

Selena Flowers

Education

University of Houston

Master of Fine Arts, English, Creative Writing Poetry, 2005

University of Southern Colorado (Currently Colorado State University—Pueblo)

Bachelor of Arts, English, *magna cum laude*, 2002

Pikes Peak Community College

Associates of General Studies, 1999

Teaching Experience

Houston Community College, Houston, TX

- English Instructor, January 2011—present
 - Courses: English Composition I, II, Early American Literature, Integrated Reading and Writing
- Online Instructor, August 2009—present
 - Courses: English Composition I, II, Early American Literature, American Literature since the Civil War, African American Literature, Fiction
- Student Success Instructor, August 2007—December 2010
 - Courses: Guided Studies, English Composition I, II, Early American Literature

Smarthinking, Inc., Washington D.C.

- E-structor, October 2008—May 2009
 - Certified as an online tutor

San Jacinto College, Pasadena, TX

- Adjunct English Professor, Spring 2007
 - Course: Composition II

Houston Community College and Chavez High School, Houston, TX

- Adjunct English Instructor and Dual Credit Instructor, October 2005—May 2007
 - Courses: Fundamentals of Grammar and Composition II, Composition II

University of Houston, Houston, TX

- Teaching Fellow, August 2003—December 2005
 - Course: Freshman Composition

Administrative Experience

Houston Community College, Houston, TX

- Division Chair of English Studies and Teacher Education, August 2014—August 2015
- Associate Chair of English Studies, August 2010—August 2011
- Faculty Mentor, August 2009—May 2011, February 2014—2016
- Co-Director of Writing Center, August 2007—August 2014
- Learning Communities Coordinator, August 2008—August 2009

Affiliations

NCTE, National Council of Teachers of English
Sigma Tau Delta—International English Honor Society
Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society

Professional Committees

Chair of Physical Learning Support Committee
Chair of Multicultural Literature and Drama Curriculum Committee
Grade Appeal Committee
Hiring Screening Committee
Africana, African Discipline Committee
Black History Month Committee
Student Success Discipline Committee
Course Assessment Committee

Professional Development

Instructional Leadership Program
Authentic Leadership Workshop
Diversity Certification for Screening Committee
Center for Teaching and Learning 21st Century Learner and Student Engagement
Instructional Design Strategy
Integrated Reading and Writing MySkillsLab Workshop
Distance Education in BlackBoard Vista I-IV and Moodle Learning Management System—
Eagle Online 1.9 and 2.x Training, Canvas

Publications/Presentations

VONA—Voices of Our Nation's Art Foundation Benefit Gala, "Celebrating Women of Color" Presenter, 2007
"Poetry Reading, Selected Poems." CHASS Conference
"Playing with Gender Roles." CHASS Conference

“Hero: Her Road to Self-Discovery.” CHASS Conference

“Before the Fall of Saigon” and “Birthplace of My Brother” poems, *The Massachusetts Review*

Skills and Knowledge

- Canvas
- Moodle Learning Management System—Eagle Online 1.9 and 2.x and Blackboard
- PeopleSoft and DSpace
- Microsoft Office
- Adobe Acrobat