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EDUCATION/QUALIFICATIONS

September 2023: CELTA

Cambridge Regional College, Kings Hedges Rd, Milton, Cambridge, CB4 2QT

February 2017: C&G Level 5 Diploma Education & Training

Oaklands College, Hatfield Road, St. Albans, Hertfordshire, AL4 0JA

July 2013: Education & Training Level 4 Award (PTLLS)

Macclesfield College, Park Lane, Macclesfield, Cheshire, SK11 8LF

September 2009: BSc Animal Behaviour and Welfare

Myerscough College (UCLan), Bilsborrow, Preston, Lancashire, PR3 0RY

May 2007: FdSc Welfare of Animals

Myerscough College (UCLan), Bilsborrow, Preston, Lancashire, PR3 0RY.

July 2001: GNVQ Advanced Media Studies

Macclesfield College, Park Lane, Macclesfield, Cheshire, SK11 8LF.

August 1996: GCSEs including English, maths and science

Tytherington High School, Manchester Road, Macclesfield, Cheshire, SK10 2EE.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Oaklands college, Hatfield Road, St. Albans, Hertfordshire, AL4 0JA

January 2024 – present: Lecturer, ESOL: Delivering classroom-based lessons to adult ESOL learners, covering reading, writing, and speaking & listening in preparation for exams and to develop functional English for life in the UK.

September 2017 – March 2024: Lecturer, GCSE English: Delivering AQA content to students retaking the GCSE English exams, autumn and summer series. Revisiting and developing skills and knowledge to complete the exams. Facilitating development of students' reading, writing, comprehension and effective communication skills.

August 2014 – September 2022: Course coordinator, Level 3 Animal Management; lecturer, Animal Care; Practical Instructor, Animal Management: I was responsible for teaching a range of animal care/management subjects, both theory and practical across all levels from Entry 3 to levels 1-5, with particular experience delivering City & Guilds (C&G) Extended Diploma, C&G Extended Technical Diploma, and delivery and assessment of modules from the University of Hertfordshire's FDS Sc Animal Management course. Overseeing course development and data management, including modules, assessment schedules, planning for summative assessments and organising and leading team meetings were other elements of the role.

City & Islington college, Centre for Applied Sciences, The Angel, 311-321 Goswell Road, London, EC1V 7DD

September 2013-August 2014: Animal Technician: I provided daily care for a range of vertebrate and invertebrate species kept within the Centre and assisted students with practical animal care work and aspects of theoretical work. I provided technical support in other areas of the Animal Management Courses, preparing for practical sessions.

The Wild Roadshow, 5 Heathbank Road, Stockport, Cheshire, SK3 0UP

October 2012-September 2013: Animal Presenter: This role required me to visit schools and nurseries around north-west England, providing educational talks on a range of topics and presenting audiences with a variety of animals such as reptiles and invertebrates. An enthusiastic and adaptable approach was required as audiences ranged from pre-school children to senior citizens.

Woburn Safari Park, Woburn, Milton Keynes, Bedfordshire, MK17 9QN

March 2012-October 2012: Educational Enrichment Assistant: A seasonal position, where I was employed within the Education and Safari Services Departments. I delivered classroom sessions to visiting school groups and led and supervised tours of the park. These activities included supervising the 'Keeper for a Day' participants and leading off-road safari tours around the park in a 4WD vehicle. A positive approach to customer service was essential for this role.

Zoologica Ltd, 35 Bo'ness Road, Grangemouth, FK3 8AN

February 2011-March 2012: Ranger. Similar to the role I undertook at The Wild Roadshow, based in southern England, I visited educational establishments and presented animal handling workshops to audiences of a range of ages and ability. In addition to mainstream schools, I visited PRUs and SEN schools.

Shepreth Wildlife Park, Station Road, Shepreth, Hertfordshire, SG8 6PZ

June 2010-December 2010: Animal Keeper/Maintenance Team. Initially employed within the maintenance team, carrying out repairs and upkeep throughout the park, I was offered a keeper position and my main responsibility was in the invertebrate and aquatic section. I also worked within other areas of the park, providing husbandry to reptiles, large mammals and birds of prey.

Olive Maintenance, 8 Rowan Way, Macclesfield, Cheshire, SK10 2BL

June 2003-May 2010: Construction Assistant. I was employed in a family business to assist in all aspects of construction work. A positive approach to physical work and teamwork was an essential aspect of the job, as was an acute awareness for health and safety.