

# Valerie Nicole Machado

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## EXPERIENCE

### **Camp Canton, China** – *Director*

FEBRUARY 2018 – JULY 2018

- Created thematic activity plans differentiated for K-5-age campers.
- Coordinated logistics between school campus and sponsoring organization.
- Led three weeks of camp, supporting counselors, communicating with families, and interacting with all campers throughout the day.

### **Colegio Internacional de San Salvador, El Salvador** – *Second grade teacher*

AUGUST 2015 – JUNE 2017

- Led all classes in English at multicultural school with predominately ESL students.
- Prepared lesson plans and materials for all subjects in concurrence with curriculum provided.
- Worked collaboratively with primary team to best support students and enrich the learning environment.

### **Arlington Traditional School, United States** – *Student teacher*

MARCH 2015 – JUNE 2015

- Transitioned from observer to unassisted teacher in second grade class.
- Prepared lesson plans and corresponding materials for all subjects with curriculum provided.
- Worked with team of teachers and specialists to best support students.
- Assessed student learning with projects, presentations, and tests.

### **Rabat American School, Morocco** – *Assistant kindergarten teacher*

NOVEMBER 2012 – JUNE 2013

- Acted as secondary instructor in all subjects at multicultural IB school.
- Supervised playground, lunchroom, bus area, as well as all transitions.
- Worked with students one-on-one with reading, writing, and math skills.
- Prepared materials for students, creative displays for classroom, resources for head teacher.

## EDUCATION

### **Moreland University** – *Elementary education certification*

SEPTEMBER 2014– SEPTEMBER 2015, Washington, DC

### **University of California, Santa Barbara** – *B.A. Communications, Professional Editing*

SEPTEMBER 2005 – JUNE 2009

Honors: *cum laude*