# Hanna Denton

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# Education

McNeese State University, Lake Charles, LA August 2020 to May 2024 Bachelor of Arts in English with a concentration in foreign languages (Latin and Attic Greek)

# Skills and Experience

### Teaching

Embedded tutor, McNeese State University

August 2023 to May 2024

- Worked with students to identify strengths and weaknesses in their writing and provided them with actionable feedback
- Answered student questions about grammar and mechanics during in-class writing assignments

### Leadership

President, Pi Zeta chapter of Sigma Tau Delta, McNeese State University April 2022 to May 2024

- Planned events such as fundraisers and literary readings for the chapter
- Coordinated with professors and administrators to organize and promote events
- Organized an annual trip to the Sigma Tau Delta International Convention

# **Editing and Design**

Editor, The Arena

- Designed and distributed flyers advertising the open submission period
- Selected pieces of creative writing and artwork for inclusion in McNeese State's student literary magazine
- Created the layout of the magazine in Adobe InDesign
- Formatted and proofread each piece in the magazine

# **Publications**

### Poetry

"Daphne to her father, the river god Peneus, after he saves her from the lecherous Apollo by turning her into a laurel tree." Zhagaram Literary Magazine, 23 March 2024.

"God-thread." Do Geese See God? Issue 1, Summer 2023.

### Critical essays

"Are you a man?": Macbeth and the Fear of the Feminine." The Sigma Tan Delta Review, Vol. 20, 2023.

January to May 2023

# **Conferences and Presentations**

- Presenter, "Panopticism in Julia Koets' The Rib Joint," Sigma Tau Delta International Convention, St. Louis, MO, 5 April 2024
- Moderator, "Indigenous Storytelling and Narrative," Sigma Tau Delta International Convention, St. Louis, MO, 4 April 2024
- Moderator, The Arena Reading, McNeese State University, Lake Charles, LA, 20 October 2023
- Presenter, "Marie de France's 'Lai of Lanval' as Marian Parable," University of Louisiana System Academic Summit, Natchitoches, LA, 21 April 2023
- Moderator, "Early Modern Drama and Sexual Jealousy," Sigma Tau Delta International Convention, Denver, CO, 1 April 2023
- Presenter, "Marie de France's 'Lai of Lanval' as Marian Parable," Sigma Tau Delta International Convention, Denver, CO, 30 March 2023

#### Awards

- Recipient of the Dr. Scott E. Goins Award in Undergraduate Research Writing and Excellence for my senior thesis "Entering the Invisible Palace: Platonism and Neoplatonism in *Metamorphoses* and *Till We Have Faces*," McNeese State University, January 2024.
- First place, Critical Essays on British Literature for my paper "Marie de France's 'Lai of Lanval' as Marian Parable," Sigma Tau Delta International Convention, 1 April 2023