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OBJECTIVE

Dedicated Chemistry Teacher with teaching experience in a high-needs school districts, and 5+ years of professional background in synthesis lab and chemistry lab settings. Focused experience in classroom management and integrating technology into the classroom

EDUCATION

KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY, Bagwell College of Education Kennesaw, GA May 2014
Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT), Chemistry (GPA: 4.0)
• Noyce Teaching Fellow

GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, College of Sciences Atlanta, GA May 2012
Bachelor of Science in Chemistry (GPA: 3.8)

CERTIFICATIONS

GA Induction Certificate	GaPSC Certification ID:123456	Effective Date: 01/01/16
GACE (Content Area)	Level: Induction/Professional	Date Passed: 01/01/16
edTPA	Score:** (when Complete)	Date Passed (or in progress)

**Only report scores of 35 or above. For ECE and Sp. Ed, only report scores of 42 or above

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Yearlong Clinical Experience I and II North Cobb High School (Honors Chemistry) August 2013 – Present
Student Teacher

- Fall semester: observed and assisted with 2 classes of Honors Chemistry, including Magnet and Gifted students
- Spring semester: co-taught 3 classes of Honors chemistry – 20-26 students, including Magnet and Gifted students
- Implemented appropriate accommodations for students with 504 plans; planned and implemented effective inquiry-based lessons
- Planned and implemented effective lessons based on Georgia Performance Standards
- Trained students to practice proper safety procedures in the laboratory; graded homework, tests, and laboratory assignments
- Adapted and implemented a variety of assessments and rubrics for evaluation of student learning
- Participated in collaborative planning with chemistry teachers and attended monthly staff professional development training

Kennesaw State University (General Chemistry Lab) Kennesaw, Georgia January 2013 – May 2013

Teaching Assistant

- Instructed undergraduate students in practicing proper safety procedures and developing laboratory skills and techniques
- Led pre-laboratory lectures on relevant safety practices, laboratory techniques, and chemistry concepts; graded laboratory reports
- Co-taught review session for final exams and provided one-on-one tutoring sessions for struggling students

GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (SYNTHESIS LAB I) Atlanta, Georgia January 2011 – May 2012

Teaching Assistant

- Assisted students in applying knowledge from organic chemistry courses to include using computer based modeling concepts
- Assisted in revising, developing, and implementing rubrics for evaluating lab reports, and overseeing student completion

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Flinn Scientific High School Laboratory Safety Course May 2013
Electronic Quality of Inquiry Protocol (EQUIP) – trained to evaluate inquiry in science classrooms August 2014

SKILLS/INTERESTS

Technology: Edmodo, Synergy, SMARTBoard, Student Response Systems, Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Publisher

Languages: English (native), Spanish (intermediate)

Affiliations: American Chemical Society, Georgia Science Teachers Association, National Science Teachers Association, Student Professional Association of Georgia Educators (SPAGE), Student Affiliates of the American Chemical Society (SAACS) – willing to work with Science Club