



# MICHAEL ANDERSON

## Performance Poetry Instructor

Eloquent Creative Writing Mentor with a rich background in performance poetry and creative expression. Demonstrates an exceptional ability to guide writers in discovering their unique voices and styles. Committed to creating an inclusive and dynamic environment that encourages experimentation and artistic risk-taking. Proven success in organizing workshops that blend poetry with other art forms, enhancing the creative experience.

### CONTACT

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### EDUCATION

#### Bachelor of Fine Arts in Creative Writing

University of Southern California  
2016-2020

### SKILLS

- Creative writing
- Performance poetry
- Workshop facilitation
- Community engagement
- Curriculum development
- Mentorship

### LANGUAGES

- English
- Spanish
- French

### WORK EXPERIENCE

#### Performance Poetry Instructor

2020-2023

Cultural Arts Center

- Led performance poetry workshops that emphasized the fusion of written and spoken word.
- Guided students in crafting compelling narratives for live performances.
- Organized open mic events that showcased student talent and fostered community interaction.
- Developed promotional campaigns to attract diverse audiences to poetry events.
- Collaborated with local artists to create interdisciplinary projects.
- Facilitated discussions on the role of poetry in social justice and community narratives.

#### Creative Writing Facilitator

2019-2020

Youth Arts Program

- Facilitated creative writing workshops for at-risk youth, focusing on self-expression and empowerment.
- Developed tailored curricula that addressed the unique needs of participants.
- Utilized art and music to enhance the writing process and inspire creativity.
- Organized public showcases that celebrated student achievements and fostered community support.
- Provided mentorship to participants, guiding them through the writing and publishing processes.
- Established partnerships with local organizations to expand program reach and resources.

### ACHIEVEMENTS

- Won the 'Best Performance' award at the National Poetry Slam.
- Published a collection of poems that received critical acclaim and national distribution.
- Increased youth program participation by 70% through innovative outreach strategies.