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## Education

Post University

* MA Teaching English for Academic Purposes (with Distinction) Nottingham University 2018
* DipLC – Diploma in Life Coaching 2012
* DipTESOL (Eurolink Teacher Training – 450 Hours study, NVQ Level 6, accredited by College of Teachers and ACTDEC) 2008
* CertTESOL (Eurolink Teacher Training – 250 Hours study, NVQ Level 5, accredited by College of Teachers and ACTDEC) 2006
* Course in “Teaching Phonology” (Izmir University of Economics) 2004
* Certificate - Teaching English Grammar to Adults (British Council) 2003

University

* B.A. Degree (2.1) Italian with Spanish (Exeter University)

College

* A Levels in Italian, and Spanish both Grade A (Southampton College)
* A Levels in Maths and Physics(Queen mary’s College, Basingstoke)
* GCE O Level Italian Grade A (Basingstoke Technical College)
* GCE O Level Spanish Grade B (Queen mary’s College, Basingstoke)
* HNC Electronic Engineering (Basingstoke Technical College)
* GCE O Level in Electronics

#### Teaching Experience

Jan 2018-Present EAP Teacher, Bellerbys College, Cambridge

* Taught EAP and Academic English Skills Foundation Course to international undergraduate students preparing to enter UK Universities.
* Taught IELTS preparation classes at all levels from 4.0 -8.0.
* Carried out exams in all four skills
* Designed SOWs for Academic English Course for AS and A Level students which included the writing of an extended essay.
* Helped to design learning modules for Studysmart (online learning VLE using Moodle).

Aug 2012-Sept 2017 EAP Pre-Sessional Tutor, Leicester University

* Taught EAP pre-sessional (summer) courses to postgraduate international students for six weeks in 2012,2013 and 2016 and ten weeks in 2014, 2015 and 2017.
* Taught Grammar, Academic Reading Skills, Academic Writing, Academic Speaking and Listening Skills, Presentation Skills, Note-taking Skills and Academic Vocabulary/ Lexis.

Sept 2009-July 2017 Freelance English Language Teacher, MEF International School, Izmir and Self Employed

* Taught online classes in general English via skype
* Taught IELTS and TOEFL exam preparation lessons
* Taught English to parents at MEF International School at all levels
* Taught English iGCSE and A/AS level classes as cover teacher at MEF International School
* Taught English to private adult students

Aug 2008-Sept 2011 EAP Pre-Sessional Instructor, Durham University, UK

* Taught EAP pre-sessional (summer) courses over four years (2008-2011)
* Taught all aspects of EAP especially writing theses and essays
* Taught Academic English to international Law/ Business Students at undergraduate and postgraduate levels
* Attended workshops and teacher development sessions
* Completed successful observations to BALEAP standards

Oct 2003-July 2008 English Language Instructor, Izmir University of Economics, Izmir, Turkey

* Taught English EAP preparatory classes at various levels
* Taught Academic Writing, Reading, Listening, and Grammar classes
* Attended workshops and teacher training seminars
* Conducted oral examinations

Jan 2001-Sept 2003 English Teacher, The Address Language School, Izmir, Turkey

* Taught small classes and individuals (adult learners) English including conversation, Grammar and General English to businessmen and women.

Sept 1995-Dec 2000 Freelance Language Tutor, Izmir, Turkey

* Taught English, Italian and Spanish to private students both adults, business clients and young students

**Other Experience and Skills**

* Keen to move into academic management or other roles such as teacher training
* Ability to coach and mentor, qualified Life Coach
* Keen interest and ability in Technology and eLearning
* Designs, maintains websites in the psychology field
* Writes online content and runs social media campaigns
* Wrote a best-selling book “Self Esteem Secrets” in 2009

**Websites**

[http://www.karlperera.com](http://www.karlperera.com/)

[http://www.more-selfesteem.com](http://www.more-selfesteem.com/)

[https://www.depression-helper.com](https://www.depression-helper.com/)

**Languages**

Spanish, Italian, Turkish and native English speaker.