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EDUCATION

- **Ph.D. Texas Tech University.** Lubbock, Texas. Department of Classical and Modern Languages and Literatures. Dissertation: “Humor in Selected Works of Unamuno.” Dissertation director: Dr. Janet Perez. August 2009. Major: Spanish, GPA: 4.0
- **M.A. Tulane University.** New Orleans, Louisiana. Department of Spanish and Portuguese, May 1995. Major: Spanish, GPA: 3.7
- **M.A. Southern Illinois University- Carbondale.** Carbondale, Illinois. Department of Linguistics, May 1990. Major: Teaching English as a Foreign Language, GPA: 4.0
- **B.A. University of Minnesota-Twin Cities.** Minneapolis, Minnesota. Department of Spanish and Portuguese, July 1982. Major: Spanish.

EXPERIENCE

- **Lecturer.** Oklahoma State University. Stillwater, OK. Spears School of Business, Department of Management. Teach Business Written Communication. August 2015 – Present.
- **Instructor.** Oklahoma State University. Stillwater, OK. English Language Institute. Taught English as a Second Language to international students, participated in the creation of new assessment standards and learner outcomes, and updated curriculum. June 2011 – July 2015.
- **Temporary Assistant Professor.** Truman State University, Kirksville, Missouri. Taught first- and second-year Spanish language courses and third-year grammar and composition. August 2009 – May 2011.
- **Graduate Part-Time Instructor.** Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas. Taught first and second year Spanish courses, Intermediate Grammar, and Intermediate Conversation; coordinated and taught online Spanish courses. Taught one semester at the Texas Tech campus in Seville, Spain. January 2004 – August 2009.
- **Instructor.** University of New Orleans, New Orleans, Louisiana. Taught ESL composition and other English language skills, Freshman Composition, and Developmental English. August 1995 – December 2003.

- **Instructor/Coordinator.** Universidad Braulio Carrillo, San José, Costa Rica. Taught English and helped to develop a pilot intensive English program. January – July 1997.
- **ESL Computer Lab Monitor.** Catholic Charities, New Orleans, Louisiana. Helped students with ESL software. June 1995 – December 1996.
- **Teaching Assistant.** Tulane University. Taught first and second semester Spanish. August 1993 – May 1995.
- **Instructor.** University of Northern Iowa, Cedar Falls, Iowa. Taught ESL courses to international students; supervised practice teachers. August 1991 – August 1993.
- **Instructor.** Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, Oklahoma. English Language Institute. Taught ESL courses to Japanese students. August 1990 – August 1991.
- **Editorial Assistant.** Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, Illinois. Assisted the editor of the scholarly periodical The Journal of Pidgin and Creole Languages with all aspects of its publication. August 1988 – May 1990.
- **Teacher.** REC School of Languages, Kyoto, Japan. Taught English conversation to students of all ages. December 1983 - April 1987.

PUBLICATIONS

- Lockwood, Tara. Summer 1991. “This Clock Doesn’t Work: I Want My Money Back.” *Illinois TESOL/BE Newsletter*, pp. 16-7.
- Lockwood, Tara and Gaffney, Barbara. (Spanish translation by Tara Lockwood and Nieves Aberola Crespo). December 1996. “Marie Laveau: famosa criolla de Nueva Orleans.” *Asparkia*, pp. 45-50

CONFERENCES

- ABC Regional Conference, Oklahoma City, OK. Attended conference on March 10, 2016.
- Texas A&M University, Kingsville. First Hispanic Interdisciplinary Conference, “On Marginalization and Other Encounters.” March 23-4, 2007, Kingsville, Texas. Presented “Piedra aparente/el Otro aparente: La piedra como el Otro en *Los recuerdos del porvenir* de Elena Garro.”
- Texas Tech University. Céfire Enlace Hispano Cultural y Literario Eighth Annual Conference. March 29-31, 2007, Lubbock, Texas. Presented “Pasos adelante, pasos detrás: La estructura narrativa en *Nostalgia de Troya*, de Luisa Josefina Hernández.”