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EDUCATION

MA, University of New Mexico, 2003
Major: Spanish

EMPLOYMENT

Lecturer, The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley (September 2016)

Associate Professor, Texas State Technical College (October 1, 2007 - August 1, 2016)

Adjunct, University of Texas Pan American (January 17, 2015 - July 30, 2016)

Lecturer, University of Texas Pan American (September 1, 2005 - December 15, 2007)

Adjunct, University of Texas Brownsville (September 1, 2007 - October 30, 2007)

Adjunct, Houston Community College (February 1, 2005 - May 30, 2005)

Lecturer, Texas Southern University (September 1, 2003 - May 30, 2005)

TA, University of New Mexico (September 1, 2001 - May 15, 2003)

PRESENTATIONS

Yanina Hernandez and Jose Hernandez. "Creating Thematic Units for Developing Writing and Critical Awareness in Heritage Spanish Courses," Heritage Spanish Workshop, Center for Open Education and Resources in Language Learning (COERLL), University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas. (July 28, 2017)

Marcela Hebbard and Yanina Hernandez. "Designing Transdisciplinary Collaborative Writing Assignments," Multilingual Pedagogy Professional Development, Center for Teaching Excellence (CTE), University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, Edinburg, Texas. (March 28, 2017)

Yanina Hernandez, Carolina Cardenas, and Sarahi Zarate. "Creating Classroom Activities for Spanish Heritage Learners," Linguistic Seminar Series, Writing and Languages Department, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, Edinburg, Texas. (March 21, 2017)

Sonia Balash, Yanina Hernandez, and Jose Hernandez. "Hey! Tell me about tu gente! Starting a Latino Cross-Country Discussion between SHLs of two U.S. Universities," 4th National Symposium of Spanish as Heritage Language, University of California, Irvine, California. (February 18, 2017)

TEACHING

Courses Taught

Adv Span Grammar & Comp II

Beg Spanish-Non Spkng

Beginning Spanish I

Beginning Spanish II

Span for Heritage Learn III

Span for Nat/Her Speak I

Span for Non-Nat Speak I

Span for Non-Nat Speak II

Spanish for Bilinguals I

Spanish for Bilinguals II

SERVICE

Department Service

Committee Member, International Development Committee. (October 2017)