

## CURRICULUM VITAE

### JASON ROBERTS

Professor of English  
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#### EDUCATION

M.A., English Language and Literature  
Minor, Philosophy  
University of Tulsa, Oklahoma, 1999  
Graduate Thesis: Protest Literature during the Vietnam War Era, fall 1999  
Creative Graduate Thesis: Five Short Stories, fall 1999

B.A., English and Creative Writing  
California State University, Long Beach, 1996

Long Beach City College, 1992-1993

Sierra Community College, 1990-1992

#### ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

Professor of English	Sierra College, 2011-present
Co-coordinator/ Professor of English	Puente Program, Sierra College, 2008-present
Associate Professor of English	Sierra College, 2007-2011
Adjunct Professor of English	Sierra College, 2000-2007
Adjunct Professor of English	American River College, 2000-2007
Adjunct Professor of English	Tulsa Community College, 1999-2000

#### ACADEMIC SERVICE AND COMMITTEES

Member	Professional Development Task Force, Sierra College, 2016-17
Coordinator	English A, Sierra College, 2012-2016
Senator	Academic Senate, Sierra College, 2008-2012
Group Leader	Accreditation Team, Sierra College, 2011-2012
Advisor	Sierra Journal, 2011-2013

## PUBLICATIONS, SPECIALIZATION, AND INTERESTS

Freelance Writer, *Sacramento News and Review*, 2005-2007

“Revenge of the Heritage Festival,” June 2005

“Stargazers,” July 2005

“And He Danced,” September 2005

“What’s in a Name?” February 2006

“Visionary Youth,” May 2006

“Your Very Flesh Shall Become a Great Poem,” August 2006

Guitarist, the Christian Kiefer band, 2003-2011

Live performances throughout Northern California

Special performances at South-by-Southwest Music Festival,

Austin, Texas, 2008-2010

Special performance,

Inauguration for the President of the United States, Barack Obama,

Washington, D.C., 2009

*Czar Nicholas is Dead*, album, 2006

*Dogs + Donkeys*, album, 2007

*Of Great and Mortal Men*, album, 2008

Guitarist, Nice Monster, 2002-present

Live performances throughout Northern California

*Good Times + Sharp Knives*, album, 2005

*Nice Monster*, album, 2008

*The Great, Long Rest*, album, 2015

Guitarist and Songwriter, The Secret Lives of Squirrels, 2011-present

Live performances throughout Northern California

*Fight My Wars*, album, 2013