

## Darron DeVillez

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### Professional Summary

Passionate educator for the past several years with a strong desire to help students recognize the connection between learning and experience. Strong communicator who can clearly and confidently lecture students in a classroom or auditorium setting. Outgoing, energetic, and motivating personality to encourage students to participate in in-class discussions and to help them learn the value of group activities centered around public speaking. Skilled at using technology to facilitate and enhance learning and able to quickly learn the operations of new software systems. Team player who is committed to contributing to departmental objectives to create an optimal experience for both students and faculty.

### Skills

Clear communicator and confident presenter to effectively instruct students in ways that are conventional, unconventional, concise and understandable. Strong organizational skills to ensure class information including syllabi, assignments and other documentation is accessible and easy to understand. Committed team player to work successfully with other with other faculty to establish course guidelines, modify curriculum, and set departmental goals. Patient, reassuring, answer questions, and assign extra-credit work. Skilled understanding of technology and willing to learn about new software interfaces to enhance the learning experience of students.

### Work Experience

#### Adjunct Professor

2017 - present

- Instruct five classes of 25 student each for 90 minutes two times each week at both CUS and community college
- Maintain a class syllabus, assignment log, and additional material help for the students
- Participate in weekly meetings with faculty to discuss departmental goals and upcoming events
- Plan lectures, assignments, and in-class experiences to collaborate with necessary course curriculum

#### Teaching Assistant

2015-2017

- Collaborated with faculty staff to establish viable course curriculum and to make needed adjustments
- Posted and graded assignments and lectured alongside tenure, experienced colleagues

- Maintained meeting notes for departmental meetings to discuss course curriculum, pending goals and upcoming events.
- Wrote, submitted, and received grants for several different departmental and student run organizations

#### Education

Masters in Communication San Diego State University	2017
Bachelor in Communication San Diego State University	2015
Associate in Communication Grossmont Community College	2013
Associate in University Studies Grossmont Community College	2013

#### Hobbies and Interests

I volunteer monthly at Veterans Village of San Diego to help support veterans returning to our communities.

A couple of my favorite leisure activities are fishing and rock collecting.