

EVE TAMELA

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EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS

State University College of New York at Cortland, M.S. Ed in English as a Second Language (2011)
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, M.S. in Housing
Columbia University, M.P.H. in Health Administration
Michigan State University, M.A. in Clothing and Textiles, Anthropology / African Studies
State University of New York at Oneonta, B.S. in Education / Home Economics
New York State Secondary Teaching Certification (permanent)

RELATED SKILLS & QUALIFICATIONS

- › Whole Group/Small Group Learning
- › Cooperative Learning
- › Classroom Management
- › Curriculum Design & Development
- › Performance Assessment
- › Multicultural Awareness
- › Intergenerational Studies
- › Interactive Learning
- › Good Sense of Humor
- › Computer Literate

RELATED EXPERIENCE

Graduate Teaching Assistant, Universal Design/Property Management, Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University (2006-2007).

- Implemented creative methodologies for laboratory exercises to illustrate universal design principals;
- Integrated available technologies and real world experiences into weekly homework assignments to supplement class lectures to develop students' word processing and Internet research skills;
- Developed an equitable grading system for laboratory exercises, homework assignments and exams.

Group Mentor, Prince Georges County Teen Challenge Cycling, Hyattsville, Maryland (2001-2003).

- Provided adult support and supervision for a youth-centered, multicultural cross-country cycling group.

Instructor, Textile Technology, YMCA/Peace Corps, Dakar, Senegal, West Africa (1980-1981)

- Initiated an introductory French-language textile technology course for the YMCA vocational training center in Dakar, Senegal;
- Developed daily lesson plans and teaching materials;
- Motivated students through enthusiastic teaching and creative lessons using local materials and resources;
- Encouraged student participation by creating a supportive classroom environment.

Health Education Supervisor, Ministry of Education/Peace Corps, Senegal, West Africa (1980-1981).

- Liaised with government officials at the national, regional and local levels to establish a pilot program in elementary school health education;
- Organized and conducted a two-week practice school for new health education volunteers;
- Interviewed and hired host country teachers, compiled lesson plans for the publication of the first national elementary-level health education manual.

Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Human Environment and Design, Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan (1976-1978).

- Provided course and classroom support for an upper-level undergraduate course in the socio-cultural aspects of clothing and dress;
- Designed assessment mechanisms to determine students comprehension of social theory as it applied to dress and adornment;
- Assessed student performance.

Teaching Assistant, Home Economics, Ithaca High School, Ithaca, New York (1975-1976).

- Provided classroom assistance and instructional support to three instructors in clothing construction and food preparation.

WORK HISTORY

Service Learning Coordinator, State University of York School of Environmental Science and Forestry, Syracuse, New York (07/07- 07/08).

Graduate Teaching Assistant, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Blacksburg, Virginia (01/06-06/07).

Program Manager, International Science and Technology Institute, Arlington, Virginia (01/99-09/05).

Project Management Adviser, Safe Motherhood Project, Marie Stopes International, Cambodia (09/97-05/98).

Technical Advisor, Community Health and Population Services Project, John Snow Incorporated, Mali, West Africa (7/93-9/97).

Assistant Field Director, Plan International, Burkina Faso, West Africa (03/92-07/93).

Strategic Planning Consultant, Loudon County Citizens for Social Justice, Shelter for Abused Women, Leesburg, Virginia (1990).

Project Coordinator for West Africa, Center for Development and Population Activities, Washington, D.C. (01/90-02/92).

Project Management Specialist, The Enterprise Program, John Short & Associates, Columbia, Maryland (03/88-12/89).

Administrative Supervisor, Cornell University Division of Nutritional Sciences, Ithaca, New York. (02/87-03/88).

Associate Regional Director for Asia and the Pacific, Family Planning International Assistance, The Planned Parenthood Federation of America, Bangkok, Thailand (04/84-11/87).

Program Associate, International Division, The Planned Parenthood Federation of America, New York, New York (06/82-03/84).

Community Health Educator / Volunteer Leader, United States Peace Corps, Senegal, West Africa (03/79-0/81).

LANGUAGES / OTHER

Fluent French; working knowledge of Swahili, Jula/Bambara, Wolof, Diola.
Strong computer skills: Microsoft Word/Excel/Access/PowerPoint, SPSS, Blackboard.