

CURRICULUM VITAE

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I. PRESENT ACADEMIC RANK AND POSITION

Adjunct Spanish Instructor
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II. EDUCATION

2002 Marquette University: Master of Arts (Spanish)	Wisconsin - USA
1991 Universidad Nacional Federico Villarreal: B.A.	Lima – Peru
1979 Universidad Particular San Martin de Porres: B.A.	Lima – Peru

III. TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 1997 – 2005 Instructor Telesis Institute Milwaukee - WI (Alverno College Outreach Program) Spanish classes for beginners (Course designed to help the student to begin to develop the ability to communicate in the Spanish language by integrating beginning oral and written skills and cultural understandings in the context of situational scenarios.)
- 2000 – 2001 Instructor Alverno College Milwaukee - WI SLC 104 Beginning Spanish II (Introduction to Spanish language and culture with practice in all four language skills: listening, speaking, reading, and writing.) & SLC 400 Spanish Immersion Experience (Advanced Spanish Grammar, Reading and Writing Course that required having a language immersion experience in a Spanish speaking country or work place).
- 2001 – 2002 Teaching Asistent Marquette University Milwaukee – WI SPAN 001 – SPAN 002 (Elementary Spanish classes - Introduction to the Spanish language. Fundamentals of comprehension, speaking, reading and writing)
- 2003 – present Adjunct Instructor Marquette University Milwaukee – WI SPAN 003 & 004 (Intermediate Spanish courses – Grammar review, oral and written practice, and more intensive reading) and SPAN 082 a Grammar Review and Writing class (Development of writing proficiency in Spanish through a variety of texts. Review and refinement of the language structures and linguistic functions for more effective writing.)

IV. MAJOR FIELDS OF INTEREST

Spanish language and literature, Spanish history and culture. Influence of the Spanish Speaking people in USA and the world.

V. **RELATED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES**

1997 – 2000 Alverno College Milwaukee – WI (Speaker in the class America Civilizations)
Series of five presentations per semester about the History and Evolution of the Different
Cultures of Latin America.

VII. **PROFESSIONAL AND SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS**

2002 – Present The National Collegiate Hispanic Honor Society (La Sociedad Nacional
Honorario Hispánica) ***Sigma Delta Pi***