**Abigail L MORRIS**

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**EDUCATION**

**Master of Arts in English, Anticipated Completion: May 2015**

East Carolina University, Greenville, NC

Concentration in English Studies

*CAP Title:* “The Rhetoric of Human Sex Trafficking”

*Cap Director:* Erin Frost, PhD

**Graduate Certificate, Teaching English in a Two-Year College, May 2015**

East Carolina University, Greenville, NC

**Bachelor of Arts in English, May 2013,** GPA 4.0

Elizabeth City State University, Elizabeth City, NC

**Associate of Arts, May 2011,** GPA 3.9

College of the Albemarle, Elizabeth City, NC

**CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

Taylor, Richard, **Abigail Morris**, Kristi Wiley & Lucy Wilmer. (January 2015). “Culture as Classroom: Study Abroad and Student Success Panel,” Student Success Conference. Greenville, NC.

**Morris, Abigail**. (April 2014). “The Value of Writing at the End of the World,” East Carolina University English Graduate Student Conference. Greenville, NC.

**Morris, Abigail**. (Feb. 2014). “Strategies of Revision: Show, Don’t Tell,” Southeast Writing Center Association Conference. Greenville, NC.

MacPhee, Chantelle & **Abigail Morris**. (Nov. 2013). “A Picture is Worth a Thousand Words,” South Atlantic Modern Language Association 85th Annual Conference. Atlanta, GA.

**Morris, Abigail**. (April 2013). “The Nature of an Androgynous Mind: A study of Virginia Woolf and Gendered Writing,” Fayetteville State University Research Conference. Fayetteville, NC.

**Morris, Abigail**. (April 2013). “Fuseli’s Shakespeare: Painting a Darker Dream,” Elizabeth City State University Research Conference. Elizabeth City, NC.

**Morris, Abigail.** (April 2013). “Exploring New Strategies for Group Consultation in Writing Centers,” Elizabeth City State University Research Conference. Elizabeth City, NC.

**SELECTED AWARDS / HONORS / MEMBERSHIPS**

**Top Graduating Senior in English, 2013**

Elizabeth City State University

**African Presidential Roundtable Participant: Johannesburg, SA, 2013**

Elizabeth City State University

**Highest Departmental Standing, 2012**

Elizabeth City State University

**North Carolina Governor’s Academic Excellence Award, 2011**

College of the Albemarle

**Robert Stephen’s Literature Award, 2011**

College of the Albemarle

**Jean George Freshman Composition Award, 2010**

College of the Albemarle

**Sigma Tau Delta, International English Honor Society, 2012**

**Phi Theta Kappa, Honor Society, 2011**

**SELECTED RESEARCH/WORK EXPERIENCE**

**Instructor of Record**

Department ofEnglish, East Carolina University, 2014-present

* Taught multiple sections of Foundations of College Writing (ENGL 1100)
* Developed syllabus and curriculum content
* Created and maintained digital course content via Blackboard
* Disseminated rhetorical strategies and composition conventions
* Evaluated student writing

**Quality Enhancement Plan Program Director Assistant**

Department ofEnglish, East Carolina University, 2014

* Co-wrote the iWebfolio and University Writing Portfolio student procedure handbooks
* Co-facilitated iWebfolio training sessions for instructors
* Developed, narrated, and tested multimedia resources designed to assist ECU students with accessing iWebfolio and uploading documents for all university writing intensive courses

**Bate Writing Center Consultant**

Department ofEnglish, East Carolina University, 2013-2014

* Assisted students at various stages of the writing process
* Developed presentation materials on formatting and citations
* Presented selected content about plagiarism in Academia

**Quality Enhancement Plan** **Writing Studio Consultant**

Department of English, Elizabeth City State University, 2012-2013

* Assisted students at various stages of the writing process
* Designed brochures and flyers for composition studies and studio publicity
* Collaborated on projects to enhance student perceptions of the studio

**Library Lab Technical Assistant**

College of the Albemarle, 2010-2013

* Worked with students to navigate the digital spaces required for course work
* Helped both students and faculty with online research
* Co-facilitated research training sessions for students in night courses

**UNIVERSITY / COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Meet and Greet Session Photographer. *The Other Wes Moore Passport Event*. East Carolina University, 2014.

Documenter of Burials and Monuments, East London Historical Society, Tower Hamlets Cemetery Park, London, UK, 2014.

Festivities Coordinator, Multicultural Liaison, and Tech Support. *International Week Honors Dinner*. Elizabeth City State University, 2013.

Set Designer andPerformer**.** COA Frightastic Haunted House.College of the Albemarle, 2012.

Makeup Artist andPerformer. EC Fright Nights Haunted House. River City Fraternal Order of Police. Elizabeth City, NC, 2011.