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EDUCATION

B.A., University of Texas-Pan American

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M.S., Minnesota State University-Mankato

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GRADUATE CERTIFICATES

Graduate Certificate in Child Advocacy Studies, University of Wisconsin, Platteville

Graduate Certificate in Cultural Diversity, Minnesota State University-Mankato

BIOGRAPHY

I am originally from south Texas, now make Worthington, MN my home. I am a former Child Protective Specialist (CPS II) for the State of Texas, a former 5th bilingual Instructor, and former research associate for Texas A&M School of Rural Public Health.

COURSES TAUGHT

Introduction to Criminal Justice, Introduction to Justice and Society, Crime: Race, Poverty, and Social Policy, Law Enforcement and Society, Criminology Diversity/Community Policing/Victimization, Introduction to Sociology, Social Problems, Race and Ethnic Relations, Marriage and the Family, and Latino Perspectives.