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# EDUCATION

**The University of Georgia,**

Athens, GA, 2006

Master’s Degree

College of Arts and Sciences

**Major: Spanish Linguistics**

**Universidad Nacional de Trujillo,**

Trujillo (Perú) November 1996

**Diploma in Foreign Language Education, Major: English, Minor: French**

**Universidad Nacional de Trujillo,**

Trujillo (Perú) December 1995

**Bachelor’s Degree in Education**

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# EMPLOYMENT AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**The University of Georgia,**

Athens, GA, August 2023 to present

**Spanish Lecturer**

-Teach Foreign Language requirement classes (SPAN1001, SPAN1002, SPAN1110, SPAN2001 and SPAN2002)

- Work updating the curriculum for the Study Away SPAN4003 class: syllabus, course calendar, assignment, testing, community projects and shadowing activities.

- Develop a new course pack with updated medical information related to the Peruvian area for the Study Away program.

**The University of Georgia,**

Athens, GA, 2006 to 2013/2015 to 2022

**Spanish Instructor**

-Teach Advanced Conversation and Composition courses SPAN 4010 (now SPAN3020)

-Teach Medical Spanish courses SPAN 4003

-Teach Basic Conversation and Composition courses SPAN 3010.

-Teach Intermediate courses SPAN 2001 & SPAN 2002

-Teach Accelerated Basic Spanish SPAN1110

-Teach Basic Spanish SPAN1001 and SPAN1002

-Teach Online Spanish courses SPAN 1001E and SPAN 1002E

**The University of Georgia**, Athens, GA,

**Spanish Preceptor**

**SPAN2001 (August 2006-May 2013)**

-Aid to prepare general and detailed syllabus, calendar, schedule, exams and quizzes, and

teaching circles for intermediate Spanish courses: SPAN 2001.

**SPAN1001 & SPAN1002 (August 2016 to May 2021)**

-Aid to prepare general and detailed syllabus, calendar and schedule, exams and quizzes, and teaching circles for Basic Spanish courses: SPAN1001 and SPAN 1002.

-Aid to prepare general and detailed syllabus, calendar and schedule, exams and quizzes, and teaching circles for Online Basic Spanish courses: SPAN 1001E and SPAN 1002E summer courses.

-Aid to prepare the whole platform course on eLC and Connect during Covid-19, general and detailed syllabus, calendar and schedule, exams and quizzes, and teaching circles for Basic Spanish courses: SPAN 1001E and SPAN 1002E summer courses.

-Work as a member of the Spanish Committee with other preceptors, the Spanish supervisor and the Head of the Department.

**SPAN 1001 (August 2021 to present)**

-Aid to prepare general and detailed syllabus, calendar and schedule, exams and quizzes, and teaching circles for Basic Spanish courses: SPAN1001.

-Work as a member of the Spanish Committee with other preceptors, the Spanish supervisor and the Head of the Department.

-Co-teach with First Year MA students in a mentor-mentee role to prepare them for future class teaching.

**Colegio Bilingüe “La Asunción”,**

Trujillo, Perú, March 2014 to January 2015

**English teacher**

-Taught English to intermediate and upper intermediate elementary and high school students through the communicative methodology in order to become fluent in the target language: conversations, act-out stories and plays.

**Universidad San Pedro,**

Trujillo, Perú, January 2015 to March 2015

**English teacher**

-Taught Basic English to university students in a super intensive class in order for them to fulfill their foreign language requirement.

**Universidad Privada del Norte,**

Trujillo, Perú, May 2015 to August 2015

**English teacher**

-Taught Basic and Advanced English to university students in order for them to fulfill their foreign language requirement.

**The University of Georgia,**

Athens, GA, 2004 to 2006

**Spanish Teaching Assistant**

-Received outstanding course evaluations from each level taught.

-Teaching Assistant for Advanced courses SPAN 2002.

-Teaching Assistant for Intermediate courses SPAN 2001.

-Teaching Assistant for Accelerated course SPAN 1110.

-Appointed to receive the Outstanding Teaching Award.

**David C. Barrow Elementary School,**

Athens, GA, 2004 to 2006

**Spanish teacher**

-Practice and Professional Training.

-Spanish teacher for fifth and fourth graders classes.

**Colegio Alternativo Talentos,**

Trujillo, Perú, August 2001 to December 2001

**English teacher**

-Taught English to elementary school students through the communicative methodology in order to become fluent in the target language: conversations, act-out stories and plays.

**Universidad Privada “César Vallejo”,**

Trujillo, Perú, April 1996 to December 1997

**English teacher**

-Taught different levels of technical English to Law and Accounting undergraduate students with the aim to excel in reading, understanding, writing and conversations using technical terms.

**Centro Peruano Americano “El Cultural”,**

Trujillo, Perú, January 1996 to July 2004

**English teacher and EFL mentor**

-Taught English to Children and Junior Program learners using motivating strategies and praise.

-Taught English to Basic and Intermediate Program learners using communicative teaching methods.

-Taught English to Advanced Program learners to go beyond their expectations with challenging methods to reach proficiency in the target language.

-Mentor for Centro Peruano-Americano teachers, making teachers self-reflect on their professional development and long-life learners.

**CEGNE “San Luis”,**

Trujillo, Perú, March 1996 to December 1999

**English, French and Peruvian dance teacher**

-Taught English to Elementary School students with the objective to set a base for high school.

-Taught English to High School students to provide a base for a foreign language competence.

-Taught Peruvian Folkloric Dances as a workshop activity.

-Taught French to High School students to motivate them to foreign languages’ learning.

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# STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS

**UGA in Argentina,**

Buenos Aires and Mendoza, Argentina, June-July 2010

**Spanish Teacher and Teaching Assistant**

-Taught SPAN 3050 (Introduction to Spanish Linguistics) to UGA students in Universidad de Palermo, Argentina.

-Worked as a Teaching Assistant and created activities to experience and learn about its culture.

**UGA in Peru**,

Trujillo and Cuzco, Peru, May-June 2011 to present

**Program Coordinator (2011 and 2017)**

**Medical Spanish Teacher (2013 to present)**

-Was in charge of the study abroad program. Coordinate with the program director and the TAs to create activities in order for the students to experience and learn about Peruvian culture.

-Taught SPAN 4003 (Medical Spanish) to UGA students in Universidad César Vallejo.

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**LANGUAGES**

Spanish (Native)

English (Near-native)

French (Good proficiency)

Portuguese (Good proficiency)