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## ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX Ph.D. in Spanish (ABD)

2002 Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX M.A. in Spanish

1987 Universidad de Cayey (UPR), Puerto Rico B.A. in Humanities and Foreign Languages

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

May 2009 – Present Cedar Valley College, Lancaster, TX

Instructor of Spanish

August 2013–May 2014 UNT Dallas, Dallas, TX

Instructor of Spanish

January 2007 – May 2009 El Centro College, Dallas, TX

Instructor of Spanish

August 2008 – December 2008 Collin County Community College, Spring Creek, TX

Instructor of Spanish

August 2000 – December 2006 Texas Tech University, TX

Instructor of Spanish

## CONFERENCE PAPERS

La (re)presentación enmascarada de las voces marginadas hispano- caribeñas en Sirena Selena vestida de pena (2000) de Mayra Santos-Febres, April 2006, UTPA XVII Internacional Symposium on Spanish: Women Writers of Latin America and the Border, McAllen, Texas.

Las (más)caras del mundo homo-erótico hispano-caribeño en Sirena Selena vestida de pena (2000) de Mayra Santos-Febres, March 2006, Céfiro 7th Annual Conference, Lubbock Texas.

La desmitificación de los personajes femeninos en cinco cuentos de Pez de Vidrio de Mayra SantosFebres, April 2005, Céfiro 6th Annual Conference, Lubbock, Texas.

(Re)descubriendo a la mujer puertorriqueña en Cuando era puertorriqueña de Esmeralda Santiago (1994) April 2003, Cefiro 4th Annual Conference, Lubbock, Texas.

La monja Alférez y Marcela (Don Quijote I): Recuperación del espacio femenino por medio de las armas y las letras, March 2003, 36th Comparative Literature Symposium, Lubbock Texas.

## HONORS

- \* Recipient of the Paul Whitfield Horn Fellowship Award for Graduate Student Women for academic year 2006-2007
- \* Graduate Part Time Instructor Recipient Award at University Level 2005
- \* Graduate Student Highlight Web Site at the Graduate School Webpage 2005
- \* TEACH fellow 2004-2005
- \* Recipient of the Hispanic Scholarship Fund 2003-2004