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## **ACADEMIC BACKGROUND**

*Texas A&M University, College Station, TX*

Degree PhD, 2021

Specialization Educational Psychology (Bilingual Ed)

Dissertation Title: Examining Professional Development Offerings for In-Service Teachers of English Language Learners: A Content Analysis

Advisor: Dr. Yolanda Padron

*Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX*

Degree M.S., 2007

Specialization Bilingual Education

## **RESEARCH SPECIALIZATIONS**

Language Education Policy

Teacher Preparation

Teacher Professional Development

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Refereed Journal Articles**

**Summers, Y. S.** (2016). Using Speaking in Tongues as a Tool for Building Pre-service ESL Teachers' Dispositions. *TESOL Journal*, 7: 759–761. doi:10.1002/tesj.277

### **Book Reviews**

**Summers, Y.S.** (2015, December). Review of the Trouble with SIOP. *TEIS News: The Newsletter of the Teacher Education Interest Section*.

### **Invited Publications**

**Summers, Y. S.** (2016, December). The Need for Transformative Leadership in the ESOL Arena. *The Fourth Estate: Reflections on ESOL Leadership, Winter Issue (32) 4*, 22-23.

### Book Chapters

**Summers, Y.S.** (2018). Houston, We Have a Problem: A Document Analyses of PD Training Offered to In-Service Teachers Through Regional Service Center, District Website and Local ESL Organization in Harrison, K.M., Sadiku, M., & Tochon, F.V. (2018). *Displacement Planet Earth: Plurilingual Education and Identity for 21st Century Schools*. Blue Mounds, WI (USA): Deep University Press.

**Summers, Y.S.** (in press). Ph.D. Pursuit: A Doctoral Mother's Journey to Graduation in H. Kayi-Aydar & K. Shea (EDs.), *Narratives of TESOL Professionals: Navigating the Doctoral Program*. Information Age Publishing.

**Summers, Y. S.** (in review). Examining Professional Development and Support for In-Service Teachers of English Language Learners: Systematic Review of Literature in J. Miller. & B. Grillman (Eds.), *Mentoring and Reflective Teachers in ESOL and Bilingual Education*. IGI Global

### RECENT PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES

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**Summers, Y.S.** (2023). *Ph.D. Pursuit: A Doctoral Mother's Journey to Graduation*. The Biannual Research Colloquium, Aspen University and USU.

**Summers, Y.S. & Olesova L.A.** (2019). *Creating Opportunities for Collaboration: What We Learned from This Experience*. TESOL International Convention 2019, Atlanta, GA

**Summers, Y.S. & Monceaux A.** (2018). *ELL Advocacy in Professional Organizations*. TESOL International Convention 2018, Chicago, IL

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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#### Higher Education Experiences

<b>Adjunct Professor of Education and Faculty Course Lead</b>	2020- Present
<i>College of Education, United States University</i>	
Teaching and developing graduate level teacher education courses in an online modality; serve as the course lead for <i>EDU 698 Educational Research in Action</i> course	

<b>Online Adjunct Faculty</b>	2016-Present
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Teacher Preparation program

*College of Education, University of Arizona Global*

Teaching and developing teacher preparation courses in an online modality.

### **Bilingual/ESL Education Lecturer**

Teacher Education and Administration,

2010-2016

*College of Education, University of North Texas*

Teaching and developing teacher preparation courses, TESOL program accreditation, student advising, mentoring, grants and service

## **K-12 Experiences**

### **Education Consultant**

2020-current

Teacher professional development; course development; certification workshops

### **Online ESL Teacher**

2019 -current

*VIP KID, a Chinese-based company*

Teaching Chinese students how to speak English in an online platform

### **Bilingual/ESL Master Teacher and CILT**

*Dallas Independent School District, Texas*

2002-2010

Taught in Dallas ISD K-5 public schools, master teacher, also served on Campus Instructional Leadership Team for Reading and Math, teacher PD, school parental involvement coordinator, served on LPAC (Language Proficiency Assessment Committee) and SBDM (Site Based Decision Management) committee

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

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**Coordinator,** My TESOL Lounge

2020-2022

**President,** TexTESOL IV

2019-2020

**Advisor,** UNT Bilingual Education Student Organization

2012- 2017

**Treasurer,** TexTESOL V; TexTESOL IV

2014-2019

**Newsletter Editor,** AERA Vocabulary SIG

2015-2018

## **TEACHING LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION**

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### **Texas**

English as a Second Language (Grades EC-12)

Generalist (Grades EC-4)

Bilingual Education Supplemental-Spanish (EC-4)

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Gifted & Talented Supplemental (EC-12)  
 English Language Arts and Reading/Social Studies (4-8)  
 Principal Certification (EC-12)

### **National/International**

TESOL ELT Leadership Certificate

Instructor Presence Certificate

ACUE Certificate of Effective Teaching Practices

### **CONSULTANCY**

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| June 2-19, 2016 | Conducted a 2-week EFL Yakut TESOL teacher professional development during summer 2016, keynote speaker at the Yakut TESOL Conference, June 2016 English teacher training for 80 EFL teachers.   |
| March 2019      | Designed a 120-Hour Online TEFL International Certificate program for EFL teachers in China for Alamo Community College.   |
| July 2019       | Designed 3 Intensive Online 65-Hour English language courses for EFL Teachers in China for Alamo Community College.  |
| October 2019    | Designed and conducted 2 modules of English Teacher Training for UNDP Horizon project, 28-day field mission, English teacher training in Abkhazia, trained 113 EFL teachers on the new teaching approaches. Topics of sessions included: graphic organizers, CEFR language proficiencies, Bloom's taxonomy, teaching with technology, writing rubrics, etc. Networking and exchange of ideas with many teachers continued after the training via social media platforms. |
| June 2020       | Designed and conducted an Online English Teacher Training for UNDP Horizon project, remote English teacher training in Abkhazia, trained 40 teachers from 7 regions on using technology, online teaching, assessing listening, speaking, reading, and writing, and use of visual literacy in teaching of English. Established a platform for continued support and communication.  |
| August 2020     | Developed SLA Master's (Second Language Acquisition) course for DESU, USA  |
| September 2020  | Developed Educational Linguistics course for Naropa University, Boulder, USA   |
| November 2020   | Conducted a 2-hour workshop about critical thinking for 26 MENA (Middle East North Africa) region teachers, sponsored by TIEC (Texas International Education Consortium) and the US Department of State.   |

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April 2021      Developed Master's Linguistics course for United States University

## COMMUNITY

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2014- 2021      My involvement included coordinating an annual state conference sponsored by TexTESOL where I served as President-Elect, President, and Past-President.

2007- 2017      Bilingual/ESL Certification, helping Regular Ed teachers and pre-service teachers obtain bilingual and ESL certification, TOPT, BTLPT, ESL free workshops

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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2003              1<sup>st</sup> Place All-District Dallas ISD Science & Math MAST Fair *Harrell Budd Elementary, Dallas ISD*

2006-2010      Master Teacher, Dallas ISD

2009              Team of Record-Breaking Performance in Reading 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade *San Jacinto Elementary, Dallas ISD*

2010              Excellence in Education Award in Recognition of 100% in TAKS Reading *San Jacinto Elementary, Dallas ISD*

2014              Honors Day 2014 UNT, a student nomination, I was selected as a source of support and inspiration for ESL certification student

## PERSONAL SKILLS

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Reliable professional, collaborator, communicator, advocate for students, teachers and families, multilingual, extensive experience in leading non-profit educational organizations, meeting deadlines and successfully completing projects, transformative leader, impact-driven, lifelong learner

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