Kimberly Hursh

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CERTIFICATION

Massachusetts Initial Educator License Pending, ESL and History (5-12) English as a Second Language MTEL scheduled for April 13, 2022 Expected May 2022

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Spanish: High proficiency in reading and writing. Moderate proficiency in speaking and listening.

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Baltimore City Public Schools

2021-2022

Teacher Intern, ESL, Hamilton Elementary and Middle School

• Planned and implemented pull-out lessons for 10 grades on a weekly basis. Communicated on a weekly basis with parents through Whatsapp and TalkingPoints.

Urbana Public School District (Urbana, IL)

February-June 2021

Long-term Substitute, ESL and Biliteracy, Urbana High School

• Designed culturally relevant **virtual** lessons for newcomer ELs and for a Spanish Biliteracy course using Google Classroom, Peardeck, Flipgrid, Kami, the ISL Collective, & Kahoot.

Urbana Public School District

January-March 2020

Long-term Substitute, Spanish Language Arts, Urbana Middle School

- Communicated in Spanish and English by email and phone with parents on a weekly basis.
- Designed and delivered targeted, culturally relevant literacy instruction in Spanish for EL newcomer with limited or interrupted formal education. Student's fluency improved threefold over the course of two months of instruction.

Nativity Jesuit Academy (Milwaukee, WI)

2012-2013

After-school Program coordinator

- Recruited, trained, and scheduled volunteers, tutors, and teachers to lead daily study halls and activities for 80 students. Activities rotated and/or changed on a quarterly schedule.
- Planned culturally relevant speakers and fieldtrips to Latinx owned businesses and cultural institutions to better serve Nativity's majority Latinx student body.

EDUCATION

Notre Dame of Maryland University

May 2022

Masters of Arts in Teaching

University of Virginia

May 2019

Doctor of Philosophy, Latin American History

Willamette University

May 2012

Bachelor of Arts, United States History and Spanish