Kristin August

Student-centered art educator with unique teaching experience and diversified media skills seeking teaching position.

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HIGH SCHOOL TEACHING EXPERIENCE

ART INSTRUCTOR - Lillstreet Art Center

June 2010 - Present

- Empower and engage high school students to investigate a variety of media
- Adapt and develop curriculum to support diversified instruction
- Delegate and direct classroom assistant to maximize instructional time

SUMMER ART TEACHER - Deerfield High School Evanston Township High School

June 2016 - Present

- Innovated and developed curriculum to align with district objectives
- Leveraged Google Classroom to expedited workflow, facilitate discussion, and communicate formative feedback
- Planned and implemented lessons focusing on skill development and conceptual awareness
- Facilitated student-led critiques in a variety of groups settings

CERAMICS TEACHER - Highland Park High School

August 2016 - June 2017

- Taught and demonstrated sculptural and pottery wheel techniques
- Collaborated and communicated with faculty on vertical articulation of curriculum
- Ran community fine art events for economically disadvantaged students aimed at increasing exposure to the arts

LONGTERM LEAVE SUBSTITUTE - Highland Park High School

August 2015 -November 2017 (Intermittent)

Leyden High School Evanston High School

- Classes Taught: AP 2D/3D Studio, Art History, Ceramics, Photography 1-3 (Darkroom/Digital), Art 1-2, 3D
- Coached and prepared student's portfolios and written response for AP submission
- Maintained rigor and department initiatives through lesson development
- Establish a supportive classroom environment and encouraged students to grow through creative risk taking
- Assisted student community outreach event "Empty Bowl Fundraiser"
- Guided students in culminating portfolio utilizing Weebly website
- Installed and curated exhibitions with students in the school gallery

PROFICIENT IN

Ceramics Sculpture Traditional 2D Photo (Darkroom/Digital) Photoshop Illustrator Google Classroom Weebly Website Development 1:1 (iPads/Chromebook) AP Instruction

DEGREE and EDUCATION

Bachelor of Fine Arts with an Emphasis in Education

License: Standard K-12 Visual Art

The School of the Art Institute, 2004

RELATED EXPERIENCE

The School of the Art Institute, Continuing Education Instructor-Chicago, IL

Evanston Art Center, Instructor-Evanston, IL

Ombudsman Alternative High School, Center Director and Teacher-Niles, IL

*Elementary school teaching experience upon request