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I am currently working at the Foundation Institute as an English Instructor. Before this position, I worked as an English Instructor at the Culture and Intensive English Program, University of Northern Iowa, U.S.A, where I earned my Masters of Arts in TESOL. I received my bachelor's degree in English and Literature from Cairo University, Egypt. I also have a FELT (Fundamentals of English Language Teaching) certificate from the American University in Cairo. I taught Academic English and English for Specific Purposes (ESP) for university students in Egypt. I have dealt with students from various cultural backgrounds as well as students with varying levels of proficiency. These experiences have given me a solid understanding of teaching English to speakers of other languages. As a bilingual person, I understand the challenges students face and thus, enjoy assisting students in learning and improving their academic English.

Academic Qualifications

MA TESOL, University of Northern Iowa, USA, 2015

Research Activities

Faculty Administrative Experience

2016 - 2019: University of Nizwa, Nizwa, Oman Foundation Institute (FI), English for Academic Purposes (EAP) Instructor

2014 - 2015: University of Northern Iowa, Cedar Falls, Iowa, USA Culture and Intensive English Program CIEP, English for Academic purposes (EAP) Instructor

2013 - 2014: University of Northern Iowa, Cedar Falls, Iowa, USA Culture and Intensive English Program CIEP, English Instructor (Teaching Assistant)

2012 - 2013: University of Northern Iowa, Cedar Falls, Iowa, USA Department of Languages & Literature, TESOL, Research Assistant

2011 - 2012: Arab Academy for Science, Technology and Maritime Transport, Cairo, Egypt English Lecturer

2007 - 2009: Berlitz Language Center, Cairo, Egypt English and Basic Business Skills Instructor

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