

CSUSB's ELP Faculty

Dorothy Frize

Education

- Master of Science----Mass Communication/Creative Writing/Literature, Brooklyn College, N.Y.
- Bachelor of Arts-----English/Mass Communication, Hunter College, NY
- COMMUNITY COLLEGE CREDENTIALS – ESL/Computer Programs

Teaching Specialization

- Levels 1-Beginner, Level 2-Intermediate, Level 3-Undergraduate/Advanced 1, Level 4-graduate/Advanced 11 (Listening, Writing, Reading, Grammar, Electives, and Adjunct University).
- TOEFL Preparation (Foreign Doctors, Nurses, Pharmacists/various ESL populations)
- GMAT (Critical Thinking, Reading and Grammar)
- Resource Specialist for ESL, Chinese, Sign Language and Arabic
- Business English (Professionals/Intermediate/Advanced ESL)

Professional Biography

Dorothy Frize has been an instructor at ELP, CSUSB for 24 yrs where she has taught ESL to various populations from all over the world. She teaches core classes like Listening, Writing, Reading and Grammar. In addition, she has taught special programs like Adjunct Open University classes to ESL students who were struggling with Open University classes. She also coordinated the start up of the Japanese BETA program (Business ESL) at CSUSB, wrote a curriculum for it and solely taught all the 5 classes for it for 5yrs. At CSUSB, Dorothy additionally wrote a curriculum for an ESL Nursing program for the Red Cross, a Korean Teacher's Program and was involved in teaching Business programs there for many years. While at ELP, she also taught English to Turkish professors and Business English to French Business people.

Simultaneously, as she pursued her ESL career with ELP, She also worked at Chaffey College as a Resource Specialist and as an Adjunct Professor. She supervised, coordinated activities between Adjunct professors and students, trained new tutors, did daily workshops for American and ESL students. Since TOEFL has always been the most bothersome and pressing issue for ESL students, Dorothy decided to tackle another ESL hurdle. She started teaching TOEFL preparation classes in the year 2000 to foreign doctors, nurses, and pharmacists to help them pass it so they can challenge their Medical State Boards and start practicing medicine in America. Engineers and Educators were additionally part of her TOEFL pursuit.

Dorothy has enjoyed 27 yrs of being an ESL educator in various facets of the field and continues to do so. When she is not busy with her ESL students, she enjoys traveling all over the world where she can interact with international people, learn from them culturally and then use her experiences to better instruct her students according to group populations.

Selected Publications and Awards

- College of Extended Learning- Institutional Excellence Award-2003-2004
- CSUSB – Certificate of Appreciation Award 2011, 2014
- Chaffey College–Resource Specialist Excellence Award-2005
Certificate of Appreciation Award (ESL Instruction) 2007, 2012

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