# SHANNON O'ROARKE

## **OBJECTIVE**

To maintain a viable graphics arts business, one that sustains its employees and that provides quality work for its clients, work that supports what is valuable in their lives.

### QUALIFICATIONS

Years of experience in various work and life contexts, learning and interacting with others, utilizing personal and managerial skills.

#### **EDUCATION**

1997	Ph.D. in Philosophy, The University of Connecticut.
	Dissertation on axiology and moral virtue (Gratitude and the Creation of Value).
1988	M.A. in Philosophy, Colorado State University.
	Thesis on moral psychology and value theory (Narcissism, Value and the Need for Grace).
1985	B.A. in Philosophy, Colorado State University, graduated with Distinction and University
	Honors.
	Honors thesis on art and culture (Enquiry into the Character of Modern and Contemporary Art and
	Society).

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2001-14	Adjunct Professor, Quinnipiac University, Hamden, CT, Department of Philosophy and
	Political Science/Division of Education; teaching Ethics and Human Values, Philosophy of
	Art, Philosophy and Gender, Philosophy of Education, Modern and Contemporary
	Philosophy, Introduction to Philosophy.

- 2001-03 Adjunct Professor, Middlesex Community College, Department of Philosophy, teaching Ethics, Introduction to Philosophy.
- 1997-00 Assistant Professor, Houghton College, Department of Religion and Philosophy; teaching Aesthetics, Ethical Theory (advanced ethics), Philosophy of Law, History of Philosophy II (Modern and Contemporary), Business and Professional Ethics, Philosophy of Gender, Nietzsche (major figures course), Knowledge and Reality, Ethics, Critical Thinking.
- 1995-96 Assistant Professor (one-year) Calvin College, Department of Philosophy, teaching Aesthetics, Ethics, Logic, Philosophy and Gender, Introduction to Philosophy.
- 1990-96 Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Connecticut, Department of Philosophy, teaching Introduction to Philosophy, Logic.
- 1990 Lecturer, Department of Philosophy, Villanova University, teaching Introduction to Philosophy, Introduction to Logic.
- 1987-88 Graduate Teaching Assistant, Colorado State University, Department of Philosophy, teaching Introduction to Philosophy, Introduction to Logic.

#### OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

1985-87	Library Assistant, Morgan Library, Colorado State University, departments: Interlibrary Loan,
	Circulation, Reserve Desk, Government Documents
1993	Reader and Editor of manuscript, University of Connecticut, reporting to Dr. Lucy Creevey,
	director of Women's Studies, The Sword and the Veil: Islam and Women in Senegal.
1989-90	Graduate Program Coordinator/Secretary, Villanova University, Philosophy Department.
1983-86,	Manager and Chef, vegetarian boarding-house, international students, Fort Collins CO
& 86-88	