

Judith Gonzalez Ruvalcaba | Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

2017	EdD	Nursing Education	University of West Georgia
2008	MSN	Nursing Education	California State University
1992	BSN	Registered Nursing	University of West Florida
1987	ASN	Registered Nursing	Rancho Santiago College
1984	LVN	Vocational Nursing	Pacific Coast College

LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION

2008-present	RN 190450- Registered Nurse, State of Georgia
1988-present	RN 423947- Registered Nurse, State of California
2008-present	AHA BSL instructor

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

08/2017-present:	Assistant Professor	University of West Georgia, Ga
08/2010-05/2017:	Clinical Instructor and Peer Tutor Coordinator	Clayton State University, Ga.
07/2008-09/2013:	Healthcare Educator	Piedmont Newnan Hospital, Ga.
11/04- 06/2007:	Competent Professional Authority	WIC Overseas Okinawa, Japan
08/02-05/03:	Associate Faculty	Mira Costa College, Ca.
11/00-06/03:	RN II	Tri City Medical Center, Ca.
11/99-08/00:	Clinic RN.	Naval Health Clinic Quantico, Va.
05/92 - 03/98:	Clinical Nurse III	Tri City Medical Center, Ca.
08/90 - 04/92:	Staff Nurse	West Florida Medical Center, Fl.
02/90 - 08/90:	Staff Nurse	Sacred Heart Hospital
02/88 - 08/89:	Clinical Nurse II	UCI Medical Center, Ca
02/85 - 01/88:	Staff LVN	PH Convalescent Hospital, Ca.

PRESENTATIONS

International

Ruvalcaba, J.; Capponi, N. (2015, May). *Caring competencies in the distance learning environment.*

International Association of Human Caring Conference, New Orleans, LA.

National

Ruvalcaba, J., Lane, B., Odom, S. E. (2012, July). *Keeping nursing students in school with a peer tutoring program.*

National Association of Hispanic Nurses Conference, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Capponi, N., Ruvalcaba, J., Tanner, D. (2016, May). *The use of an organized peer mentoring program*

in nursing education. Midwest Nurse Educator Update, Overland Park, Kansas.

State

Ruvalcaba, J. (2017, February). *ESL nursing students' perception of staff nurse incivility: A research proposal.*

Georgia Association for Nursing Education, Jekyll Island, Ga

Ruvalcaba, J. (2015, February). *The use of research-based strategies and adult learning principles to teach pain*

assessment and management. Georgia Association for Nursing Education, Lake Lanier, Ga.

Ruvalcaba, J.; Walters, C. (2013, February) *Study abroad- Guadalajara, Mexico.* Georgia Association for Nursing

Education, Peachtree City, Ga.

Ruvalcaba, J., Lane, B., Odom, S. E. (2012, April). *Peer tutoring.* USG Teaching and Learning Conference:

Best Practices for Promoting Engaged Student Learning, Helen, Ga.

Local

Ruvalcaba, J. (2017, March). *ESL nursing students' perception of staff nurse incivility.* Dissertation defense,

University of West Georgia, Carrollton, Ga.

Ruvalcaba, J. (2014, August). *The use of research-based strategies and adult learning principles to teach pain*

assessment & management., University of West Georgia, Carrollton, Ga.

HONORS AND AWARDS

1995 *Nurse of the Year* for Transitional Care Unit
Tri City Medical Center, Oceanside, Ca.

2017 Finalist, President *Making Things Better* Award
Clayton State University, Morrow, Ga.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

February 2016 - present: National League for Nursing: member

May 2015 - 2016: International Association of Human Caring: member

August 2014 - present: Georgia Association of Nurse Educators: member
January 2011 - July 2013: National Association of Hispanic Nurses: Georgia Chapter president
October 2010 - present: Transcultural Nursing Society: member
August 2010 - August 2013: National Association of Hispanic Nurses: member

INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE

University of West Georgia THSSON

2017-present: Graduate Program Committee
2017-present: Undergraduate Program Committee

Clayton State University:

2015- 2017 University Curriculum Committee member
2013-2015 Honors Program Committee member

CSU School of Nursing

2016-2017 Faculty Development Committee Chair
2015-2017 Student Support Ad hoc Committee Chair
2012-2015 New Student Orientation Committee member
2011-2017 Admissions and Progressions Committee member
2011-2017 RN-BSN program Committee member
2010-2016 Clinical Coordinator Committee member

PROFESSIONAL GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT

Quality Matters: Designing Your Online Course	Summer 2017
EdD degree completion	Spring 2017
ESL nursing students' perception of staff nurse incivility: A research proposal	Spring 2017
Nursing CAS 3.0	Summer 2015
The Enduring Spirit of Caring	Spring 2015
Excellence and Innovation in Nursing Education	Spring 2015
Muevete USA™ project (Let's Move Campaign)	Fall 2014