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**EDUCATION**

Doctor of Education (Ed.D) with majors in Organizational and Higher Education Leadership (2011)  
Dissertation Title: The Experiences of Hispanic Women While Completing a Graduate Degree in the US  
Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida

Master of Science in TESOL (Teaching English-As-A-Second Language) (2007)  
Carlos Albizu University, Doral, Florida

Master of Science in Mental Health Counseling (1992)  
Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida

Bachelor of Arts in Psychology (1990)  
Florida International University, Miami, Florida

Associate of Arts in Liberal Studies (1988)  
Miami-Dade Community College, Miami, Florida

**EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE**

January 1999 to present Director of Master's Programs and Professor  
Carlos Albizu University - Miami Campus  
Formerly known as Miami Institute of Psychology

Provide leadership, long range planning, direction, and administration of the Master's Programs. Prepare and manage the annual budget. Assess programs' needs and develop adequate outreach plans. Implement student services to increase retention. Supervise and evaluate the performance of the faculty and staff. Review course/professor student evaluations with faculty each academic session. Select new students, provide academic advisement, and supervise practicum students' performance Monitor the Practicum Coordinators' functions. Teach graduate level psychology courses and clinical practicum seminars as needed. Create, market, and present professional continuing education seminars. Prepare and administer the Comprehensive Examination. Serve on university's committees. Engage in curriculum development and revision of programs university-wide. Submit annual program and other reports as required by the university and/or accrediting agencies.

November 1997-present Mental Health Counseling Private Practice

Provide psychotherapy services to individuals, adolescents, families, and couples.

August 1997-December 1998 Assistant Professor and Practicum Coordinator  
Master's Programs - Miami Institute of Psychology

Taught graduate level psychology courses and clinical practicum seminars. Supervised students' practicum

experience and served as liaison to practicum sites. Conducted admission interviews and selected students. Provided academic advisement to students and supervised adjunct faculty. Participated in institutional committees. Assisted the Program Director.

November 1992-August 1997

Mental Health Counselor.  
Catholic Family Services (Catholic Charities), South Dade

Provided individual, family, adolescent, children, and marital counseling. Conducted need assessment interviews and crisis intervention. Supervised Master's level students during their clinical internships. Special Assignment 1992-1993: Delivered emergency counseling and disaster relief services to victims of Hurricane Andrew in the South Miami-Dade area.

January 1991-August 1997

Adjunct Faculty - International Students Department  
Miami Dade Community College, Kendall Campus.

Taught a variety of subjects in the English-As-A-Second Language Program, designed tests, selected supplementary class materials, and advised students.

### **PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS**

Barroso, D. (2013) "Challenges Women Face Today in the United States". Participant in moderated roundtable discussion with Barron, I., Brady, D, and Den Bergh, N. at the 2013 Miami Symposium on What Lacan Knew About Women cosponsored by the World Association of Psychoanalysis, the New Lacanian School of Miami, and Universite Jacques Lacan.

Barroso, D. (2013) "Minority Students in Higher Education: An Investment in America's Diverse Workforce" Oral presentation and publication in the refereed conference proceedings at the 2013 Clute Institute Key West International Education Conference.

Barroso, D., Barron, I., Diaz, T., & DiDona, T. (2013). "Florida Laws and Rules for Chapter 491 Licensure" Presented at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D., Barron, I., Diaz, T., DiDona, T., & Heyden, E. (2012). "Florida Laws and Rules for Chapter 491 Licensure" Presented twice at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D., Barron, I., Diaz, T., DiDona, T., & Heyden, E. (2011). "Florida Laws and Rules for Chapter 491 Licensure" Presented twice at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D., Barron, I., Diaz, T., DiDona, T., & Heyden, E. (2010). "Florida Laws and Rules for Chapter 491 Licensure" Presented twice at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D., Barron, I., Diaz, T., DiDona, T., & Heyden, E. (2009). "Florida Laws and Rules for Chapter 491 Licensure" Presented twice at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D., Barron, Diaz, T., Heyden, E., & Gonzalez, M. (2008). "Clinical Supervision: Process and Practice" Presented at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D., Barron, I., Diaz, T., & DiDona, T. (2008). "Florida Laws and Rules for Chapter 491 Licensure" Presented at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D., Barron, I., Diaz, T., & DiDona, T. (2007). "Florida Laws and Rules for Chapter 491 Licensure" Presented at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D., Barron, I., Diaz, T., Heyden, E., & Gonzalez, M. (2007). "Clinical Supervision: Process and Practice" Presented at Carlos Albizu University.

DiDona, T., Diaz, T., Barron, I., & Barroso, D. (2006). "Transcending Your Training: How to Lead Effectively within an Organization" Presented at the Annual Conference of the American Mental Health Counselors Association, St. Louis, Missouri.

Barroso, D., Barron, I., Diaz, T., & DiDona, T. (2006). "Florida Laws and Rules for Chapter 491 Licensure" Presented at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D., Barron, I., Diaz, T., & DiDona, T. (2005). "Florida Laws and Rules for Chapter 491 Licensure" Presented at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D., Barron, I., DiDona, T., & Santiago F. (2004). "Florida Laws and Rules for Chapter 491 Licensure" Presented at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D. (2003). "Empowering Young Latinas for Success" Keynote speaker for ASPIRA SOUTH's Young Latinas Annual Conference.

Barroso, D., Barron, I., & Santiago, F. (2003). "Florida Laws and Rules for Chapter 491 Licensure" Presented at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D. (2002). "Aiming To Thrive: Therapists' Self-Care" Presented for the Miami-Dade Marriage and Family Therapy Association Education Meeting.

Barroso, D., & Santiago, F. (2002). "Florida Laws and Rules for Chapter 491 Licensure" Presented at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D., Barron, I., Gonzalez, M., & Santiago, F. (2003). "Clinical Supervision: Process and Practice" Presented at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D. (2001). "Cross Cultural Considerations for Trauma Treatment" Presented for the South Florida Society for Trauma Based Disorders Annual Education Series.

Barroso, D., Sydnor, D., Gonzalez, M., Santiago, F., Wilson, K., & Etheart, M. (2000). "Clinical Supervision: Process and Practice" Presented twice at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D., & Santiago, F. (2000). "Florida Laws and Rules for Chapter 491 Licensure" Presented at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D., Sydnor, D., Gonzalez, M., & Santiago, F. (2001). "Clinical Supervision: Process and Practice" Presented at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D., & Santiago, F. (2001). "Florida Laws and Rules for Chapter 491 Licensure" Presented at Carlos Albizu University.

Barroso, D., Sydnor, D., Gonzalez, M., Santiago, F., & Wilson, K. (1999). "Clinical Supervision: Process and Practice" Presented twice at Miami Institute of Psychology.

Barroso, D., & Santiago, F. (1999). "Florida Laws and Rules for Chapter 491 Licensure" Presented at the Miami Institute of Psychology.

## **PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS**

Carlos Albizu University Outstanding Director of the Year 2005-2006

Carlos Albizu University Distinguished Faculty of the Year Award 2004

Dade Association of Marriage and Family Therapists Professional Community Service Award 2002

Who's Who Among International Professionals 1999-2000

Miami Institute of Psychology Recognition of Excellence Master's Programs Faculty Award 1998

## **INTERNSHIPS**

January 1992-August 1992                      Counselor Intern-Catholic Family Services, Miami, Florida

Provided crisis intervention and counseling services to individuals, adolescents, families, and couples under clinical supervision at the agency's main location and outreach centers.

1991    Outreach Program - Vitas Healthcare Corp., Miami, Florida

Provided emotional support as a volunteer to home bound and hospitalized AIDS patients and their significant others.

Summer 1989                                      Guidance Center Counselor Intern-Academy for Community Education, an alternative school for youth at risk of dropping out. Coral Gables, Florida

Assisted the Dean of Students in counseling students and developing behavioral contracts to address their emotional issues and improve their school performance.

Fall 1989    Research Assistant-Infant Learning Laboratory  
Florida International University

Recruited participants for studies the Infant Lab and provided orientation services to parents. Assisted with research design implementation and data collection.

## **ACADEMIC HONORS**

National Hispanic Scholarship Fund Scholar 1990-1991, 1991-1992

National Dean's List 1986-1987, 1989-1990, 1990-1991

Graduated with High Honors from FIU

FIU Dean's List Fall 1988, Summer 1989, Fall 1989, Spring 1990

National Psychology Honor Society Psi Chi Member

Graduated with Honors from MDCC  
National Honorary Scholastic Fraternity for Community Colleges Phi Theta Kappa Member  
Talent Roster Certificate of Achievement of the Two-Year American Colleges 1987  
MDCC Emphasis on Excellence Certificate of Achievement 1986  
Emphasis on Excellence William L. McKnight Scholarship recipient 1986-1987

### **LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION**

Licensed Mental Health Counselor, State of Florida  
Board Approved Qualified Supervisor for Mental Health Counseling & Marriage and Family Therapy

### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

Member of the Association for the Study of Higher Education  
Member of the American Mental Health Counselors & Florida Mental Health Counselors Associations  
Member of the South Florida Society for Trauma-Based Disorders  
Member of the Florida Counseling Association

### **LANGUAGES**

Fluent in Spanish  
Proficient in French

### **REFERENCES**

Furnished upon request