

# Alicia Ordoñez

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## Education

Master Interuniversitario Hispano-Norteamericano August, 2008	University of Salamanca Salamanca, Spain	Hispanic Culture and Language
Certification of Completion. July, 2007	Rice University Advance Placement Summer Institute	AP Spanish Language
Texas Educator Certificate. May, 2007	Texas Education Agency	Secondary Spanish (Grades 6-12)
Master of Arts. May, 2003	The University of Texas – Pan American	Major: Spanish Minor: Anthropology
Bachelor of Education. January, 1999	The University of Texas – Pan American	Secondary Education
Bachelor of Education. Secondary Education May, 1974	National Pedagogic Superior Institute. Lima – Peru	Biology and Chemistry Thesis: “Studies Related to Pedagogic Counseling”

## Professional Experience

- August 2011- Present **Spanish Teacher. Bellaire High School.** Houston Independent School District ( HISD). Houston, TX  
Teaching Spanish II, Spanish V, AP Spanish Literature, and International Baccalaureate Spanish Literature.
- June 2011 – Present **Part-time Online rater for Educational Testing Services Language Others Than English ( LOTE) Spanish,** Houston, Texas
- August 2008– Present **Adjunct Instructor for the World Languages Department, Houston Community College,** Houston, Texas  
Teaching Dual Credit Spanish, Spanish 1300, and Spanish 1411
- October, 2006 –July 2011 **Spanish Teacher. B.T. Washington High School and The High School for the Engineering Professions.** Houston Independent School District (HISD), Houston, Texas
- Teaching various skill levels of Spanish, including: Spanish I, Spanish II, Spanish III, AP Spanish Language and Dual Credit Spanish.

June 15 - 19, 2010 **Research Panel Member: AP Spanish College Board AP Spanish Language 2010 Conference.** Cincinnati, Ohio

August, 2005 – December 2007 **Adjunct Professor, World Languages Department South Texas College.** McAllen, Texas

Taught three intermediate level classes in “Spanish 2313”.

August, 2003 – May 2004 **Adjunct Professor, Modern Languages Department, The University of Texas- Pan American,** Edinburg, Texas

Taught three classes in “Spanish for Native Speakers.”

March, 1982 – July, 1983 **High School teacher, Science Department, CEP Rosa de América,** Lima, Perú

Taught Chemistry for eleventh and twelfth grades.

Director of the Sciences Laboratory

March, 1981 - December 1981 **High School Teacher, Science Department CEP Sagrados Corazones de Sophianum** Lima, Perú

Taught Chemistry for eleventh and twelfth grades

Assistant for Discipline Director

March, 1980 – December 1980 **High School Teacher, Science Department, CEP FAP Jose Quiñonez,** Lima, Perú

Taught Biology and Natural Sciences for ninth, tenth and eleventh grades

March, 1976 – December 1979 **High School Teacher, Science Department, CEP Villa Teresa,** Lima, Perú

Taught Natural Sciences and Chemistry for ninth to twelfth grades

## **Presentations**

“La búsqueda de la identidad Cultural y Feminista de Dolores Prida.” Spanish Colloquium in Border and literature Studies, April, 2004, University of Texas Pan American. Edinburg, Texas.

“Hidden Treasures in Mexican-American Folktales.” Mexican –American Sustainable Development in the Rio Bravo/Rio Grande Borderlands. April, 2004. Texas

A&M University, Kingsville, Texas.

“Dolores Prida’s Feminist Rethoric in *Beautiful Senioritas*.” Association of Hispanic and Latino Studies Conference. February, 2002. Houston, Texas.

“Dolores Prida’s feminist Rethoric in *Beautiful Senioritas*. The XV International Symposium in Spanish. April, 2002. The University of Texas Pan American. Edinburg, Texas.

## **Graduate Student Activities**

Founding Member of ALEGRE (Asociacion Latina de Estudiantes Graduados de Español) Spring, 2001.

Cast member in the play: “El juez de los divorcios.” ACTUE (Asociacion Cultural de Teatro Universitario en Español). May, 2002.

Scenography assistant in the play: “La zapatera prodigiosa.” ACTUE (Asociacion Cultural de Teatro Universitario de Español). May, 1999.

## **Awards and Recognitions**

### Academic

Member, by election, of the UTPA Chapter  
Honor Society Phi Kappa Phi  
March, 2003.

Dean’s Certificate of Excellence. College of Arts and Humanities.  
The University of Texas - Pan American  
May, 1999.

### Community

Reach Out to Dropouts Certificate of Appreciation  
Houston Independent School District  
September, 2007.

Parent Training Program Certification  
South Texas ISD  
October – November, 2004.

Voluntary Service Award  
McAllen Independent School District during five years.