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**EDUCATION**

<b>Sul Ross State University</b> Alpine, TX	M.A. English	December 2000
	B.A. Spanish	August 1998

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Sul Ross State University** Alpine, TX Aug. 2002 to Present  
Reading and Writing Skills Lecturer. Teach developmental reading and writing skills to developmental college students.

**The University of Guadalajara** Jan., 2001 to Aug. 2002  
**South Coast Center** Autlan, Jalisco, Mexico  
EFL teacher. Teach English as a Foreign Language to students that are studying for a B.A. in tourism.

**Sul Ross State University** Alpine, TX Sept., 1998 to Dec., 2000  
Graduate Assistantship. Spanish Laboratory Tutor. Assist students in learning Spanish as a foreign language.

**Bell & Howell** Austin, TX Sept., 1989 to Aug., 1994  
Electronics Technician. Maintain and repair high volume mail handling equipment.

**United States Navy** Great Lakes, IL and Norfolk, VA Mar., 1983 to Mar., 1989  
Fire Control Technician 2nd Class. Maintain, operate, and repair the Phalanx Close in Weapons System anti-ship cruise missile defense system.

**United States Navy** Great Lakes, IL Mar., 1983 to Aug., 1985  
Basic Electricity & Electronics, Fire Control Technician "A" School, Phalanx Close in Weapon System "C" School

**HONORS, AWARDS, AND LISTINGS**

Member Sigma Tau Delta (English Honor Society)

Member Sigma Delta Pi (Spanish Honor Society)

Awarded 1st place for best story at the 91st annual Texas Intercollegiate Press Association sweepstakes 2000

Awarded "Who's Who Among American Universities and Colleges" 2000

Awarded "Outstanding Spanish Major" at the Sul Ross State University Honors Convocation 1998

Honorably discharged from the U.S. Navy obtaining a top secret security clearance

Awarded three letters of commendation from the commanding officer of the U.S.S. Savannah.