

# Zak Buczinsky

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## EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

**University of California, Irvine** - MFA in Fiction Writing  
Irvine, CA - 2023 to Present

**Lawrence University** - BA in English / Creative Writing Minor  
Appleton, WI - 2012 to 2016

**International TEFL Academy** - ESL Certification

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## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**University of California, Irvine** - Composition and Writing Department - 2023 to Present

Writing 50: Composition: Fairy Tales - Fall 2023

Writing 50: Composition: Exploring the Shadow (Independently Designed Class) - Winter 2024

Writing 50: Composition: Exploring the Shadow (Independently Designed Class) - Spring 2024

Writing 31: Fiction - Fall 2024

Writing 31: Fiction - Winter 2025

**AOI College of Languages** (California) - ESL Instructor - Summer 2024  
Intermediate and Advanced Adult English Language Classes

**Asana Recovery** (California) - Group Facilitator - 2023  
Principals of Addiction Classes

**Feinschule Private English School** (South Korea) - 2018 to 2019  
Beginner to Advanced Children's English Language Classes

**District 214** (Illinois) - Student Teacher - 2018  
Adult ESL Classes

**Lawrence University** - Writing Center - 2012 to 2016  
Student Writing Tutor

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## PUBLICATIONS

**Short Story in Port Crow Press**  
Coyote Storm, 2024

**Self Published Articles on Medium**  
To Start a Riot, 2020; Antifa in G Major, 2020; Islands of Certainty, 2020; etc.

**Articles Published by *The Real Chicago***  
First Look Review: "Linda Vista, 2017; Shop Around the Corner, 2017; The Big City Blog, 2017; etc.

**Articles Published by *Vamonde***  
Chicago's Public Enemy #1, 2017; Chicago Tourist Traps, 2017; Chicago Speak-Easy, 2017; etc.

**Portfolio** - <https://muckrack.com/zachary-buczinsky/portfolio>