JEREMY W. WHITE

Education

Ph.D. Fine Arts, emphasis in Theatre History/Theory and Playwriting. Texas Tech University. 2013
Dissertation: *The Anti-Hero as Social Critic: Two Original Plays.*

M.A. Theatre, emphasis in Playwriting. Texas State University. 2004
Thesis: *Furious: A Modern Greek Tragedy.*

B.F.A. Theatre Education. Texas State University. 2002

Experience

Assistant Director – IDEA Center Texas State University
Feb. 2022 – Present

- Oversees daily office management.
- Responsible for the creation and production of multiple research-related workshops for undergraduate students per semester.
- Supervises and instructs RES 4399 Mentored Research and Creative Expression.
- Organizes and hosts the Undergraduate Research Forum and other events, including the annual campus-wide Undergraduate Research Conference.
- Tracking event attendance and demographics.
- Classroom visits to promote program.
- Works with advising offices and departments to have our courses substitute for degree requirements.
- Website and social media supervision.
- Advises program director regarding institutional processes.
- Assists in assessment of program content for QEP reporting.
- Collecting and organizing student demographic data for reporting.

Adjunct Faculty Texas State University
2015- Present

- Instructor of Record
  OCED 3350 – Foundations of Interdisciplinary Studies
  OCED 4350 – Adult Development and Career Planning
  US 1100 – University Seminar
  HON 2305D – Introduction to Creative Arts
  RES 4399 – Mentored Research and Creative Expression

Student Development Specialist II Texas State University
Aug. 2019 - Feb. 2022

- Worked with the Developing Hispanic Serving Institute Department on implementing grant initiatives, specifically Project Maestros and the STEM Undergraduate Research Experience Programs.
- Created, scheduled, and implemented Professional Development seminars for students seeking teacher certification, both in-person and online.
- Supervised the STEM Undergraduate Research Experience (SURE) Program. Created and organized Professional Development seminars and events for participants, tracked participant information, facilitated communication between stake-holders and participants.
- Worked with 1st generation and at-risk students to help them achieve success.
- Professional Development attendance grew by 50% from Fall 19 to last semester, despite having to transition to an online environment.
- Promoted to Student Development Specialist II in January of 2021 upon taking over the SURE Program from previous director.

Instructor/Lecturer Texas State University
Aug. 2017- Present

- Taught two sections of University Seminar every fall from 2017-2020
- Instructor for specialized STEM sections of US 1100.
- During COVID transferred courses to all online environment successfully.
- Instructor OWLS Program – OCED 3350 and 4350.

Academic Advisor I Texas State University
Oct. 2015- Aug. 2019

- Advised students on topics related to academic majors
- Effectively used SunGard Banner Student Information System and DegreeWorks to monitor student academic progress
- Coordinated, planned, and prepared for advising sessions
- Accurately documented advising sessions
- Referred students to appropriate resources for assistance
- Maintained confidential student files
- Prepared degree audits for students in the College of Science and Engineering
- Received and assisted in processing applications for graduation
- Tracked and advised students on probation/suspension

Assistant Professor of Drama Victoria College
Aug. 2008- May 2011

- Increased ticket sales by 120%.
- Created, developed, and managed online and partial-online courses through Blackboard system.
- Taught five courses per semester including online and partial-online courses.
- Directed two to three productions per academic year.
- Developed children's showcase based on *Aesop's Fables*.
- Encouraged student growth by developing relations with other art organizations in the area.

- Developed marketing materials for productions including posters, postcards, website materials, and various digital media.
- Successfully worked with a limited budget to add one extra show a year outside the normal production schedule.
- Responsible for the planning and execution of all aspects of the department, including technical, marketing, volunteer/student coordination, box office, and collaboration with other Arts faculty to create productions.

Graduate Part-Time Instructor. Texas Tech University
Aug. 2005- May 2008

- Instructor of Record: Introduction to Cinema, a large-lecture course with up to 450 students and an online component.
- Created, developed, and managed online component through WebCT system.
- Supervised up to five teaching assistants.
- Research assistant.
- Scene Shop and Box Office Employee.
- Voted Graduate Part-Time Instructor of the Year, Texas Tech University, 2007.
- Introduction to Cinema voted *Best Class on Campus*, Daily Toreador 2007.
- Established the *24 Hour Play Fest Sideshow*, an original play competition, Texas Tech, 2006. The festival is still an annual event at Texas Tech.
- Finished coursework with a 3.7 GPA.

Teacher – Technical Theatre Tom C. Clark High School. San Antonio, TX.
Aug. 2004- May 2005

- Taught Technical Theatre and Theatre 1 courses.
- Designer and Technical Director for all productions.
- Sponsor and coach of the Clark Improv Team.
- Managed equipment and budget for the technical portion of the theatre program.

Writing (Stage)

Flies in the Ice.
Workshop Production: Southwest Texas State University. Directed by Patrick Crowley. 2001.
Premier: Southwest Texas State University. Directed by Patrick Crowley. 2001.
Non-Equity Production: The Renaissance Guild. Directed by Jenelva Carter. 2004.
Winner "Featured One-Act Play" *Act-One Playwriting Contest.* The Renaissance Guild. 2004.

The Kings of Denmark.
Staged Reading: SWTSU. Directed by John Fleming. 2003.
Staged Reading: Steven Stoli Playhouse. Directed by Steven Stoli. 2004.

The Rosary.

Workshop production: *Rogues and Renegades 24 Hour Play-Out*. Directed by Bridgette Fiarras. 2004.
Premier: Texas State University. Directed by Gwendolyn Balboa. 2013.

Furious.
Staged Reading: Texas State University. Directed by Chris Navarro. 2004.
Premier: Texas State University. Directed by Chris Navarro. 2004

The Hard Way
Premier: *TTU Raider Red's One Act Play Festival.* Directed by Daniel Ballard. 2007.

The Solution
Premier: Texas Tech University. Directed by Cheramie Howe. KC/ACTF participating entry. 2007.

Almost Aesop's Fables.
Premier: The Victoria College. 2009.

Writing (Film)

My Science Project.
Feature Length. 2025. Currently being shopped.

Roll To Break Up
Runner Up - Cracked.com Sketch Competition. February 2011.

Writing (Prose)

Contributing Writer. *The Hard Times*. *www.thehardtimes.net* 2015-2017
Selected articles:
"Oi! Band Explores Themes of Violence/Alcoholism In New Album" co-written with Alex Petralia.
"Police Use Axe Body Spray to Break Up Crust Punk Protest" 2/11/15
"Man Trampled to Death in One-Man Mosh Pit" 4/1/16
"Family of Missing Punk Desperately Searching for Less Embarrassing Photo." 7/3/15
"Old School Guy Doesn't Plan of Having Any Fun at Tonight's Show." – 5/1/15
"High School Theatre." Featured article *Cracked.com*. 3/19/10.
"Remain Calm, Don't Panic." Short Story. *Death Head Grin Magazine*. 2/1/2012.

Scholarly Publications

Book Review: *Playwriting: Brief and Brilliant* by Julie Jensen and *The Blunt Playwright* by Clem Martini. *Theatre Topics.* v18.2. September 2008.

"Dissertations in Progress." Co-edited with Michael Novak. *Theatre Journal*. V 60.2: May, 2008.

Workshop Presentations

Triple Threat Theatre Summer Camp. Directed high school students in workshop production of *Seussical Jr*. Theatre Victoria, 2010.

Short Plays for Short Attention Spans: A high school teacher's guide to playwriting. Texas Educational Theatre Association conference, 2007.

Moderator: *Texas Tech Debut Scholar Panel*. Texas Tech University, 2007.

Awards/Accomplishments

2020 SURE Program – Texas State Inclusive Excellence Showcase – Best Funding Proposal.

2020 Deborah and James Mathews Excellence in Collaboration-Outreach Award. Texas State University Staff Council

2011 Cracked.com Sketch Comedy Contest. "Roll To Break Up." Runner-up.

2011 Vickie Award. Small Part/Big Impact. Theatre Victoria.

2007-2008 Intro to Cinema voted Best Class on campus. Daily Toreador. Texas Tech University.

Script Raiders. Student playwriting club. Texas Tech University. President 2006-2007.

2006-2007 Outstanding Graduate Part-Time Instructor Award. Texas Tech University. Spring 2007.

Created and produced *The TTU 24 Hour Sideshow*. Presented Spring 2006.

Flies In The Ice: Winner - Act-One Short Play Competition. Renaissance Guild. San Antonio, TX. 2005.

Texas State 24 Hour Rogues and Renegades Play-Out Playwriting Contest. Guest writer 2004.

Courses Taught

College:

Introduction to Theatre	Victoria College
Acting 1-4	Victoria College
Theatre History I	Victoria College
Theatre Practicum	Victoria College
Introduction to Cinema	Texas Tech University
Intro to Creative Arts	Texas State University
Introduction to Interdisciplinary Studies	Texas State University
Adult Development and Career Planning	Texas State University
Mentored Research and Creative Expression	Texas State University

Secondary:

Theatre I
Acting
Technical Theatre

Affiliations

Texas Educational Theatre Association.
Southwest Theatre and Film Association.
Dramatist's Guild
NOSS

Service

TxST Website Optimization Committee	Texas State University 2025-present
BAAS Advisory Committee	Texas State University 2025- present
McNair Scholars Advisory Board	Texas State University 2025- present
Alpha Chi Iota Co-Sponsor	Texas State University 2023-2026
Board member at large	City Theatre Austin 2024-present
Website Optimization Committee	Texas State University 2024- present
Advising Assessment Team	Texas State University -2016-2019
Victoria College Film Club. Co-sponsor.	Victoria College 2008-2011
Faculty Development Committee	Victoria College 2008-2011
Faculty Search Committee -grad representative	Texas Tech University. 2007-2008.
Graduate Part-time Instructor Mentor.	Texas Tech University. 2006-2008.

Directing

Lysistrata	City Theatre Austin 2019
Making God Laugh	Wimberley Players 2017
Lost In Yonkers	Wimberley Players 2016
Shades of Grey	Austin Children's Theater 2012 (w/ Talena Martinez)
The House of Blue Leaves	Victoria College 2011
Zoo Story	Victoria College 2011
The Vagina Monologues	Victoria College 2011 (w/ Lisa DeVrise)
The Heidi Chronicles	Victoria College 2010
Seussical Jr.	T3 Camp, Theatre Victoria 2010
Almost Aesop's Fables	Victoria College 2010
Tartuffe	Victoria College 2009
The Dumb Waiter	Victoria College 2009
Proof	Victoria College 2009
All In the Timing	Victoria College 2008
Tartuffe	Tom. C. Clark High School 2005
A Clearing In The Woods	Tom C. Clark High School 2005
The God's Honest: An Evening of Lies	Southwest Texas State U. 2004
Accidental Friends	UIL One-Act Competition 2002
Lu Ann Hampton Laverty Oberlander	Southwest Texas State U. 2002

Dramaturgy

**Die, Already*! by David Yeakle	Tongue and Groove Theatre. 2014
**Sweet* by Harrison Rivers.	Txst, Black & Latino Playwright's Conference. 2014

**Shades of Grey* by Erin Fleming	Austin Children's Theatre. 2011
Company by Steven Sondheim.	Texas Tech University. 2007

* - Denotes world premiere production.

Acting Experience (stage selected)

Snowman in Texas	Uncle Bob	Austin Children's Theatre
Shades of Grey	Shadowy Man	Austin Children's Theatre
Plaza Suite	Waiter	Theatre Victoria
Betrayal	Jerry	Texas Tech University
Glengarry Glen Ross	Moss	Lubbock Community Theatre
Three by Charms	Father	Texas Tech University
Crazy For You	Everette	Texas Tech University
The Jewish Wife	Fritz	Texas State University
Gladiator	Bill	Southwest Texas State U.
Harvey	Gaffney	Victoria College
All My Sons	George	Victoria College
The God's Honest: An Evening of Lies	Malcom	Victoria College
The Wind in the Willows	Prosecutor	Victoria College
The Best Christmas Pageant Ever	Elmer	Victoria Community Theatre

Film

Acting

When The Cat's Away (1999)	Jerry (Principal role)	Dir: Aaron Marshall
The New Guy (2002)	Extra	Dir: Ed Decter

Production

IDEA Center Youtube shorts	*Producer/Lighting*	2024-present
IDEA Center Promotional video	*Producer*	2021
S.U.C.K.	*Co-Director*	

Premier: 88.1 KTXT Short Film Festival, Lubbock, 2006

Radio/ Voice Over

Italian Dialogue – Production. *Viral: A Modern Call of Cthulhu Scenario*. drivethrurpg.com 2022.
95.1 KVIC Victoria, TX. "Popcorn Plus/ Ice Cream Depot" Radio Advertisement. 1996.
KLRN TV San Antonio, TX. "Auction Watch" Television campaign. 2003
KLRN TV San Antonio, "Auction Watch" Television campaign. 2004.
"Brother's Jewelry." Lubbock, TX. Radio Advertisement. 2007.
I'm Batman. Narrator. Texas Tech University. Lubbock, TX. Stage play. 2008.
Viral: Unredacted – A Modern Call of Cthulhu Scenario. Special Audio Credit – Italian Audio Handout (Produced by) – 2022.