

# **Mona Gregory**

## **EDUCATION**

### **West Texas A&M University**

M. A. in Communication, May 1996, Canyon, TX

B. A. in Speech Communication, December 1991, Canyon, TX

## **PROFESSIONAL TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

**The University of Texas at Dallas, Richardson, Texas, Sept. 2014 to present**

**Lecturer in Communication**

**Undergraduate course taught: Survey of Oral and Technology-Based Communications**

**West Texas A&M University, Canyon, Texas, Jan. 2009 to Aug. 2013**

**Instructor of Communication**

**Undergraduate courses taught: Basic Public Speaking, Interpersonal Communication, WT Leadership, Gear Up**

The leadership course partnered with Leadership Amarillo/Canyon, a non-profit organization, to lead and facilitate leadership concepts to teens from area high schools. Gear Up partnered with Amarillo College to recruit, train and match college mentors with Amarillo/Canyon area high school students.

As Instructor of Communication, the primary responsibility was to teaching excellence by engaging students and preparing them to achieve course objectives. Excellent CIEQ scores and performance evaluations can be provided.

Responsibilities also included:

developing course objectives, writing course syllabi, grading and reporting, using innovative strategies to engage students, classroom assessment and reporting, peer evaluation, advising students, service to department, university and community, research presentations, and professional development.

**West Texas A&M University, Aug. 1995 to Dec. 1999**

**Graduate Assistant and Adjunct Instructor of Communication**

Taught courses in public speaking, interpersonal communication, and business and professional speaking.

**RELATED EXPERIENCE**

**Global Partners Inc., Hong Kong, July 2003 to Jan. 2009**

**Stateside Representative**

Traveled in the United States speaking at women's events, conferences and churches.

**Strategy Coordinator to a city in Mainland China**

Start-up business consultant to successful English school and bakery; planning of agendas, weekly meetings, and special events; English tutor, English corner, workshop presenter, business development and marketing. Adjunct ESL teacher to local university.

**Accounting Services, Lubbock/Canyon, Texas April 1993 to July 2003**

**Small Business Owner**

Provided bookkeeping, collections, marketing and communication services for clients; related to business owners, homeowner association members, accountants and clients' service providers.

**SERVICE**

Gear Up Mentoring Coordinator • International Eradication of Poverty Day Committee • Communication Hall of Fame • Faculty Search Committee • Advising • Accelerated Master's Committee • Teacher Education Unit • Freshman Mentor Program • Campus Greeter • Admission's Recruiting Nights • Research Conference Judge • WTAMU and CISD Speech Tournament Judge • Canyon Eagle Booster Club VP • PTA • Yearbook Spies • Local Church Event Planner • ESL teacher to refugees • Guest Lecturer and Speaker

**HONORS AND AWARDS**

TAMUS Chancellor's Teaching Excellence Award every semester given: Spring, Fall and Summer 2010, Spring, Fall, Summer 2011

Outstanding Contributions in Instructional Responsibilities Department of Communication 2011

Outstanding Contributions in Instructional Responsibilities Sybil B. Harrington College of Fine Arts and Humanities 2011

Nominated for University Outstanding Contributions in Instructional Responsibilities Award 2011

WTAMU Intercollegiate Athletic Department Student-Athlete Advisory Committee Award 2011 and 2012

Showcase in a Suitcase College of Fine Arts Grant for showcasing WTAMU Dept. of Communication students and recruitment of high school students 2012

Study Abroad Grant for exploratory trip to Lima, Peru, traveled May, 2013

#### **PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS**

**Gregory, M. & McKee, C. (2012, October). *Recovering Our Culture: The Impact of Social Media on Interpersonal Skills*. Texas Speech Communication Association Convention, San Antonio, Texas.**

**Hanson, T.L., Gregory, M., & Schlegel, P. (2012, April). *Using a Common Reader to Engage Students in the Basic Communication Course*. Southern States Communication Association, San Antonio, Texas.**

**Gregory, M. & McKee, C. (2011). *Interpersonal Connections: Making the Most of Your Relationships*. Boston, MA: Pearson.**

**Gregory, M.Y. (2011, May). *Engaging Millennial Students in the Basic Course*. Teaching Professor Conference, Atlanta, Georgia.**

**Gregory, M.Y. (2011, August). *Engaging Millennial Students*. i3 Conference and Expo, Amarillo, Texas.**

**Gregory, M.Y. (2011, October). *Beyond Understanding of the Millennial Cohort*. Texas Speech Communication Association Convention, Dallas, Texas.**

“Gender Differences: An Examination of Computer-Mediated Communication,” 1998, Communication Contexts II, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, ERIC.

“Vivid look at Care-giving,” Spring 1998, Women in Libraries.

“Electronic Mail and Voice Mail: The Impact of Word Choice and Privacy on Climate,” TSCA, October, 1996, TTU, February 1996, WTAMU, November 1995, TSCA, October 1996.

“College Freshman Transition Process: Small High School Compared to Large High School Students,” TTU, February 1996; WTAMU November 1995.

“Electronic Mail: The Relationship Between Language and Climate and One’s message and Privacy” TSCA, October 1996.

### **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

Texas Tech University Advancing Teaching and Learning Conference 2011-2013  
WT Enterprise Center Lunch and Learn Series 2013  
Communication Department Lunch and Learn Series 2009-2013  
Texas Speech Communication Association Convention 2011-2012  
Living Learning Communities Workshop 2012  
Webinar-WebEx Workshop 2012  
Creating Significant Learning Experiences, Dr. Barbara J. Mills 2011  
Teaching Professor Conference 2011  
Catalyst Leadership Conference 2011  
Dyslexia Workshop, Amberly Cogswell 2011  
Department Retreats 2009-2012  
Lean Six Sigma Training 2012  
Teaching Naked Workshop, Dr. Jose Bowen 2012  
Beyond CIEQ's, Dr. Amy Andersen 2012  
Study Abroad Workshop, Amber Howard 2011  
Security Awareness Training 2011  
Storytelling Workshop, Tom McDermott 2011  
Learning Assessment, Dr. Heidi Taylor 2011  
Demystifying Disabilities: Trending Topic in the University Environment 2011  
Gendered Violence, Jackson Katz 2010  
Understanding the Next Generation, Dr. Mark Taylor 2010  
Chick-fil-a Leadercast Leadership Conference 2010  
Generation Me, by Jean Twenge 2009  
Teaching for and about Critical Thinking 2009  
Sedona Systems Training, 2009  
Communication and Coordination Tools, Lora Haasl 2009  
Behavioral Intervention Team's Managing Disruptive Behavior, Dr. Harry Hueston 2010  
Academic Advising, Cindy Barnes 2009  
Resume Workshop, Denise Skinner 2009  
First Year Teacher Academy Workshop, Ginger Tucker, 2009  
**Becoming a Counselor**, by Dr. Darren Martin 2006  
**Asia International Education Conference 2003-2007**  
**Level 3 Student of Mandarin 2007**  
**Situational Leadership – SLII**, by Ken Blanchard 2005  
**Strategy Training Workshop** (one month) Singapore 2004  
**ESL Workshops and Training Certificate 1999, 2003**