

David W. Boles, MFA

Head Polymath at Boles University

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Summary

David W. Boles is an author, publisher and teacher based on the East Coast. He has written books, plays, movies and television shows. He teaches American Sign Language, Dramatic Writing and Technical Editing via the Boles University online network, Charter Schools and local universities. David creates learning content modules for high schools, homeschooling, colleges and universities across the world for their distance learning programs. Get in touch if you're looking for memeingful learning methods of knowing.

Specialties

Writing, Teaching, Online Education, Radio, Television, Film, Script Professor, Dramatic Medicine, Scientific Aesthetic, Urban Systems, Literary Criticism, American Sign Language, Publishing, RelationShaping, WordPunk and forever investigating the meaning and knowing for: Memeingful, Panopticonic, Urban Core and Carceral Nation.

Experience

Online Instructor at Connecting Waters Charter School

August 2011 - Present (1 month)

I teach American Sign Language to California students who reside in an eight-county area including Stanislaus, San Joaquin, Alameda, Calaveras, Mariposa, Merced, Santa Clara, and Tuolumne counties.

Online Instructor at Sky Mountain Charter School

July 2011 - Present (2 months)

I teach American Sign Language to California students who reside in a six-county area including San Bernardino, Inyo, Kern, Los Angeles, Orange, and Riverside counties.

Lecturer at City University of New York

September 2010 - Present (1 year)

Created, and teaches, the American Sign Language program at CUNY-SPS Off-Campus College.

Online Instructor at Ocean Grove Charter School

September 2007 - Present (4 years)

I teach American Sign Language for the Ocean Grove Charter School serving California students who reside in a five-county area including Santa Cruz, Monterey, San Benito, Santa Clara, and San Mateo counties.

Online Instructor at South Sutter Charter School

September 2007 - Present (4 years)

I teach American Sign Language for the Sutter, Butte, Colusa, Placer, Sacramento, Yolo, and Yuba counties in California.

Head Polymath at Boles University

January 2003 - Present (8 years 8 months)

Boles University is our online learning portal where I teach American Sign Language via HardcoreASL.com, dramatic writing via ScriptProfessor.com and I publish books and articles via BolesBooks.com, I write and publish 14 blogs in the BolesBlogs.com Network.

We also create content modules for online teaching -- get in touch if you want customizable teaching for your students -- and we provide memeingful education programs for Charter Schools and Homeschool students the world over.

2 recommendations available upon request

Author, Publisher and Editor at Boles Blogs Network

January 2002 - Present (9 years 8 months)

I write, edit and publish 14 blogs in the Boles Blogs Network: UrbanSemiotic.com, BolesBlues.com, RelationShaping.com, WordPunk.com, Blog.BolesUniversity.com, GoInside.com, CelebritySemiotic.com, Panopticonic.com, Memeingful.com, CarceralNation.com, UnitedStage.com, DramaticMedicine.com, ScientificAesthetic.com and 10txt.com.

2 recommendations available upon request

Writer and Fixer at Script Professor

June 1990 - Present (21 years 3 months)

I edit, rewrite, write and fix scripts for television, film and stage.

4 recommendations available upon request

Editor, Author and Publisher at Boles Books Writing and Publishing

May 1990 - Present (21 years 4 months)

I write and publish books under the BolesBooks.com domain.

3 recommendations available upon request

Author and Instructor at Hardcore ASL

February 1988 - Present (23 years 7 months)

I teach American Sign Language and I write ASL textbooks.

1 recommendation available upon request

Publisher at Go Inside Magazine

June 1985 - December 2010 (25 years 7 months)

Discovered new authors. Gave new authors their first publication. Organized staff thought in print on the web with new and curious memes. I also wrote hundreds of articles for publication. In 2010,

Go Inside Magazine was folded into the Boles Blogs Network.

1 recommendation available upon request

Instructor at UMDNJ

2002 - 2006 (4 years)

I taught the Humanities in the School of Public Health.

Instructor at Rutgers University

2001 - 2006 (5 years)

Taught Theatre Arts and Speech

Visiting Professor at UC Davis

April 2005 - September 2005 (6 months)

I served a Visiting Professorship with the UC-Davis Program in Sports Medicine. We researched cardiac arrhythmia in student athletes.

Instructor at NJIT

2001 - 2005 (4 years)

English, Literature, Composition and Dramatic Arts

Instructor at Saint Peter's College

2001 - 2002 (1 year)

I taught English Composition and Writing.

U.S. East Coast Correspondent at Guild of British Camera Technicians

2001 - 2002 (1 year)

eyepiece magazine

Critical Reading Project Reviewer at Pearson Education

2000 - 2002 (2 years)

I read books in progress and provided feedback on what to editorially change to help make the book better for the reader.

Instructor at New York University

2000 - 2001 (1 year)

I taught American Sign Language in the Department of Applied Psychology.

Comparative Marketing Reviewer at Prentice Hall

January 2000 - October 2001 (1 year 10 months)

I read books that were submitted for publication and I then used my editorial background to compare those books with books already in print. It was important to consider the ever-changing publication landscape to back the right authors.

Instructor at Fordham University

1999 - 2001 (2 years)

I taught critical analysis and argumentative writing.

Instructor at The College of New Rochelle

1999 - 2001 (2 years)

I taught English Composition, Critical Writing and American Sign Language.

Technical Editor at Macmillan

February 1998 - June 1998 (5 months)

"Click Here" published by New Riders

Script Consultant at The Producer Circle

1990 - 1998 (8 years)

Literary Criticism

Deaf Student's Guide to NYU at Boles Books Writing and Publishing

March 1991 - December 1991 (10 months)

Editor

Script Consultant at Arena Stage

1987 - 1988 (1 year)

Criticism and Reviews

Movie Critic at KOLN/KGIN-TV

1981 - 1988 (7 years)

Reviewed Films and provided live-on-tape interviews.

Editorial Assistant at University of Nebraska-Lincoln

January 1985 - July 1987 (2 years 7 months)

The Prairie Schooner

On-Air Talent at KFOR Radio 1240

1979 - 1987 (8 years)

Unique Youth Interviewer, On-Air Talent

Publications

Picture Yourself Learning Microsoft Office 2008 for Mac

Cengage May 2008

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

Picture Yourself Learning American Sign Language, Level 1 (with DVD)

Cengage January 2008

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

World Geography and Cultures

Glencoe/McGraw-Hill 2008

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

Provided GIS material.

Glencoe World History

Glencoe/McGraw-Hill 2008

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

Provided supplementary GIS information.

The American Vision

Glencoe/McGraw-Hill Textbooks 2008

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

Created GIS material for teaching.

Picture Yourself Learning Mac OS X 10.5 Leopard

Thompson December 2007

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

Google Apps Administrator Guide

Thompson September 2007

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

First Google Apps book to be published.

Hand Jive: American Sign Language for Real Life

Barnes & Noble Publishing - New York October 2006

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

Windows 95 Communication and Online Secrets

IDG Books Worldwide August 1994

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

The First Windows 95 Comms book to market.

Windows 95 Communication and Online Secrets – (India Edition)

IDG Books Worldwide February 1996

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

First Windows 95 Comms book in the India marketplace.

David Milch's Active Imagination

eyepiece - The British Guild of Camera Technicians January 2001

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

New York Update 9/11

eyepiece - The British Guild of Camera Technicians October 2001

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

Not So Smoochy – More of a Peck

eyepiece - The Guild of British Camera Technicians July 2001

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

Writing Cross-Browser Dynamic HTML

c|net's builder.com May 2000

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

The Laws of DHTML

c|net's builder.com February 1998

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

Firing the Online Afterburner

boot magazine March 1997

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

Swift Sites

Windows Magazine November 1996

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

Form-idable Function

Windows Magazine October 1996

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

Editorial Columnist

The Daily Nebraskan 1985

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

Columnist

The Northeastern 1982

Authors: David W. Boles, MFA

Languages

English

(Native or bilingual proficiency)

American Sign Language

(Full professional proficiency)

Skills

Writing

(Expert, 20+ years experience)

Editing	(Expert, 20+ years experience)
Publishing	(Expert, 20+ years experience)
Directing	(Expert, 20+ years experience)
Teaching	(Expert, 20+ years experience)
American Sign Language	(Expert, 20+ years experience)
Thinking	(Expert, 20+ years experience)
Critique	(Expert, 20+ years experience)
Script Professor	(Expert, 20+ years experience)

Education

Columbia University in the City of New York

MFA, Theatre, 1988 - 1991

University of Nebraska-Lincoln

BA, English, 1983 - 1987

Lincoln Northeast High School

High School Diploma, General Education, 1980 - 1983

Honors and Awards

Columbia University Presidential Scholar

University of Nebraska Vreeland Scholar

Interests

Education, Urban Core, RelationShaping, Words, WordPunk, Writing, Business, News, Entertainment, Online Education, Virtual Pedagogy, Writing and Publishing.

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13 people have recommended David

"David is passionate about everything he does and inspires others to aspire to greatness."

— **Gordon Davidescu**, *Tech Support, PracticePro Software*, reported to David at Boles University

"David and I wrote the American Sign Language books "Hand Jive" and "Picture Yourself Signing, Level 1" together. We created the ASL online learning portal at HardcoreASL.com together. We donated the sosASL.com website to help benefit communication between the Deaf and Hearing first responders. We do great work together and he is always respectful, responsible and never late."

— **Janna M. Sweeney**, *Languages Coordinator, Boles University*, worked directly with David at Boles University

"David manages to balance several roles at once and do them very well. I am proud to work with him on excellent publications and am pleased to be his colleague and friend."

— **Gordon Davidescu**, *Tech Support, PracticePro Software*, reported to David at Boles Blogs Network

"David is a thoughtful and creative person with a big heart and a lyrical soul."

— **Dananjay Anandan**, *Author, Boles Blogs Network*, worked directly with David at Boles Blogs Network

"I have known David W. Boles for what seems like a lifetime even though it's only been 13 or so years. I have hired him at least ten times to fix my film scripts, plays and live speech presentations. He always is able to add some pizzazz that I'm missing or he makes sure I get the point across when I'm not paying rapt enough attention to the words on the page and their effect in my mouth when I speak to an audience or when my characters interact."

— **MJ Weinstein**, was David's client

"So I joined LinkedIn just to write this recommendation for David. He's great. He's a god. How's that? Really, he saved my bacon many times for lots of money and no credit. He won't meet you or talk on the phone because it wastes time. I keep giving him money, though, because he makes me

money and that's what you want in a script doctor."

— **Carolina Delgado**, was David's client

"I speak okay. Don't write good. Found David W. Boles online. He helps make my thoughts better on paper. He works with me until I get it. I hire him to fix screenplays and t.v. shows. I use him three times in the past year so far. He's friendly too. Good man."

— **Henry Franklin**, was David's client

"I was working on a healthy eating television show and my script was in trouble. I looked for a script doctor and found David W. Boles, Script Professor, and I hired him on short notice. He worked on my script and fixed it in no time at all. He wasn't cheap, but the end product was well worth the extra cost. Highly recommended. I hired him several times since and will do so many times in the future."

— **Anne Grenvill**, was David's client

"I've had the great pleasure of working with David Boles in the course of more than a decade -- going back to a Windows 95 project even -- and I recommend him heartily for any writing or teaching gig. David is a gifted teacher and writer, with extensive academic experience and a real-life grasp of the web and the world. He's a great blogger to boot!"

— **Matt Wagner**, *Literary Agent, Fresh Books*, was a consultant or contractor to David at Boles Books Writing and Publishing

"David is a creative and thoughtful writer. He encourages out-of-the-box ideas and is flexible and personable. He takes great care to provide an exceptional product on time and in a highly organized manner."

— **Jenny Davidson**, was David's client

"David Boles is one of the most professional, detail-oriented and kind authors I have worked with in my 20+ years as a book compositor. He had terrific ideas and put them across in a very constructive manner. He was a pleasure to work for and his book came out terrific."

— **Shawn Morningstar**, *Freelance Book Layout, Cengage Learning*, was a consultant or contractor to David at Boles Books Writing and Publishing

"My ASL was really rusty. I found HardcoreASL.com online. Hired David W. Boles to tutor me. We used webcams and the portal to work together. I got up and running in no time. I have used him many times over the years to keep my signing chops sharp."

— **Dorian Boes**, was David's client

"I've known David for almost 20 years. What an intelligent, enthusiastic, resourceful individual he is! His background and knowledge in the areas of technology, education and the arts are all enhanced with his terrific writing ability. He is a real communicator. David would be great on any team !!! cheers, Tom O'Connell"

— **Tom O'Connell**, *Managing Director, Morgan Stanley*, was with another company when working with David at Go Inside Magazine

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