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EDUCATION

- 2015 Doctor of Education, Curriculum and Instruction**, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
Concentration: *Educational Technology*
Dissertation Title: Exploring how cultural differences impact participation in online discussions
- 2007 Master of Science, Mass Communication**, Florida International University, Miami, FL
- 2004 Master of Arts, Education**, Northwestern State University of Louisiana, Natchitoches, LA
- 2002 Bachelor of Arts, English**, Northwestern State University of Louisiana, Natchitoches, LA

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2008 - Present Associate Teaching Professor & Research Faculty Affiliate, Department of Communication & Journalism**
Florida International University, Miami, FL
- 2006 -2008 Coordinator, Education Media/Communication, University Technology Services**
Florida International University, Miami, FL
- 2005 – 2006 Instructional Designer/E-Consultant, FIU Online**
Florida International University, Miami, FL
- 1999-2008 Instructor and Designer, Tele-Learning & Louisiana Virtual School**
Louisiana School for Math, Science and the Arts, Natchitoches, LA
- 1996-1999 Primary School Teacher**
Instituto Santa Ana, Buenos Aires, Argentina

PUBLICATIONS

Peer Reviewed Articles

Marino, M.I., Villar, M.E., & Rodriguez, J. (under review). Comunicación y COVID-19: la pandemia a través de Twitter en Latinoamérica. Un vistazo general. *Avatares de la Comunicación y la Salud*.

Bilge, N., **Marino, M. I.**, & Villar, M. E. (under review). Multiculturalism and Intercultural Communication on a Hispanic Majority Campus. *Journal of Intercultural Education*

Marino, M.I., Adogba, O., & Tilli, N. (2020). Mental Health Interventions: Reflections on a radio program as alternative for stigma reduction and social integration. *Frontiers in Communication*. doi: 10.3389/fcomm.2020.550912

Bilge, N., **Marino, M. I.**, & Webb, L. M. (accepted with minor revisions). Distilling the Definitions of Ethnicity in Communication Scholarship: Wading into the Quagmire. *Howard Journal of Communications*.

Marino, M. I., Bilge, N., Gutsche, Jr., Holt, L. (2020). Who (and Where) is credible? Using Virtual Reality to examine credibility and bias of perceived race and ethnicity in urban and suburban environments. *Howard Journal of Communications*. doi: 10.1080/10646175.2020.1714514

Marino, M. E. (2017) Tweet for support, blog for peace. *Communication Teacher*, doi: 10.1080/17404622.2017.1400676.

Books and Book Chapters

Marino, M. I. & Bilge, N. (2018). New Media and Intercultural Communication: An Introduction. In N. Bilge & M. I. Marino (Eds.) *Reconceptualizing New Media and Intercultural Communication in a Networked Society*, Hershey, PA: IGI-Global. doi:10.4018/978-1-5225-3784-7

Marino, M. I. & Bilge, N. (2018). Future of New Media and Intercultural Communication. In N. Bilge & M. I. Marino (Eds.) *Reconceptualizing New Media and Intercultural Communication in a Networked Society*. Hershey, PA: IGI-Global. doi:10.4018/978-1-5225-3784-7

Other publications

Marino, M. I. (2018). *eTools: Using Trello in the Classroom* [White paper]. Retrieved November 1, 2019, from NCA eTools in the Classroom: https://www.natcom.org/sites/default/files/pages/eTools_Trello_July_2018.pdf

CONFERENCES & PANEL PRESENTATIONS

Marino, M. I., Bilge, N., Villar, M.E., & Adogba, O. (2020, October). "Stigma reduction against people with autism and other disabilities: a qualitative study." *Colloquium on Mental Health on College Campuses*, University of Toulouse, Toulouse, France.

Marino, M. I., Lois, I., & Vigon, M. (2020, October). "Communication strategies to reduce mental health stigma on campus." *Colloquium on Mental Health on College Campuses*, University of Toulouse, Toulouse, France.

Delgado, J., Villar, M.E., & **Marino, M.I.** (2020, October). "Internal crisis communication of universities during COVID: challenging or supporting mental health?" *Colloquium on Mental Health on College Campuses*, University of Toulouse, Toulouse, France.

Bilge, N., **Marino, M.I.**, & Villar, M. E. (2020, May). "Multiculturalism and Intercultural Communication on a Hispanic Majority Campus," Accepted for presentation at *International Communication Association*, Open Communication, to be held in Gold Coast, Australia*** *Cancelled due to COVID-19.* (**peer-reviewed)

Villar, M.I. & **Marino, M.I.** (2019, December). Study Abroad: Dealing with Anxiety and the Unknown, *Study Abroad Emergency Procedures Meeting*, Florida International University, Miami, FL.

Marino, M.I., Villar, M. E., & Bilge, N. (2019, October). Culture and Student Inclusion on Campus. *Colloquium on Mental Health on University Campuses: Current Issues and Challenges*, Florida International University, Miami, FL.

Villar, M.I. & **Marino, M.I.** (2019, October). Study Abroad: Dealing with Anxiety and the Unknown, [Poster Presentation], *Colloquium on Mental Health on College Campuses*, Florida International University, Miami, FL.

Bilge, N. & **Marino, M. I.** (2019, April). Food at the Intersections of Identity, Culture, and Intercultural Communication. Accepted for *Central States Communication Association*, Nebraska, U.S.A.

Bilge, N., **Marino, M. I.**, & Webb, L. (2018, November). Distilling the Definitions of Ethnicity in Communication Scholarship: Wading into the Quagmire. Accepted for top paper presentation at *National Communication Association*, Utah, USA. (**peer-reviewed, **awarded top paper**)

Marino, M. I., Bilge, N., Gutsche, Jr., R. E., & Holt, L. (2018, May). "Who's the victim here?" Analyzing the difference suspect and onlooker characteristics make in perceptions of crime in the (virtual) world. Accepted for presentation at *International Communication Association*, Prague, Czech Republic. (**peer-reviewed)

Marino, M. I., Bilge, N., Gutsche, Jr., R. E., & Holt, L. (2017, November). Creating (and examining) immersive environments in virtual reality. *Medios y Sociedad Conference*, Buenos Aires, Argentina. (**peer-reviewed)

Bilge, N. H., **Marino, M. I.**, Villar, M. E., & Vigon, M. M. (2017, March). Mapping Miami's Intercultural Climate, [Poster Presentation], Research Retreat, *CARTA*, Florida International University, Miami, FL.

Marino, M. I. (2016, July). Exploring how cultural differences impact online discussions, *Educational Technology World Conference*, Bali, Indonesia. (*cancelled, **peer-reviewed*)

Marino, M. I. (2016, April). Analyzing Online Texts and Images. *Southern States Communication Association Conference*, Austin, Texas.

Marino, M. I. (2014, October). Online Discussions in Global Courses, *FIU Global Learning Conference*, Miami, FL.

Marino, M. I. (2010, February - November). Public speaking and Employment Skills for Professionals, Sweetwater Community Project & School of Business Project, *Department of Communication Community Initiatives*, Florida International University, Miami, FL.

Marino, M. I. (2008, April). Speech Communication for Leaders, *Leading Decisions Conference*, FIU Center for Leadership, Miami, FL.

Marino, M. I. (2007, March). Building an Online Learning Community in CE 6, *FIU e-Learning Conference*, FL.

Marino, M. I. (2007, March). New Assignments & Assessments Tools in CE 6, *FIU e-Learning Conference*, FL.

GRANTS

- 2020 (Submitted) Andrew W. Mellon Just Futures Initiatives
- 2020 (Submitted) William T. Grant Foundation
- 2020 (Awarded) Provost-WPHL Humanities Research Grant for 2020-2021
- 2020 (Awarded) CIBER funding for Nonverbal Communication for Business COIL Course
- 2020 (Submitted) Ford Foundation Idea Submission
- 2020 (Submitted) Fulbright Scholar (Research) Program
- 2019 (Submitted) Knight Arts Challenge Grant, *Knight Foundation*
- 2018 (Submitted) *Dance as Intercultural Expression: Promoting Intercultural Communication and Integration*, National Endowment of the Humanities
- 2018 (Submitted) *Understanding the Immigrant's Journey of Acculturation Through Tango: Reconnecting with the Roots, empathizing with the lost emotions of "Desarraigo" (uproot), and building with "the Other" from differences*, National Endowment of the Humanities
- 2018 (Submitted) *Undergraduate Students as Researchers in Non-Verbal Communication Class*, Global Learning Research Fellowships committee
- 2018 (Submitted) *Culture of Health Leaders*, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation
- 2017 (Funded Project) Research partner of grant *Stigma reduction and language choice regarding people with developmental disabilities*, FIU Embrace
- 2017 (Awarded) *Distress and Illnesses: Working Towards Reducing Clinical Errors by Improving Intercultural Competence in Health Care Practitioner-Patient Interactions*, Interdisciplinary Seed Grant, FIU
- 2016 (Awarded) *Mapping Miami's Intercultural Climate*, Interdisciplinary Seed Grant, FIU
- 2016 (Awarded) *Internship Program Training Course*, Teaching Innovation Grant

ACADEMIC SERVICE

- 2020 CARTA Assembly Committee on Faculty Hiring, Retention and Promotion
- 2019-pres Research Faculty Affiliate of Steven Cruz Institute for Science, Media + Technology (<https://carta.fiu.edu/cruzinstitute/>), Florida International University
- 2019-pres Member of Steering Committee, USA Chapter, International Consortium on *Mental Health on University Campuses*, FIU-Toulouse University, <https://mental-health-on-campus.org/en/>
- 2013-2020 Coordinator of *Communication Arts Internships Program (CAIP)*, Department of Communication, FIU.
- 2017-pres Co-director and instructor of *Study Abroad in Toulouse (France) program*, Department of Communication, FIU
- 2019 Co-coordinator of international seminar at FIU "*Mental Health on University Campuses: Current Issues and Challenges*" <https://communication.fiu.edu/fiu-utlc-colloquium/>

- Fall 2019 Co-coordinator and co-designer of *COM4930: Introduction to XR/VR* (Fall 2019), Department of Communication, FIU
- 2017-Cont' Coordinator and designer of fully online and hybrid *Non-verbal Communication Course COM3404* – Redesign and update periodically, Department of Communication, FIU
- 2017-2018 Virtual Reality Lab Coordinator, Department of Communication and Journalism, FIU
- 2017-2018 Chair of Search Committee for Instructor position, Department of Communication, FIU
- 2016-2016 Member of Search Committee for Instructor position, Department of Communication, FIU
- 2016 Coordinator of *LATAM (Latin American) Healthcare Journalism Reporting Training Course*, Department of Communication Collaborative Initiative, FIU
- 2015-2016 Designer and instructor of *COM3150 Advanced Business Communication* hybrid course, Department of Communication, FIU
- 2013-2014 Coordinator of scholarships, Department of Communication, FIU
- 2013-2015 Co-Chair of Search Committees for Assistant Professor, Department of Communication, FIU
- 2010-2011 Member of Search Committee for Assistant Professor, Department of Communication, FIU
- 2010-2011 Judge of Department of Communication Arts Speak-Off annual event, Department of Communication, FIU
- 2010-2011 Coordinator and presenter of a variety of workshops on *Resume Building and Interview Skills* for Sweetwater Project, Department of Communication, FIU
- 2008-2009 Developer and designer of *Faculty Resources Online Course* at Department of Communication, FIU

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT & WORKSHOPS

- 2020 QM/ HQ Certification, COM3404 non-verbal communication, FIU Online, FIU
- 2020 COIL Certification Course (Collaborative Online International Learning), FIU
- 2020 Remote Teach Ready (FIU Verified Achievement), FIU
- 2019 CARTA Faculty Grant Writing Workshop, Miami Beach Urban Studios, FIU
- 2018 Virtual Reality Workshop, Department of Communication, BBC, FIU
- 2018 COIL (Collaborative Online International Learning) Certification Course, FIU
- 2017 Faculty Research Retreat, Kampong National Tropical Botanical Garden, CARTA, FIU
- 2017 Certified Hybrid Instructor, FIU
- 2016 Faculty Mentor Program workshop and panel on Grant Writing in the Humanities, MMC, FIU
- 2015 Pilot Program for Hybrid Teaching, Hybrid Certification Workshop, FIU
- 2014 COIL (Collaborative Online International Learning) Certification Course, FIU

COURSES TAUGHT

- COM3404 Non-verbal Communication
- IDS3336 Artistic Expression
- COM3110 Business and Professional Communication
- COM3150 Adv. Business and Professional Communication
- COM3461 Intercultural/international Communication
- COM4900 Directed Individual Study in Communication Arts
- SPC2608 Public Speaking
- SPC3602 Adv. Public Speaking
- SPC5066 Presentation Skills for Architects (graduate class)
- COM4940 Internship in Communication Arts
- SPC3425 Small Group Communication
- SPC3301 Interpersonal Communication
- SPC3711 Gender and Communication
- COM3230 Crisis Communication
- COM3120 Communication Theory