SCOT RICHARD ACRE

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HIGH SCHOOL MATHEMATICS TEACHER

"The whole art of teaching is only the art of awakening the natural curiosity of young minds for the purpose of satisfying it afterwards" – **ANATOLE FRANCE**

OBJECTIVE: Work as a flexible and organized educational professional who quickly develops an excellent rapport with students, staff, and parents. Continue designing creative lessons that are integrated with technology and involve each student. Provide individualized support for struggling students. Foster a safe and fun classroom environment. Give immediate feedback on student performance. Aid in student achievement by any means necessary.

EDUCATION

Wayne State University

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN SECONDARY EDUCATION. MAJOR IN MATHEMATICS (EX) AND MINOR IN GROUP SCIENCE (DX) WITH AN EMPAHSIS IN BIOLOGY. EXEMPLARY SCORES ON HIGHLY QUALIFIED TEST FOR CERTIFICATION IN MAJOR AND MINOR. GPA: 3.44

Michigan State University

FINISHED FIRST SEGMENT FOR THE MASTER OF ARTS EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY (MAET) PROGRAM. PROGRAM DRAWS ON CURRENT THEORIES OF LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT TO UNDERSTAND THE ROLE OF TECHNOLOGY IN LEARNING AND INSTRUCTION.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

CREATIVE LESSON PLANNING - TECHNOLOGY INTEGRATION - CREATIVE QUESTIONING BRAIN BASED TEACHING - MULTIPLE INTELLIGENCES - CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT WRITING IN A MATHEMATICS CLASSROOM - STUDENT MOTIVATION - PARENTAL SUPPORT GRAPHING CALCULATORS - RUBRICS - TEAM APPROACH TO TEACHING - STUDY SKILLS CREATING THEMATIC UNITS - DYNAMIC FORMATIVE ASSESSMENTS - CRITICAL THINKING

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

TI Navigator & Graphing Calculators

PROMETHEAN INTERACTIVE WHITEBOARD & ACTIVE VOTE

READING APPRENTICESHIP

WRITING IN A MATHEMATICS CLASSROOM

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Macomb Mathematics Science Technology Center

2009-present

MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE TEACHER

SUBJECTS: GEOMETRY WITH ALGEBRA TRANSFORMATIONS, AP CALCULUS. PROMOTED TO THIS MAGNET SCHOOL WITHIN OUR SCHOOL DISTRICT IN JANUARY 2009. WORK IN A HIGHLY COLLABORATIVE ENVIRONMENT, WITH AN EMPHASIS ON RESEARCH. MMSTC IS A GIFTED AND TALENTED PROGRAM THAT PULLS FROM ELEVEN DIFFERENT HIGH SCHOOL IN THE COUNTY. PROGRAM IS TECHNOLOGY RICH: CLASSROOM COMPUTERS, TI NSPIRES, INTERACTIVE WHITE BOARDS, ETC... WEA BUILDING REPRESENTATIVE.

Cousino High School – Warren

2005-2009

MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE TEACHER

SUBJECTS TAUGHT: TRIG/STAT/GEO, INVESTIGATIVE STATISTICS, ALGEBRA 2, GEOMETRY, ALGEBRA 1, ALGEBRA BLOCK, FOUNDATIONS OF ALGEBRA, ALGEBRA SUPPORT, EARTH SCIENCE, AND PHYSICAL SCIENCE. LARGELY RESPONSIBLE FOR SEVERAL INTERVENTIONS IN ALGEBRA. AIDED IN START/DEVELOPMENT OF INVESTIGATIVE STATISTICS. PRINCIPAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBER. WEA BUILDING REPRESENTATIVE.

Clarenceville High School - Livonia

2003-2005

MATHEMATICS STUDENT TEACHER

SUBJECTS TAUGHT: PRE-CALCULUS, ALGEBRA 2, ALGEBRA 1, PRE-ALGEBRA. HEAVILY INVOLVED IN NCA AS A COMMITTEE CHAIR. FRESHMAN CLASS ADVISOR. HEAD COACH: GIRLS VARSITY TENNIS AND TRACK.

International Academy - Bloomfield Hills

2002-2003

MATHEMATICS STUDENT TEACHER AND LONG TERM SUBSTITUTE

SUBJECTS TAUGHT: MATH 2, MATH 3, JUNIOR YEAR SL, SENIOR YEAR METHODS. INVOLVED WITH EVERY ASPECT OF TEACHING INTEGRATED MATHEMATICS FOR THE INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE PROGRAM. HIRED ON AS A LONG TERM SUBSTITUTE TEACHER. PREPARED STUDENTS FOR IB EXAMS IN METHODS. FACILITATED SPRING BREAK DISSECTION PROJECT. NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL OF THE YEAR (NEWSWEEK MAGAZINE).

RELATED WORK EXPERIENCE

ATTEND CONFERENCES ON A YEARLY BASIS: T³, MCTM, DACTM, ETC... DACTM SPEAKER FOR TWO YEARS.

GRANT APPROVAL FOR TWO PIECES OF TECHNOLOGY: GEOMETER'S SKETCH PAD & TI NAVIGATOR.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

MICHIGAN COUNCIL FOR TEACHERS OF MATHEMATICS. (MCTM)

DETROIT AREA COUNCILS FOR TEACHERS OF MATHEMATICS, BOARD MEMBER. (DACTM)

UNITED STATES PROFESSIONAL TENNIS ASSOCIATION RATED AS A P-1. (USPTA)

REFERENCES

EXCELLENT REFERENCES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST