James Briano

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Professional Summary

Dedicated education leader focused on cultivating trusting and productive relationships with students, families, and colleagues. Resourceful and enthusiastic, with a record of fielding new courses and programs of study that support the varied needs of all students. Adept at using technology to gather, analyze, and present actionable data.

Experience

Assistant Principal, Guidance and Counseling

El Camino High School, South San Francisco CA   **2015 to Present**

- Lead the *CTE*, *VAPA*, and *World Languages* Professional Learning Communities
- Create the Master Schedule in collaboration with counselors, administrators, and instructors
- Coordinate CAASPP, PSAT, SAT, and AP assessments
- Direct the Online Credit Recovery and Opportunity Program
- Support Skyline Middle College students and staff
- Manage the UC a-g course list, crafting new and revised course submissions
- Facilitate weekly student-focused meetings with counselors, administrators, and School Safety Advocates
- Liaison with TEALS to provide experienced subject matter experts in *Computer Science* classrooms
- Oversee the AP Course Audit and Ledger

Principal, High School Summer School

South San Francisco Unified School District   **Summer 2018, 2019 & 2020**

- Coordinate with counselors representing three high schools to prioritize student enrollments
- Revise course offerings to meet the needs of more students
- Plan and facilitate professional development meetings
- Recruit and hire instructors, classified personnel, and paraprofessionals
- Mentor aspiring administrators
- Prepared a robust distance learning program during Summer 2020

Career Technical Education Administrator

Mission Valley ROP, Fremont CA   **2012 to 2015**

- Supervised instructors spanning eleven high schools in three school districts
- Directed PLTW adoption and hiring for *Biomedical Sciences* and *Engineering* pathways
- Led a committee to completely revise the teacher evaluation system
- Conducted professional development meetings focused on integrating CCSS in CTE curriculum
- Facilitated course articulation agreements with four community colleges and Cal State East Bay
- Designed and led a New Teacher Induction Program
- Coordinated a *Summer STEAM Bootcamp* for middle school students
- Created a six-week *Introduction to Javascript* after school course, open to students of all ages

Media Arts Instructor

Washington High School, Fremont Unified School District   **2001 to 2012**

- Taught *Computer Applications*, *2D Animation*, and *Web Design and Development*
- Created and self-published online curriculum for two year-long courses
- Secured UC a-g status for *2D Animation* and *Web Design and Development*
- Established a California Partnership Academy in collaboration with colleagues in *English*, *Art*, and *Social Science* departments

- Participated in the design and implementation of an Academic Intervention Protocol
- Led the *Arts, Media, and Entertainment* Career Technical Education advisory committee

Education

Master of Arts, Secondary Education (Instructional Technologies)   **2010**
San Francisco State University, San Francisco

Bachelor of Arts, English Education (CLAD Focus)   **2000**
Humboldt State University, Arcata

Credentials

Clear Administrative Services   **Expires 2023**

Designated Subjects, Supervision and Coordination   **Expires 2023**

Designated Subjects CTE, Information Technology   **Expires 2023**

Single Subject, Business   **Expires 2023**

Single Subject, English   **Expires 2023**

Professional Memberships

ASCD (Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development)

CUE (Computer Using Educators)

TICAL (Technology Information Center for Administrative Leaders)

Honors and Qualifications

WASC Visiting Committee Volunteer   **2015 & 2017**

Graduate, CDE Leadership Development Institute   **2014**

California Business Education Association   **2006-2007**
Outstanding Business Educator of the Year (Secondary Education)

Presidential Scholar Award   **1997**

Extraprofessional Interests

Viewing and collecting contemporary art
Reading non-fiction and historical fiction
Studying Italian
Digital publishing
Web development
Fishing