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Academic Degrees

Doctor of Education

Curriculum & Instruction

Texas Tech University Fellowships

Recipient of United States Department of Education Title VII Doctoral Fellowship

Master of Arts

Applied Linguistics

Texas Tech University

Bachelor of Arts

English, Technical Writing (major)

Secondary Education (minor)

Texas Tech University

cum laude

Texas Teaching Certifications (Lifetime)

Secondary English (6-12)

Secondary Spanish (6-12)

English Language Arts (6-12)

Public School Teaching Experience

1993-1999

Lubbock ISD

Foreign Language Teacher (Spanish)

University Teaching & Administrative Experience (UTPB School of Education)

2010-Present

UTPB

Associate Professor & Associate Dean

2009-Present

UTPB

Associate Professor

2002-2008

UTPB

Assistant Professor

2001-2002

UTPB

Lecturer

1999-2001

Texas Tech

Graduate Research/Teaching Assistant

Initial (Undergraduate) Courses Taught

EDUC 3362 Foundations of Bilingualism & Multiculturalism

EDUC 3370 Foundations of Education

EDUC 4321 Classroom Instruction & Management: Grades 4-8

EDUC 4322 Classroom Instruction & Management: Grades 8-12

EDUC 4375 Integrating Language Arts/Social Studies: Gr. 4-8

EDUC 4371 Integrating Language Arts/Social Studies: Gr. 8-12

EDUC 4381 Student Teaching

EDUC 4681 Student Teaching (EC-4 Bilingual)

EDUC 4682 Student Teaching (Bilingual Generalist 4-8)

EDUC 4684 Student Teaching (Generalist 4-8)

EDUC 4685 Student Teaching (Specialist 8-12)

EDUC 4387 Student Teaching (ESL Supplement)

EDUC 4692 Practicum: Interns

ENGL 3371 The English Language

Advanced (Graduate) Courses Taught

EDUC 6301 Philosophy of Education

EDUC 6302 Cultural Diversity in Education & Social Sciences

EDUC 6329 Language Development and Acquisition

EDUC 6330 Theories of Curriculum and Instruction

EDUC 6397 Research in Education
EDUC 6398 Master's Study
EDUC 6399 Thesis
EDBI 6326 Methods of Teaching ESL
ENGL 3371 The English Language

Service (annotated list)

UTPB School of Education Service

Initial (Undergraduate) Program Area Responsibilities

Language Arts Education; Student Teacher Supervision; English Language Arts and History (Grades 8-12) Certification Advisor

Advanced (Graduate) Program Area Responsibility

Master of Arts in Education, Professional Education (EDPE), Program Coordinator

UTPB University-wide Service

Faculty Senate

University Curriculum Committee

University Admissions Committee

Scholarship (selected publications & presentations, listed in reverse chronological order)

- Juarez-Torres, R. (2010, October). *HIS-Story in the Making: From an elementary school in Mexico to graduate school in the US*. Presentation for the Texas Association for Bilingual Education (TABE), El Paso, TX.
- Juarez-Torres, R. Hurst, J., and Hurst, R. (2007). Teacher-to-Teacher: Transgenerational Mentoring. *Teacher and Practice: The Journal of the Texas Association of Colleges for Teacher Education*. Stephen F. Austin State University Press. (20) 1, 14-30.
- Juarez-Torres, R. (2008, May). *Workforce diversity: Recruiting, managing, and retaining a Diverse Workforce*. Presentation for The Permian Basin Corporate Diversity Initiative Forum, UTPB.
- Juarez-Torres, R. (2008, January). *Social justice through English language arts*. Presentation at the annual conference of the Texas Classroom Teachers of English Language Arts, Houston, TX.
- Juarez-Torres, R. (2007, October). *Session B: Hispanic families and culture, implications for success in education*. Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, P-16 West Texas Regional Council, Regional P-16 Conference, Convener/Discussant, Education Service Center, Region 18 Headquarters, Midland, TX.
- Juarez-Torres, R. (2006, March). *Categorizing language as curriculum and instruction*. Paper presented at *The Oxford Round Table*. Oxford University, England.
- Duemer, L., Juarez, R., and Sand, B. (2000). Public school teacher and administrator perceptions of clergy's involvement with public schools. *Education*.