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EDUCATION

MA, The University of Texas at Brownsville and Texas Southmost College, 2011 Major: English

BA, The University of Texas at Brownsville and Texas Southmost College, 2008 Major: English

AAT, The University of Texas at Brownsville and Texas Southmost College, 2007 Major: Secondary Grades

EMPLOYMENT

Graduate Research Assistant, The University of Texas at Brownsville and Texas Southmost College (2009)

Writing Tutor, The University of Texas at Brownsville and Texas Southmost College (2007 - 2008)

Academic - P-12

Reading Teacher, Brownsville Independent School District (2010 - 2012)

Language Arts Teacher, Diocese of Brownsville (2009 - 2010)

Academic - Post-Secondary

Lecturer II, The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley (2018)

Lecturer I, The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley (September 1, 2015 - September 1, 2018)

Lecturer, The University of Texas at Brownsville and Texas Southmost College (September 1, 2012 - August 31, 2015)

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles

Elad Yom Tov, William Strong, and Lupita Strong. Hispanic Reliance on Complementary and Alternative Medicine as Demonstrated Through Internet Searches. Paris: *Health Behavior and Policy Review.* 4 (5), (September 2017): 503-510.

Elad Yom-Tov, William Strong, and Lupita Strong. Hispanic Reliance on Complementary and Alternative Medicine as Demonstrated Through Internet Searches. Glover, Elbert D. (Ed.) Paris,

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France: Health Behavior and Policy Review. www.parisscholarpublishing.org

Other

William Strong and Lupita Strong. Lingo for Gringos. Leah Scarpelli (Ed.) Austin: *Texas Standard*. (May 2017) www.texasstandard.org

William Strong and Lupita Strong. Demonyms of Texas. Austin, TX: *Texas Standard*. (August 2016) www.texasstandard.org

William Strong and Lupita Strong. The Texas Origin of the Word, "Maverick." . Leah Scarpelli (Ed.) Austin, TX: *Texas Standard*. (August 2016) www.texasstandard.org

William Strong and Lupita Strong. Spanish for Gringos. Erika Lantz (Ed.) Stories from Texas - Ongoing Radio Series. Cambridge, MA: *Public Radio Exchange Remix*. (October (4th Quarter/Autumn) 2014) www.prx.org

Media Contributions

Radio

Lawrence Silver Interview. The Girl: A Life in the Shadow of Roman Polanski. Good Books Radio. KURV 710.. (October 01, 2013)

PRESENTATIONS

Lupita Strong, Elva Uribe, and Doralee Lara. "If I Knew Then What I Know Now: Tales from the Returning Student/ The Second Time Around," RHETx, The Writing Program @ The Department of Writing and Language Studies, Brownsville, TX. (November 8, 2018)

Lupita Strong, Sandra Navarro, Maria Garza, and David Rubio. "Just Another Follower: How We Silo Our Social Media Communities," RHETx, The Writing Program @ The Department of Writing and Language Studies, Brownsville, TX. (November 2, 2017)

William Strong, Elad Yom-Tov, and Lupita Strong. "Hispanic Reliance on Alternative Medicines as Demonstrated in Internet Searches," Fulbright Scholars Regional Conference, Fulbright, San Antonio. (September 30, 2017)

Lupita Strong and William Strong. "The Art of Persuasion," FESTIBA, University of Texas - Rio Grande Valley, Brownsville. (March 1, 2016)

John Cook, William Strong, and Lupita Strong. "Cross Cultural Relationship: Hispanics and Anglos and Hispanics"," The Southern Conference of National Association of Hispanic and Latino Scholars, The National Association of Hispanic and Latino Scholars, South Padre Island. (October 20, 2015)

Lupita Strong. "The Orphan in the House: A Reexamination of Fanny Price as Determiner of Her Own Fate," EGADS! Conference. Literature: Its Pain, Its Pleasure, English Graduate Advancement and Development Society (EGADS!)," 2011, (February 2011)

Lupita Strong. "The Void: The Absence of Austen's Female Characters from the Top Rung of a Male-Dominated Society," EGADS! Conference. Bridges and Borders, English Graduate Advancement and Development Society (EGADS!), (February 2010)

TEACHING

Courses Taught

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Composition I

Composition II

Rhetoric & Composition I

Rhetoric & Composition II

SERVICE

Department Service

Faculty Mentor, CompoCon @FDBK Pt. 2 & WIP EXPO. (April 3, 2019)

Faculty Mentor, CompoCon Feedback & Inquiry. (March 7, 2018)

Committee Member, Roundhouse Committee. (September 1, 2016 - August 31, 2017)

Committee Member, Annual Review Committee. (September 2015 - August 2017)

Faculty Mentor, CompoCon EXPO. (April 20, 2017)

Faculty Advisor, CompoCon Feedback & Inquiry. (March 22, 2017)

Faculty Mentor, CompoCon, Brownsville Feedback & Inquiry. (April 4, 2016)

Faculty Mentor, CompoCon, Edinburg Feedback & Inquiry. (March 31, 2016)

Committee Member, Dept. of English Curriculum and Assessment Committee 2013-2014. (September 2013 - August 2015)

College Service

Faculty Mentor, Vaquero Roundup. (August 26, 2016)

Development Activities Attended

"Rethinking Assessment Practices: Toward Linguistically Inclusive & Equitable Assessments," Center for Teaching Excellence. (September 18, 2018)

"Drafting a Strong Teaching Philosophy," Center for Teaching Excellence. (August 8, 2018)

"Using Images and Multimedia to Create Dynamic Lectures," Center for Teaching Excellence. (August 8, 2018)

"Developing Effective Relationships with Your Students," Center for Teaching Excellence. (August 7, 2018)

"Transparent Instruction," Center for Teaching Excellence. (August 7, 2018)

"Recognizing Individual Personalities When Working with Teams," Center for Teaching Excellence. (July 17, 2018)

""Flipped Learning"," Center for Teaching Excellence. (July 13, 2018)

"Getting More Students to Read Assigned Course Materials," Center for Teaching Excellence. (January 11, 2018)

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""Moving from a Content-Focused to a Learner-Centered Syllabus"," Center for Teaching Excellence. (August 23, 2017)

"Faculty Portfolio Tool Training," The Office of the Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs and Diversity. (August 15, 2017)

Workshop, "Flipping the College Classroom," Center for Teaching Excellence. (July 13, 2017)

Workshop, "The Tradition Continues. Sin Paredes: A Community Building Workshop," Center for Teaching Excellence . (July 7, 2017)

Continuing Education Program, "Investigating the Elizabethans," University of Oxford. (April 18, 2017 - June 26, 2017)

"Designing Diverse and Linguistically Inclusive Student Learning Outcomes," Center for Teaching Excellence and Department of Writing and Language Studies. (May 5, 2017)

"Extending the Reach: University-Community Partnerships," Center for Teaching Excellence and Community Engagement and Assessment. (May 5, 2017)

"Familismo Teaching: Addressing the Needs and Diversity of Hispanic Students to Ensure College Success," Center for Teaching Excellence and Department of Writing and Language Studies. (May 5, 2017)

Workshop, "Blackboard Advanced," Center for Online Learning and Teaching Technology. (May 2, 2017)

Workshop, "Tenure and Promotion Informational Workshop," Office of the Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs and Diversity. (April 25, 2017)

- Mentoring Event, "Writing Effective Conclusions," CompoCon, The Writing Program. (February 17, 2016)
- Mentoring Event, "I Have No Idea What I'm Doing for My Research. Am I Doomed?," CompoCon, The Writing Program. (February 4, 2016)
- Mentoring Event, "Problem Solving Research: Developing Questions to Find Solutions," CompoCon, The Writing Program. (February 4, 2016)
- Mentoring Event, "This Is How You Come Up with a Good Research Question," CompoCon, The Writing Program. (February 4, 2016)
- Webinar, "Avoiding Assessment Pitfalls," Skyfactor. (January 26, 2016)
- Course Enhancement Consultation, UTRGV Center for Teaching Excellence. (January 14, 2016)

Public Service

- Other, Asilo de Ancianos Pan de Vida, Matamoros, (2012)
- Other, Seminario Diocesano de Matamoros, Matamoros, (2012)

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