*** CURRICULUM VITAE***

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EDUCATION

2017 Canadian Authors Association certificate—**Professional Writer**

2008 ITTT TEFL/TESOL Certificate

2000-2003 Simon Fraser University Burnaby, BC

Masters of Arts - Anthropology

Topic: urban methodology on research resistance, Downtown Eastside.

1995-1997 Simon Fraser University Burnaby, BC

Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Social Policy Issues

A selection of sociology and anthropology undergraduate courses.

1980 Simon Fraser University Burnaby, BC

Bachelor of Arts (French major, English minor)

Teaching Experience

* **English Academic Preparation (TOEFL) Instructor**) (November 2017 to now) Universal Language Institute, Vancouver; (March 2017 to present) Reading Town, Coquitlam, BC and Icon
* **IELTS Tutor** (January 2018 to now) Icon English, Vancouver, BC
* **Assistant Professor** (March 2009 to February 2017) English Division, Busan University of Foreign Studies, Busan, South Korea.
* **EFL Tutor of children** (March 2017 to now) Tri-cities Reading Town, Coquitlam, BC**;** (July 2007 - Nov. 2008) GnB English Education Co., Masan, Korea.
* **Private Tutor** (February-June, 2007) For a disabled adult student of social work in Vancouver, BC, Canada; (2012-2013) children’s English tutor and after school program substitute in Busan (1990’s) children’s tutor of a variety of school subjects in Vancouver.
* **English as a Second Language Instructor** (1980-1986)– (1) Chamber of Commerce in Arles, France for one year; (2) Vancouver Community College from 1981 to 1984; (3) two private schools; (4) Vancouver School Board substitute from 1983-1985.
* **TA/Tutor-Marker, Anthropology, Simon Fraser University**

(January-April 2002) SA345 – Issues in Canadian Ethnic Relations with Dr. Parin Dossa; (September – December 2001 and 2002) SA 101 – Introduction to Anthropology with Dr. Michael Kenny, SFU. (January – April 2001) : SA 101 – Introduction to Anthropology with Michael Kenny, Instructor at SFU.

**Research Experience**

(March-April 2007) SFU Community Endowment Trust Fund—policy paper on post-secondary education issues for Prof. Dan Laitsch (dlaitsch@sfu.ca).

(January 2005 – August 2006): Faculty of Education School Personnel Study under Laura D’Amico and Diane Dagenais—interview teachers and principals and analyze texts using Nu\*dist (604-291-; dagenais@sfu.ca.

(October 2000 - February 2002): Multilingual Study of French Immersion classes with Dr. Diane Dagenais, SFU—observed interaction between teachers and immigrant students.

(August – December 2002): Women’s Health & Home Project, SFU, under Dr. Parin Dossa—interviewed street nurses.

(June – August 2002): Western Erie Canal Heritage Corridor Planning Commission of New York State, heritage tourism studies of Buffalo City and other canal communities. Prepared paper on Buffalo for the Commission.

Other Experience

* **Quality Manager (**2013 to 2016) Language Park. Reviewing Korean to English translations.
* **Self-employed writer and editor** (2017) Edwise Editor and Education Consultant
* **Chief Steward of the Teaching Support Staff Union** (2003-2004)Represent membership to the university, handle grievances, chair Stewards and Labour-Management meetings, hire & train Privacy Officer.
* **Federal Public Service employee** (1986-1999) Administrative Assistant, Enquiries Clerk, Project Officer, in Expo ’86, CMHC, employment services and programs, Citizenship, Veterans’ Affairs, and pensions (bilingual).
* **Secretary and Program Assistant, Academic & Business Programs**, Open Learning Agency (February 1995 to December 1996)
* **ESL & FSL Intake Officer, and Secretary to French Programs Coord.** Vancouver School Board, Modern Languages Department (1988-1989)

**Volunteer work:**

* (2007 to 2015) expat teachers network (TEA-KOR) coordinator; **President, KOTESOL Busan Chapter** (2014-15), Vice-President of the Busan Chapter of KOTESOL (2007-2009).
* **Writer of North Corner News** (2017), a neighbourhood news bulletin serving Westridge, Burnaby
* **Radio show host** (1985-1991; 2003-2004) News reporter and show host in campus radio at UBC/CITR, McMaster U, and SFU/CFJS