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EDUCATION

University of Miami

Miami, Florida• 2021

- Currently working on Journalism & Media Management 18 graduate credit certification

University of Miami

Miami, Florida• 2016-2018

- 18 graduate credits in Communications certification

Florida International University

Miami, Florida• 1998

Master of Arts: English

- Dean's List every semester
- Graduated summa cum laude
- Member, Sigma Tau Delta, English Honors Society
- 18 graduate credits in reading

Florida International University

Miami, Florida• 1996

Bachelor of Arts: English

- Graduated magna cum laude
- Dean's List
- Member, Sigma Tau Delta, English Honors Society
- Certificate in Interdisciplinary Women's Studies

Miami Dade College

Miami, Florida• 1994

Associate of Arts: English

- Graduated magna cum laude
- Dean's List
- English Honors Award, recipient

WORK HISTORY

1999-Present

Professor, English, Literature & Creative Writing
Communication, Arts & Philosophy Department
Miami Dade College—Eduardo J. Padrón Campus

1997-1999

Adjunct Professor of English
Communication, Arts & Philosophy Department
Miami Dade College—Eduardo J. Padrón Campus

1994-1998

Substitute Teacher
Miami-Dade Public Schools

MIAMI DADE COLLEGE COURSES TAUGHT 1999-2021

- American Literature I & II
- African American Literature
- Creative Writing I & II
- Contemporary Literature
- Developmental Writing I, II & III
- Developmental Reading I, II & III
- English Composition I & II
- Fundamentals of Speech Communication
- Interdisciplinary Honors Leadership Seminar I, II, III & IV
- Introduction to Literature
- Issues of Literature and Culture
- Survey of World Literature

MIAMI DADE COLLEGE ADVISOR ROLES

- **2007-PRESENT**
Urbana Literary & Arts Magazine, founding advisor
- **2017-PRESENT**
Hermione's Army-Chapter of Fandom Forward, founding advisor
- **2009-2013**
Imagination Federation Service Club, founding co-advisor
- **2007-2009**
MDC Democrats, founding co-advisor
- **2001-2009**
LIT CLUB - Literary and Arts Club, founding advisor

LANGUAGES

English and Spanish, fluent
French, intermediate written and oral proficiency
Italian, beginner oral and written proficiency

CERTIFICATIONS

- POGIL certified facilitator & trainer
- Certified to teach Blackboard Learn online, blended, and web-enhanced courses
- Certified to teach Honors College courses at Miami Dade College
- Certified to teach GSELS courses (Global Sustainability and Earth Literacy Studies) courses at Miami Dade College
- Certified to implement Peer Led Team Learning (PLTL)

CORE SKILLS

- Curriculum designer and developer
- Escape room artist/designer
- Public Speaking
- Writing and editing
- Magazine advising
- Event planner/coordinator
- Non-profit governance, community organizing, program development, and fundraising
- Adobe Creative Suite: InDesign, Photoshop, Illustrator, Adobe Premiere Pro, and AdobeSpark
- Social media promotion and content creation
- Web design and graphic design
- Podcast and video editing

MIAMI DADE COLLEGE SERVICE HIGHLIGHTS

- 2017-2023 Women's History Month Committee, chair
- 2019-present Faculty Institute of Teaching and Learning, Process Oriented Guided Inquiry Learning (POGIL) expert
- 2014-present Campus Sustainability Learning Community, member
- 2018-present IMPACT Changemaking Committee, member
- 2018-2020 Institute of Civic Engagement and Democracy, faculty coordinator
- 2019-present Faculty Institute of Teaching and Learning, Process Oriented Guided Inquiry Learning (POGIL) expert
- 2019-present Faculty Institute of Teaching and Learning, Process Oriented Guided Inquiry Learning POGIL recruiter
- 2016-present Peer-led Team Learning, implementer
- 2017-2018 Differentiated Instruction Community of Practice, member
- 2015-2017 Women's History Month Committee, member
- 2020-present Earth Ethics Institute, council member
- 2014-2019 Earth Ethics Institute, mentor
- 2008-2011 Women's History Month Committee, chair
- 2007-2009 Gordon Rule Committee, member
- 2007-2009 College Academic & Student Support Council, chair
- 2005-2012 Earth Ethics Institute, council member
- 2002-2004 College Academic & Student Support Council, faculty coordinator
- 2001-2006 Florida Center for the Literary Arts, faculty liaison
- 2014-present MDC Online Course Developer: Issues of Literature and Culture
- 1999-2012 MDC Online Course Developer: Issues of Literature and Culture, English Composition I & II, Survey of World Literature II

CONFERENCES

- 2021 COP26 United Nations Climate Change Conference (Faculty mentor - Dream in Green, the British Consulate General in Miami, and University of St. Andrews in Scotland -November 2021)
- 2021 National Conference of Undergraduate Research (NCUR), attendee/mentor
- 2021 Humanities Undergraduate Research Education (HERA) Conference, presenter
- 2021 Associate Collegiate Press/College Media Association National Media Convention (Online), presenter
- 2020 Associate Collegiate Press/College Media Association National Media Convention (Online (Online), presenter
- 2019 The Harry Potter Conference (Chestnut Hill, PA), presenter
- Nov. 2019 Florida College System Publications Association (Tampa, FL), presenter
- 2019 Associate Collegiate Press/College Media Association National Media Convention (Washington D.C.), attendee
- Jan. 2019 Florida College System Publications Association (Tampa, Florida), presenter
- 2017 Florida College System Publications Association (Tampa, FL), presenter
- 2017 Barry University Community Engagement Symposium (Ft.

AFFILIATIONS

- Member, National Council of Teachers of English, current
- Member, College Media Association, current
 - 2020-present Member, Diversity & Inclusion Committee
 - 2020-2021 Member, Diversity & Inclusion Advisor Certificate Subcommittee
 - 2020 & 2021 Judge, Pinnacle Awards
- Member, Columbia Scholastic Press Association, current
 - *Urbana Literary & Arts* magazine
- Member, Florida College Systems Publications Association, 2008-present
- 2021 FCSPA Conference co-coordinator
 - 2020 FCSPA Contest and Conference, co-coordinator
- Member, Amnesty International, current
- Member, Associate Collegiate Press, current
- 2017-2019 Member, Community Colleges Humanities Association
- Member, Association of Writers and Writing Programs, current
- Member, United Faculty of Miami Dade College 1999-2021
 - Department Representative (2016-present)

Lauderdale, Florida), presenter

- 2017 Association of Writers & Writing Programs Conference (Tampa, FL)
- 2014 Fulbright Dare to Act (Washington D.C.), presenter
- 2012 Florida College Systems Publications Association (Tampa, FL), attendee
- 2011 Florida College System Publications Association (Tampa, FL), attendee
- 2008 Split this Rock Poetry Festival (Washington, D.C.), attendee
- 2006 Zora Neale Hurston Arts & Humanities Festival, attendee
- 2005 Zora Neale Hurston Arts & Humanities Festival, attendee
- 2004 League of Innovations Conference (San Francisco, California), presenter
- 2003 African American Nationalism International Conference (Tours, France), presenter
- 2002 League of Innovations Conference for Information Technology, (Long Beach, California), presenter
- 2002 International Chicano Literature Conference (Málaga, Spain), presenter
- 2001 League of Innovations Conference for Information Technology, (Minneapolis, Minnesota), presenter
- 2001 University of Salisbury American Women Writers of Color Conference (Salisbury, Maryland), presenter
- 2001 College Training and Development Open House, presenter
- 1999 Florida Educators of America (Miami, Florida), presenter
- 1999 Florida International University's Women's History Month Conference (Miami, FL), presenter

SEMINARS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2021 (July 19-22) College Media Association Mega Workshop Design and Redesign, co-developer and co-facilitator (Online)
- 2021 Miami Dade College Spring Break Technology Seminar, fellow (Miami, FL)
- 2020 Process Oriented Guided Inquiry Learning (POGIL) Writer's Retreat (Online)
- 2020 The Humanities Edge Undergraduate Research Faculty Summer Institute, fellow (Miami, FL)
- 2020 Miami Dade College Spring Break Technology Seminar, fellow (Miami, FL)
- 2020 Process Oriented Guided Inquiry Learning (POGIL) Facilitator Training, fellow (Myrtle Beach, SC)
- 2020 The Washington Center Seminar (Washington, DC)
- 2019 Process Oriented Guided Inquiry Learning (POGIL) Writer's Retreat, fellow (Baltimore, MD)
- 2019 Global Citizenship Alliance Seminar (Salzburg, Austria)
- 2017 Miami Dade College Spring Break Technology Seminar, fellow (Miami, FL)
- 2012 National Hispana Leadership Institute's Executive Leadership, fellow (Harvard Kennedy School Leadership Certificate, Center for Creative Leadership Certificate)
- 2012 Narrow Ridge Earth Literacy Center Vision Fast Immersion (Washburn, Tennessee)
- 2011 Global Education Seminar, fellow (Key Largo, FL)
- 2007 Spring Break Technology Seminar, fellow (Miami, FL)

COMMUNITY ORGANIZER

- Board member, FNE International, 2014-2019
 - 2014-2019 Human Rights Director and Intern Coordinator
 - Developed programming, conducted/supervised field research on Intimate Partner Violence, supervised interns
- 2013-2018 Board member, Mujeral en Acción, (Nicaraguan Women's and Civil Rights defenders)
 - Developed programming, organized and led protests, and advocated for survivors and victims of gender violence within legal system
- Co-founder and Chair, Imagination Federation, 2009-2014 (currently merged with FNE International)
 - 2009-present, Tengo un Sueño/I Have a Dream educational program in rural Nicaragua, co-founder - 17-year education program modeled after I Have a Dream Foundation
 - Co-founder of MaryKnoll Secondary Institute in Chacraseca, Nicaragua

- 2006 Genesis Farm Cosmology of the Universe Immersion, fellow (Blairstown, New Jersey)

GRANTS

- 2021 (spring) The Humanities Edge Undergraduate Research Mentor/Mentee, recipient (Miami, FL)
- 2020 (fall) The Humanities Edge Undergraduate Research Mentor/Mentee, recipient (Miami, FL)
- 2020 (summer) The Humanities Edge Undergraduate Research Mentor/Mentee, recipient (Miami, FL)
- 2019 Manodharma Educators India Travel (India), recipient
- 2013 Fulbright Council of International Exchange of Scholars, recipient
- 2003 E-portfolio Title V Grant, recipient
- 2003 Golden Apple Learning Innovation Grant: Connections: Oral History, recipient
- 2003 Golden Apple Learning Innovation Grant: Giving Voice to Women, recipient
- 2001 ALA (American Library Association) Live! Grant, recipient
- 2001 Hispanic Education Telecommunication Systems/LAPP, recipient
- 2000 Hispanic Education Telecommunication Systems/LAPP, recipient

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2021 Florida College System Advisers Hall of Fame, recipient
- 2020 College Media Association Distinguished Adviser, recipient
- 2020 POGIL PEACH Award, nominee
- 2018 Student Life Advisor of the Year, recipient
- 2015 Professor of the Month Award
- 2012 Florida Campus Compact Florida Service-Learning Faculty of the Year for the College Sector, recipient
- 2011-2012 Returned Peace Corps Volunteers Service-Learning Award, finalist
- 2012 Institute for Civic Engagement & Democracy Campus Service-Learning Faculty of the Year Award, recipient
- 2012 Who's Who Amongst America's Teachers, nominee
- 2008 Campus Spirit Award, recipient
- 2005 William H. Hertz Endowed Teaching Chair, recipient
- 2005 Who's Who Amongst America's Teachers, nominee
- 2004 Who's Who Amongst America's Teachers, nominee
- 2003 Sloan-C Award for Excellence in Online Teaching, nominee

FACULTY-LED STUDY ABROAD

- **MAY-JUNE 2022**
Harry Potter/Game of Thrones/Outlander
Scotland
- **MAY-JUNE 2021**
Game of Thrones
Spain & Morocco (Cancelled due to COVID-19)
- **MAY-JUNE 2020**

CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

- American Littoral Society
- Amnesty International
- Coral Restoration Foundation
- Everglades National Park
- Fandom Forward (Formerly Harry Potter Alliance)
- Florida Center for the Literary Arts
- Florida Immigrant Coalition
- FNE International
- Gandhi Day of Service
- Give a Kid a Backpack
- I Have a Dream Foundation
- Imagination Federation
- Lotus House Women's Shelter
- Miami Beach Senior High
- Miami Book Fair International
- MLK Day of Service
- Nautilus Middle School
- Phillis Wheatly Elementary/
- Roots in the City Community Garden, Overtown
- United We Dream

Game of Thrones

Spain & Morocco (Cancelled due to COVID-19)

- **MAY-JUNE 2019**
Harry Potter/Game of Thrones,
England, Scotland, & Croatia
- **MAY-JUNE 2018**
Harry Potter/Game of Thrones,
England, Scotland, & Ireland

PUBLICATIONS

- Sendin, Emily et. al. "Community-Based Digital Escape Room: Game-based Learning and Placing College Students as Drivers for Change." *Undergraduate Research and the Academic Librarian: Case Studies & Best Practices, Volume 2*. ACRL Publications. Forthcoming publication. Expected publication date spring 2022.
- "Escaping Social Injustices: Changemaking Escape Rooms for Human Rights in the Literature Classroom." *Development of Innovative Pedagogical Practices for a Modern Learning Experience*. CSMFL Publishers. Forthcoming publication. Expected publication date fall 2021.
- BELatina News, freelance writer. 2021.
- Intimate Partner Violence Research. Program Director. León, Nicaragua. FNE International, 2014.
- *Making Connections: A Global Approach to College Reading*. With Contributions by Emily Sendin and Marisol Varela. Miami Dade College. New York: Pearson Custom Publishing, 2006.
- "Breaking Boundaries of Race, Class and Gender in the Works of Sandra Cisneros and Julia Alvarez." *Perpectivas transatlánticas en la literatura Chicana: Ensayos y creatividad*. Malaga, Spain. Summer 2004.
- "Empowering the Other: Magical, Other Worlds in the Works of Contemporary African American Women Writers." MA Thesis. Florida International University, 1998.

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE TRIPS

- 2017 FNE International, Nicaragua, intern supervisor
- 2014 FNE International, Nicaragua, intern supervisor
- 2010-2014 Imagination Federation Inc., Nicaragua service trip, organizer - two per year
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- 2008-2011 Friends of Students for 60,000, trip organizer & volunteer - two per year
- 2007 Give a Kid a Backpack Foundation, Mexico service trip volunteer
- 2006 & 2007 Give a Kid a Backpack Foundation, Ecuador service trip volunteer