



Name: Trent Rommann, PGA

College/University: University of Texas at El Paso

Year Turned Pro: 2006

Facility and Job Title: Director of Instruction at Painted Dunes Desert Golf Course

Please give a summary of your Background and credentials

Originally from Iowa City, IA, until I moved with my family at age 15 to Rio Rancho, NM. Played high school golf from 1998-2001. Continued on to play 4 years of college golf at the University of Texas at El Paso where I was the team captain and most valuable player in 2005 and 2006. Turned professional in 2006 after graduation from the University of Texas at El Paso and began working at the El Paso Country Club from 2006-2009 before leaving to play full-time professional golf on the Adams Pro Golf Tour Series through the 2009-2010 season. Returned to Painted Dunes Desert Golf Course in El Paso, TX as the first assistant professional and finished all 3 levels of the PGA certification program by March of 2011. From there I was given the title as the PGA Director of Instruction and my students grew in number and in talent.

What was your motivation to become a PGA Professional?

I wanted to continue a job in the golf industry after I finished playing full-time professional golf in 2009. I knew that to advance myself in the golf business I would need to become a PGA Professional.

What is your specialty in the golf business?

I enjoy teaching the game to players of all levels and have had success with many of my students at the junior, high school, and amateur levels.

Please list any accomplishments:

*Bachelor of Arts in Sociology from the University of Texas at El Paso
June 2006.

*2010 SunCountry Apprentice Player of the Year

*Second stage of PGA Tour Qualifying tournament in 2008

What was your greatest moment in golf?

Winning the New Mexico High School State Golf Championship in 2001 shooting 65-70.

What or who has had the greatest impact on your career?

My father has had the greatest impact on my golfing career.

Besides golf, what else do you enjoy?

I enjoy spending time with my wife and traveling anywhere in the world.

If you could play any golf course in the world, which one would it be and who would complete your foursome?

I would play Augusta National Golf Club and completing my foursome would be: My father, my brother (for a good laugh), and finally the Dalai Lama.

If you could give lessons to anyone in the world who would it be and what advice would you give?

Ben Hogan, I would tell him to trust his swing, watch him hit balls for hours and mention that we could go work on some putting if he would like

What is your favorite golf instruction tip?

Hit the little ball before the big ball

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