



## **Education**

### Ball State University

- M.A.            Communication Language Arts and Sciences, 2017  
B.S.            Interpersonal Communication, minor Classic Cultures, 2012

### Ivy Tech Community College

- A.S.            Professional Communication, 2010  
A.S.            General Education, 2010

## **Educational Grants and Awards**

- Graduate Student Recognition Award, Ball State University, 2013- 2016  
Graduate Merit Fellowship, Ball State University, 2013-2014  
Outstanding Student in Professional Communication Program, Ivy Tech State College, 2010  
Dean's List; Ivy Tech Community College, 2010

## **Professional Employment**

- Graduate Teaching Assistant*, Department of Communication, Ball State University, August 2013 – May 2016  
*Instructor of Record*, Ivy Tech Community College, January 2016 - May 2016

## **Pedagogical Experience**

### Primary Instructor:

- Fundamentals of Public Speaking, COMM 210; 2013-2016, Ball State University  
Fundamentals of Public Speaking, COMM 101; 2016, Ivy Tech Community College  
Interpersonal Communication, COMM 102, 2016; Ivy Tech Community College  
Workplace Communication, COMM 104, 2016; Ivy Tech Community College

### Teaching Assistant:

- Intercultural Communication, COMM 290; 2015 & 2012 Ball State University  
Persuasion, COMM 320; 2014 - 2013, Ball State University

### Guest Lecture:

- Small Group Decision Making, COMM 330; 2014; Ball State University  
Debate and Argumentation, COMM 220; 2012; Ball State University



## **Pedagogical Training**

Pre-Service Graduate Teaching Assistant Training Program; 2015, 2014 & 2013; Ball State University, Department of Communication Studies  
Pre-Service ESSL 200 Teacher Training, 2017-Present, Colorado Mesa University

## **Professional Development**

Blackboard Training, 2016; Ivy Tech Community College  
LGBTQ Safe Zone Training, 2016; Ball State University  
Pre-Service Training Sessions, 2017- Present, Colorado Mesa University

## **SERVICE ACTIVITY**

### **Departmental Service**

Judge - National Educational Debate Association (NEDA),  
Fullerton College, Fullerton, CA; October 29, 2015  
University California Fullerton Campus, Fullerton, CA; October 30, 2015  
Ball State University, Muncie, In; February 14, 2015  
Ball State University, Muncie, In; November 8-9, 2013

Judge- Ball State Speech Team

Mid America Forensic League (MAFL), Muncie, In; September 26-27, 2015  
MAFL, Muncie, In; September 27-28, 2014

Age of Aquarius, Muncie, In; October 11, 2015  
Age of Aquarius, Muncie, In; October 18, 2014

Judge- Bucket Speech, 2013

Graduate Professional Development Committee, Basic Communication Course Program  
Ball State University, 2014 - 201  
Graduate Instructional Development Committee, Basic Communication Course Program,  
Ball State University, 2013 - 2014

Curriculum Committee, Colorado Mesa University, Department of Theatre Arts Grand  
Junction Co, 2017 – Current

### **Professional Service**

#### National Communication Association

*Paper Reviewer*  
Rhetoric and Communication Division, 2015



Great Ideas for Teaching Division, 2015

Central States Communication Association

*Paper Reviewer*

Instructional Resources Interest Group, 2014

## ACADEMIC ACTIVITY

### **Conference Papers and G.I.F.T.s**

#### Top Paper in Argumentation and Forensics

Chambers, D. (2016). Argumentation as the basic communication course: What students really need. To be presented at the Central States Communication Association Conference, Grand Rapids, MI.

#### Great Ideas for Teaching (G.I.F.T.)

Chambers, D. (2016). Toulmin's model of argumentation and Apples to Apples. G.I.F.T. To be presented at Central States Communication Association Conference, Grand Rapids, MI.

Chambers, D. (2014). Introduction/Eulogy/Celebratory introductory micro-speech. G.I.F.T. presented at the Central States Communication Association Conference, Madison, WI.

### **Other Publications**

Shad, D. (2012). Cycles of life. Facing Poverty: Bridging the Poverty Divide One Story at a Time (pp. 51-53), Muncie, IN; George and Frances Ball Foundation.

Shad, D. (2012). Dear classmates: Dee Shad. *Commentary*, 2(8), 3.

### **Professional Affiliations**

National Communication Association (2014 – Present)

Western States Communication Association (2017- Present)

Central States Communication Association (2014 – 2017)

Lambda Pi Eta, Ball State Chapter (2011-2012)