

## VICTORIA J. PAYNE

**OBJECTIVE** Creative, resourceful teacher with proven ability to enhance students' performance by using data-driven instruction seeking a position as a 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Math Teacher.

**RELEVANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

- Rated "Exceeds Expectations" in 6 domains on PDAS (2015).
- Recognized by **Achievement Network** for excellence with the use of data driven instruction to achieve outstanding results in students' performance (2014).
- Rated an "Effective Teacher," IMPACT rating system (2011 – 2014).

**EDUCATION**

**HOWARD UNIVERSITY: WASHINGTON, DC** **M. ED, 2011**  
**Major:** Curriculum and Instruction, Elementary Education **GPA 4.0**  
**Honors Received:** Helen M. Rand Endowed Scholarship ♦ Trustee Scholarship ♦ Maryland Association of Teacher Educator's Distinguished Teacher Candidate Award ♦ ETS Recognition of Excellence

**OGLETHORPE UNIVERSITY: ATLANTA, GA** **B.S., 2004**  
**Major:** Business Administration, concentration in Marketing **GPA 3.6, Cum Laude**  
**Honors Received:** Beta Omicron Sigma Business Honorary ♦ Omicron Delta Kappa National Leadership Honorary ♦ Dean's List ♦ William A. Egerton Memorial Endowed Scholar

**COMPUTER PROFICIENCIES**

- **Microsoft Programs:** CRM, Office Suite, Project, SharePoint, SP Designer, Visio
- **Adobe Programs:** Photoshop, Acrobat, InDesign, Dreamweaver, Flash, Lightroom
- **Other Programs:** Crystal Reports, ST Math, WordPress, Weebly, Edmodo, Kahoot!

**EXPERIENCE**

**ELEMENTARY TEACHER, NORTH EAST INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
2014 – Present *San Antonio, TX*

- Created unit wrap-up projects that allowed students to apply the taught skills.
- Designed review games and activities with peer coaching.
- Organized a school-wide march during Black History Month to commemorate historic Selma to Montgomery march on its 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary.
- Facilitated the Robotics club after school.
- Planned math units for 4<sup>th</sup> grade team to address the demands of new TEKS with scaffolds, hands on activities, and gradual release strategies.

**ELEMENTARY TEACHER, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS**  
2011 – 2014 *Washington, DC*

- Taught math on departmentalized 4<sup>th</sup> grade team and significantly impacted grade level growth, including one student scoring a perfect score on state assessment.
- Created unit wrap-up projects that allowed students to apply the taught skills.
- Collaborated with colleagues on grade level teams to plan and execute unit plans.
- Implemented review games with teams of mixed abilities and peer coaching.
- Coached students in oratory and entered 5 students into the Frederick Douglass Annual Oratorical Contest. One student was awarded 2nd place in this national

competition.

- Asked to join as a 3rd grade teacher at the end of the internship. After second year as a 3rd grade teacher, asked to loop to 4th grade with students.

**PHOTOGRAPHER AND WEB DESIGNER, VICTORIA J. PRODUCTIONS, LLC**

2009 – 2014

*Hyattsville, MD*

- Designed custom websites using HTML, Flash, and CSS for clients by gathering requirements, drafting design concept, and implementing the approved design.
- Photographed events, weddings, and portraiture as contracted and edited images.

**KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT CONTENT COORDINATOR, FOX ROTHSCHILD LLP**

2007 – 2009

*Philadelphia, PA*

- Served as web designer of project to migrate Intranet site from classic .asp platform to Microsoft SharePoint 2007 platform.
- Generated reports on site usage metrics and increased awareness of internal databases.
- Trained users on general usage of Intranet, posting content to Intranet, and best practices.
- Upon resignation from full-time position (August 2009), asked to stay on board part-time until replacement was hired. After replacement was hired and beyond with assignments on special projects.

**KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT CONTRACTOR, DELOITTE SERVICES LP**

2005 – 2006 (Intern, 2003)

*Atlanta, GA*

- Managed several key components of a large scale web design project.
  - Maintained and researched industry-specific information.
  - Completed analyses on usage and effectiveness of processes to track client wins.
  - Started as intern, then promoted to Knowledge Management Associate.
  - Asked to return to assist during transition of several roles to India.
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