

DESIREE THORPE

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EDUCATION:

A.A. English, 2015 Cisco College, TX
B.A. English, 2016 McMurry University, TX
M.A. English, 2016-2018 Angelo State University, TX

PUBLICATION

Literary and Art Magazine:

“Influence” *The Galleon*. McMurry University, 2015

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

“Texas Injustice: Eyewitness Misidentification and the Wrongfully Convicted.” 2nd
Annual McMurry Academic Conference, McMurry University, 2015.

“Teaching Anime and Manga in First-Year Composition.” *Southwest Popular/American
Culture Association*, 2018.

“From Deku (デク) to Deku(できる): The Benefits of Incorporating Anime and Manga
in First-Year Composition.” 49th *NeMLA*, University at Buffalo, 2018.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant, Angelo State University, 2018-present

- English Composition 1301

Guest Lectures, Angelo State University, 2016-2018

- English 1301.T50- 2016, Ms. Cynthia Burkhalter
- English 1301. T04- 2017-2018, Mrs. Marcie Cummings Puckitt
- English 1301, 2016 Dr. Mark Hama
- English 1301, 2017 Dr. Huffman

Graduate Assistant, Angelo State University, 2016-2018

- Writing Center
- T. Section Tutor

Guest Lecture, McMurry University, 2015

- SOCI 3330 - Social Stratification- Dr. Robert Wallace

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Angelo State University

Layout and Design Editor, *The Oasis*, 2017

Judge, Young Writer's Contest (Western fiction), 2017

U.I.L Contest Assistant, 2017

Tutor, Research Write & Cite: Research and Writing Support Workshop, 2017

McMurry University

Poetry Editor, *The Galleon*, 2016

AWARDS AND HONORS

McMurry University:

Dean's List, Fall 2013

Theta Alpha Kappa 2014-2016

AREAS OF INTEREST

- Social Mobility/Identity
- Technical Writing
- Rhetoric and Composition

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Ms. Cynthia Burkhalter, Instructor/Coordinator of Developmental English, cynthia.burkhalter@angelo.edu
- Mrs. Marcie Puckitt-Director of Writing Center, English Instructor, Marcie.Puckitt@angelo.edu
- Dr. Melissa Huffman, Director of First-Year Composition, English Professor, mellisa.huffman@angelo.edu