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#### PRESENT POSITION

 Adjunct Faculty - Spanish, Literature & Language Department, Texas A&M Commerce.

#### **EDUCATION**

- Texas A&M Commerce, Texas:
  - Master of Art in Spanish with emphasis in Pedagogy; GPA: 4.0
- Region 20, Teacher Orientation and Preparation Program (TOPP) of Education Service Center, San Antonio, Texas – more than 350 hours of training:
  - Alternative Teaching Certificate. Areas of Certification: EC-6 Generalist, Bilingual Supplemental EC-6 grades, Spanish single subject 6-12 grades. Probationary Teaching Certificate.
- Baptist University of the Americas, San Antonio, TX:
  - ➤ Bachelor Degree in Arts and Theological/Biblical Studies. Concentration: Religious Education and Church Music. GPA: 4.0
  - Associate of Arts in Cross-Cultural Studies.
  - ➤ 24 credit-hours B.A. in Spanish.
  - Certificate in Latina Leadership Studies.
- School of Music Eduardo Fabini, Montevideo, Uruguay:
  - Teacher's Diploma in Fundaments of Music, Keyboard, and Piano.

### WORK EXPERIENCE

- 08/2012 to 05/2013: Teaching Assistantship GAT Teacher of Spanish (Lower Division and Upper Division: 131-132-231-232-332 levels).
- 07/2011 to 07/2012: Graduate Assistantship GANT Spanish Tutor

   Spanish Division, Literature & Language Department, Texas A&M Commerce.

- 2010 to 2011: Bilingual Substitute Teacher (long term assignment), Garland I.S.D.
- 2009: Latina Leadership Institute Administrative Assistant, San Antonio, TX.
- 2005 to 2009: Assistant Choir Accompanist and Piano Instructor, Department of Music at Baptist University of the Americas, San Antonio, TX.
- 1995 to present: Piano Teacher (private lessons).
- 1995 to 2003: Music Teacher, Eduardo Fabini School of Music, Montevideo, Uruguay (Piano, Keyboard, and Fundamentals of the music, all levels instruction).

## COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Lighthouse Bilingual Academy, Garland, Texas: Member of Board of Directors (secretary).
- Volunteer Community Care Development at Bradfield Apartments, Garland TX.