RHONDA GALLAGHER, M.S. Ed.

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**ORAL ROBERTS UNIVERSITY** 

#### **FACULTY EXPERIENCE**

Assistant Professor, Department of Communication, Arts & Media, Oral Roberts University, January 2009-present.

Full-Time Instructor, Department of Communication, Arts & Media, Oral Roberts University, August 2001-2009

# **EDUCATION**

M.S. Ed., Department of Graduate Education, Oklahoma State University, December 2001.

B.S. Ed., Department of Undergraduate Education, Southwest Missouri State University, May 1979.

### RESEARCH AND TEACHING AREAS

Communication, Public Speaking, Media, Cultivation of Ethical Communication

# COURSES DEVELOPED/TAUGHT

Undergraduate Courses: Oral Communication, Advanced Public Speaking, Interpersonal Communication, Media Analysis, Speech Communication

## **PUBLICATIONS**

'Effectiveness of Instructional Order in Improving Ethical Retention and Application of Content in Oral Communications Classes" - Rhonda Gallagher, M.S. Ed., Mary Lou Miller, E.D., and Calvin Roso, E.D. Journal of Scholarship, Teaching and Learning, Summer Ed. 2015.

"Only When I Speak" performed at Heller Short Play Festival, June, 2015, Tulsa, OK

## **WORK IN PROGRESS**

Good Communicators Are..., Rhonda Gallagher, M.S. Ed., Agena Farmer, E.D., Matthew Olsen, E.D., Susan McMurray, M.S. Ed., Denise Miller, M.S. Ed.

"Eclipse" short play for submission to Heller Short Play Festival, June, 2016, Tulsa, OK

#### CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

"The Bluebird of Happiness Writes a Text Book", Rhonda Gallagher, M.S. Ed., Denise Miller, M.S. Ed, Susan McMurray, M.S. Ed. Oklahoma Speech, Theater and Communication Association. September, 2015

"Great Ideas for Teaching" Panel Discussion, Oklahoma Speech, Theater and Communication Association, September 2015

"Will They Be Better People After?" Oklahoma Speech, Theater and Communication Association, September, 2013

"Great Ideas for Teaching" Panel Discussion, Oklahoma Speech, Theater and Communication Association, September 2008

### **GRANTS AND AWARDS**

Fred Tewell Outstanding College Communication Educator for 2014, Oklahoma Speech, Theater, and Communication Association, September 2014.

2013 Oklahoma Speech, Theater and Communication Association Top Paper Award, September 2013

Writing Across the Curriculum Excellence Award, Oral Roberts University 2013.

Outstanding Honors Program Faculty Member, Oral Roberts University 2008-2009

Regional AIDS Interfaith Network Volunteer of the Year, 2006

ePortfolio Award for Outstanding Service to Students, Oral Roberts University, 2005-2006

Professionalism in the Classroom, Honorable Mention, Oral Roberts University, 2002-2003

# **UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

General Education Task Force, Oral Roberts University, Spring 2015-present.

ePortfolio Sub-administrator for Department of Communication, Arts and Media, Fall 2007-present ePortfolio ePortfoliologist for Department of Communication, Arts and Media, Fall 2005-2007

Secretary, College of Arts and Cultural Studies Faculty Assembly, 2014-2015

President, College of Arts and Cultural Studies Faculty Assembly, 2010-2011.

Vice-President, College of Arts and Cultural Studies Faculty Assembly, 2009-2010.

Secretary, College of Arts and Sciences Faculty Assembly, 2004-2005

Department of Communication Arts Faculty Advisor for Freshmen/Sophomores/Orientation, 2000-2005

Christian Worldview Committee Member, 2010-2013

Whole Person Scholarship Review Committee 2010-present

ePortfolio Action Committee Member, 2006-2007

Communication Arts Hooding Speaker Selection Committee, 2005-2007

## **COMMUNITY AND CHURCH SERVICE**

Regional AIDS Interfaith Network Volunteer, 2002-2006

Road to the Future Prison Ministry, 2006-2010

Celebrate Recovery Volunteer Co-leader, 2009-2012

Heller Community Theater Council member, 2010-2014