

TANNIE SHANNON
Instructor
English
Humanities

Degrees Earned:

Sam Houston State University

M.A. in English

Area of Concentration: Creative Writing

2004

Creative Thesis: "Seed of Villainy: The Hilton Crawford Story"

Sam Houston State University

B.A. Summa cum Laude in English

2000

Areas of Concentration: Creative Writing, Literature

Minor: Spanish

Publications and Artistic Performances/Exhibitions

Short Stories:

"Above the Bar" Twice published

2000, 2002

Books:

Seed of Villainy, Texas Review Press

2007

Presentations:

"COMING TO THE CLIMAX"

Presentation: Texas Association of Creative Writing Teachers

2003

The Red Cross and Me

Guest spotlight speaker at the annual Red Cross fundraiser, Washington DC

1995

Artistic Performances:

Reading by invitation—Original Poetry, University of Texas at Tyler

1999

Work or Professional Experience:

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Sam Houston State University

Instructor—English, Composition 1, 164W **2004**

Developed syllabus and overall course structure and administered all grades

Instructor—English, 164W, 165W, 266W **2005**

Developed syllabus and overall course structure and administered all grades

Instructor—English, 165W, 266W, 267W, 381W **2006**

Developed syllabus and overall course structure and administered all grades

Instructor—English, 164W, 165W, 266W **2007**

Developed syllabus and overall course structure and administered all grades

Related Experience:

Sam Houston Review

Student Editor

2002 – 2003

Provided editorial support, including developmental and copy editing of the journal.

Honors and Awards:

Graduate Colloquium, First Prize—Scholarly Essay **2004**

Texas Assoc of Creative Writing Teachers Student Competition, Third Place--nonfiction **2003**

Thomason Scholarship (back to back awards—first in school's history) **2003**

Thomason Scholarship **2002**

Graduate Colloquium, Third Prize—Short Story **2003**

Graduate Colloquium, First Prize—Short Story **2002**

H.Y. Benedict Fellowship **2001**

Alpha Chi Regional Scholarship **2000**

Alpha Chi Chapter Scholarship **1999**

