

Megan Trow

Background

- English Educator holding license valid to 2024 from Oregon Teachers Standards and Practices Commission; certified to teach AP English Language and Composition and CTE English
- Fulbright New Century Scholar; project title: *The Galápagos: Education, Economic and Environmental Synergy through Partnerships and Technology*
- Google Certified Teacher
- Mentor Teacher, both in the US and in Latin America
- Adjunct Faculty: Chemeketa Community College; Oregon State University
- Graduate Fellow, National Writing Project at Willamette University,
- Master's Degree, Linguistics; Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) certificate, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh PA
- Bachelor of Education, Indiana University of Pennsylvania, Indiana PA

Teaching and Professional Development Experience

- **Education consultant; founder and operator of online academic coaching business**
 - Advancing student achievement for English Language Learners and grades 2 through university and adults, providing individualized training in English reading, composition, project-based learning, preparation for Oregon's State Assessments, SAT/PSAT, college applications, university course coaching, and Business English
- **Language Arts Instructor**
 - Guest teacher for 9-12 English classes; previously taught English at all levels in several states and dual credit programs, GED, CTE English and Teen Parent programs; developed and taught twelve English and Health courses online through SKOnline; recipient of numerous teaching awards and grants; completed Intel Teach to the Future course
- **ELL Specialist**
 - Educator (in US) and in-service directors and teachers in the use of technology and taught K-12 ELL students in Galapagos and Quito, Ecuador;
 - Developed and implemented the first web site for ELL learners in Oregon;
 - Specialist for six school districts teaching K-12 Laotian, Cambodian, Vietnamese students;
 - Developed and taught TOEFL (Teaching of English as a Foreign Language) teacher training courses to instructors in Instituto Cultural Mexicano-Norteamericano, Guadalajara, Mexico;
 - Taught grades 8-12 in American School, Guatemala;
 - Teaching Assistant in U. of Pittsburgh in English Language Institute as ESL Specialist for visiting scientists, doctors and businessmen seeking to improve English skills;
 - Able to communicate with parents/guardians in Spanish
- **Professional affiliations and service**
 - Workshop: Presenter on theory and method of writing at local, state, national and international levels
 - Oregon Department of Education state-wide PASS committee to articulate assessment standards for English and ELL students;
 - English department chair in various high schools; judge for National Council of Teachers of English (NCTE) and state writing contest.