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I have been teaching science for 12 years at Helix Charter H.S. I have taught several Science courses during this time, such as, Marine Science, Coordinated Science, GIS, Biology, A.P. Environmental Science and Earth Science. In the fall, I am excited to be teaching Honors Earth Science, this is a new course, which will be incorporating the New Generation Science Standards and Common Core Literacy Standards. In addition to Earth Science I will be teaching Biology, I recently graduated from PLNU with a Masters of Arts in General Biology and I am anxious to have the opportunity to return to the field of Biology.

My other interests involve traveling and exploring the world around me. I enjoy hiking, kayaking and bicycling. I usually spend my summers and/or breaks experiencing new environments, National Parks or visiting other countries. I have taken several groups of students on adventures outside of the U.S., to Italy, Costa Rica and Belize. In addition, I organize yearly weekend trips to Catalina Island for students to experience snorkeling, hiking, and kayaking, while learning about the unique environment of the island. These have been some of the highlights of my teaching experience.

