TEXAS STATE VITA

I. ACADEMIC/PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

A. Lindy Marie Kosmitis, Senior Lecturer/Student Teaching Supervisor

B. Educational Background

Hunter College, New York, NY
2008, M.A. English Literature
Thesis: Men of the Moment, Women of the Future: Male Female Relationships in the Writing of Frank Norris

Southwest Texas State University, San Marcos, TX
2001, B.A. English and Spanish

Universidad de Salamanca, Salamanca, Spain
2000-2001, Study Abroad

C. University Experience

Position	**University**	**Dates**
Student Teaching Program Coordinator	Texas State University	2014-Present
Senior Lecturer	Texas State University	2011-Present
Student Teacher Supervisor	Texas State University	2011-Present
Lecturer	Texas State University	2009-2011
Instructor	Texas State University-Intensive English Program	2008-2010
Lecturer	Hunter College, CUNY	2006-2007
Instructor	Hunter College, CUNY	2005-2006
Teaching Assistant	Hunter College, CUNY	2005-2006
Reading and Writing Tutor	Hunter College, CUNY	2004-2007

D. Relevant Professional Experience

Spartan Learning Academy, Austin, TX
Writing Instructor, August 2007 - June 2008

E. Other Professional Credentials (licensure, certification, etc.)

State of Texas Teaching Certificate in English Language Arts and Reading 7-12

II. TEACHING

A. Teaching Honors and Awards
Recipient, Honors Professor of the Year, 2015
Nominee, Honors Professor of the Year, 2014
Recipient, Alpha Chi Favorite Professor, 2015
Recipient, Phi Kappa Chi Favorite Professor, 2015
Recipient, Faculty Senate Nontenure Faculty Workload Release Award, awarded Fall 2016, completed Spring 2017
Recipient, Contributor to a Student's Academic Career, Graduating Student Recognition of Campus Support program, Fall 2008-Spring 2021

B. Courses Taught
Texas State University:

- English 3389: The Discipline of English
- EDST 4681: Student Teaching Seminar
- English 2340: World Literature Since 1600
- English 1310: College Writing I
- English 1320: College Writing II
- English 3311: Writing for Healing
- Honors 2390A: Origins of Civilization
- University Seminar 1100
- MC1100: Grammar for Media Professionals

Texas State in Indian:

- English 3341: The Contemporary Indian Novel in English
- HON 2309A Origins of Indian Civilization

Texas State Intensive English Program:

- Grammar 4500 (Intermediate)
- Oral Skills 5500 (Advanced)

Hunter College, CUNY:

- English 220: Introduction to Literature
- English 201: Intermediate Expository Writing

C. Graduate Theses/Dissertations, Honors Theses, or Exit Committees (if supervisor, please indicate):

- Misti Galvan, Honors Thesis Supervisor, Spring 2016

D. Courses Prepared

- English 3311: Writing for Healing

- English 3341: The Contemporary Indian Novel in English

G. Funded Internal Teaching Grants and Contracts

- Multicultural Curriculum Transformation Institute, 2014

III. SCHOLARLY/CREATIVE

B. Works not in Print

2. Invited Talks, Lectures, and Presentations:

"Conferring is Key." Co-Presented with Missy Howard and Flor Mota. Austin Ed Summit, June 9, 2017.

IV. SERVICE

A. University
Vice President, Texas State Child Development Center Parents' Association, 2015-2016
Member, Faculty Seminar on Religious Studies, 2013, 2014
Texas State Ally Training, 2012
Bobcat Preview, 2008, 2010

B. Departmental
Mentor to new faculty supervisor, December 2021-present (Cassie Polasek)
Chair, Supervisor Hiring Committee, September-December 2021
Mentor to new faculty supervisor, December 2020-present (Mindy Adams)
Chair, Supervisor Hiring Committee, September-December 2020
Mentor to new faculty supervisor, August-December 2017 (Hillary Reyes)
Supervisor Hiring Committee, May-June 2017
Participant, Educator Preparation Forum, March 31, 2017
Participant, Teacher Certification Advising/Training Workshop, Fall 2016
Participant, Texas State University Educator Preparation Program Delphi Panel, 2016
Chair, Teacher Preparation Committee, 2016-Present
Mentor to new faculty supervisor, December 2015-December 2016 (Laura Sims)
Student Teacher Supervisor Hiring Committee, 2015
Volunteer, Bobcat Days, February 28, 2015
Organizer, Biannual Former Student Teacher Panel, 2015-present
Faculty Sponsor, Sigma Tau Delta, 2014-2016
English Department Liaison with the Office of Educator Preparation, 2014-Present
Member, Major/Minor Committee, 2014-Present
Judge, Writing Center Essay Contest, 2014
Member, Teacher Preparation Committee, 2011-2016
Presenter, Honors College Meet the Professor Night, 2014
Organizer, Honors College Field Trip, November 8, 2013
Member, First-Year English Committee, 2011- Present

C. Professional
TEA: Teaching Works ELAR Professional Learning Series September 2022-Present
edTPA Advisory Committee May 2022-Present
Co-Chair, Texas Regional Alignment Network (formerly Pathways) 2016-Present
Member, Central Texas Pathways ELAR/Vertical Alignment Team, 2015-Present
Committee Member, TExES Educator Certification Test Committee, English Language Arts and Reading Grades 7-12, 2012, 2013

D. Community
Volunteer, Hernandez Elementary, 2016-Present
Vice President, Hernandez Elementary PTO, 2016-2018
Secretary, Hernandez Elementary PTO, 2018-2020

Organizations
National Council of Teachers of English
Sigma Tau Delta