

Aveleigh Gateman

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PROFILE

- Native English speaker and verbal comprehension of French
- Experienced ESL Teacher
- TESOL Certification with specialization in Business English
- Bachelor of Social Science with Political Science Specialization, B.Soc.Sc.

EXPERIENCE

English Teacher, New Planet Language School, St. Petersburg, Russia *April, 2008*

- Planning lessons and teaching Russian students, focussing on Business English on-site at client's offices

English Teacher, Suncheon City Lifelong Learning Centres, South Korea *September, 2007 ~ March, 2008*

- Planning lessons and teaching Korean students of all ages (3-70 years) at all levels
- Running English story telling and game hours with pre-schoolers
- Designed and implemented an "Art in English" class for elementary school students, including a final art exhibition

Facilitator, Youth Net/Reseau Ado, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada *September 2006 ~ December, 2006*

- Facilitating groups of youth (age 13-20) through 90 minute focus groups on topics such as mental health, stress, peer pressure, drug use, etc
- Included follow up with youth identified as at risk for mental health issues and distributing useful resources and information to youth

Youth Facilitator, City of Ottawa Public Health, Canada *August, 2005 ~ January, 2007*

- Working with youth advocacy groups in high schools as part of the anti-tobacco youth program "expose"
- Organizing events, linking youth to public health staff, taking anti-tobacco advocacy to the community
- Presenter and facilitator at Nunavut regional youth conference and Ontario provincial youth conference.

Nanny, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada *April, 2004 ~ June, 2004*

- Daily care of two small children; cooking meals; clean up; cleaning of house; planning of daily activities; ensuring safety/happiness of children

EDUCATION

University of Ottawa, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada *September, 2003 ~ June, 2007*
Bachelor of Social Science with Political Science Specialization, B.Soc.Sc.

United TESOL International College of Teaching Training, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada *June, 2006*
100-Hour TESOL Certificate in ESL Training with Specialization in Business English

- **First-Aid and CPR certificates**

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- Big Brother Big Sisters Fundraiser | Lead Organizer
- UNICEF Canada | Volunteer
- "Withinsight" Public Policy Conference | Recruiter
- U of Ottawa Amnesty Int. Club | Member/ Organizer
- U of Ottawa Fulcrum Newspaper | Writer

PERSONAL ACHIEVEMENT

- Participant in 6 month University International Exchange Program in Amsterdam, The Netherlands
- Participant in Junior Team Canada's "Junior Leader Center Ottawa" 2005
- Participant in month long "Global Civic Development Program 2004" in Bologna, Italy
- Participant in "U.N. Pilgrimage for Youth 2003" in New York City