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1) Education

Start of Ph.D. studies at Lund University in English linguistics with
main advisor Professor Carita Paradis. 2013

Current Topics in Technology Enhanced Learning: PhD. Course 2012
KTH: Royal Institute of Technology

Literature Review: *Incorporating Pedagogy and Didactics into Technology Enhanced Learning*
A review of articles dealing with didactical theories and methods when using technology in the
classroom.

Degree of Master of Science in Information Technology 2009
University of Liverpool

M.Sc. Thesis, awarded an "A": *The Interactive Help Desk: A Case Study in Uniting Expert
Systems and Chat-bots to Solve Problems 24/7*

ICT and the Humanities Summer School: Exploring Digital Artefacts 2005
Södertörn College

Flash Animation Digital Artefact: *A Good Way to Conquer Fear*

Degree of Bachelor of Arts in English: 2003
Blekinge Institute of Technology

"D" uppsats: *Game Evolution, Edutainment and "Adaptation": Story to Game*

2) Appointments/Employment and Positions

Lund University, Sweden 2013 -

1 September 2013, start of four year doctoral position within the STAVicta project.

See: <http://www.cs.lnu.se/stavicta>

Kristianstad University, Sweden 2010 - 2013

University Adjunct in English

As a lecturer in the English Department working with traditional English Liberal Arts courses such as grammar, teacher-trainers specializing in English at the elementary, lower-secondary, secondary and upper-secondary level. I lectured and taught traditional liberal arts courses, English acquisition didactics, and educational technologies / 21st Century skills. I also worked in the Learning Resource Center. This is the English language workshop helping students, employees and staff acquire greater proficiency with writing, speaking, and other areas of English competency. At most times it was tutoring students in the English areas of writing and even stylistic areas; from abstracts to Master thesis, and even editing a doctoral student's book chapter. Here it is not only English grammar and spelling, but of English where colloquialisms, among other writing points, are not a part of academic English.

Blekinge Institute of Technology 2003 – 2011

Teaching Assistant: English and digital media

I taught educational technologies and 21st century skills, as well as liberal arts, English literature. Working with liberal arts students who have not had the opportunity to engage in multi-media work, was a vastly interesting and rewarding experience. Students from all over the world, China, Australia, USA, Brazil, Nigeria, etc. gave me a remarkable and unforgettable experience. Teaching students, those who had a multitude of multi-media knowledge, and those who had only ever e-mailed and “surfed” the web, was a worthwhile challenge. This work was extremely interesting and, I believe, the knowledge I gained was worth sharing, hence the article I wrote considering and reflecting on this work.

Studiefrämjandet i Sydväst 2002

I was a Swedish Instructor for asylum applicants. This was a very demanding job, in that creating a trusting environment for adult students, many being illiterate and having experienced poverty and war. This job also challenged my own understanding of Swedish grammar, pronunciation and my own communicative skills to be able to teach my L2 without problems and misconceptions by the students.

Norrevångskolan Mörrum 1999 – 2000

I taught English, Social Studies and Home Economics at the secondary level was very rewarding. This opportunity gave me insight into the workings of the Swedish school system from the teacher’s prospective. Similarities as well as contrasts were not always visible, and becoming familiar with the curriculum was an important factor in my continuing education.

3) Academic Qualifications

Publications

Please see uploaded pdf file.

External Funding

Linnaeus-Palme International Exchange

Kristianstad University and The University of the Gambia, The Gambia

Principal: Associate Professor Jane Mattisson, HKr
Co-applicant: English Adjunct Teri Schamp-Bjerede, HKr

80000:- SEK 1-week planning exchange took place, fall of 2011.

158940:- SEK 3-week teaching exchange, fall 2012.

Kristianstad University and Sichuan University, China

Principal: Associate Professor Jane Mattisson, HKr
Co-applicant: English Adjunct Teri Schamp-Bjerede, HKr

80000:- SEK 1-week planning exchange, spring (HKr) and fall (Sichuan) 2012.

Participation in National and International Conferences

CoSN: Consortium for School Networking 2012 K-12 Technology Leadership
Conference ReImagine Learning. Presentation, 5-8 March 2012.

Washington D.C., U.S.A.

<http://www.cosn.org/events/2012cosnconference/tabid/9369/default.aspx>

NCPTW - National Conference on Peer Tutoring in Writing, 4-6 November 2011.
Florida International University, Miami, Florida, U.S.A.

<http://www.ncptw.net/2011-conference.html>

Canada Day Re-presenting Canada: Issues and Challenges Interdisciplinary Canadian
Studies Conference, 15 - 16 April 2011. Kristianstad University, Sweden.

<http://canadaday.zzl.org/>

The European College Teaching & Learning (ETLC) Conference, 7-10 June 2010.
Dublin Ireland.

<http://atlas-conferences.com/cgi-bin/calendar/d/fadv31>

League of Worlds Conference, 9-13 October 2007.

Maritime Museum and Blekinge Institute of Technology, Karlskrona, Sweden.

<http://www.bth.se/info/intradom.nsf/o/4388F79E2C3EB720C125738000405EEB?OpenDocument>

The Virtual 2007 - M3: Man Medium Machine Research Platform Conference, 20-22
September 2007. Södertörn, Sweden.

http://mt.sh.se/m3/index.php?id_page=34

Technological Texture conference, 17 - 18 January 2005.

Humlab, Umeå University, Umeå, Sweden.

<http://blog.humlab.umu.se/?p=24>

Sea Change Conference, 23-24 april 2005

Blekinge Institute of Technology

<http://www.bth.se/info/intradom.nsf/o/C05BF90376903CC9C125700B00414B62?OpenDocument>

4) Pedagogical Qualifications

Pedagogical Training

Higher Education Pedagogy –Project Course 2009 7,5 ects
Blekinge Institute of Technology

Higher Education Pedagogy –Intro. Course 2009 7,5 ects
Blekinge Institute of Technology

Pedagogical awards, prizes.

Nominated for Kristianstad University's Pedagogue of the Year 2010

Condensed list of Courses Taught

Kristianstad University - Most Recent First

Fall 2012

English Liberal Arts I

Oral Proficiency
Literature
Vocabulary
British and American History

English Teacher Trainers (jr. high school, high school)

English at School II – didactics and pedagogy / theories, methods and tasks

Teacher Trainers (K-3, 4-6)

GT300L - English grammar and phonetics
GS320L - English grammar and phonetics

Teacher Trainers -Campus Helsingborg

Oral Proficiency – including Swedish curriculum connections and didactics

University of the Gambia – November-December 2012

3 week teacher Exchange - Linnaeus-Palme
English Liberal Arts Program: Classic literature
Technical Culture
Technical Teaching Tools: Hardware & Software

Spring 2012

English Liberal Arts I

Literature
Vocabulary

English Liberal Arts II

Vocabulary

English Teacher Trainers (7-9, upper-secondary)

English at School I – didactics and pedagogy; Swedish curriculum

English Level IV - 1 Year Master's Program

Module B: language acquisition and testing

Fall 2011

English Liberal Arts I

Literature
Vocabulary
History

English Liberal Arts II

Vocabulary

LärarLyftet (F-3) External Uppdrag

English for teachers - English grammar and phonetics

Spring 2011

English Liberal Arts I

Grammar
Oral Proficiency
Literature
Vocabulary
History

English Teacher Trainers I (7-9, high school)

Grammar
Oral Proficiency
Literature
Vocabulary

English Liberal Arts & Teacher Trainers II

Vocabulary

English 1 Year Master's Program

Module B: language acquisition testing

English Teacher Trainers (F-3, 4-6)

“Språk och Skapande” (English didactics, grammar, phonetics)

Fall 2010 (15% at Blekinge Institute of Technology)

English Liberal Arts I

Oral Proficiency
Literature
History

English Liberal Arts II

Modern Literature
Vocabulary

Spring 2010 (50% at Blekinge Institute of Technology)

English Liberal Arts I

Oral Proficiency

English Teacher Trainers (F-3)

Passport to the world - English and the Young Learner (English literature and young learners)

Blekinge Institute of Technology

Fall 2010 (15%+ 75% at Kristianstad University)

English Liberal Arts Elective Course

Time Machine – Science Fiction literature with cultural connection to how literature inspires science and innovation

Spring 2010 (50% + diverse hours at Kristianstad University)

English Liberal Arts

Language and Communication Technical courses
MS Office –Ms Word, MS PowerPoint, MS Excel
Adobe Dreamweaver, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Flash
Wire-framing and web creation, idea, design, coding, implementation

Fall 2009 (50%)

English Liberal Arts

Language and Communication Technical courses
MS Office –Ms Word, MS PowerPoint, MS Excel
Adobe Dreamweaver, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Flash
Wire-framing and web creation, idea, design, coding, implementation

Spring 2009 - Spring 2007(50% + studying full Masters Program)

English Liberal Arts

Language and Communication Technical courses
MS Office –Ms Word, MS PowerPoint, MS Excel
Adobe Dreamweaver, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Flash
Wire-framing and web creation, idea, design, coding, implementation

Fall 2006 (50% + studying full Masters Program)

English Liberal Arts

Language and Communication Technical courses
MS Office –Ms Word, MS PowerPoint, MS Excel
Adobe Dreamweaver, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Flash
Wire-framing and web creation, idea, design, coding, implementation

Spring 2006 - Spring 2005 (50% + studying diverse courses)

English – Digital Culture Liberal Arts

Language and Communication Technical courses
MS Office –Ms Word, MS PowerPoint, MS Excel
Adobe Dreamweaver, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Flash
Wire-framing and web creation, idea, design, coding, implementation

Fall 2004 (75% + studying diverse courses)

English – Digital Culture Liberal Arts

Language and Communication Technical courses
MS Office –Ms Word, MS PowerPoint, MS Excel
Adobe Dreamweaver, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Flash
Wire-framing and web creation, idea, design, coding, implementation

Fall 2003- Summer 2004 (+Finishing Bachelor's English / History)

Amanuensis – Technical Workshops

MS Office –Ms Word, MS PowerPoint, MS Excel
Adobe Dreamweaver, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Flash
Wire-framing and web creation, idea, design, coding, implementation
Computer Management

Pedagogical Conferences

LÄRARLÄRDOM Higher Learning Pedagogy Conference, 15 August 2012.
Blekinge Institute of Technology, Sweden.

<http://www.bth.se/bib/lararlardom.nsf/sidor/higher-education-pedagogy-conference>

LÄRARLÄRDOM Higher Learning Pedagogy Conference, 17 August 2011.
Kristianstad University, Sweden.

(No Link)

LÄRARLÄRDOM Higher Learning Pedagogy Conference, 19 August 2010.
Blekinge Institute of Technology, Sweden

<http://www.bth.se/info/intradom.nsf/sidor/lararlardom>

LÄRARLÄRDOM Higher Learning Pedagogy Conference, 19 August 2009.
Blekinge Institute of Technology, Sweden.

<https://www.bth.se/bib/eng/library.nsf/pages/theme-of-the-week---higher-education-pedagogy-conference-lararlardom>

5) Administrative Qualifications

During the spring of 2012 the English department at Kristianstad University was required to submit a review of the department, its courses and programs to the Swedish Higher-Education Council. This review looked at the quality aspects of the courses and programs given in the English department. Participation by myself, and others prior to submission were recorded. In addition I was responsible for assembling the required “C” essays and 1-year Master’s dissertations, their conversion and subsequent hand over to the Head of the English Department.

Fall of 2011 saw the English Department start a collaborative work on a new Master program, and during the spring and summer of 2012 finalizing the new English bachelors program.

The Canada Day Conference

Hosted by Kristianstad University in the spring of 2011

Re-presenting Canada: Issues and Challenges - Interdisciplinary Canadian Studies Conference

15 - 16 April 2011

The Canada Day Conference was a “NACS” (Nordic Association for Canadian Studies) Kristianstad, and Lund University collaboration with both Ph.D. Irina Schmitt and Associate Professor Jane Mattisson formal representatives of NACS, and representatives of their respective universities. I was asked to submit and present for the conference, and also to help with conference organization, take on the technical responsibilities for all attendees, be webmaster the conference website, and be graphic designer for the posters, initiations and conference programs. My conference presentation, “Speaking of Canada ~ Signs, Signifiers & Interpretation through

Media”, reflected upon the multi-national ways in which Canadians see themselves, and how they sometimes seem flippant when dealing with serious issues.

The League of Worlds Conference

Hosted by the Blekinge Institute of Technology
September 2007

The League of Worlds conference was hosted by the Blekinge Institute of Technology in September 2007. It was aimed at cultivating ties to those universities that sought to make use of virtual worlds as a platform for teaching and learning. As part of the organizational group for the conference, I was in charge of the technical set-up and wireless internet connections for all participants. Also, planning of brochures and traditional materials needed for conferences, as well as a liaison between the host university and the Karlskrona Marine Museum where the conference took place.

Sea-Change conference

Hosted by the Blekinge Institute of Technology
Spring 2005

The Sea-Change conference took place in 2005 and was also hosted by the Blekinge Institute of Technology and was aimed at a collaborative discussion of English as a subject, and where the subject is “headed” within the college and university environments.

Employment/appointment: Technical Advisor

During my employment at the Blekinge Institute of Technology, I was also responsible for technical acquisitions for the English department and especially for the Literature, Culture and Digital Media program. This included recommendation for purchases, and budget considerations within the program area up to 30000:-SEK; this then was sent to the administrative head of the School of Planning and Media Design, for final approval for payment.

6) Third-Stream Activities

Participation in Mass-Media

My colleague Lennart Törnblad was contacted by P4 Radio Kristianstad in a request to have contact with an American citizen for an interview in connection to the U.S.A. Presidential election. My name was submitted and I was contacted by Hans Sandgren of P4 Kristianstad, and I subsequently agreed to be interviewed on November 6, 2012 at the station in Kristianstad. I enjoyed the experience and have left open the possibility for future interviews with them.

Sweden’s yearly *Forskarfredag* is held at the end of September, and is an important project to help students of all levels become interested in different areas of research

that is being conducted in Sweden. I submitted a proposal and was asked to provide a research station that highlighted my M.Sc. project and how it could be used in the traditional classroom as a supportive tool.

Reflecting in the need for a classroom version, I added AIML (artificial intelligence mark-up language) code that was based on informational responses on the topic of William Shakespeare, his life, works and the era he lived in. Students visiting Kalrshamn's Kreativum were able to interact with either one of the two chat-bots I had programmed and created. After which, a short interview was held with all of the participants for commercial purposes.