

CURRICULUM VITAE
Roderick A Weatherly

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

1. **Post Masters**, Lamar University, June 2003. Major Area: Teacher Certification
2. **Master of Arts**, Wayne State University, June 1998. Major Area: Mass Communications
3. **Bachelor of Arts**, Morehouse College, May 1984. Major Area: Liberal Arts

POSITION IN HIGHER EDUCATION

1. 2014- Present: Adjunct Speech Instructor, Lamar State College Port Arthur

Introduction to Public Speaking teach this introduction communication course Students develop effective communication skills, how to write and give speeches such as informal, persuasive and special occasion. They also learn how to overcome communication apprehension and different types of delivery styles for presenting speeches.

POSTIONS IN EDUCATION

2014-Present: Speech Teacher, Port Arthur Independent School District

1. UIL Speech Coach Extemporaneous speaking. Students research and write various current events on the international, national and state level in preparation for competing in persuasive and informative speech competition. Professional Communications course, students learn how to write and give speeches in class, how to properly introduce themselves and prepare for interviews. They also learn how to prepare and write speeches that they present in class such as informal, persuasive and special occasion speeches. Students learn professional business protocol from writing to speaking.

2010-2014: Communities in Schools, Southeast Texas Inc.

2. Administered daily operations of program direction for three school districts in Southeast Texas while managing a staff of 17 employees for this educational non-profit institution. Responsible for recruiting new employees and conducting training for the organization. Received certified master trainer certificate Worked closely with the executive director on scheduling campus visits. Developed new intervention and prevention training projects when requested.

INSTRUCTIONAL EXPERIENCE

1. Credit courses for Lamar State College Port Arthur in Correctional Education
 - a. Introduction to Public Speaking (SPCH 1315), Interpersonal Communication (SPCH 1318)

ADDITIONAL RELATED EXPERIENCE IN HIGHER EDUCATION

1. 1998-2000 Jarvis Christian College, Grants Writer
Wrote grants and revised past proposals written by college faculty to governmental agencies for editing and researching. Former proposals included: Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and the Department of Education (DOE).

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

1. **2014-current:** National Communication Association (NCA)
2. **2018-current:** Texas Speech Communication Association (TSCA)