**TEXAS STATE VITA**

**I. Academic/Professional Background**

A. Name: Melissa E. Walston-Sanchez, RHIA Title: Lecturer

B. Educational Background

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| **Degree** | **Year** | **University** | **Major** | **Thesis/Dissertation** |
| BS | 2009 | Texas State University | Health Information Management | N/A |

C. University Experience

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D. Relevant Professional Experience

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| **Position** | **Entity** | **Dates** |
| Outpatient Coder | Lakeside Hospital  Bastrop, Texas | 11/09-11/10 |
| Health Information Management Supervisor | Christus Santa Rosa  New Braunfels, Texas | 03/09-11/09 |

E. Other Professional Credentials (licensure, certification, etc.)

Registered Health Information Administrator (RHIA)

**II. TEACHING**

A. Teaching Honors and Awards:

N/A

B. Courses Taught:

HIM 3463.L01

HIM 3463.L02

HIM 3464.L01

HIM 3464.L02

HIM 3464.L03 distance education

HIM 4363 campus & distance education - team teach

HIM 4364.L01

HIM 4364.L02 distance education

HIM 4364.L03

HIM 4225 campus & distance education

C. Graduate Theses/Dissertations or Exit Committees (if supervisor, please indicate):

N/A

D. Courses Prepared and Curriculum Development:

ICD-10 coding curriculum for HIM 3464 and 4364 lab sections

AHIMA Virtual Lab assignments for HIM 3463 lab sections

**IV. SERVICE**

A. Institutional

1. University:

2. College:

Student Scholarship Committee, Budget Committee, Grade Appeals Committee

3. Department/School:

Bobcat Days Spring 2014

CHP Career Fair Fall 2014

Assist in the review and of all student applications to the HIM department, ensure they submit all necessary documentation and assess their readiness for the program

Take minutes at faculty meetings

Coordinate community service through A. Washington Headstart Holiday adopt-a-family, HIM Advisory Committee

B. Professional:

American Health Information Management Association (AHIMA) and Texas Health

Information Management Association (TXHIMA)

C. Community:

Washington Headstart Holiday adopt-a-family

D. Service Honors and Awards:

N/A

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