



Clifton Ellis

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Courses Taught

Temple College

- STSK 0305, Master Student for Texas Success Initiative (TSI)
- KINE 1116, Kinesiology Basketball I & II

University of Incarnate Word

- SMGT 6392 Current Practices and Issues in Sport Management
- SMGT 6390 Research and Decision Analysis in Sport Management
- SMGT 6370 Psycho-Social Aspects of Sport and Activity
- SMGT 3304 International Sport Management, Tourism, and Diplomacy

Education

- B.A. in Exercise Science/Education - Minor in History
- M.A. Education Administration – Certification, State of Texas Principal
- Ph.D. Educational Leadership in Sport Management and Administration

Teaching Experience

- **Temple College**, Temple, Texas, (Fall 2020 to present)
- **University of Incarnate Word**, (San Antonio, TX), (2022-2026)

Professional Experience

- **South San ISD:** San Antonio, TX (2000-2001)
- **Judson ISD:** San Antonio, TX (2001-2012)
- **Schertz-Cibolo-Universal City ISD:** Schertz, TX (2012-2020)

Professional Presentations

- Keys to Player Development, Laredo Coaching Clinic. Spring 2008.
- Wagner Basketball Skills and Drills, South Padre Island Basketball Clinic. Spring 2009.
- Keys for Coaching Success, Texas High School Coaches Association. Summer 2012.
- Finding the Tempo of the Season, South Padre Island Basketball Clinic. Spring 2014.
- Key Questions to Evaluate a Team, Texas High School Coaches Association. Summer 2015.
- Starting A Program, Texas Military Institute-Army of Run Clinic. Fall 2015.
- Temple College Basketball, South Padre Island Basketball Clinic. Spring 2022.
- Fundamentals of Team Development, Tunisian Basketball Federation. Tunisia, Africa, Summer 2023.

Awards

- San Antonio Express News Coach of the Year 2009 and 2014.
- News 4 San Antonio WOAI Coach of the Year 2009.
- Rio Grande Valley Coaches Association Coach of the Year 2009.
- Nation Federation of High School Coaches Association State Coach of Year 2016.

Campus/Campuses

- Temple College Main Campus