

# Lori L. LeBlanc

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## Professional Summary

Experienced student advocate for student rights for equal access to Higher Education. Knowledgeable in Higher Education policy and law particularly Title IX and SAVE Act. Experienced teacher of life skills, composition and rhetoric, and other language arts. Skilled in development of programs to aid at risk students in success in Higher Education. Experienced in student conduct and judicial procedures in Higher Education. Assists in all functions of Dean of Students office particularly grievance and appeals procedures.

## Education

### **MASTER OF ART IN ENGLISH | AUGUST 2006 | NORTHWESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY**

- Concentration: Folklife and Southern Culture
- Thesis: *Expressions of Francophone Culture in Narrative*

### **BACHELOR OF GENERAL STUDIES | AUGUST 2004 | NORTHWESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY**

## Experience

### **DEPUTY TITLE IX COORDINATOR AND DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL PROJECTS FOR STUDENT AFFIARS | NSU | AUGUST 2015 – PRESENT**

- Assist dean of students with Title IX compliance, education, disposition, policy, records, and reporting
- Advocate for students
- Implement special projects
- Teach UNIV 1000 orientation classes

### **ACADEMIC ADVISOR, STUDENT AFFAIRS TITLE IX ASSISTANT, AND INSTRUCTOR | NSU | AUGUST 2014 – AUGUST 2015**

- Advised for general studies, pre-clinical nurses, and other academic programs as needed
- Assist dean of students with Title IX compliance, education, disposition
- Taught UNIV 1000 orientation classes

### **INSTRUCTOR, ENGLISH | NSU | AUGUST 2006 – PRESENT**

- Teach ENGL 1010, 1020, 2110, 2060, and 3230
- Assisted in University service and departmental projects

## Accomplishments/Honors

Deputy Title IX Coordinator and Director of Special Projects, NSU, August 2015 – Present

- Spring 2016 - Recognized by NSU's Army ROTC as the 'Go to Girl' for student experience related questions
- Spring 2016 – Serving as Academic Advisor to Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity
- Fall 2015 - Presented at SACSCOC 2015 Annual Meeting, Houston, TX: *Implementing and Coordinating Title IX, VAW Clery Act Compliance at a Regional University*
- Fall 2015 to present – Serving as member of NSU's Athletics Council
- Summer 2015 - Trained in Advanced Title IX Investigator at Gehring Academy, Berkeley, CA
- Summer 2015 - Trained in Foundations of Professional Practice in Student Conduct Administration at Gehring Academy, Berkeley, CA