* (Penn State, 2017)

*Using Student Response Systems to Improve Discussions and Class Participation* (Penn State, 2016)

*Qualtrics* (Penn State, 2015)

*Teamwork in Online Teaching and Learning* (Penn State, 2015)

*Assessment of Online Learners* (Penn State, 2015)

*Online Course Authoring* (Penn State, 2015)

*Serving Those Who Serve* (Penn State, 2015)

*Grantseeking A-Z Workshop*: (Penn State, 2014)

## **INSTRUCTION**

- 2015-present Penn State University, University Park & World Campus  
Assistant Teaching Professor  
*Rhetoric and Public Controversy: The Assassination of President John F. Kennedy*  
*Effective Speech* (100A, 100B, 100C)  
Teaching Faculty Committee
- 2015 Johns Hopkins University  
*Persuasion*
- 2014-2015 Penn State College of Medicine  
Department of Public Health Sciences  
*EPIC Program*
- 2006-2015 York College of Pennsylvania  
*Human Communication*
- 2008-2015 Penn State University, Harrisburg  
*Effective Speech* (100A), *American Civilization Since 1877*
- 2009-2013 Community College of Baltimore County  
*Fundamentals of Speech Communication*
- 2012 Harrisburg University of Science and Technology  
*Speech*
- 2010 & 2013 Stevenson University  
*Introduction to Public Speaking*
- 2008-2009 Harrisburg Area Community College

*Modern Culture and the Arts, Effective Speaking*

**PUBLICATIONS & VOLUNTEER WORK**

- Bramley, H., Kroft, C., Polk, D., Newberry, T., & Silvis, M. (2012). Do youth hockey coaches allow players with a known concussion to participate in a game? *Clinical Pediatrics*, 51, 283-287.
- Consumer Satisfaction Services, Inc. (Treasurer, 2014-present)
- *In My Own Words* program at RASE-Carlisle; directed at helping addicts in recovery share their stories through public speaking engagements.