

Education

- Bachelor of Arts**, Texas Christian University, Summa Cum Laude May 2008
- Double-majored in writing and philosophy
 - Earned membership into Phi Beta Kappa
 - Earned a 3.96 GPA

Employment

- Freelance Writer** 2007 — Present
- Write and sell fiction, nonfiction (incl. journalism), and freelance material. A selection of work:
- Authored a teaching unit for the novel *Mockingjay* for Prestwick House
 - Authored web advertisement material for Grossman Law Offices
 - Authored “Julian Assange prepares his next move” for *Salon.com*
 - Co-authored “Petraeus: the Plot Thickens” for *WhoWhatWhy*
 - Author profiles and feature stories for *The TCU Magazine*
 - Authored about 50 service journalism pieces, such as “Best Gardens in North Texas” and “Guide to the Fort Worth Library,” for the CBS North Texas affiliate
 - Authored short story “The First Death of 2057” for the literary journal *descant*
 - Edit and proofread academic manuscripts, legal documents, and other text
- Private Tutor** Feb. 2009 — Present
- Guided middle school student in learning Latin and study skills
 - Guided high school student in writing English papers
 - Guided college student in understanding English literature classwork
- Substitute Teacher, Fort Worth Independent School District** Feb. 2010 — Present
- Deliver instruction to students in the teacher’s absence

Professional

- Texas Standard Teaching Certification** June 2011
- Earned classroom teacher certification after passing exam and completing three-month internship at Fort Worth ISD
- Texas Generalist EC-6 Certification** Dec. 2010
- Earned certification to teach general subjects to students from early childhood through sixth grade
- Clarion West Writers Workshop** Summer 2008
- Selected along with 17 others from a pool of over 500 applicants for the six-week fiction-writing workshop in Seattle; taught by Chuck Palahniuk (*Fight Club*), Cory Doctorow (*Little Brother*, editor at *Boing Boing*), and other authors

Technology

- 15+ Years Experience with Digital and Online Technologies**
- Manage my website, www.DouglasLucas.com, registered in late 2004
 - Proficient in Mac OS X, Windows, and GNU/Linux (Ubuntu) environments
 - Proficient at WordPress and capable of minor HTML work
 - Proficient with common image and office applications including Microsoft Office

References

- Cory Carlson**
Director of Marketing, Grossman Law Offices
- Jeff Guinn**
Novelist and nonfiction author; Former *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* Book Editor
- Cynthia Shearer**
Novelist and nonfiction author; Writing Consultant and English Instructor, TCU
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