

CURRICULUM VITAE: RACHEL HUDDLESTON TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY - COMMERCE

University Address:

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Research Interests

Native American Literature, Women's Studies, Young Adult/Children's Literature

Education

M.A. in English / December 2019

Texas A&M University - Commerce

B.A. in English / May 2017

Southwestern Assemblies of God University

Academic Work Experience

Graduate Assistant Teacher

Texas A&M University Commerce / August 2019-present

Courses taught: ENG 1301

English Tutor

Self-employed / May 2018- August 2019

Focus on reading, writing, and language skills in a one-on-one environment with students of all ages

Personal Teacher's Assistant

Drs. Danny and Amy Alexander, Southwestern Assemblies of God University / 2016-2017

Managed grades, assignments, and records for multiple classes and students; communicated with all levels of staff, faculty, and students; worked one-on-one with students; gained valuable teaching experience.

Conference Presentations

"Sexualizing the Sacred: Appropriation of Native American Dance and Women in Children's and Young Adult Literature." Southwest Popular/American Culture Association Annual Conference, forthcoming February 2020, Albuquerque, NM.

"Sexualizing the Sacred: Appropriation of Native American Dance." Children's Literature Association Annual Conference, June 2019, Indianapolis, IN.

"'Good Country People': Symbolism and the Lesson Behind the Story." Undergraduate Interdisciplinary Student Research Conference, Collin County College, April 2015, Plano, TX.

Editing Experience

Assistant Editor

Best of Journals in Rhetoric and Composition 2020. Parlor Press, forthcoming.

Publications

Creative Writing

"The First Poem." *The Image*, online journal publication by Southwestern Assemblies of God University, ed. by Amy George, et. al. April 2018.