

Curriculum Vita

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EDUCATION

<i>Ed.D.</i> <i>Major:</i>	University of Northern Colorado. <i>Instructional Technology/Curriculum and Instruction.</i>
<i>M.S.</i> <i>Major:</i>	Oregon College of Education. <i>Educational Media.</i>
<i>M.S.</i> <i>Major:</i>	University of Teheran <i>Health Education.</i>
<i>B.S.</i> <i>Major:</i>	University of Teheran. <i>Social Sciences.</i>

EXPERIENCE

January 1996
to Present

Director, Center for the Support of Instructional Technology, Humboldt State University, Arcata, CA.

The Center is comprised of: Courseware Development Center, Faculty Development Lab, Media Distribution, Media Production, and Academic Computing.

- **Developed a proposal for creating a Center for Instructional Technology to consolidate technology-mediated service providers on the Campus.**
- **Wrote a successful grant proposal to upgrade the audiovisual equipment in over 85% of the classrooms and created smart classrooms.**
- **Implemented the Point of Origin Project to deliver instructional materials on the local cable for the surrounding communities.**
- **Collaborated in the Imaging Project to provide a means of electronically scanning, storing, and retrieving images for classroom instructions and use on the World Wide Web.**
- **Placed the media catalog on the Web with browse and search capability.**

Also Teaching:

- Teacher Computer Competency I and II, SED 716 & SED 718
- Visual Communication Through Computer Technology, CIS 480
- Educational Computing, CIS 605

November 1984
Dec. 1996

Media Specialist and Adjunct Faculty, California State University, Bakersfield, California.

Regularly, from 1985 to 1995, taught the following courses:

- Computer-Based Instruction, ED-CI 560

- Introduction to Microcomputer, Gen-Ed 390
- Celebrating Diversity Through Film, Gen-Ed 289

Also taught other courses, including:

- Visual Communications Using Computers, Comm. 477
- Instructional Technology, ED-CI 594.063
- Advanced Multimedia Production, Comm. 445
- Visual Communication with Computer Technology, Comm 387
- Telecommunications and Electronic Delivery Systems, Comm 477.
- Mass Media and Society, Comm 378
- Video Production Techniques, Comm X390.001
- Evaluation of Educational Software, Educ X992.142
- HyperCard Stack Development, Educ X992.143
- Multimedia Development, Comm 388

- **Developed an interdisciplinary graduate program in Instructional Technology and Computer Imaging in Communications.**
- **Developed a certificate program in Computer Imaging for Communications Department.**
- **Contributed to the development of Instructional Television and Distance Learning Program.**

June 1983

October 1984

Media Services Coordinator, North Colorado Medical Center, Greeley, Colorado. The medical center is a 306-bed facility comprised of over 1300 physicians, nurses, and staff. It offers wide varieties of educational programs.

- **Developed a series of award-winning brochures.**
- **Built a first-place winner float for 4th of July.**

June 1982

August 1982

Director of Audiovisual Services, 6th Annual Kephart Symposium, Aspen, Colorado.

May 1981

June 1982

Teaching Assistant, Department of Educational Media, University of Northern Colorado, Greeley, Colorado.

Taught the following courses:

- Introduction To Educational Media, EDEM 437
- Design and Construction of AV Materials, EDEM 520
- Television in Education, EDEM 560

March 1980

December 1980

Teaching Assistant, Department of Educational Media, Oregon College of Education, Monmouth, Oregon.

September 1977
March 1978

Taught the following course:
• Educational Media and Materials, ED-Media 433

Assistant Professor and Practicum Supervisor, College of Rehabilitation, Teheran, Iran.

Teaching responsibilities:
• Community Health, HE-ED, 428
• Human Resources in Health, HE-ED 334
• Health Education, HE-ED, 218

- **Supervised graduate students' practicum.**
- **Served as managing editor for the college bulletin.**

September 1975
September 1977

Instructor and Practicum Supervisor, Teheran College of School Health, Teheran, Iran.

Taught the following courses:
• Health Education in Schools, HE 324
• Community Health, HE 312

- **Advised students and served as member of college curriculum committee.**

October 1972
March 1974

Health Education Coordinator, Department of Public Health, Teheran, Iran.

- **Planned health education program for the region.**
- **Conducted workshops on public health for community.**
- **Produced educational pamphlets and brochures.**

September 1968
June 1972

Public School Teacher, Four Seasons Public School, K - 8, Teheran, Iran.

- **Taught third grade.**
- **Taught social studies at the secondary level.**
- **Coached the school's track and field team and advised the school's Drama Club.**

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Educator's Guide to Desktop Publishing: Using QuarkXPress 4.0. Needham Heights, MA: Allyn & Bacon, in progress.

Desktop Publishing for Educators: Using Adobe PageMaker 6.5. New York, NY: Allyn & Bacon, 1998.

Multimedia: Interactive Video Production. Belmont, California: Wadsworth (ITP) Publishing, 1996.

Desktop Publishing for Educators: Using Quark XPress for Macintosh. Denver, CO: Libraries Unlimited, 1995.

Educator's Handbook to Desktop Publishing: Using PageMaker, IBM/ Compatibles Edition. Denver, CO: Libraries Unlimited, 1994.

Educator's Handbook to Desktop Publishing: Using PageMaker, Macintosh Edition. Denver, CO: Libraries Unlimited, 1993.

Telecommunications: A Handbook for Educators. New York, NY: Garland Publishing, 1992.

Educational Computing: Principles and Applications. Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Educational Technology Publications, 1990.

Powerful Multimedia Presentation: Using PowerPoint. Belmont, California: Wadsworth Publishing, in progress.

Mystical Realities: Iranian Short Stories. Translation. Bakersfield, CA: Favor Publishing, 1993.

Articles

"Digital Video: In the Classroom and on the Net." *Syllabus*, pp. 18-20+. January 1998.

"Technology-Mediated Presentation in the Classroom,." *Syllabus*, pp. 10-11+. January 1997.

"A Stranger at Home," Translation from Farsi into English. *Chicago Review*, PP. 24-29. Vol. 39, No. 2, 1993.

"Computer Viruses and Safe Educational Computing Practices," *Educational Technology*, PP. 26-32. November 1991.

"Blasphemy and Apostasy in the Monotheistic Religions," Translation into Farsi, *Simorgh Magazine*, November 1990.

"Computer Security: New Managerial Challenges for 80's and Beyond," with Bidgoli, Hossein. *Journal of Systems Management*, PP. 21-27. October 1989.

"Microcomputer Networking in an Inexpensive Way," with Byrd, Gary. *TechTrends*, PP. 28-29, September 1988.

"Savvy Security Measures Keep Computer Intruders at Bay." with Bidgoli, Hossein. *The Executive Educator*, PP. 13-15, June 1988.

"Model Building in Decision Support Systems Environment," with Bidgoli, Hossein. *Proceeding, Western Decision Science Institute, Hawaii*, March, 1988.

"Teleconferencing: An Instructional Tool," *Educational Technology*, December, 1987, PP. 28-32.

"Teleconferencing: How To Be A Successful Host," *TechTrends*, September, 1987 PP. 19-23.

"Security Considerations in Small Business Computing," with Bidgoli, Hossein, and Rudd, Howard. *Proceeding, Annual Conference of the Small Business Institution Directors' Association*. San Antonio, Texas, February, 1987.

GRANTS

I have successfully obtained the following grants:

Humboldt State University Surplus , 135,000.00 for Classroom upgrade, 1997.

Humboldt Area Foundation, \$3,900.00 for live-broadcast equipment, in cooperation with Jeremy Ketelsen, 1997.

Humboldt State University Foundation, \$750.00 for live-broadcast equipment, in cooperation with Jeremy Ketelsen, 1997.

Human Rights Watch Free Expression Project, \$5,000.00 for exiled author and editor Morteza Miraftabi, 1995.

WORKSHOPS AND PRESENTATIONS

Multimedia and the Web. A full-day workshop for the Syllabus '98 Conference, Sonoma State University, CA, July 1998.

Powerful Presentation for Instruction: Using PowerPoint. A half-day workshop for the (Tech Ed '98) Technology in Education Conference and Exposition, Santa Clara, CA, May 3, 1998.

Powerful Presentation for Instruction and Internet. A full-day workshop for the Association for Educational Communications and Technology (AECT) Convention, St. Louis, Missouri, February, 17, 1998.

Classroom Presentation: Using PowerPoint. A full-day workshop for the College Staff Development, College of the Redwoods, January 8, 1998.

Powerful Presentation: Using PowerPoint for Mac and Windows. A half-day workshop at the Association for Educational Communications and Technology (AECT) Convention, Albuquerque, New Mexico, February 12, 1997.

Presentation and Multimedia in the Classroom. Full-day hand-on workshops scheduled for January 10 & 19, February 23, March 21, May 17 & 18, July 26 & 31, 1997.

Powerful Presentation: Using PowerPoint. A half-day workshop at the Association for Educational Communications and Technology (AECT) Convention, Indianapolis, Indiana, Feb. 1996.

Desktop Publishing for Instructional Material Development. A half-day workshop at the 7th Annual Association for Advancement of Computing in Education Convention, Phoenix, Arizona, *scheduled for March 1996*.

Effective Presentation: Using PowerPoint for Mac and Windows, presentation at the AECT Convention, Anaheim, CA, February 1995.

Using PowerPoint for Effective Presentations. A half-day workshop at the 6th Annual Association for Advancement of Computing in Education Convention, San Antonio, TX, March 1995.

PowerPoint for Effective Instructional Material Presentation. Workshop for 7th Annual Mathematics, Science & Technology Conference, Bakersfield, CA, March 1995.

Desktop Publishing and Newsletter Design, California State University, Bakersfield. Quarterly workshop for professionals and educators.

Desktop Publishing and Instructional Material Design. University of Pennsylvania, a workshop for participants in the First Annual Conference of Technology in Education, March 1993.

Instructional Technology Workshops, California State University, Bakersfield, CA 1984-88. The workshops have been conducted regularly. Workshop topics included audiovisual equipment operation and utilization, audiovisual material production, and instructional development. About 300 faculty and students have participated in the workshops.

Microcomputer Training, North Colorado Medical Center, Greeley, Co. 1984. Over 300 medical center employees participated in the workshops.

Computer Literacy for Teachers and School Administrators, California State University, Bakersfield, CA, 1984 to present. More than 800 participated in the workshops.

Guest Speaker, Multiple Subjects courses, made presentations on "Utilization and Operation of Educational Media Equipment." California State University, Bakersfield, Spring 1985.

Guest Speaker, Management Information Systems, made presentations on "Satellite Technology." California State University, Bakersfield, Winter 1986.

Guest Speaker, Mass Media and Society, made a series of presentations on "Telecommunications and Society." California State University, Bakersfield, Spring 1986.

Guest Speaker, Multiple Subject courses, made a presentation on "Video Techniques." California State University, Bakersfield, Spring 1986.

Guest Speaker, Management Information Systems, made a presentation on "Computer Security Measures." California State University, Bakersfield, Fall 1986.

Guest Speaker, Management Information Systems, made a presentation on "Teleconferencing." California State University, Bakersfield, Spring 1987.

Guest Speaker, Introduction to Journalism, made a presentation on "Telejournalism." California State University, Bakersfield, Winter 1988.

Guest Speaker, Special Education, made a presentation on "Logo Programming for Special Ed Teachers." California State University, Bakersfield, Spring 1988.

Moderator for a panel of discussion on "Salman Rushdi and Censorship." California State University, Bakersfield, Spring 1989.

Guest Speaker, Philosophy and Religious Study, made a presentation on "Islam in Iran." California State University, Bakersfield, Winter 1989.

HyperCard Workshop for Faculty, using HyperCard to develop instructional materials, California State University, Bakersfield, Fall 1990.

MEDIA PRODUCTION

Patterning Skills, a training video for the kindergarten teacher in-service program, Bakersfield, August, 1987.

Documentary video production, "Tripartite Therapy," Bakersfield, CA. Feb. 1987.

30-minute documentary video production, "High Intensity Language Training (HILT) Program" for Multicultural Bilingual Special Education Grant, Sep. 1986. Bakersfield, CA.

Slide-tape program, "Career Beginning Program," California State University, Bakersfield, 1986.

Slide-tape presentation, "Registration Process at CSU," Bakersfield, CA. August 1985.

Two promotional video programs for the American Hospital Association Day, March, 1984, Greeley, CO. The programs were broadcasted locally.

Multi-image slide-tape presentation, "Family Recovery Center," Greeley, CO. May, 1984.

Slide-tape presentation, "Child-Burn Care," Greeley, CO. Sep. 1983.

Promotional brochures for North Colorado Medical Center, Greeley CO. The design for the brochures won the First Place award, Colorado Hospital Association, 1984.

SPECIAL TRAINING

Personal Trainer and Fitness Counselor certification, Aerobics and Fitness Association of America, 1994.

Programming with dBase III Plus, Bakersfield College, 198P.

Lotus 1-2-3, Bakersfield College, Bakersfield, CA, 1987.

d-Base III, Bakersfield College, Bakersfield, CA, 1987.

Electronics, a ten-unit course on electronics applications, Bakersfield, CA, 1985.

Structure Programming, a five-unit course on BASIC, COBOL, and Structured Programming, C SU, Bakersfield, CA, 1985.

BASIC Programming, a two-unit course on computer BASIC programming, California State University, Bakersfield, CA, 1985.

Computer-Assisted Instruction, six-month in-service training, University of Northern Colorado, Greeley, Colorado, 1982.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Researcher, Research Communications, Ltd., Chestnut Hill, MA. Conducting pilot study on television and telecourse programs with home viewers, students, and faculty members. In the last five years, more than fifty different programs have been evaluated.

HONORS AND MERITS

Honor Roll student President's Honor List, Oregon College of Education, 1979 and 1980.

Scholarship Recipient, Oregon College of Education, 1979 and 1980 and University of Teheran, 1975 and 1976.

Employee of the Month, March, 1984, North Colorado Medical Center, Greeley, Colorado.

Honorable Mention Award, still photography, Nursing Management Journal, August, 1984.

Chairman, 4th of July Float Committee. The float won the first place plaque, July, 1984.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

PEN International, Member

Amnesty International, Member

Association for Educational Communications and Technology, member.

Phi Delta Kappa, Member. Chapter of Kern County, CA.

Decision Support System Club, member.

Aerobic and Fitness Association of America, Member

Educational Opportunity Program (EOP) Selection Committee member, California State University, Bakersfield.

College Budget and Planning Committee, member, California State University, Bakersfield, 1986-87.

Technology in Education Committee, member, California State University, Bakersfield, 1986/87.

Instructional Program Improvement/Enhancement, member, California State University, Bakersfield, 1986/87.

Graduate Council, student representative, University of Northern Colorado, 1981-1983.