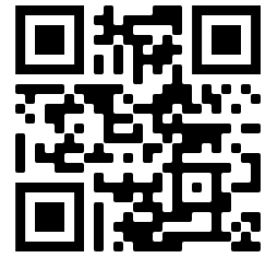




## **LAURA L. DAVIS**

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### **PROFILE**

Hard-working, creative, honest, and entrepreneurial. Excellent skills in communication, project management, personnel supervision, and client relations. Creative educator/administrator. Excellent school management and corporate training skills developed through the accreditation process. TESOL Kuwait Exec. Board Member (Webmaster)

**EDUCATOR** [Details here...](#)

**Elearning Coordinator, English Language Instructor, Foundation Program King Abdulaziz University (KAU) Jeddah, Saudi Arabia** 10/2014 to present

**English Language Instructor, Foundation and Business Diploma Programs Australian College of Kuwait (ACK) Kuwait** 09/2012 to 06/2014

**Founder/Director of 501(C)3 Sustainable Technology Institute, Idaho Springs, CO** 2009-2012

**Founder/Director of Colorado School of English, Denver, CO** 2009-2012

**English Language Instructor, Asian Pacific Development Center**

**English Language Instructor, Peace Corps, Niger, West Africa**

**Presenter, TESOL Kuwait, TESOL Arabia, KAU, ACK**

**ENTREPRENEUR** [Details here...](#)

**Founder/ Co-owner, Tri Power Systems, Idaho Springs, CO** 2008 - 2012  
*A renewable energy integration company specializing in photovoltaic systems.*

**Founder/Director, Colorado School of English, Denver, CO** 1992-2008  
*Accredited institute providing English language and teacher certification programs*

**Founder/Director of 501(C)3 Sustainable Technology Institute, Idaho Springs, CO**

**Founder/Co-Owner Weddings with Kids, Idaho Springs, CO**

## **INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGNER / LEARNING & DEVELOPMENT**

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**Elearning Coordinator, English Language Instructor, Foundation Program King Abdulaziz University KAU) Jeddah, Saudi Arabia 10/2014 to present**

**Founder/Director of Colorado School of English, Denver, CO 2009-2012**

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**English Language Instructor, Asian Pacific Development Center**

## **INSTRUCTIONAL COACH / COUNSELOR** [Details here...](#)

**Founder/Director of Colorado School of English, Denver, CO 2009-2012**

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**English Language Instructor, Peace Corps, Niger, West Africa**

## **NON-PROFIT MANAGEMENT, CSR MANAGER / VOLUNTEER**

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- **TESOLKuwait, Board Member (Webmaster)**
- **Founder/Director of Colorado School of English, Denver, CO 2009-2012**
- **Founder/Director of 501(C)3 Sustainable Technology Institute, Idaho Springs, CO**
- **Clear Creek County Sustainability Committee, Founding Member, Idaho Springs, CO**
- **Gilpin and Clear Creek County Energy Advisory Committee, Founding Member, Clear Creek County, CO**
- **English Language Instructor, Peace Corps, Niger, West Africa**
- **Crisis Intervention Counselor, Open Clinic, University of Denver (hotline and walk-in)**
- **Colorado Crisis Services (Child Abuse Shelter), Denver, CO**
- **Care-giver for Child with Cerebral Palsy, Elmhurst, IL**

**WRITER** [Details here...](#)

- **Business writing** (as entrepreneur)
- **Writer/CopyEditor** (multi-national corporate newsletter)
- **English Language/Writing Instructor** (multiple universities & institutions)
- **Publication** (P&O MPPT Implementation Using MATLAB/Simulink)

**PORTFOLIO**

**PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS**

## **EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS**

**M.A. in Information and Learning Technologies, eLearning**, University of Colorado, Denver 05/2013

**Graduate Certificate: Designing eLearning Environments**, University of Colorado, Denver 12/2011

**TAE 40110 Certificate IV in Training & Assessment**, TAS TAFE 05/2013

**Moodle Administrator - Beginning Level certificate (2012)**

**TESL/TEFL Certificate**, Colorado School of English, Denver, CO 12/1997

**Professional Development:** TESOL International Conferences, Colorado TESOL Conferences, TESOL Kuwait, TESOL Arabia

Numerous training courses in: business admin, school admin, law, grant writing, photo-voltaics, small hydro systems, community development, wind energy, solar thermal systems.

**Paralegal Certificate**, Denver Paralegal Institute, Denver, CO 1984

**B.A. Psychology**, University of Denver; Denver, CO 1982

**Numerous certificates** of completion related to renewable energy, business contracting, grant proposal writing and public school management

## **SKILLS**

Excellent management, project management, writing, marketing, teaching, personnel supervision, customer service, mentoring and client relations skills. Expertise in instructional design, pedagogy/andragogy, elearning (including gamification, ebooks, computer based instruction, and mobile learning), acculturation, ESL, renewable energy. Speak/write French, speak Hausa, learning Arabic and Spanish. Excellent and varied computer skills.

**REFERENCES** Available upon request.