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**Objective** To obtain an international teaching position.

- Education**
- 2017 PYP and The Exhibition": IB course completed at Renaissance College, Feb 2017
  - 2014 PYP Training: (Primary Years Program) "Making the PYP Happen" – Vienna, Austria, Level One completed.
  - 2011 Level I Orff Schulwerk, Elementary Music, Vancouver Community College, Vancouver BC Canada
  - 2008 Undergraduate Post-degree English Literature: Shakespeare Studies, Romantic Poetry and Modern Drama: University of Victoria, BC Canada
  - 1987 Special Education 6th year: University of Victoria
  - 1986 Bachelor of Education: Geography and History: University of Victoria

- Teaching Experience**
- 2016 - 2018 PYP Elementary grade five classroom, The Exhibition. Shen Wai International School, No. 29 Baishi 3rd Road, Shenzhen, China
  - 2014 – 2016 The International School of Azerbaijan: PYP grade 4 classroom teacher (P7)
  - 2012 – 2014 Grade Five general classroom teacher: teaching Language Arts social Studies, Math, Science, and Health
  - 2011 Special Education Teacher, International Schools Group Dhahran Elementary Middle School The STAR Program (Students Transitioning to Academic Readiness) is a resource program for students experiencing mild academic difficulty with the goal of developing student skills and confidence so they could exit the program and return to regular class.
  - 2009 – 2011 Primary Physical Education Teacher and Junior High School Rock Band Music Teacher, International Schools Group Jubail  
The Jubail Primary physical education program was an integral part of the International Primary Curriculum offered at Jubail ISG.  
The Jubail Rock Band 7/8 and 9/10 were exciting electives that captivated many participants and audiences alike. Throughout the course students learned and performed numerous pieces of rock music while demonstrating competency in at least two instruments and developing an extensive repertoire, technical skills, stage presence and musicality to lead a group in performance.
  - 1998-2008 Special Education Teacher: "Contract Tutoring"-District # 71, Comox Valley-Student Services

Contract Tutoring is a general studies program (Math, English, Science and Social Studies) designed for 30 students from grade 7 to 9. The students are

**Teaching Experience  
(continued)**

referred to "District Case Review" by school Principals, social workers, probation officers, and psychiatrists. Individual student profiles can include LD., AD.H.D,F.A.S, gifted, OD.D. and behavioural disordered. The program is designed to be a safe, disciplined and structured environment. Individual Education Programs are developed for each child. We provide a no nonsense, business-like approach to school. Many students graduate to our local high schools and enter the work world with continued success. I can create or coordinate a similar program for a school district or apply these skills and concepts in a regular school classroom.

1995-1998: Coordinator/Teacher: Summit Program II – District #71, Cumberland Jr. Secondary School.

This was a self-contained program that focussed on rehabilitation for behaviour disordered youth. Instructional Education Programs were devised for each student (I.E.P.'s). Students were referred to our program: the goal was to provide full-time instruction to the students, until they were academically and emotionally ready to reintegrate into the school population. The following subjects were taught: English, Math, Science, Social Studies, Physical Education, Communications and Art. The program was highly successful and appreciated by the regular teaching staff. Teachers were able to identify potential candidates for the Summit Program and felt confident that a full-time behavioural specialist was meeting this child's academic and behavioural concerns.

1989-1995: Special Education Coordinator/Head Teacher: Summit Program: School District # 61, Victoria

The Summit Program was designed for severe behaviour disordered youth requiring social, emotional and academic growth. This program was invaluable recognized at the District, The Ministry of Social Services and the Attorney General's offices. Our program's community work was often featured by the local media. The students participated in an Outdoor Education program which regularly presented physical, social and emotional challenges that affected tremendous development. Students were taught the four core subjects, Physical Education, Community Service and Outdoor Education.

1987-1989: Special Education Teacher: Severe Behaviour Disordered Program: Cedar Hill Jr. Secondary School. District # 61, Victoria

**Extra Curricular**

I developed and directed the program for eight students. Instruction was provided in all Grade eight and nine CORE subjects. I assisted students and teaching staff with the re-integration of students into the general population.

2013 Study trip teacher leader/chaperone to Rome, Italy

2012 Study trip teacher leader/chaperone to South Africa

2009 - present beginner and intermediate guitar

2009 - present Theatre set design and construction

1995-1998 Basketball Coach, Chess Club - Cumberland Junior Secondary

<b>Community Involvement</b>	<p>1999-2000: Courtenay Youth Music Centre - Board Member</p> <p>2006-2009: Georgia Straight Jazz Society - Board member, Founder and Past President Music Entertainment promoter</p>
<b>Countries Visited</b>	<p>Bahrain, Belgium, Cambodia, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Denmark, Egypt, France, Germany, Great Britain, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Jordan, New Zealand, Oman, Saudi Arabia, Seychelles, Singapore, South Africa, Thailand, Turkey</p>
<b>Interests</b>	<p>I enjoy kayaking, canoeing, skiing and mountaineering pursuits with my family. At home, I spend time reading, gardening and building. I play basketball in a men's night league. I sing and play guitar in our church choir and I play rhythm guitar in a semi-professional jazz quintet: Jazz Noir</p>
<b>References</b>	<p>Belinda Holland, Director Qatar Academy, Shen Wai International School; bholland@qf.org.qa</p> <p>Dan Mock, Principal, International Schools Group, Saudi Arabia; mock.d.05@isg.edu.sa</p> <p>Tom Burton, Principal, The International School of Azerbaijan; tburton@tisa.az</p> <p>Mark Wootton, Principal, ISG Sara Village, Khobar, KSA; woott.m.06@isg.edu.sa</p>