

WALTER BOWNE

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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts in English and Education
Rowan University, Glassboro, NJ

Master of Arts in English/Rhetoric
Arcadia University, Glenside, PA

Study Abroad Programme in Literature
Northumbria University, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, UK

MEDIA PRESENCE

- 5.6K Readers on [Medium.com](#)
- 580 essays, articles, poems, and stories published
- 843 Subscribers to Down With Bowne on YouTube
- 212 Video Lectures on YouTube
- [Down with Bowne on Spotify](#) (podcast)
- [Flights of Fancy on Spotify](#) (podcast)
- [That Dude Who Teaches English](#) (podcast)
- [Muck Rack Contributor](#), Freelance
- [The Voyager \(school newspaper\) online](#)
- [The Voyager in newspaper and magazine format](#)
- [Voyager Voices on Spotify](#) (podcast)

PROFESSIONAL PUBLICATIONS

- Bowne, W. 2009. "Pride and Regret. How I reached one student and didn't reach out to another." In NEA Today, (Vol 27, Issue 6, pp. 60. National Education Association of The United States.

PRINT AND ONLINE PUBLICATIONS

- Philadelphia Inquirer, Chicago Tribune, Buffalo News
- NJ Spotlight, The Courier Post
- Parent Magazine
- The Environment
- NEA Magazine
- Rowan Today
- Philadelphia Stories
- Educate
- The Satirist, The Humorist, The Big Jewel
- Inkwell, Essays and Fictions, Sixfold (fiction, print)
- Books Are Our Superpower (78 book reviews)
- MuddyUm (satire and humor) - 63 pieces
- The Writing Cooperative, Writer's Blokke
- The Riff (music)
- The Masterpiece
- Lit Up (fiction)
- Paper Poetry, The Lark, Poetry in Form
- The Haven, Jane Austen's Wastebasket (humor)
- Illumination, Age of Awareness
- Curiosity, My Selections, PS I Love You

SUMMARY

- Refined educational techniques to ensure inclusive learning environment resulting in improved confidence and engagement for introverted learners.
- Incorporated Universal Design of Learning principles into the curriculum to support learning outcomes for diverse learners.
- Incorporated formative assessments throughout career
- Walter has served as an editor for publications and the proprietor of Word Garden, LLC. Prior to education, he excelled in sales for educational travel and as an admissions sales rep for colleges and universities.
- Incrementally developed the school newspaper the Voyager between 1999 and 2024 taking it from a Xerox copy to an award-winning publication with a social media presence on Spotify, YouTube, and Instagram.
- Served as a career coach in the role of Journalism advisor inspiring students to pursue careers at top level news organizations such as Billboard, The Washington Post, Vanity Fair Philadelphia Enquirer, Boston Globe, and many other media outlets.
- Provided an equitable way to provide college admission preparation for low-income students
- Walter is set to publish The Lamentations of a Trophy Husband, and a James Joyce collection, A Journey Through Dubliners.

LEADERSHIP

- Walter spearheaded the development and ongoing success of The College Essay Program for rising juniors for twenty-two years
- Walter led the Summer Teaching Committee in designing a Peer-to-Peer Teaching Observation initiative, while also crafting media materials to promote the program.
- For sixteen years, Walter Bowne served as the summer leadership co-advisor and motivational instructor for the Student Alliance, fostering the development of student leaders and mentors.
- Walter has actively contributed to educational committees focused on revising summer reading programs, enhancing Supporting Effective Teaching initiatives, and developing coursework centered on Social Emotional Learning.
- For ten years, Walter has dedicated after-school guidance in writing and reading skills through Academic Support programs.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

East Stroudsburg University, East Stroudsburg, PA

- Currently teach 3 courses of College Comp II and one course of Elements of Composition

Eastern Regional High School, Voorhees, NJ

- Instructed AP Language and Composition courses.
- Achieved recognition on the College Board AP Honor Roll for teaching excellence.
- Advised and led the school newspaper, The Voyager

Rowan University, Glassboro, NJ

- Developed and delivered Public Speaking courses
- Taught College Composition I and II
- Introduced students to Literature

Jefferson University, Philadelphia, PA

- Taught Fundamentals of Writing to Basic Skills freshman

CONFERENCES

- Presented "How to Get Political" at The Garden State Scholastic Press Association at Rutgers for New Jersey student journalists.
- Presented "How to Use a Smartphone in Getting the Story" at The Garden State Scholastic Press Association at Rutgers for New Jersey student journalists.
- Taught Summer Journalism Conference at Rutgers