BRETT DRUGGE

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PROFILE

Accomplished educator with extensive experience in designing student-centered, differentiated instruction and fostering standards-based achievement. Proven success in building an inclusive classroom culture. Passionate about integrating arts and media into authentic, project-based learning experiences that are channeled through a diverse range of collaborative models, learning modalities, and culturally responsive competencies.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Orchard Arts & Media Academy, LAUSD | Bell, CA English/World History (Grade 6) College/Career Elective (Grades 6-8) 2015 - Present

John Muir Middle School, LAUSD | Los Angeles, CA English/World History (Grade 6)

2011 - 2014

Gage Middle School, LAUSD | Huntington Park, CA

English/U.S. History (Grade 8) English/World History (Grade 6) 2005 - 2011

CURRICULAR ENRICHMENT & COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Orchestrated school-wide events and exhibitions, including student-centered arts and music festivals, poetry slams, and forums (e.g., Mayan Calendar Symposium sponsored by UCLA Latin American Institute).
- Organized authentic and culturally sensitive learning opportunities, including field trips, local district arts festival entries, gallery walks of student-work installations, art contests, and guest speaker presentations.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts, Business Administration

University of Washington

Washington State Teaching Certification (K-8)

Pacific Oaks College, Seattle, WA

Secondary Teaching Methodology

University of Phoenix

CREDENTIALS

- Single Subject Teaching Credential | English
- Multiple Subject Teaching Credential
- CLAD Certification