

# Ryan V. Visith

Emerging Instructional Designer | Khmer-English Medical Interpreter | Author

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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Emerging instructional designer, Khmer-English medical interpreter, author, and Cambodian-American education professional with experience across healthcare communication, international student advising, educational leadership, adult learning, and learner support. Currently pursuing an M.Ed. in Educational Technology & Instructional Design at Western Governors University, with a portfolio focus on culturally responsive learning design, health literacy, language access, patient education, accessibility, and reflective learning.

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## EDUCATION

### M.Ed. Educational Technology & Instructional Design

Western Governors University — Expected May 2027

### B.A. Professional Communication

Royal University of Phnom Penh / Institute of Foreign Languages — 2015

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## CERTIFICATIONS

- TEFL 120-Hour Certificate — The TEFL Academy, UK
- British Council CPD — Continuing Professional Development for Teachers
- 40-Hour Medical Interpretation Certificate
- Digital Marketing — Coursera

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### Video Remote Interpreter, Khmer/English

AMN Healthcare / Stratus Video — United States | June 2021 – January 2026

- Delivered 1,000+ confidential, high-stakes English-Khmer sessions in medical and legal settings.
- Supported patient-provider communication where accuracy, confidentiality, cultural understanding, and health literacy were essential.
- Identified recurring patient education gaps across hundreds of clinical encounters — a pattern now driving original research and instructional design work in health literacy and Khmer-language patient education.
- Onboarded and trained 50+ provider teams on new technology platforms.

### Senior Education Counselor

IDP Education Ltd — Phnom Penh, Cambodia | November 2014 – October 2016

- Provided one-to-one academic and career advising to Cambodian students pursuing international degrees.
- Guided students through consultation, goal-setting, program selection, applications, documentation, visa guidance, and pre-departure readiness.
- Supported learner decision-making, academic pathway planning, and international education readiness.
- Built relationships with 30+ university partner representatives, embassy officials, and education agents.

### Vice Campus Principal — English Program Lead

Arizon School International Bilingual — Siem Reap, Cambodia | August 2018 – March 2019

- Directed campus operations for 200+ students.
- Supported admissions, enrollment forecasting, attendance monitoring, student progression, and family engagement.
- Identified struggling students and coordinated interventions with teachers and families.
- Bridged curriculum alignment between international faculty and Cambodian administration, resolving communication gaps that had previously delayed instructional planning.

### Volunteer Program Coordinator

Angkor Hospital for Children — Siem Reap, Cambodia | January 2018 – July 2018

- Coordinated 50+ international volunteers per cycle.
- Supported cross-cultural adjustment and communication in a healthcare nonprofit environment.
- Managed relationships with NGO, embassy, and donor partners.

### English Language Tutor

Liberty International School — Phnom Penh, Cambodia | October 2013 – October 2014

- Delivered English language instruction across diverse learner levels.
- Designed workshops, assessments, and progress-monitoring activities.

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## CORE SKILLS

Instructional design • Adult learning • Health literacy • Khmer-English language access • Patient education • Cultural validation • International student advising • Career and progression guidance • Workshop design and delivery • Learner support and coaching • At-risk learner identification • Accessibility and UDL • Research-to-practice writing • Reflective nonfiction writing • Professional communication

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## TOOLS AND PLATFORMS

Google Workspace • Microsoft 365 • CRM and student information systems • LMS platforms • Google Docs • Canva • CapCut • HTML/CSS • Claude • ChatGPT • Future tools: Articulate Rise, Storyline, and additional LMS platforms