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## PROFILE

**Higher Education specialist** – award-winning educator with over 10 years' experience successfully teaching, advising, and mentoring culturally diverse student populations at the undergraduate and graduate levels; experiential learning advocate

**International Tourism and Culture scholar** – international education and study abroad experience; published and presented widely on culture and travel behavior; travelled, lived, and worked abroad extensively; multilingual

**Tourism Development consultant** – business consultant with expertise in tourism planning & development; professional background in hospitality management and international tour operations; secured over US\$1.5 million in grants and contracts

## EDUCATION

**Post-doc Culture & Behavior** 2014

University of Regina (Canada)

**PhD Tourism Management, minor in Cultural Anthropology** 2011

The Pennsylvania State University (USA)

**MSci Tourism Management** 2008

The Pennsylvania State University (USA)

**BSci Tourism Planning and Development** 2004

Lusófona University (Portugal)

## RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

**President and Lead Researcher** 2017-present  
Insights Consulting Solutions (USA)

**Assistant Professor** 2014-2018

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (USA)

**Post-doctoral Fellow** 2012-2014

University of Regina (Canada)

**Lecturer** 2011-2012

University of Regina (Canada)

**Doctoral Fellow** 2010-2011

The Pennsylvania State University (USA)

**Graduate Teaching & Research Assistant** 2005-2009

The Pennsylvania State University (USA)

**Overseas Representative** 2000

Panorama Holiday Group (UK & Tunisia)

**Hotel Management Intern** 1999

Yellow Hotels (Portugal)

## HONORS AND AWARDS

**Teacher Ranked as Excellent by Their Students** 2015-2018  
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Postdoctoral Fellowship** 2012-2014

Canadian Institute of Health Research

**Doctoral Fellowship** 2011

Portuguese National Science Foundation

	<b>Harold F. Martin Outstanding Graduate Teaching Award</b>	2009
	The Pennsylvania State University	
	<b>Graduate Scholarship</b>	2005-2010
	The Pennsylvania State University	
	<b>Undergraduate Scholarship</b>	2004
	Universidade Lusófona	
<b>CERTIFICATES</b>	<b>Education Abroad Advising</b>	2018
	National Association of International Educators	
	<b>F-1 Student Advising</b>	2018
	National Association of International Educators	
	<b>Disability Advocate</b>	2015
	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	
	<b>Teaching Innovations Certificate</b>	2012
	The University of Regina	
	<b>Teaching with Technology Certificate</b>	2010
	The Pennsylvania State University	
	<b>Graduate Teaching Certificate</b>	2009
	The Pennsylvania State University	
<b>PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS</b>	Central States Travel and Tourism Research Association ( <b>CenStates TTRA</b> )	
	International Educators of Illinois ( <b>IEI</b> )	
	National Association of International Educators ( <b>NAFSA</b> )	
	National Recreation and Park Association ( <b>NRPA</b> )	
	Society for Cross-Cultural Research ( <b>SCCR</b> )	
	The International EcoTourism Society ( <b>TIES</b> )	
	Travel and Tourism Research Association ( <b>TTRA</b> )	
<b>SKILLS</b>	Terra Dotta * R * BlackBoard * SPSS * UCINET * Word Press * Microsoft OfficeSuite CRM * Course Leaf * Acrobat * * Compass* NVivo * Database Management * SEVIS	
<b>LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY</b>	<b>English</b> (Native)	
	<b>Portuguese</b> (Native)	
	<b>Spanish</b> (Fluent Spoken and Written)	
	<b>French</b> (Fluent Spoken and Written)	
	<b>Arabic</b> (Beginner Spoken)	
	<b>Mandarin Chinese</b> (Beginner Spoken)	
	<b>Vietnamese</b> (Beginner Spoken)	