

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION *University of Puerto Rico at Río Piedras, PR*
Doctor of Education, 2008
Curriculum and Instruction, TESL

University of Phoenix at Bayamón, PR
Master of Arts in Education, 1995
English as a Second Language

University of Puerto Rico at Río Piedras, PR
Bachelor of Arts in Humanities, 1975

EXPERIENCE *Assistant Professor, University of Puerto Rico, Río Piedras*

2012-present College of Education, Department of
Graduate Studies.
Courses in grammar, composition, reading and
oral production at the Graduate level.
Director of Dissertation Committees.

2009-present Center for Educational Research, Faculty of
Education, UPRRP.
Proposal approved by the PR Education
Council to provide workshops for English
teachers from different parts of PR.

Associate Professor, University College of San Juan

1974-2013 General Education Department, English Area.
Courses in grammar, composition, reading and
oral production.

2002-2003 Faculty Representative- Board of Trustees

1998-2001 Dean for Academic Affairs

2005-2009	President, Teacher Association at University College of San Juan
2006-2009	External Resources Coordinator- Proposal preparation for CUSJ
2009-present	Curriculum Advisor, Academic Affairs Office
2012	President, Grupo Profesores en Acción Solidaria, Inc.

RESEARCH

September 1995	Learning Styles and ESL Students' Achievement
May 2008	Acronyms and icons used in blogs: Implications for the teaching of ESL

PRESENTATIONS

February 13, 2014	Panel: Integrating Art and Technology into ESL Classrooms Forjando culturas educativas de paz Convention Center, San Juan, PR Convención Anual de Asociación Educación Privada de PR
November 2, 2013	Panel: Aligning the ESL Curriculum through Art and Technology Meeting 21st Century Needs: Aligning Curriculum and Teacher Performance Sheraton Puerto Rico Hotel & Casino, San Juan, Puerto Rico. 40 th Annual PRTESOL Convention and Exhibit

October 5 & 19, 2013	Workshop: Innovative strategies to develop speaking skills: Blogs and chat rooms. Centro de Investigaciones Educativas (CIE) College of Education – UPR – Río Piedras
July 1, 2013	Primer Campamento de Verano Movie Day (English) Departamento de Estudios Graduados y Asociación de Maestros de PR
June 24 & 25, 2013	Workshop: Language production through writing. Enjoying poetry through figurative language. Centro de Investigaciones Educativas (CIE) College of Education – UPR – Río Piedras
June 18 & 19, 2013	Workshop: Language Arts for effective communication: The museum as a visual cue for speaking and writing production Centro de Investigaciones Educativas (CIE) College of Education – UPR – Río Piedras
May 19, 2013	Workshop: Integrating Art (Through Technology) in the ESL Curriculum. PRTESOL Metro-Central Chapters Annual Conference Sagrado Corazón University, Santurce, PR.
February 20, 2013	Professional Development for Teachers of English: Strategies for Effective Integration of Technology Convention Center, San Juan, PR Convención Anual de Asociación Educación Privada de PR

- November 17, 2012
Panel: Professional Training for Teachers of Diverse Learners: Strategies for Language Enhancement.
Intercontinental Hotel, Isla Verde, PR.
39th Annual PRTESOL Convention and Exhibit
- February 9, 2012
Professional Development for Fourth to Sixth Grade Teachers of English to Diverse Learners: Strategies for Effective Language Production.
Convention Center, San Juan, PR
Convención Anual de Asociación Educación Privada de PR
- June 19 & 20, 2012
Workshop: Language Arts for effective communication: The museum as a visual cue for speaking and writing production
Centro de Investigaciones Educativas (CIE)
College of Education – UPR – Río Piedras
- June 22 & 25, 2012
Workshop: Language production through writing. Enjoying poetry through figurative language.
Centro de Investigaciones Educativas (CIE)
College of Education – UPR – Río Piedras
- October 6 & 13, 2012
Workshop: Innovative strategies to develop speaking skills: Blogs and chat rooms.
Centro de Investigaciones Educativas (CIE)
College of Education – UPR – Río Piedras
- October 20 & 27, 2012
Workshop: Language teaching through strategic planning. Strategic planning for oral communication.
Centro de Investigaciones Educativas (CIE)
College of Education – UPR – Río Piedras

June 21, 2010	Workshop: Curriculum alignment based on standards and expectations. Centro de Investigaciones Educativas (CIE) College of Education – UPR – Río Piedras
June 22, 2010	Workshop: Instructional alignment based on standards and expectations. Centro de Investigaciones Educativas (CIE) College of Education – UPR – Río Piedras
June 23 & 24, 2010	Workshop: Language Arts for effective communication. Centro de Investigaciones Educativas (CIE) College of Education – UPR – Río Piedras
September 24 & October 1, 2010	Workshops: Innovative strategies. Centro de Investigaciones Educativas (CIE) College of Education – UPR – Río Piedras
October, 2010	Graduation Speech San Juan Educational School
August 14, 1999	Ponencia: Conferencia de Educación General para el Siglo XXI, Universidad Interamericana
November, 1996	Seminar: Learning Styles of College Professors at CUSJ 23 rd Annual Convention PRTESOL, Ponce, PR
March, 1996	Seminar, Windows 3.1 University College of San Juan
March, 1995	WordPerfect University College of San Juan

AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

1994 & 1995	Certificate of Recognition, Proyecto de Desarrollo de Destrezas de Pensamiento, UPRRP
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PUBLICATIONS

Candelaria, E.D. (2014). Technology in the classroom: An update. In *Professional Development for Teachers of English to Diverse Learners: Strategies for Integrating Art and Technology for Effective Communication*. San Juan, PR: CIE, UPR-Rio Piedras.

Rodríguez, M., Irizarry, M.A., & Candelaria, E.D. (2014). Using the theatre in the ESL classroom. In *Professional Development for Teachers of English to Diverse Learners: Strategies for Integrating Art and Technology for Effective Communication*. San Juan, PR: CIE, UPR-Rio Piedras.

Candelaria, E.D. (2013). Advantages of using 21st century technologies when teaching grammatical structures in ESL classrooms. In *Professional Development for Teachers of English to Diverse Learners: Strategies for Integrating Art and Technology for Effective Communication*. San Juan, PR: CIE, UPR-Rio Piedras.

Candelaria, E.D. (2012). Blended learning: The best of both worlds. In *Professional Development for Teachers of English to Diverse Learners: Strategies for Integrating Art and Technology for Effective Communication*. San Juan, PR: CIE, UPR-Rio Piedras.

Candelaria, E.D. (2011). Preparing ESL teachers to include technology and art into their classrooms: A crucial adaptation. In *Professional Development for Fourth to Sixth Grade Teachers of English to Diverse Learners: Strategies for Effective Language Production*. San Juan, PR: CIE, UPR-Rio Piedras.

Candelaria, E.D. (2010). Globalization, Technology and Teaching: Implications for School Directors and Administrators. In *Professional training for schools of diverse learners' principals: Strategies for language enhancement*. San Juan, PR: CIE, UPR-Rio Piedras.

Fayer, J., Candelaria, E.D., Casanova, R., Corum, M., Martínez-Schettini, M., Quiñones, L, Román, R., & Sosa, N. (2008). Layaway, cash, o cheque?: Utilizing the Puerto Rican lexicon in ESL instruction. *TESOL Gram, Puerto Rico TESOL* .

PRODUCTION AND REVIEW OF SYLLABI

EING 6565
EING6420
EING 6575
EDUC 8145
EDUC 8130

Business English
 Technical Report Writing
 Basic English (Grammar, Reading and Writing)
 Conversational English

COMMITTEES

2013-present	Member, Curriculum Committee, Graduate Studies Department College of Education, University of PR, Río Piedras Campus
2011-2013	Member, Institutional Student Learning Outcomes Committee at University College of San Juan (CUSJ)
2011-present	President, Transfer Policy Review Committee at CUSJ
2005-2006	Member, Periodic Review Report Committee, MSCHE
2004-2006	Department Representative, Academic Board at University College of San Juan
2004-2005	Member, Steering Committee for MSA Accreditation Process, CUSJ
2003-2004	Member, Faculty Handbook Review Committee, CUSJ
1997-98	Member, Master Thesis Committee, Universidad del Sagrado Corazón.
1997-1998	Department Representative, Academic Board at University College of San Juan
1996-1997	Member, Steering Committee, MSCHE
1996-97	Member, Community Fellows Project at CUSJ
1996-97	Member, Institutional Curriculum Committee, CUSJ
1996-98	Member, Editorial Board, Aerópago Magazine, CUSJ

1994-1998	Member, Activities Committee, CUSJ
1998	Member, Evaluation Committee of Caguas Military Academy, CADIE
1998	Jury Member, Spelling Bee, Talent Search Program of Asociación Caribeña de Programas TRIO, Universidad Metropolitana
1995-96	Member, Steering Committee for MSA Accreditation Process, CUSJ
1995-96	Member, Curriculum Committee for MSA Accreditation Process, CUSJ
1994-1995	Member, Organizing Committee, 6to y 7mo Encuentro Nacional de Pensamiento y Educación, UPRRP

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Date	Title	Institution
October 11, 2013	Integración de TIC's a la sala de clases	CEA, UPRRP
October 11, 2013	Ética en los Procesos de Enseñanza	CEA, UPRRP
October 4, 2013	Atención a los estudiantes con necesidades especiales	CEA, UPRRP
October 4, 2013	Integración y avalúo en el proceso de enseñanza-aprendizaje	CEA, UPRRP
August 5, 2013	Orientación Institucional a Profesores Nuevos 2013	CEA, UPRRP
May 19, 2013	PRTESOL Metro-Central Chapters Annual Conference Sagrado Corazón University, Santurce, PR.	
February 25, 2013	MIUPI docente introducción al autoservicio docente, configuración de Cursos, calificaciones y asistencia	CEA, UPRRP
August, 2012	Manejo de Bases de Datos e Ebooks	COBIMET

March, 2012	Taller de Electricidad Básica para la Mujer	CUSJ
August, 2011	Elaboración y Uso de Rúbricas en el Assessment y la Evaluación del Aprendizaje	CUSJ
March, 2011	Protocolo para el Manejo de Casos de Violencia Doméstica	MSJ
February, 2011	Ley Núm 52	PRLD
February, 2011	Programas HSIAC	Sagrado
November, 2010	Resistiendo la Influencia Social: Pienso por mí Mismo	MSJ
November, 2008	35 th Annual PR TESOL Convention	PR TESOL
December, 2008	Cultivando Mentes Positivas	Santiago & Associates
October, 2007	Avalúo del Aprendizaje Estudiantil	CUSJ
November, 2007	34 th Annual PR TESOL Convention	PR TESOL
November, 2006	33 rd Annual PR TESOL Convention	PR TESOL
November, 2005	Undécima Conferencia Annual	College Board
November, 2004	Toolbook Assitant II	FutureKids
November, 2004	31 st Annual PR TESOL Convention	PR TESOL
October, 2004	Segundo Congreso de Investigación Universidad Centenaria: ¿Y ahora qué?	UPRRP
October, 2004	Décima Conferencia Anual	College Board
August, 2001	Estrategias Psicológicas para la Retención	CUSJ
February, 1999	Primer Coloquio sobre Currículo en la Instituciones Universitarias: Programa de Evaluación y Admisión Universitaria	CES

February, 1999	11 th Annual Meeting of the National Association of Presidential Assistants in Higher Education	MSA/FDE
February, 1999	Diseño y Evaluación Curricular	CES
February, 1999	El Currículo Orientado al Desarrollo Humano Integral	CES
March, 1999	Taller con los Decanos de Asuntos Académicos de la Instituciones Universitarias	CES
December, 1998	Year 2000 Readiness Kit: A Compilation of Y2K Resources for Schools, Colleges and Universities	USDE
October, 1998	Word for Windows, Office 97	CUSJ
October, 1998	El Origen Histórico de la Nacionalidad Puertorriqueña	CUSJ
September, 1998	IBM PC Briefing	IBM
August, 1998	Taller: La Retención del Estudiante: Un Compromiso De Todos.	CUSJ
	Una Visión de las Leyes Escolares	CUSJ
March, 1998	Décimo Encuentro Nacional de Educación y Pensamiento	UPRRP
November, 1997	COT Olimpiadas	CUSJ
October, 1997	Educación de Calidad para el Siglo XXI: Problemas, Oportunidades y Progreso	UPRRP
November, 1996	PRTESOL 23 rd Annual Convention 4 th Central American and Caribbean Regional TESOL Conference	PRTESOL
May, 1996	Tercer Simposio de Multimedia Interactivos	UIA

April, 1996	Lengua y Literatura puertorriqueña: Perspectivas futuras	CUSJ
April, 1996	Federal funds available for PR	PR Chamber of Commerce
December, 1995	Manufactura, Educación y el Futuro Económico de PR: La mecatrónica	CUSJ
November, 1995	PRTESOL 22 nd Annual Convention Facing the 21 st Century	PRTESOL
September, 1995	Annual Southern TESOL Convention	Southern TESOL
September, 1995	Word, Excel, Windows 95, Pagemaker , Excel Macros and Powerpoint (6 workshops)	Microsoft Authorized Training Center
May, 1995	Liderazgo efectivo en la administración	PRASCD
March, 1995	Séptimo Encuentro Nacional de Educación y Pensamiento	UPRRP
April, 1994	Sexto Encuentro Nacional de Educación y Pensamiento	UPRRP
February, 1994	Lo Más Importante es el Amor	CUSJ
February, 1994	Assessment en el desarrollo del pensamiento ¿Qué y para qué?	UPR, Bayamón

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

PRTESOL

PRASCD

Asociación Puertorriqueña de Investigadores Institucionales

Alpha Delta Kappa International Honorary Sorority

TRAVELING

Virgin Islands, British Virgin Islands, New York, Atlanta, Dallas, Tucson, Washington DC, Miami, Tampa, México, England, France, Italy, Spain, Greece, Germany, Dominican Republic, and Venezuela.

REFERENCES

Available upon request.