

# STEPHANIE M. STELLA

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## EDUCATION

Ph.D., English, Specialization: American Literature, Marquette University, Wisconsin, 2009-2013  
Postgraduate Studies in Comparative Literature, Specialization: American & Italian Literatures,  
University of Texas at Austin, Fall 2003  
M.A., English, Specialization: American Literature, Marquette University, Wisconsin, 2001-2003  
B.S., Health Sciences, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 1994-1997

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

English Teacher & English Department Chair, Newman Catholic High School, Wausau, Wisconsin,  
2016-Present  
Adjunct Professor of Literature and Composition, John Cabot University, Rome, Italy, 2015  
Adjunct Professor of Literature and Composition and Writing Tutor, The American University of Rome,  
Italy, 2014-2015  
Adjunct Professor of Literature and Composition, Loyola University of Chicago John Felice Rome Center,  
Italy, 2014-2015  
English Teacher, St. Stephen's School, Rome, Italy, 2013-2014  
Instructor of Rhetoric and Composition & Introduction to Drama, Marquette University, Wisconsin,  
2001-2003 & 2008-2012  
Writing Tutor, Marquette University Writing Center, Wisconsin, 2002-2003 & 2011-2012  
English Teacher, Marquette University High School, Wisconsin, 2004-2007  
Instructor of Adult English as a Foreign Language, Pisa, Italy, Spring 2004  
Graduate Assistant of Latin and Greek Elements in the English Language, University of Texas at Austin,  
Fall 2003  
Instructor of Language Arts and Health, Peace Corps, St. Lucia, West Indies, 1999-2001

## ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

Dean of Academics, Newman Catholic High School, Wausau, Wisconsin, 2018-Present  
Coordinator of the General Education Program, The American University of Rome, Italy, 2014-2015  
Trainer, Teaching Assistant Orientation, Marquette University, Wisconsin, Summer 2011  
Seminar Leader, Educational Opportunity Program, Marquette University, Wisconsin, Summers 2009-2010  
Instructor of Creative Writing, United States Scholar-Athlete Games, Rhode Island, Summer 2003  
Assessment Reader for Effectiveness of First-Year English Program, Marquette University, Wisconsin,  
Summers 2002-2003  
Co-editor of *Serious Ting: Quarterly Journal for Eastern Caribbean Peace Corps Volunteers*, St. Lucia, West Indies,  
2000-2001  
Co-founder of Youth Reading Program, Castries Public Library, St. Lucia, West Indies, 1999-2001

## HONORS & AWARDS

American Dissertation Fellowship, American Association of University Women, 2012-2013  
Full Teaching Assistantship, Marquette University, Wisconsin, 2001-2003 & 2009-2012  
Klinger College of Arts and Sciences RCM Graduate Travel Award, Marquette University, Wisconsin, Spring 2012  
Graduate School Professional Student Research and Travel Awards, Marquette University, Wisconsin, Spring 2012  
English Department Graduate Travel Awards, Marquette University, Wisconsin, Fall 2010 and Spring 2012  
Catholic Schools Personnel Scholarship, Marquette University, Wisconsin, 2005-2006  
Professional Development Grant, Marquette University High School, Wisconsin, Summer 2005  
Full Graduate Assistantship, University of Texas at Austin, Fall 2003

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Modern Language Association  
National Council of Teachers of English  
American Association of University Women  
National Peace Corps Association

### **CONFERENCES & PUBLICATIONS**

- “Challenging Complicity: Holly Goddard Jones’s Use of Narrative Point of View,”  
2<sup>nd</sup> Global Conference: Trauma – Theory and Practice, Prague, Czech Republic, 21-24 March 2012
- “Victim Responsibility in the Poetry of June Jordan & Jorie Graham,” Rocky Mountain Modern Language Association, New Mexico, 16 October 2010
- “Post-Peace Corps Career Options,” Peace Corps Close-of-Service Conference, Antigua, Guatemala, May 2008
- “Dismantling Notions of the Other Early,” *The Wisconsin English Journal*, Fall 2005
- Moderator for Marquette University’s Women & Creativity Conference, March 2002 & 2003
- “Teaching Students the Process Approach to Composition,” Poster Session, 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Marquette University/University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee T.A. Conference, Wisconsin, 3 December 2001

### **SERVICE & COMMITTEES**

- Writing Across the Curriculum Committee & Senior Capstone Project Mentor, Newman Catholic High School, Wisconsin, 2016-Present
- Trip Leader, St. Stephen’s School Cultural Immersion Program in Lucca, Italy, and Munich, Germany, 2013-2014
- Mentor to Undergraduate Writing Tutors, Marquette University Writing Center, Wisconsin, Fall 2011
- Mentor to New Teaching Assistants, Marquette University, Wisconsin, Fall 2011
- Curriculum Development Committee, Colegio Maya, Guatemala City, Guatemala, 2007-2008
- Student Advisor, Colegio Maya, Guatemala City, Guatemala, 2007-2008 & Marquette University High School, Wisconsin, 2004-2007
- Gender Task Force Committee, Marquette University High School, Wisconsin, 2004-2007
- Students’ Physical and Spiritual Growth Committee, Marquette University High School, Wisconsin, 2004-2007
- Trip Leader, Marquette University High School Cultural and Language Immersion Program in Cuernavaca, Mexico, Summer 2005
- Spiritual Retreat Leader, Marquette University High School, Wisconsin, Spring 2005
- Silent Auction Donations Solicitor, Marquette University Association of English Graduate Students, Wisconsin, 2001-2003

### **CONTINUING EDUCATION**

- Teaching via Compressed Video, University of Wisconsin-Marathon County, 19 April 2017
- InThinking* Workshop IB English A: Literature, Barcelona, Spain, 27-29 September 2013
- Italian Language Course, Istituto Venezia, Venice, Italy, Summer 2010
- Italian Language Course, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Spring 2009
- Spanish Language Lessons, Guatemala, 2007-2008
- AP Seminar in English Language and Composition, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Summer 2007
- Teaching Certificate/Wisconsin Teaching License (English 300), Marquette University, Wisconsin, 2005-2007
- Spanish Language Course, Cemanahuc Educational Community, Cuernavaca, Mexico, Summer 2005
- French Language Course, Alliance Francaise, St. Lucia, West Indies, 2000-2001
- Cross Cultural Training, Peace Corps, St. Lucia, West Indies, 1999-2001
- Creole Language Lessons, St. Lucia, West Indies, 1999-2000
- Literature Courses, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 1998-1999
- Literature Courses, University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point, Spring 1998
- Creative Writing Course, University of Texas at Austin, Fall 1997
- Italian Literature and Language Courses, Università per Stranieri di Perugia, Italy, Summer 1996