

ARTS & CULTURAL COMMISSION

***Three (3) vacancies with terms to 9-1-23, representing the following preferred but not required categories: 1 - Youth/Education, 1 - Higher Education and 1 - Architecture. (Mayoral appointment subject to confirmation by Council).**

Duties

The Arts & Cultural Commission recommends the use, location, lease or purchase of works of art to be considered a part of the beautification or cultural development of the City; to advise owners of private property in relation to beautification of their properties; to prepare specifications for the maintenance of works of art and to inspect such work for the guidance of the City departments concerned; to advise with respect to the design of buildings, bridges or other structures on city property if submitted to the Commission; to study and evaluate the activities in and the uses made of the Bayfront Arts & Science Park, and to plan the Park's development for future activities and uses.

Composition

Nine (9) members appointed by the Mayor subject to confirmation by the Council for three-year terms to provide advice on beautification and cultural development of the City. Membership in one or more of the following categories is preferred but not required: Marketing representative, Economic Development/Tourism representative, Public Space/Public Art representative, Youth/Education representative, Performing Arts representative, Visual Arts representative, Architecture representative, Higher Education representative, and Business Development Groups/Corporate representative. The Commission may organize and elect a Chairman annually and adopt such administrative procedures as are necessary to accomplish its purposes.

Member size	Term length	Term Limit
9	3 years	6 years

Name	District	Term	Appt. date	End date	Appointing Authority	Position	Status	Category	Attendance
Sarah E Coles	District 2	1	12/8/2015	9/1/2020	Mayor with Council Confirmation	Chair	Resigned	Youth/Education	
Carolyn M Mauck	District 4	1	12/19/2017	9/1/2020	Mayor with Council Confirmation		Seeking reappointment	Higher Education	2/2 meetings 100%
Nicholas P Gignac	District 4	1	12/19/2017	9/1/2020	Mayor with Council Confirmation		Seeking reappointment	Architecture	2/2 meetings 100%
Dr Abu N M Waheeduzzaman	District 5	1	2/26/2019	9/1/2021	Mayor with Council Confirmation		Active	Economic Dev./ Tourism	
Wallace W Echols jr	District 4	Partial	7/16/2019	9/1/2021	Mayor with Council Confirmation		Active	Marketing	
Dr. Laura A Petican	District 4	2	9/2/2018	9/1/2021	Mayor with Council Confirmation	Chair	Active	Visual Arts	

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James Moore	District 5	1	8/27/2019	9/1/2022	Mayor with Council Confirmation		Active	Performing Arts	
Sharon Sedwick	District 5	2	8/27/2019	9/1/2022	Mayor with Council Confirmation		Active	Business Dev. Groups/Corporate Rep.	
Jody Perkes Hughes	District 2	1	8/27/2019	9/1/2022	Mayor with Council Confirmation		Active	Public Art/ Public Space	

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Applicants

Name	District	Category
Samuel Alcorta Jr.	District 5	Youth / Education, Performing Arts
Nicholas Colosi	District 4	Higher Education, Performing Arts
Coretta Graham	District 3	Economic Development / Tourism, Business Development Groups / Corporate Rep.
Mark J Marquez II	District 5	Visual Arts, Economic Development / Tourism, Marketing, Performing Arts
Sara Sells Morgan	District 4	Visual Arts, Public Art / Public Space
Twyla Oliva	District 3	Youth / Education, Higher Education
Melissa Rios	District 1	Youth / Education, Performing Arts
Simone Sanders	District 3	Youth / Education, Higher Education, Economic Development / Tourism
Neal R. VanZante	District 5	Higher Education, Business Development Groups / Corporate Rep.
James E. Vargas	District 4	Performing Arts
Jim A. Willden	District 3	Visual Arts, Public Art / Public Space, Marketing

Application for a City Board, Commission, Committee or Corporation

Profile

Samuel

First Name

Alcorta

Last Name

Jr.

Suffix

Email Address

5002 Royalton Drive

Street Address

Corpus Christi

City

TX

State

78413

Postal Code

What district do you live in? *

☒ District 5

Current resident of the city?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how many years?

28

Mobile: (361) 446-4060

Primary Phone

Mobile: (361) 446-4060

Alternate Phone

School of Science and
Technology - High School

Employer

Spanish Teacher

Job Title

Work Address - Street Address and Suite Number

6633 Evans Rd

Work Address - City

Corpus Christi

Work Address - State

Texas

Work Address - Zip Code

78413

Work E-mail address

[REDACTED]

Preferred Mailing Address

☒ Home/Primary Address

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

ARTS & CULTURAL COMMISSION: Submitted

Interests & Experiences

Are you a registered voter?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Do you currently serve on any other City board, commission or committee at this time? If so, please list:

No

Education, Professional and/or Community Activity (Present)

BA Spanish, TAMUCC Choreographer of Mexican Folk Dance and Spanish Flamenco

Why are you interested in serving on a City board, commission or committee?

I think it is imperative that a commission that focuses on the arts have members that are diversity in their artistic ability and knowledge as well as reflect the demographic of the community they serve.

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Are you an ex-Officio member of a City Board, commission or committee?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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☒ Yes ☐ No

Demographics

Gender

☒ Male

Code of Ethics - Rules of Conduct/Conflicts of Interest

Do you represent any person or organization in any claim or lawsuit or proceeding involving the City?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Do you, your spouse, your business or your spouse's business have a City contract?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Does your employer or your spouse's employer have a City contract?

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Are you involved with any activities or employment that would conflict with the official duties on the City boards for which you are applying?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Are you, your spouse, your business or your spouse's business involved in any pending bid, proposal or negotiation in connection with a contract with the City?

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If you answer "Yes" to any of the questions above, please explain or ask to speak with the City's Legal Department. If you answer "NO" to all questions above, please enter N/A.

N/A

Board-specific questions (if applicable)

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☒ Youth / Education

☒ Performing Arts (music, dance, drama, film)

Verification**City Code Requirement - Residency**

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City Code Requirement - Attendance

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Consent for Release of Information

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Oath

I swear that all of the statements included in my application and attached documents, if any, are true and correct.

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SAMUEL ALCORTA, JR.

5002 ROYALTON DRIVE, CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS 78413 | C: (361) 446-4060 | E: 

Summary

Passionate and energetic educator with extensive experience working with youth and adolescence. Talented lecturer able to facilitate strong discussions, lead immersive activities, and manage special projects that promote optimal learning. First-hand knowledge of Hispanic culture, customs and traditions with the ability share these attributes with students as they relate to language acquisition and cultural diversity. Specialization in Mexican folk dance and Spanish as a second language.

Skills

- Spanish Proficiency
- Learning Styles
- Microsoft Office
- Mac O.S.
- Teaching Methods
- Translation Strategies
- Windows O.S.
- Adobe Creative Suite

Experience

ARTISTIC DIRECTOR | May 2010 - Current

Alcorta's Folklórico Dance Studio - Corpus Christi, TX

- Overall management of this non-profit organization; dance teacher; company choreographer; direct communication with students and parents in both English and Spanish; grant seeking and writing at local, state, and national level for arts organization; grant fund managements and compliance; maintain organization finances via QuickBooks software; manage web presence; writing of press releases; community relations; media relations; crisis communication plan development; attend board meetings; contract negotiations on international guest artists; event/production planning and coordinating; national/international tour coordinating.

DIGITAL MARKETING ASSISTANT | Jan 2014 - April 2015

USDM Digital Consultancy & Marketing Services | Corpus Christi, TX

- Managed web presence of five nationally based clients by generating website copy for all areas of service; SEO, metadata, and keyword research updates; social media campaign development and execution; assisted the director of digital marketing.

MANAGING EDITOR | Aug 2011 - Dec 2013

Island Waves Newspaper, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi | Corpus Christi, TX

- Overall production of the publication, headline writing, photo editing, cash handling/contract negotiation with ads department, review reader submissions, attend Editorial Board and publication content review meetings, community and campus outreach program development and execution; and assist Editor-in-Chief in performing quality assessment and evaluations of publication and staff performance.

Education

Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi | Corpus Christi, TX

Bachelor of Arts, Spanish | May 2020

References

Available upon request.

Application for a City Board, Commission, Committee or Corporation

Profile

Nicholas

First Name

Colosi

Last Name

Email Address

13561 Camino de Plata Court

Street Address

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CtCorpus Christi, TX 78418

Suite or Apt

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Doctor of Medicine, Retired Navy Medical Captain, Treasurer Padre Island Property Owners Association

Why are you interested in serving on a City board, commission or committee?

Involved with the performing arts since high school. served on the Boards of multiple arts groups in St. Louis & Corpus Christi

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January 2017

CURRICULUM VITAE – NICHOLAS J. COLOSI, M.D.

BORN: 11/11/42, Philadelphia, PA, USA

CITIZENSHIP: USA

ADDRESS: (Home) 13561 Camino de Plata Court
Corpus Christi, TX 78418
C-618-889-9160

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EDUCATION:

Undergraduate LaSalle University, Philadelphia, PA
AB, Biology, 1964

Graduate St. Louis University School of Medicine, St. Louis, MO
MD, 1968

Postgraduate Internship-Surgery, St. Louis University Group Hospitals. 1968-69
Residency-Ophthalmology, St. Louis University Group Hospitals, 1972-75
Fellowships-
Research Fellow in Medical Sciences-Department of Health, Education & Welfare, 1967-68
Department of Surgery, St. Louis University Hospital
Vallee J. Willman, M.D., Preceptor
Fellowships-(cont.)
Post-Doctoral Research Fellow of the National Institutes of Health, 1975-77
Ophthalmic Pathology Laboratory
Scheie Eye Institute, University of Pennsylvania, Phila., PA
Myron Yanoff, M.D., Preceptor

ACADEMIC POSITIONS/EMPLOYMENT:

Faculty, Ophthalmic Pathology Section Graduate Course in Ophthalmology, Scheie Eye Institute
University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine, 1976

Assistant Clinical Professor, Department of Ophthalmology, 1977-2006
Assistant Clinical Professor Emeritus, Department of Ophthalmology, 2006-
Assistant Clinical Professor, Department of Pathology, 1977-92
St. Louis University School of Medicine

Director of Continuing Medical Education in Ophthalmology
St. Louis University School of Medicine, 1978-80

Instructor in Clinical Ophthalmology & Visual Sciences, 1991-2002
Assistant Professor (Clinical) of Ophthalmology & Visual Sciences, 2002-2006
Assistant Professor Emeritus of Ophthalmology & Visual Sciences, 2006-
Washington University School of Medicine

Brentwood Eye Associates, St. Louis, 1977-2002
Veterans Administration Medical Center, St. Louis, 1991-2006
Veterans Administration Medical Center, Marion, IL 1993-2008
 Director, Surgical Services, 2006-2008
 Chief of Surgery, 2006-2008

Retired 2008-2009

Military Entrance & Processing Command, Associate Chief Medical Officer 2009-2013

Retired, 2013- 2014

Fort Knox, Cadet Summer Training Medical Support & Family Care Clinic, July 2014

UNIVERSITY/HOSPITAL/DEPARTMENTAL APPOINTMENTS AND COMMITTEES:

St. Louis University Hospitals, 1977-92
 Director, Ophthalmic Pathology Laboratory, 1977-80
 Utilization Review Committee, 1978-80
Cardinal Glennon Memorial Hospital for Children, 1977-92
 Section Chief, Ophthalmic Pathology Laboratory, 1977-92
 Infectious Disease Committee, 1979-81
Deaconess Hospital, 1977-2002
 Operating Room Committee, 1980-84
Missouri Baptist Hospital, 1977-
 Pharmacy Committee, 1980-2006
 Formulary Subcommittee, Chairman, 1992-2003
 Emeritus Staff, 2006-
St. Mary's Hospital, 1977-2006
St. John's Mercy Hospital, 1978-82, 1997-2001
St. Louis Eye Hospital, 1980-87
 Utilization Review Committee, 1981-83
 Tissue & Transfusion Committee, 1981-87
 Infectious Disease Committee, 1981-87
 Audit Committee, 1983
 Emergency Room Committee, 1983
Christian Hospitals, 1981-82
Surgery Center of St. Louis, 1983-86
 Medical Advisory Committee, 1983-86
Bethesda General Hospital, 1985-92

Bethesda Eye Institute, 1984-92
St. Louis Health Center, 1988-90
Outpatient Surgery Center, 1990-2006
St. Luke's Hospital, 1990-
 Disaster Committee, 2001-2002
 Emeritus Staff, 2006-
Barnes-St. Louis Health Center, 1990-92
Barnes Hospital, 1991-
 Emeritus Staff, 2006-
St. Louis Children's Hospital, 1992-2006
Veterans Administration Medical Center, St. Louis, 1994-2006
 Laser Safety Committee, 1994-2006
 Surgical Case Review Committee, 1996-2006
 Executive Committee of the Medical Staff, 1997-99, 2001-02
 Infection Control Committee, 1998-2006
 Pharmacy & Therapeutics Committee, 1999-2002
 Chairman, Quality Assurance Subcommittee, 2000-01
 Chairman, 2001-02
Veterans Administration Medical Center, Marion, IL, 1996-2008
 Director, Surgical Services, 2006-2008
 Chief of Surgery, 2006-2008
 Laser Safety Committee, 1996-2008
St. Anthony's Medical Center, 2001-2008

MEDICAL AND BOARD CERTIFICATION:

Missouri 31672, 1968-
Pennsylvania MD 017186 E, 1975-78
Michigan 4301075528, 2000-2004

American Board of Ophthalmology, 1977-

MILITARY SERVICE:

Lieutenant, Medical Corps, U.S. Navy, 1965-72
Ship's Surgeon, USS Northhampton CC-1
Senior Medical Officer, Triage, Naval Hospital Philadelphia

Captain, Medical Corps, U.S. Navy Reserve, 1983-2009
Chief of Ophthalmology, Fleet Hospital 22, Kansas City, 1983
Battalion Surgeon, 3rd Battalion 24th Marines 4th Marine Division &
Commanding Officer, NR 4 MARDIV 3/24, St. Louis, 1983-87
Ship's Surgeon, USS Bainbridge CGN-25, Norfolk, 1987-88
Information Officer, U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, 1984-
Commanding Officer, Fleet Hospital 22 Det A, Cape Girardeau, 1988-89
Regimental Surgeon, 24th Regiment 4th Marine Division &
Commanding Officer, NR 4 MARDIV 24, Kansas City, 1989-92

Operation Desert Storm

Chief of Ophthalmology, US Marine Corps Hospital, Al-Jubayl, Saudi Arabia
1st Medical Battalion, 1st Force Service Support Group, 1st Marine Division
Ophthalmologist, US Air Force Hospital, Weisbaden, Germany
Senior Ophthalmologist, US Naval Hospital, Camp Pendleton
Senior Medical Officer, Branch Medical Clinics (Yuma, Barstow, El Centro, El Toro, Bridgeport)
Senior Medical Officer, Camp Pendleton

Officer-in-Charge, Fleet Hospital 22 PRIMUS P1849A, Columbia, 1992-94
Senior Ophthalmologist, 4th Medical Battalion, 4th Marine Division, Atlanta, 1994-96
Battalion Surgeon, 3rd Battalion, 24th Regiment, 4th Marine Division, St. Louis, 1994-96
Senior Ophthalmologist, Naval Hospital Camp Lejeune, 1996-98
Director of Medical Services, Fleet Hospital Great Lakes, 1998-2003
Clinical Services coordinator, 2002-2003
Director of Surgical Services, Fleet Hospital Fort Dix, 2003-2004
Chief of Ophthalmology, Naval Hospital Camp Pendleton, 2004-2006
Senior Medical Officer, Naval Forces Marianas, 2004-2006
Medical Officer, Logistics Naval Forces Korea, 2006-2009
Retired, 2009

ACTIVE DUTY FOR TRAINING

Aug 84- Battalion Surgeon, 3rd Battalion, 24th Regiment, 4th Marine Division
Mobilization Exercise, Camp Lejeune
Jul 85- Battalion Surgeon, 3rd Battalion, 24th Regiment, 4th Marine Division
Mobilization Exercise, 29 Palms
May 86- Regimental Surgeon, 24th Regiment, 4th Marine Division
Combined Arms Exercise, 29 Palms
Aug 87- Battalion Surgeon, 3rd Battalion, 24th Regiment, 4th Marine Division
Mobilization Exercise, Camp Ripley
Mar 88- Ship's Surgeon
USS BAINBRIDGE CGN-25
Jan 89- Chief of Staff & Medical Director, Fleet Hospital 22 Combat Zone 500
Fleet Hospital Operation & Training Command, Camp Pendleton
Jun 90- Student, Strategic Medical Readiness & Contingency Course
School of Health Sciences, Bethesda
Jul 92- Combat Medical Officer, 44th Marine Expeditionary Unit
Combined Arms Exercise, 29 Palms
Aug 93- Ophthalmologist
Naval Medical Center, San Diego
Aug 94- Ophthalmologist
Naval Medical Center, San Diego
Feb 95- Student & Senior Medical Officer
Extreme Cold Weather Survival Training, 10th Ranger Division, US Army, Fort Drum
Mar 96- Senior Medical Officer, US Naval Forces, NATO
Battle Griffen, Norway
Jun 97- Ophthalmologist
Submarine Base, Groton
Mar 98- Medical Team Leader, 4th Medical Battalion, 4th Marine Division

	Arctic Care 98, Alaska
Jul 99-	Commanding Officer, Fleet Hospital Great Lakes
	Combined Arms Exercise, 29 Palms
Apr 00-	Student
	Advanced Leadership Course, Coronado
Mar 01-	Director of Medicine
	Kernal Blitz, Fleet Hospital Great Lakes
	Fleet Hospital Operations & Training Command, Camp Pendleton
Feb 02-	Director of Medicine
	Operational Readiness Exercise, Fleet Hospital Great Lakes
	Fleet Hospital Operations & Training Command, Camp Pendleton
Aug 02-	Staff Ophthalmologist
	Naval Medical Center, San Diego
Mar 03-	Senior Medical Officer
	MEDRETE, Comayagua, Honduras
Aug 03-	Staff Ophthalmologist
	Naval Medical Center, San Diego
Dec 03-	Senior Medical Officer
	Final Planning Conference, Balakitan 04, Manila, Philippines
Feb 04	Commanding Officer
	MEDCAP, Basco Detachment, Fleet Hospital Fort Dix
	Balikatan 04, Batanas Islands, Philippines
Apr 05	Department Head, Ophthalmology
	Naval Hospital Marianas Islands
Sep 05	Department Head, Ophthalmology
	Naval Hospital, Marianas Islands
Jun 06	Department Head, Ophthalmology
	Naval Hospital, Marianas Islands
Aug 07	Department Head, Ophthalmology
	Naval Hospital, Marianas Islands
Mar 08	Department Head, Ophthalmology
	Naval Hospital, Marianas Islands
Mar 09	Staff Ophthalmologist
	Naval Health Clinic
	Naval Air Station, Corpus Christi, TX

Military Decorations

Meritorious Service Medal-US Marine Corps, Camp Pendleton 1991
Navy Commendation Medal- Fleet Hospital Great Lakes 2003
Navy Unit Commendation Ribbon-1st Marine Expeditionary Force, Saudi Arabia 1991
Meritorious Unit Commendation Ribbon-Naval Hospital Philadelphia 1972
Naval Hospital Camp Pendleton 1991
4th Marine Division, Saudi Arabia 1991
Naval Recruiting Command, St. Louis 1991

Fleet Marine Service Ribbon -1989
National Defense Medal- Viet Nam 1972
Saudi Arabia 1991
War on Terrorism 2002

Southwest Asia Medal- 1991
Global War on Terrorism, Service Medal-2005
Outstanding Volunteer Medal-1995
Sea Deployment Ribbon- 1991
Arctic Service Ribon-1998
Armed Forces Reserve Medal- 1990
Liberation of Kuwait Medal- Kingdom of Saudi Arabia 1991
Kuwait Liberation Medal- Kingdom of Kuwait 1996
Navy Recruiting Ribbon- St. Louis 1991
US Naval Academy 1997

Navy Expert Rifle Medal- 1985
Navy Expert Pistol Medal- 1985
Military Surgeons Medal- 1985

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES AND ORGANIZATIONS:

Missouri State Medical Association, 1972-87
House of Delegates, 1979-87
Interspecialiy Medicine Committee, 1980-83
Resolutions Committee, 1980
Commission of Medical Economics, Third Party Medicine & Government Relations, 1981-87
Chairman, 1984
Missouri Ophthalmological Society, 1972-99
Board of Directors, 1980-83
Chairman, Public Relations Committee, 1993-99
St. Louis Metropolitan Medical Society, 1972-87
Committee on Sports Medicine, 1976-87
Library Committee, 1979-87
Speakers Bureau, 1980-87
Medical-Legal Committee, 1980-81, 1984-86
Committee on Public Policy & Public Relations, 1980-83, 1985-87
Second Opinion Committee, 1980-84
Industrial Medicine Committee, 1982-83, 1985-86
Insurance Liaison Committee, 1982-84
Councilor of the Society, 1984-86
Voluntary Peer Review Committee, 1985-96
Secretary of the Society, 1987

St. Louis Ophthalmological Society, 1972-99
Director at Large, 1995-99
St. Louis University Ophthalmological Alumni Society, 1975-
President, 1978-80
Philadelphia County Medical Society, 1975-77
Pennsylvania Medical Society, 1975-77
University of Pennsylvania Alumni Association, 1977-
American Medical Association, 1975-87
Association for Research in Vision & Ophthalmology, 1975-83
Georgianna Drovak Theobald Society, 1978-92
Contact Lens Association of Ophthalmologists, 1978-83
American Academy of Ophthalmology, 1978-
Speakers Bureau, 1982-
Councilor of the Academy, 1983-86
American Intraocular Implant Society, 1979-83
American College of Surgeons, 1980-99
Committee on Applicants (Examiner), 1993-99
Association of Military Surgeons of the United States, 1983-2009
International Society for Neurofeedback & Research, 2009-2013

CONSULTING RELATIONSHIPS:

Consultant, Ophthalmic Pathology-Deaconess Hospital, 1977-2006
Missouri Baptist Hospital, 1978-2006
Consultant, Ophthalmology & Pathology-St. Louis Zoological Park, 1978-2006
Consultant, Surgical Advisory Council- Alcon Laboratories, Fort Worth, 1979-2006
Consultant, Council on Sports Vision- Bausch & Lomb, Rochester, 1979-2006
Consultant, Ophthalmology-Veterans Administration Medical Center, Tuskegee, 1981-2006
Consultant, Ophthalmology-Armed Forces Entrance & Examining Center, St. Louis, 1981-2006
Consultant, Ophthalmology-Correctional Medical Services, St. Louis, 1997-2000

RESEARCH SUPPORT:

Senior Clinical Investigator, Contact Lenses & Solutions-Bausch & Lomb, Rochester, 1981-2006
Core Investigator-Intermedics Intraocular Lens, Dubroff, 1983
Microruptor MR-2 Nd-Yag Laser, 1983
Surgidev Intraocular Lens, anterior chamber lens, 1984-85
Alcon Intraocular Lens, K204, 1986-91
Clinical Investigator-Immunetech Pharmaceuticals, 1985-86

CLINICAL/TEACHING TITLE AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

Assistant Professor Emeritus of Ophthalmology & Visual Sciences

BIBLIOGRAPHY:

Human Biochemical Parameters of Acceleration Stress
WEPTASK R 360 FR102/2021R01 101 01,1966

Colosi, N.J. & Yanoff, M.: Reactive corneal endothelialization: Study of 22 cases.
American Journal of Ophthalmology-83:219,1977

Yanoff, M., Fine, B.S., Colosi, N.J., Katowitz, J.A.: Lattice Corneal Dystrophy: Report of an unusual case
Archives of Ophthalmology-95:651,1977

Colosi, N.J. & Yanoff, M.: Intrusion of scleral implant with conjunctival epithelial ingrowth: Report of a case.
American Journal of Ophthalmology-83:504,1977

Presentations:

A simplified culture technique for corneal endothelium & epithelium
Association for Research in Vision & Ophthalmology, Sarasota, 1977

Management of choroidal melanomas
Mercy-Baptist Ophthalmology, St. Louis, 1978

Optic nerve replacement by choroidal melanoma
Theobald Society, Chicago, 1978

Eye problems in general practice
Perry County Medical Society, 1978

Clinicopathological correlation of leukocoria & proliferative retinopathies
St. Louis University Ophthalmology Alumni Association, St. Louis, 1978

Ocular manifestations of systemic disease
Ophthalmology for the Internist, St. Louis, 1978

Contact lenses today
KMOX, St. Louis, 1979

Careers in Ophthalmology
Parkway High School, St. Louis, 1980

Pediatric leukocoria
Visiting Professor, Tuskegee Veterans Hospital, 1981

Anatomic considerations
Vitreous workshop, St. Louis Eye Hospital, 1981

Laser therapy for glaucoma
St. Louis Eye Hospital, 1981,82,83

Chemical injuries to the eye

4th Annual Seminar on Poisoning, St. Louis Regional Poison Center, 1982

Eye trauma

Athletic Injuries Conference, St. Louis Metropolitan Medical Society, 1982

The Aging Eye

KFUO, St. Louis, 1982

Why Not Smoke

Special School District of St. Louis, 1983

Missouri Senate Interim Committee on Medical Malpractice, 1985

Contact Lens Update

St. Louis Health Center, 1988

Contact Lens Solutions & Care

Southwestern Bell, St. Louis, 1989

Contact Lens Update

Orange County Optometric Society, CA, 1991

The Health Care Crisis: A Doctor's Perspective

St. Louis Association of Health Underwriters, 1992

New Advances in Ophthalmology

Life, Health & Accident Claims Association, St. Louis, 1992

The Health Care Crisis: A Doctor's Perspective

State Council of National Association of Insurance Women, Lake of the Ozarks, 1992

Is National Health Care A Cure For What Ails Us?

Metropolitan St. Louis Insurance Association, 1993

Ask The Doctor

KFUO, 1994

Medicine of the Future

National Association of Insurance Women, Columbia, MO, 1996

Global Medical Intelligence, Symposium Director

Naval Medical Education & Training Command, Cleveland, OH, 2003

Visiting Professor

Naval Medical Center, San Diego, CA 2003

Marine Corps Combat Corpsman Curriculum, Evaluation of the Orbit

Fleet Hospital Fort Dix, NJ, 2004

Application for a City Board, Commission, Committee or Corporation

Profile

Coretta

First Name

Graham

Last Name

Email Address

5617 Bonner Dr

Street Address

Corpus Christi

City

TX

State

78412

Postal Code

What district do you live in? *

☒ District 3

Current resident of the city?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how many years?

18

Mobile: (361) 815-8346

Primary Phone

Business: (361) 723-1530

Alternate Phone

Self employed

Employer

Lawyer

Job Title

Work Address - Street Address and Suite Number

3206 Reid dr ste 105

Work Address - City

Corpus Christi

Work Address - State

TX

Work Address - Zip Code

78404

Work E-mail address

grahamlegalservices@yahoo.com

Preferred Mailing Address

☒ Home/Primary Address

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

ARTS & CULTURAL COMMISSION: Submitted
BUILDING STANDARDS BOARD: Submitted
CITIZENS ADVISORY HEALTH BOARD: Submitted
CORPUS CHRISTI BUSINESS AND JOB DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION: Submitted
CORPUS CHRISTI CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU: Submitted
CORPUS CHRISTI REGIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION: Submitted
CRIME CONTROL & PREVENTION DISTRICT: Submitted
PLANNING COMMISSION: Submitted
TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMISSION: Submitted
REGIONAL HEALTH AWARENESS BOARD: Submitted
CORPUS CHRISTI B CORPORATION: Submitted

Interests & Experiences

Are you a registered voter?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Do you currently serve on any other City board, commission or committee at this time? If so, please list:

No

Education, Professional and/or Community Activity (Present)

1.Thurgood Marshall School of Law 2. State Bar of Texas 3.CC Black Chamber of Commerce 4.Junior League of Corpus Christi 5. Leadership CC class of 34 6. Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc. CC Alumnae chapter

If you applied for multiple boards, which boards are you most interested in serving on, in order of preference? (Limit to top three)

1. Job/Business corporation 2. B Corporation 3. Convention & Visitors Bureau 4. Regional Health committee 5. Planning Commission

Why are you interested in serving on a City board, commission or committee?

As a tax paying citizen and small business owner, i want more involvement in city matters that impact my life

Are you an ex-Officio member of a City Board, commission or committee?

☐ Yes ☐ No

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☐ Yes ☐ No

Demographics

Gender

☒ Female

Code of Ethics - Rules of Conduct/Conflicts of Interest

Do you represent any person or organization in any claim or lawsuit or proceeding involving the City?

☐ Yes ☐ No

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N/A

Board-specific questions (if applicable)

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- ☒ Economic Development / Tourism
- ☒ Business Development Groups / Corporate Representative

Question applies to BUILDING STANDARDS BOARD

The Building Standards Board preferred representatives from certain categories. Do you qualify for any of the following categories? *

- ☒ Lawyer

Question applies to BUILDING STANDARDS BOARD

Are you a Homeowner in the City of Corpus Christi?

- ☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to CORPUS CHRISTI CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU

The Convention & Visitors Bureau Board must include representatives from certain categories. Do you qualify for any of the following categories? *

- ☒ Attraction Industry

Question applies to TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMISSION

The Transportation Advisory Commission must have at least one member who represents the bicycling community. Do you qualify for this category?

- ☐ Yes ☒ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you willing to provide an Annual Report of Financial Information as required by the Code of Ethics?

- ☒ Yes ☐ No

Are you a registered voter?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Verification

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Oath

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Application for a City Board, Commission, Committee or Corporation

Profile

Mr

Prefix

Mark

First Name

J

Middle Initial

Marquez

Last Name

II

Suffix

Email Address

7462 Star Harbor

Street Address

Corpus Christi

City

TX

State

78414

Postal Code

What district do you live in? *☒ District 5**Current resident of the city?**☒ Yes ☐ No**If yes, how many years?**

14

Mobile: (214) 850-0668

Primary Phone

Home: (361) 445-1165

Alternate Phone

Darklab Media

Employer

Owner

Job Title

Work Address - Street Address and Suite Number

10201 SPID

Work Address - City

Corpus Christi

Work Address - State

Texas

Work Address - Zip Code

78418

Work Phone

214-850-0668

Work E-mail address

mark@darklabmedia.com

Preferred Mailing Address

☒ Home/Primary Address

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

ARTS & CULTURAL COMMISSION: Submitted

Interests & Experiences

Are you a registered voter?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Do you currently serve on any other City board, commission or committee at this time? If so, please list:

NA

Education, Professional and/or Community Activity (Present)

I own one of the most successful arts and media production companies in south texas.

Why are you interested in serving on a City board, commission or committee?

To help improve our cities arts culture

Are you an ex-Officio member of a City Board, commission or committee?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Demographics

Gender

☒ Male

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Do you represent any person or organization in any claim or lawsuit or proceeding involving the City?

☐ Yes ☐ No

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NA

Board-specific questions (if applicable)

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- ☒ Visual Arts (painting, sculpture, arts media)
- ☒ Economic Development / Tourism
- ☒ Marketing
- ☒ Performing Arts (music, dance, drama, film)

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Application for a City Board, Commission, Committee or Corporation

Profile

Sara

First Name

Sells

Middle Initial

Morgan

Last Name

Email Address

311 Bayshore Drive

Street Address

Corpus Christi

City

TX

State

78412

Postal Code

What district do you live in? *

☒ District 4

Current resident of the city?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how many years?

29

Business: (361) 825-3507

Primary Phone

Mobile: (361) 960-1831

Alternate Phone

Art Museum of South Texas

Employer

Director

Job Title

Work Address - Street Address and Suite Number

1902 N. Shoreline Blvd.

Work Address - City

Corpus Christi

Work Address - State

Texas

Work Address - Zip Code

78401

Work Phone

361/825-3507

Work E-mail address

sara.morgan@tamucc.edu

Preferred Mailing Address

☒ Work Address

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

ARTS & CULTURAL COMMISSION: Submitted

CORPUS CHRISTI CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU: Submitted

Interests & Experiences

Are you a registered voter?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Do you currently serve on any other City board, commission or committee at this time? If so, please list:

I am not serving on any City boards, commissions or committees at this time.

Education, Professional and/or Community Activity (Present)

Post Graduate Certificate in Museum Leadership, Getty Leadership Institute, Claremont Graduate University, 2016 Bachelor of Arts in Art History, University of California-Santa Barbara, 1986 I have served on or worked with the following boards: CASA, Kappa Alpha Theta, Church of the Good Shepherd, Ronald McDonald House, Charity League, Trustee of the Art Museum of South Texas, Coastal Bend A.I.D.S. Foundation

Why are you interested in serving on a City board, commission or committee?

I am interested in serving on the Convention and Visitors Board in order to promote tourism activities available in the Corpus Christi area that bring visitors to our region. Tourism growth translates to increased economic opportunities for our community.

[Upload a Resume](#)

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Demographics

Gender

☒ Female

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No response necessary since I answered "no" to the above questions.

Board-specific questions (if applicable)

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- ☒ Visual Arts (painting, sculpture, arts media)
- ☒ Public Art / Public Space

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Oath

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☒ I Agree

SARA SELLS MORGAN

361.825.3507 • sara.morgan@tamucc.edu

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Experienced museum professional with a demonstrated history of working in the fine art industry. Skilled in non-profit organizations, contemporary art, museums, event planning, and arts administration. Proactive and curious mindset. Prevent issues with creative, hands-on solutions built on deep understanding of successful business practices. Bachelor's degree focused in Art History, Criticism and Conservation from University of California, Santa Barbara with a post-graduate certificate in Museum Leadership from Getty Leadership Institute, Claremont Graduate University, Claremont, California.

WORK HISTORY

ART MUSEUM OF SOUTH TEXAS - CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS

Director, December 2020 to current

Interim Director, June to December 2019

Assistant Director, August 2013 to June 2019

- Responsible for all operations of Art Museum of South Texas as Interim Director.
- Manage day-to-day business operations and make strategic decisions.
- Attend events to develop professional network of potential donors.
- Cultivate donors and solicit gifts.
- Plan and organize special events, solicit private and corporate sponsorships to reach financial targets.
- Work with Curatorial Department on temporary exhibitions and Permanent Collection.
- Project management for exhibitions and programs.
- Served as representative for AMST with professional, business and civic groups, community organizations and individuals.
- Oversee financial records - track, monitor, submit and approve documents for departmental budget.
- Assist with government and grant reporting.
- Train and mentor new employees on industry practices and business operations.
- Direct impactful social media presence, offering content relating to fundraising campaigns and organizational objectives.
- Coordinate Board of Trustee meetings.
- Assist as staff liaison to Board and represent staff on various Board Committees.
- Oversee taxes, invoices and donor related reports.
- Review and prepare monthly financial reports for management and Board.
- Provide information and schedules for audits.
- Provide information and financial data for Finance Committee.
- Supervise and coordinate general office, facility and gift shop operations.
- Assist with project management on various projects.
- Serve as staff liaison to TAMU-CC in areas of Finance and Administration, providing reports and information as requesting.
- Complete performance evaluations of six direct report staff and maintain personnel records for all staff according to TAMU-CC rules and regulations.

TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY-CORPUS CHRISTI - CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS

Stewardship Coordinator, 2009-2013

- Planned and executed all donor recognition and stewardship efforts for Institutional Advancement.
- Coordinated all aspects of Distinguished Speaker Series, President's Council Art Competition, President's Mardi Gras Ball and other community events.
- Prepared department and event budgets.
- Prepared and reviewed annual departmental and event reporting.
- Prepared and monitored donor appeals.
- Supervised Event Coordinating staff.
- Advisor for the Student Foundation Association.

MORGAN FINANCIAL SERVICES - CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS

Owner/Manager, 2001-2009

- Maintained high standards of quality through continuous reviews of products and service.
- Developed and executed marketing programs and general business solutions resulting in increased company exposure, customer traffic, and sales.

ART MUSEUM OF SOUTH TEXAS - CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS

Event Coordinator, 1990-1992

- Managed administrative logistics of events planning, including contract signing, fee collection, event booking and event promotions.
- Evaluated existing plans, processes and events planning services to identify opportunities for improvement.

JAMES GALLERY - HOUSTON, TEXAS

Art Consultant, 1989-1990

- Served as Art Consultant for U.S.A.A. National Headquarters in San Antonio. Purchased art for the Executive Offices, Executive Dining Room and common areas.
- Supervised commissioned purchases and installations for public works.

L.A. LOUVER GALLERY - VENICE, CALIFORNIA

Gallery Assistant, 1987-1989

- Art Sales and assist with installation of exhibitions.
- Coordination of gallery events and openings.

ROGOW AND BERNSTEIN - LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

Project Manager, 1986-1987

- Worked closely with design staff and museums to coordinate the execution and installation of museum exhibits.

EDUCATION

Post Graduate Certificate in Museum Leadership, 2016

Getty Leadership Institute - Claremont Graduate University – Claremont, California

B.A. Art History, 1986

University of California - Santa Barbara - Santa Barbara, California

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Texans for the Arts, Board of Directors

American Alliance of Museums

Association of Academic Museums and Galleries

Mountain-Plains Museum Association

Texas Association of Museums

Downtown Management District Merchants Association

Application for a City Board, Commission, Committee or Corporation

Profile

TWYLA

First Name

OLIVA

Last Name

Email Address

4502 CORONA DR # 18 C

Street Address

CORPUS CHRISTI

City

TX

State

78411

Postal Code

What district do you live in? *☒ District 3**Current resident of the city?**☒ Yes ☐ No**If yes, how many years?**

15

Mobile: (432) 517-8003

Primary Phone

Home: (361) 548-2411

Alternate Phone

Bayview Psychiatric Hospital

Employer

Lead Social Worker

Job Title

Work Address - Street Address and Suite Number

6629 Wooldridge Road

Work Address - City

Corpus Christi

Work Address - State

Texas

Work Address - Zip Code

78412

Work Phone

3619864200

Work E-mail address

Preferred Mailing Address

☒ Home/Primary Address

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

ARTS & CULTURAL COMMISSION: Submitted

Interests & Experiences

Are you a registered voter?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Do you currently serve on any other City board, commission or committee at this time? If so, please list:

No

Education, Professional and/or Community Activity (Present)

Licensed Clinical Social Worker Psychotherapist Masters Degree in Social Work from the University of Texas at Austin 3.9 GPA out of 4 point 0 Bachelors Degree in Psychology with Highest Honors from the University of Texas at Austin Instructor for Graduate Students from all over the country 31 years of Social Work experience working with children, families and all ages

Why are you interested in serving on a City board, commission or committee?

I have a deep appreciation for the Arts and the Culture of Corpus Christi Texas

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N/A

Board-specific questions (if applicable)

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☒ Youth / Education

☒ Higher Education

Verification

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Twyla Zorn, LCSW

4502 Corona #18 C ♦ Corpus Christi, Texas 78411 ♦ (432) 517-8003

OBJECTIVE	Long-term employment in the field of behavioral health.	
SUMMARY	<ul style="list-style-type: none">♦ 23 years experience Directing and Supervising clinical, nursing, administrative, activity therapy, marketing, intake, UM & direct-care staff in the field of Behavioral Health Care.♦ 31 years Total of Clinical experience working with challenging clients and families of all ages.♦ 17 years of Inpatient Psychiatric Hospitals clinical experience, including 13 years Directing Acute Inpatient Psychiatric Units and a Residential Treatment Center.♦ 10 years experience Directing teams of clinical staff in Psychiatric Outpatient Clinics, Partial Hospitalization Programs, and Intensive Outpatient Programs.♦ 7 years experience as a Medical Social Worker, working in ICU, Acute Inpatient Hospital Floors, Cancer Centers, Post-Acute, Inpatient Rehabilitation, Skilled Nursing Facility, & LTAC	
LICENSURE	LICENSED CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER # 26268- LCSW Independent Practitioner Licensed for Independent Practice Psychotherapy	
EDUCATION	Master of Science in Social Work <i>Specialization: Children and Families</i>	The University of Texas at Austin, May 1994 <i>Graduate GPA: 3.9</i>
	Bachelor of Arts in Psychology with Highest Honors <i>Emphasis: Counseling and Clinical Psychology</i>	The University of Texas at Austin, May 1991 <i>Undergraduate GPA: 3.9</i>
ADMINISTRATIVE Audits	<ul style="list-style-type: none">♦ Supervision & Management♦ JCAHO Accreditation/ Compliance/	
SKILLS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">♦ Performance Improvement♦ Medical Records & Chart Audits♦ Program Development♦ Public Relations & Marketing♦ Clinical Supervision of Staff & Interns♦ Human Resources♦ Community Presentations/Public Speaking♦ Utilization Review & Managed Care♦ Standards Monitoring/CMS/HHSC♦ Staff Development & Training♦ Program Evaluation & Business Development♦ Employee Hiring and Disciplinary Action♦ Corporate Presentations/ Corporate Reports♦ Continuing Education Seminars	
CLINICAL SKILLS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">♦ Medical Social Work♦ Case Management & Discharge Planning♦ Individual & Group Psychotherapy♦ Geriatrics/Seniors♦ Play Therapy♦ Admissions♦ Psychosis/ Severe Mental Illness	<ul style="list-style-type: none">♦ Psychosocial Assessments & Intake Assessments♦ Treatment Planning/ Treatment Team Meetings♦ Crisis Intervention and Patient Advocate♦ Couples, Marriage & Family Psychotherapy♦ Substance Abuse Counseling♦ Hospice/ End of Life Issues♦ Child and Adolescent Psychotherapy

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

LEAD SOCIAL WORKER 2017 TO PRESENT BAYVIEW BEHAVIORAL HOSPITAL, Corpus Christi, Texas

Provided extensive supervision, training, and consultation to a team of Licensed Masters-Level Psychotherapists and Master's degree graduate students from all over the country, in five units of an inpatient psychiatric hospital. Provided individual, group, and family therapy to children, adolescents, adult mental health, adult psychotic, adult chemically dependency, and geriatrics. Performed case management services, discharge planning, utilization review, intake assessments, psychosocial assessments, and treatment planning. Operated successfully as Clinical Director when my supervisor was out and every weekend for years. Was awarded with Employee of the Month and Certificate of Appreciation. Awarded with two promotions and two pay raises. Provided crisis intervention. Interfaced effectively with multiple community agencies, and coordinated care effectively with

Physicians. Performed extensive corporate reports. Facilitated clinical presentations to Corporate and HCA hospitals around the country through tele-conference. Conducted interdisciplinary treatment team meetings. Performed Quality Management. Led my department with JCAHO during their on-site audit and received a 100 % percent score with JCAHO on all five of my inpatient units.

Twyla Zorn, LCSW

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**PSYCHOTHERAPIST AND IOP DIRECTOR 2015 to 2017
OCEANS BEHAVIORAL HEALTH HOSPITAL, Midland, Texas**

Provided individual, group, and family therapy to children, adolescents, adults, and geriatrics in inpatient and outpatient settings. Performed case management and crisis intervention services. Conducted psychosocial assessments, MMSE, treatment planning, and interdisciplinary treatment team meetings. Facilitated discharge planning. Supervised the Intensive Outpatient Program, including program development, billing, medical records, building a clinical curriculum for adults and geriatrics. Supervised Master's Level psychotherapists, mental health technicians, nurses, and office managers. Performed Utilization Review with managed care companies to authorize payment of services. Performed marketing and conducted and led mental health seminars across the West Texas area and the Permian Basin. Successfully ensured that all standards were met from all regulatory and licensing agencies. Conducted regular chart/ documentation audits of clinicians.

**CASE MANAGER 2014 TO 2015
CORNERSTONE HOSPITAL LONG-TERM ACUTE CARE HOSPITAL (LTAC), Houston, Texas**

Provided complex discharge planning to patients and their families in all units of the LTAC, including ICU. Facilitated clinical authorizations to managed care insurance companies for payment reimbursement. Facilitated marketing to physicians, referral sources and community. Provided counseling and crisis intervention. Completed psychosocial assessments, plan of care, and discharge summaries in a timely manner. Provided quality case management services in the LTAC- Long Term Acute Care Hospital. Facilitated discharge arrangements, including transfer to other Acute Hospitals, Hospice, Skilled Nursing Facilities, Nursing Homes, and to Home with Home Health Care, Medical Equipment, Wound Care, IV antibiotics, dialysis, ambulance and wheelchair transportation, Trach, Oxygen, PEG tube feeding, Wound Vacs, etc. Successfully arranged safe discharges. Maintained knowledge and performance to meet Medicare, CMS, JCAHO, and other compliance requirements. Maintained a current working knowledge of services available in the local community. Worked in collaborative practice with the physician and other members of the health care team to meet patient-specific and age-related patient needs, linking cost resource management and quality to patient care.

**LICENSED CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER/ PSYCHOTHERAPIST 2003 to 2015
PRIVATE PRACTICE, Houston, & Corpus Christi, Texas**

Provided individual, group, marriage and family psychotherapy to children, adolescents, adults, and geriatrics in a private practice setting. Facilitated crisis intervention. Completed psychosocial assessments, treatment plans, and discharge summaries. Provided play therapy, and conducted clinical seminars in the community. Facilitated clinical authorizations to managed care insurance companies.

**DIRECTOR OF SOCIAL SERVICES, 2013 TO 2014
LAUREL COURT NURSING FACILITY, Alvin, Texas**

Supervised all direct-care staff and Served as a Department Head. Facilitated discharge planning and case management. Completed psychosocial assessments, MDS assessments, and plan of care for each resident. Provided crisis intervention. Arranged safe discharges to home with home health and medical equipment, nursing home placement, Inpatient Rehab, Hospice, acute hospital transfer, psychiatric hospital transfer, etc. Effectively resolved grievances. Linked patients and families to appropriate community resources. Served as a Patient and Family Advocate. Conducted chart audits regularly to ensure all standards were being met. Directly met with regulatory agencies during on-site audits and consistently received 100 percent scores in my department of social services.

**LICENSED MEDICAL SOCIAL WORKER, 2007-2012
CHRISTUS SPOHN SHORELINE HOSPITAL, Corpus Christi, Texas**

Facilitated discharge planning across a multidisciplinary team, including effective communication with physicians, surgeons, nurses, physical, occupational, and speech therapists, wound care, RN case managers, dieticians, families, and patients. Conducted psychosocial assessments. Performed utilization review and clinical updates to insurance companies to authorize payment for hospital stay, in covering for RN Case Managers. Provided excellent crisis intervention. Provided quality social work services in the Acute Inpatient Hospital, ICU, Post- Acute Services, Inpatient Rehabilitation Unit, and Skilled Nursing Facility. Facilitated discharge arrangements, including transfer to Long Term Care Acute Hospitals, Hospice, Skilled Nursing Facilities, Nursing Homes, and to Home Health with PEG Tube Feeding, Wound Care, IV antibiotics, dialysis, ambulance and wheelchair transportation etc. Arranged safe discharges for patients who are charity with no income and no resources. Counseled patients and families prior to death and at the point of death, and counseled families and provided resources after death of a loved one. Conducted in-depth intake assessments for admissions to Memorial psychiatric hospital on the weekends.

Facilitated involuntary commitments to inpatient psychiatric hospitals as needed. Provided clinical consultation to discharge planners. Completed MDS assessments in an accurate and timely manner. Received the Healing Heroes Award for Outstanding Performance.

Twyla Zorn, LCSW _____ *page three*

CLINICAL TEAM LEADER, 2000 to 2007 and 2012
MHMRA OF HARRIS COUNTY, Houston, Texas

Supervised, trained, and provided consultation to Masters-level and Bachelor's level clinicians as well as clerical and office manager staff. Provided Cognitive Behavioral Therapy to clients. Effectively managed a caseload of 300 to 1500 severely mentally ill clients. Performed extensive case management, crisis intervention, extensive intake assessments, psychosocial histories, treatment planning, and discharge summaries. Ensured compliance with agency and managed care requirements for data submission. Provided symptom management, rehabilitation, social skills, and life skills training to clients. Consistently received 100% accuracy ratings on chart audits and productivity standards. Organized, planned and conducted multidisciplinary team meetings. Performed administrative duties and management reports. Facilitated hiring, on-going training, disciplining, and termination of staff. Conducted performance evaluations, completed staff scheduling, and delegated workload assignments. Conducted documentation audits regularly. Provided mental health services to individuals with mental disabilities. Provided services including planning, implementation of therapeutic interventions, service coordination, and referral and linkage to community resources. Received an award for Outstanding Performance Achievement.

CLINICAL DIRECTOR, 1996 to 2000
CHARTER PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITAL, Corpus Christi & Aransas Pass, Texas

Directed several inpatient units, outpatient counseling centers, partial hospitalization programs and intensive outpatient programs. Supervised a team of psychotherapists, nurses, psychiatric technicians, recreational therapists, and clerical staff. Conducted crisis mobile assessments and facilitated inpatient psychiatric admissions 24 hours per day/ 7 days a week for 2 counties. Provided in-service training, seminars, and workshops to the staff and community. Monitored compliance to standards and conducted extensive chart audits. Consistently received high scores from JCAHO. Provided individual, group, and family counseling to children, adolescents, adults, and geriatrics. Provided crisis intervention. Conducted extensive psychosocial histories, intake assessments, treatment plans, & discharge plans. Performed utilization reviews with managed care companies. Facilitated psychotherapy, psychosocial assessments, treatment planning, discharge planning, and intake assessments for every unit of the Inpatient Psychiatric Hospital. Provided extensive training as well as disciplinary action to the staff as needed.

CLINICAL DIRECTOR 1994-1996
BROWN SCHOOLS OF TEXAS, Austin and Midland, Texas 1990-1996
OAKS TREATMENT CENTER/GLENWOOD PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITAL
MENTAL HEALTH TECHNICIAN, 1990-1994

Opened and directed a new residential treatment center for severely disturbed children and adolescents. Managed two units of an inpatient psychiatric hospital. Provided direct supervision and clinical consultation to over 150 staff, including program managers, psychotherapists, nurses, recreational therapists, teachers, and mental health technicians. Developed all of the new forms and policies and procedures for a new residential treatment center. Achieved new licensure of the new residential treatment center and new JCAHO accreditation with high ratings. Performed utilization reviews with managed care companies. Provided individual, group and family therapy. Conducted chart audits and supervised medical records. Provided crisis intervention. Conducted intake assessments and psychosocial histories. Hired, trained, disciplined staff as needed. Provided on-going training seminars. Obtained a Child-Care Administrator's license to operate a locked residential treatment center to treat the most severe behavior problems of youth. Received extensive ongoing training to perform as a top clinical director by working at sister psychiatric facilities, including Laurel Ridge Psychiatric Hospital, and San Marcos Treatment Center.

SOCIAL WORKER, 1992 to 1994
CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES/ TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PROTECTIVE AND REGULATORY SERVICES, Austin, Texas

Provided individual, group, and family counseling. Facilitated play therapy and family therapy. Performed crisis intervention, solution-focused brief therapy and cognitive behavioral therapy. Conducted extensive assessments and interviews, including home studies, psychosocial histories, and adoption readiness studies. Testified in court. Provided supervised visits of offenders. Conducted adoption preparation. Assisted in investigations of child abuse cases. Delivered case management services and resource linkage. Successfully worked in all departments of child protective services in Austin, Texas.

RESEARCH ASSISTANT for UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN, 1989 to 1992
PSYCHIATRIC UNIT AT AUDIE MURPHY VETERAN'S HOSPITAL/, San Antonio, Texas

Conducted extensive evaluations and assessments on veterans receiving inpatient psychiatric treatment for depression, schizophrenia, schizoaffective disorder, psychosis, bipolar disorder, and Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder, in order to facilitate a top research study by University of Texas at Austin.

Twyla Zorn, LCSW _____ *page four*

CRISIS COUNSELOR, 1989 to 1994
RUNAWAY HOTLINE, Austin, Texas

Counseled teens, children, and adults from all over the United States. Provided Crisis Counseling. Linked callers to community resources in their area. Provided counseling to callers for issues such as running away, abuse, suicidal thoughts, aggression, depression, relationship issues, stress management, substance abuse, family problems, school problems, and anger management. Reported abuse when suspected, and coordinated emergency services to respond to callers who were a danger to self or others.

OFFICE SKILLS Typing Speed: 65 WPM, Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel, Meditech, MedQM, Anasazi, ECARE

REFERENCES Available upon request

Application for a City Board, Commission, Committee or Corporation

Profile

Melissa

First Name

Rios

Last Name

Email Address

2758 Wind Rock Dr.

Street Address

Corpus Christi

City

TX

State

78410

Postal Code

What district do you live in? *

☒ District 1

Current resident of the city?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how many years?

6

Mobile: (210) 630-9296

Primary Phone

Business: (361) 653-2270

Alternate Phone

Bonilla & Chapa

Employer

Paralegal

Job Title

Work Address - Street Address and Suite Number

2727 Morgan Ave.

Work Address - City

Corpus Christi

Work Address - State

Texas

Work Address - Zip Code

78405

Work Phone

361-881-1000

Work E-mail address

melissa.rios@bonilla-chapalaw.com

Preferred Mailing Address

☒ Home/Primary Address

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

ARTS & CULTURAL COMMISSION: Submitted

Interests & Experiences

Are you a registered voter?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Do you currently serve on any other City board, commission or committee at this time? If so, please list:

No.

Education, Professional and/or Community Activity (Present)

I have a Bachelors Degree in Applied Science specializing in Court Reporting but have been a paralegal for almost 16 years. I am a dancer for a non-profit Hispanic Arts Center and have also taught youth classes there before.

Why are you interested in serving on a City board, commission or committee?

I would like to have an active role in the Arts and Cultural Commission in Corpus Christi.

Are you an ex-Officio member of a City Board, commission or committee?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Demographics

Gender

☒ Female

Code of Ethics - Rules of Conduct/Conflicts of Interest

Do you represent any person or organization in any claim or lawsuit or proceeding involving the City?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Do you, your spouse, your business or your spouse's business have a City contract?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Does your employer or your spouse's employer have a City contract?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Are you involved with any activities or employment that would conflict with the official duties on the City boards for which you are applying?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Are you, your spouse, your business or your spouse's business involved in any pending bid, proposal or negotiation in connection with a contract with the City?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Do you or your spouse have a pending claim, lawsuit or proceeding against the City?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If you answer "Yes" to any of the questions above, please explain or ask to speak with the City's Legal Department. If you answer "NO" to all questions above, please enter N/A.

I answered "No" on the question about my employer, but I'm not certain what contract my employer might have with the City, if anything.

Board-specific questions (if applicable)

Question applies to ARTS & CULTURAL COMMISSION

The Arts & Cultural Commission preferred representatives from certain categories. Do you qualify for any of the following categories? *

- ☒ Youth / Education
- ☒ Performing Arts (music, dance, drama, film)

Verification

City Code Requirement - Residency

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☒ I Agree

City Code Requirement - Attendance

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☒ I Agree

Consent for Release of Information

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☒ I Agree

Oath

I swear that all of the statements included in my application and attached documents, if any, are true and correct.

☒ I Agree

Application for a City Board, Commission, Committee or Corporation

Profile

Simone

First Name

Sanders

Last Name

Email Address

2614 Allencrest Dr

Street Address

Corpus Christi

City

TX

State

78415

Postal Code

What district do you live in? *☒ District 3**Current resident of the city?**☒ Yes ☐ No**If yes, how many years?**

38

Mobile: (361) 695-6661

Primary Phone

Business: (512) 696-7182

Alternate Phone

Texas General Land Office

Employer

Community Outreach
Coordinator

Job Title

Work Address - Street Address and Suite Number

2614 Allencrest Dr

Work Address - City

Corpus Christi

Work Address - State

TX

Work Address - Zip Code

78415

Work E-mail address

simone.sanders.glo@recovery.texas.gov

Preferred Mailing Address

☒ Home/Primary Address

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

ARTS & CULTURAL COMMISSION: Submitted

Interests & Experiences

Are you a registered voter?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Do you currently serve on any other City board, commission or committee at this time? If so, please list:

CYD (Community Youth Development) 78415 Collaborative Committee - past 4 years- no longer a city board.

Education, Professional and/or Community Activity (Present)

AA Liberal Arts/ Professional - Outreach professional for the past 15 years coordinating partnerships with school districts, teachers and small organizations./Community - Member of TABPHE (Texas Association of Black Personnel in Higher Education) Corpus Christi Chapter - youth reading initiatives, cultural events/festivals coordinated with Parks & Rec Dept, other various cultural initiatives to impact community.

If you applied for multiple boards, which boards are you most interested in serving on, in order of preference? (Limit to top three)

Arts & Cultural Commission

Why are you interested in serving on a City board, commission or committee?

Interested in continuing to serve and also be a voice. Believe strongly in cultural and arts initiatives through the city and also those coordinated by non profits. Would like to lend ideas, assist with strategic planning and support various organizations through the commission.

Upload a Resume

Are you an ex-Officio member of a City Board, commission or committee?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Demographics

Gender

☒ Female

Code of Ethics - Rules of Conduct/Conflicts of Interest

Do you represent any person or organization in any claim or lawsuit or proceeding involving the City?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you, your spouse, your business or your spouse's business have a City contract?

☐ Yes ☐ No

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☐ Yes ☐ No

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☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you or your spouse have a pending claim, lawsuit or proceeding against the City?

☐ Yes ☐ No

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N/A

Board-specific questions (if applicable)

Question applies to ARTS & CULTURAL COMMISSION

The Arts & Cultural Commission preferred representatives from certain categories. Do you qualify for any of the following categories? *

- ☒ Youth / Education
- ☒ Higher Education
- ☒ Economic Development / Tourism

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Oath

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☒ I Agree

Simone' Butler-Sanders

2614 Allencrest, Corpus Christi, Texas 78415

(361) 695-6661

Objective

Marketing professional with over 15 years experience coordinating various teams such as compliance, logistics, budget/purchasing and project management. Experience with marketing, event planning, strategic planning and working with non-profits.

Professional Skills

- Microsoft Office Suite
- Community Outreach
- Logistics
- Safety & Training
- Incident Command
- Maritime Law
- Emergency Management
- Public Relations & Marketing

Education & Professional Development*Degrees Received:*

Del Mar College – Corpus Christi, Texas, Graduation May 2017

AA Liberal Arts – Multidisciplinary Studies

Employment History**Community Outreach Coordinator, Intergovernmental Relations, Coastal Bend Region**

04/2019 - Present

Texas General Land Office, Community Development & Revitalization Division

Coastal Bend area community outreach coordinator with the intergovernmental relations team under the Community Development and Revitalization division. Conduct public information outreach initiatives and mass communication to all assigned jurisdictions to inform, educate, and maintain maximum transparency for all disaster recovery programs.

Administrative Assistant V/Outreach Coordinator, Corpus Christi, TX

04/2004 - 04/2019

State of Texas- General Land Office, Oil Spill Prevention & Response Division

Provides complex and routine program area support for Executive staff in the areas of compliance, logistics, marketing/outreach, and spill response enforcing oil spill and environmental laws and regulations. Daily enforcement of the mission, goals and strategic plan of divisional program. Serve as coordinator over outreach/public events, and marketing events with private industry, government officials, and community stakeholders. Involves constant evaluation of regulations, policies, and standard operating procedures. Must coordinate activities in an independent manner. Serve as team leader and coordinator for logistics division. Coordinate meetings, conferences, training events, and business continuity during hurricane response efforts. Must be able to travel and respond to spills or related training for extended periods of time. On call 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Professional Memberships

- ❖ Texas Association of Black Personnel in Higher Education – Executive Board - VP of Public Relations
- ❖ Texas Public Employees Association – Member
- ❖ Corpus Christi Black Chamber of Commerce - Board Director 2016-2017
- ❖ Mandela Day Corpus Christi – 501©(3) – Founding Member
- ❖ City of Corpus Christi Community & Youth Development – Board Member


References

Available upon request

Application for a City Board, Commission, Committee or Corporation

Profile

Dr. Neal R. VanZante
Prefix First Name Middle Initial Last Name


Email Address

5021 Royalton Drive
Street Address

Corpus Christi
City

TX
State

78413
Postal Code

What district do you live in? *

☒ District 5

Current resident of the city?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how many years?

24

Home: (361) 994-8274
Primary Phone

Mobile: (361) 876-8274
Alternate Phone

Retired, but active in
professional associations
Employer

Certified Public Accountant and
Certified Fraud Examiner
Job Title

Work Address - Street Address and Suite Number

5021 Royalton drive

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Corpus Christi

Work Address - State

texas

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78413

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Interests & Experiences

Are you a registered voter?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Do you currently serve on any other City board, commission or committee at this time? If so, please list:

No

Education, Professional and/or Community Activity (Present)

Ph.D. in Business Administration/Accounting Emphasis; Certified Public Accountant, Certified Fraud Examiner, Certified Financial Management, Certified Management Accountant. Active as a Board member of the Greater Corpus Christi Hospitality Association and as a member of the Westside Business Association. I also provide tax and accounting services to some 501 c 3 organizations in Corpus Christi free of charge.

If you applied for multiple boards, which boards are you most interested in serving on, in order of preference? (Limit to top three)

N/A - only applied for one board.

Why are you interested in serving on a City board, commission or committee?

I believe my professional background and training makes me uniquely qualified for serving on this particular board. Thus, I believe my services to this commission would be very valuable.

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Are you an ex-Officio member of a City Board, commission or committee?

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Demographics

Gender

☒ Male

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Did not respond "yes" to any question above.

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- ☒ Business Development Groups / Corporate Representative

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Oath

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☒ I Agree

Neal R. VanZante
5021 Royalton Drive
Corpus Christi, TX 78413
(361) 994-8274
[REDACTED]

(August, 2015)

Education and Professional Designations:

Doctor of Philosophy (Business Administration); Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, Oklahoma, August, 1976. Major area: Accounting; Minors: Quantitative Management and Finance.

Master of Science (Accounting); Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, Oklahoma, May, 1970.

Bachelor of Science (Business Management); University of Central Oklahoma, Edmond, Oklahoma, May, 1969. Minor areas: Accounting and Economics.

Certified Public Accountant (CPA) licensed in Oklahoma since 1971, in Colorado since 1988, and in Texas since 1990.

Certified Management Accountant (CMA) since 1975.

Certified in Financial Management (CFM) since 1997.

Certified Fraud Examiner (CFE) since 2006.

Work Experience:

Neal R. VanZante, CPA (sole proprietor, part-time), currently in Corpus Christi, Texas, 1971-current.

Associate Professor of Accounting, University of Texas Pan American, Edinburg, Texas, September, 2007-May, 2010.

Professor of Accounting at Texas A&M University-Kingsville, Kingsville, Texas; August, 1989-August, 2007. Served as Chairman of the Department of Accounting and Computer Information Systems from August, 1989-July, 1995. Also, I taught courses at Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi during the summer terms in 1999 and 2006.

Associate Professor of Accounting at the University of Southern Colorado, Pueblo, Colorado; August, 1987-July, 1989.

Associate Professor of Accounting at Midwestern State University, Wichita Falls, Texas; August, 1982-August, 1987.

Associate Professor of Accounting at Oklahoma City University, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; August, 1979-July, 1982.

Auditor and Professional Staff Member with Coopers & Lybrand CPAs, Oklahoma City Office; August, 1978-June, 1979.

Associate Professor and Chairman of the Department of Accountancy, Faculty of Commerce, at Concordia University, Montreal, Quebec; June, 1976-May, 1978.

Assistant Professor of Accounting at the University of Central Oklahoma, Edmond, Oklahoma; September, 1970-May, 1976.

Work experience prior to September, 1970, includes three months as an internal auditor at Oklahoma State University, five months as a staff accountant with Daniel, Hurst, Thomas (a regional CPA firm), one year as a part-time business instructor at the Oklahoma School of Banking and Business, and over three years in various management positions in newspaper circulation.

Recent Honors and Awards:

Texas A&M University-Kingsville, College of Business Administration, Students' Choice Distinguished Teaching Award (May 2003).

Texas A&M University-Kingsville, President's Senior Faculty Research and Scholarly Excellence Award (March 2004). This award was only given in 2004.

Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants, Outstanding Accounting Educator Award (2005).

Corpus Christi Chapter of the Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants, Outstanding Service Award (2007-2008).

Southwest Region of the American Accounting Association, Outstanding Educator Award (2009).

University of Texas Pan American Accounting Society, Special Recognition for Valuable Contributions to the Society and to Promote Excellence among Accounting Students (2009).

University of Texas Pan American Accounting Society, Special Recognition for Valuable Contributions to the Society and to Promote Excellence among Accounting Students (2010).

Institute of Management Accountant's Lybrand Certificate of Merit Award for outstanding character and excellence in contributing to the literature for the advancement of management accounting and financial management. (2011).

Current Professional Memberships:

American Accounting Association (AAA)
American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA)
Association of Certified Fraud Examiners (ACFE)
Association of Fundraising Professionals (AFP)
Forensic & Investigative Accounting Section of the AAA
Greater Corpus Christi Hospitality Association (GCCHA)
Institute of Management Accountants (IMA)
Institute of Certified Management Accountants (ICMA)
Teaching, Learning and Curriculum Section of the AAA
Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants (TSCPA)

Recent Community Services:

Ballet Folklorico Viva Mexico (a 501 c 3 non-profit organization), Board of Directors, Treasurer, and Fundraising Chairperson (2003 – current).

Corpus Christi Live (a 501 c 3 non-profit organization), Board of Directors (2011-2013), Marketing Committee, Finance Committee (2011 – 2014), preparation of annual income taxes at no fee (2011-current).

References:

Available on request.

Application for a City Board, Commission, Committee or Corporation

Profile

James

First Name

E

Middle Initial

Vargas

Last Name

Email Address

7350 McArdle

Street Address

#44

Suite or Apt

Corpus Christi

City

TX

State

78412

Postal Code

What district do you live in? *

☒ District 4

Current resident of the city?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how many years?

27

Mobile: (361) 658-4297

Primary Phone

Home: (361) 658-4297

Alternate Phone

Corpus Christi Ballet

Employer

Principal Ballet Dancer

Job Title

Work Address - Street Address and Suite Number

1621 North Mesquite Street

Work Address - City

Corpus Christi

Work Address - State

Texas

Work Address - Zip Code

78401

Work E-mail address

ccballet@sbcglobal.net

Preferred Mailing Address

☒ Home/Primary Address

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

ARTS & CULTURAL COMMISSION: Submitted

Interests & Experiences

Are you a registered voter?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Do you currently serve on any other City board, commission or committee at this time? If so, please list:

N/A

Education, Professional and/or Community Activity (Present)

N/A

If you applied for multiple boards, which boards are you most interested in serving on, in order of preference? (Limit to top three)

N/A

Why are you interested in serving on a City board, commission or committee?

To bring my artistic knowledge and expertise to the local community and aid in the broadening of arts presence in Corpus Christi

Upload a Resume

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Demographics

Gender

☒ Male

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N/A

Board-specific questions (if applicable)

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☒ Performing Arts (music, dance, drama, film)

Verification

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Oath

I swear that all of the statements included in my application and attached documents, if any, are true and correct.

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JAMES EDWARD VARGAS

(361) 658-4297 • [REDACTED]
7350 McARDLE APT 44, CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS, 78412

EDUCATION

Texas Christian University (Fort Worth, Texas)
December 2014
Bachelor of Fine Art

Mary Carroll High School (Corpus Christi, Texas)
June 2010
High School Diploma

CERTIFICATION

A Career in Teaching- Educator Preparation Program

*In Progress
Content Area: Dance 6 – 12

REFERENCES:

Catherine Roe
Texas Ballet Theater, Educational Programs Manager
817-763-0207 Ext. 103
Stacy Gonzalez
W.B Ray High School, Drill Team Director
361-737-2452
Catherine King
W.B Ray High School, Dance Director
361-774-0337

WORK EXPERIENCE

Vargas Dance Project – Founder/Artistic Director

March 2018-Present

Duties Include:

- Overall management of this project based organization
- Maintain organization presence via social media campaign development and execution
- Event/production planning and coordinating
- Creating new choreography for aspiring young artist in Corpus Christi and surrounding areas

Corpus Christi Ballet – Principal Dancer

January 2016-Present

Duties Include:

- Provide high quality dance performances for Corpus Christi and surrounding areas
- Learn complex dance movement and use it to express a theme or mood
- Attend scheduled rehearsals in preparation for contracted performances

Texas Ballet Theater – Dorm Supervisor

Summer 2013, 2014, 2017, 2018, 2019

Duties include:

- Organize workflow and ensure that staff understands their duties or delegated task
- Collaborate with other member of the faculty and staff, work collectively with colleagues to meet the needs of students
- Enforce rules and regulations set by Texas Ballet Theater and Texas Christian University.

Corpus Christi Dance Collective – Ballet Faculty

August 2017-2019

Duties Included:

- Prepare and teach stimulating classes in classical ballet to students aged 7 – 18
 - Commit to plan, prepare and deliver lessons plans per syllabus
 - Explain and demonstrate proper technique
 - Establish and communicate clear objectives
- Nurture each student to maximize his/her balletic potential
- Collaborate with other member of the faculty and staff, work collectively with colleagues to meet the needs of students
- Communicate effectively and in a timely manner with Director, and colleagues either in person or through email

W.B Ray High School – Independent Contractor/Guest Instructor/Choreographer

August 2016 – December 2017

Duties include:

- Prepare and teach stimulating classes in general dance technique to students aged 7 – 18
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Mr. Jim A Willden
Prefix First Name Middle Initial Last Name

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4166 Eagle Dr.

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Self-Employed

Employer

CC Songwriters, Co-chair

Job Title

Work Address - Street Address and Suite Number

402 People St 1A

Work Address - City

Corpus Christi

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Texas

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78401

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Some college, Del Mar College Sat on board for Corpus Christi PATCH Currently board chair for Corpus Christi Songwriters

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I've been highly involved in promoting and fostering arts & culture in the Coastal Bend, having founded Corpus Christi Songwriters and the Corpus Christi Songwriters Festival in those very principles.

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