

Kimberly de Jesus Alfonso

Artist/ESLTeacher/ Fitness Instructor

Profile

Student artist with a focus on oil, pastels and color. Bilingual teacher specializing in English for students of all levels and backgrounds. Incorporate aspects of culture, soft skills, and technology into each lesson.

Recent Exhibitions

2023	March-Sept.	Spring Show	San Francisco, CA
2023	9 August	First International Show	Florence, Italy
2023	September	HispanicHeritage Month	Local Library Waldorf, MD
2023	September	Hispanic Heritage Month	Carlos Rosario Washington, DC

Experience

2015-Present **ESLTeacher**
Carlos Rosario International Public Charter School **Washington DC**

- Deliver instruction encompassing a range of skill building activities for speaking, writing, listening, and reading.
- Customize group and individual classroom activities based on differentiated learning needs.
- Integrate technology as instructional tool
- Coordinate extracurricular activities such as crafts, yoga, Spelling Bee, and field trips
- Facilitate basic literacy instruction

2020-Present **Yoga instructor/Owner**
Gainster Soul Yoga. **Indian Head, MD**

- Teach individual and group Haitha, Vinyasa and Chair yoga lessons in home and online
- Train high performance athletes with balance, flexibility, and mobility limitations.
- Instruct students on proper alignment, Pranayama (breathing techniques) and meditation

2013-2015 **ESL and Spanish Teacher, Translator/Interpreter**
Language World USA **San Diego, CA**

- Customized small group and individual classroom activities based on differentiated learning styles
- Taught beginner to advanced levels of Spanish and English lto children and adults
- Facilitated instruction in English and Spanish for Specific Purposes
- provided thorough, accurate, and ethical interpreting services for individuals with limited Spanish or english speaking skills



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Skills

- Bilingual (Spanish and English)
- Limited working proficiency in French & Portuguese
- Artwork Management
- Proficiency: oil painting, color pencil and pastels
- Creative learning strategies
- Curriculum Development
- Online and Hybrid Instruction
- Technology-based learning
- Excellent communication skills
- Detail oriented and organized

Education

Master of Arts, Fine Painting	2-2022- present
Academy of Art University	San Francisco, CA
Master of Arts, Education, TESOL	12-2011
Alliant International University	San Diego, CA
Bachelor of Arts, French and Portuguese	12-2007
University of Puerto Rico	San Juan, PR
Language Interpretation and Translation	05-2009
San Diego State University.	San Diego, CA
Parahita Yoga School	07-2019
Hatha and Vinyasa Teacher Certification	Idonesisa