

RAÚL RUIZ CECILIA, PhD

EDUCATION

- BA in English Studies (2000)
- BA in Teacher Training (2014)
- BA in Anthropology (2013)
- MA in Teaching Foreign Languages (2003)
- MA in Spanish Language (2015)
- Ph.D. in Applied Linguistics (2005)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Language Assistant, University of York (Toronto) and Toronto French School, October 2001 – June 2002

Lecturer (University of Granada, Department of Language and Literature Teaching): from October 2003 to July 2005.

Associate Professor (University of Granada, Department of Language and Literature Teaching): from July 2005 to November 2015.

Senior Lecturer (University of Granada, Department of Language and Literature Teaching): from November 2015 up-to-now.

Main courses taught: English as a Foreign Language (EFL); Phonetics; Narratives and the construction of identities (postgraduate); Children's Literature: anthropological and cultural issues (postgraduate)

His current fields of research are:

- The training of Language teachers
- Reading in a Foreign Language
- Multicultural Literature
- Teaching and Learning Foreign Languages
- Gender studies
- Foreign languages and social justice

RESEARCH PROJECTS:

- *APT- Appraisal of Potential for Teaching* (2004-2007); Comenius Project 2.1. 112438-CP-1-2003-DE-Comenius-C-211
- *Pan European Task Activities for Language Learning, PETALL* (2013-2016). LLP European Project. 530863-LLP-2012-NL-KA2-KA2MP
- *Implementing a model based on self-awareness, the teacher's identity and existential competence in the training of FL teachers*. Innovation and Research Project funded by the Spanish Ministry of Education. SEJ2007-62329 (I+D+I). MICINN. 01/10/2007 – 30/12/2010
- *Study on Language Teachers' wellbeing when facing with plurilingualism and multicultural issues in the classrooms*. Innovation and Research Project funded by the Spanish Ministry of Education. EDU2013-44890-P (I+D+I). 01/01/2015 – 31/12/2017