

Curriculum Vitae

Education

1984-1989- Humboldt University, Berlin Germany, M.Ed. Teaching

Experience

1989- 2000 Public Schools in Berlin Germany, grades 1- 10

2000-2014 Public Schools in Aldine ISD, grade K – 4

2016 German Institute for the Southwest

2016- present German Saturday School

2016- present SHSU- lecturer

2017-Houston Sängerbund- lecturer

Teaching Certificates

- *Teaching certificate* - State of Texas ,ESL and General Ed K – 4th

Research Interests

- Das Lied – how does the musical format of a song reflect social issues throughout Germany's history
- Ernst Bloch- abstract and concrete utopia-is there hope for the world today?
- LTI-Victor Klemperer-language as historical artifact
- East Germany – culture and individual

Affiliations

The Texas Foreign Language Association
Delta Phi Alpha German National Honors Society
AATG –Texas German Studies

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Presentations

- **An attempt to escape over the Berlin Wall – October 2016**
- **Delta Phi Alpha German National Honors Society Symposium – April 2017**
- **From East Germany to East Texas – SHSU German Club- December 2017**

Academic References