

Education

Doctorate of Philosophy, University of Texas at El Paso, Teaching, Learning & Culture, Mathematics Education

Dissertation: Complexity of Affective Disposition and Reflective Transphenomenality: An Exploratory Study of Middle School Mathematics Teacher and Student Self-Positioning and Positioning-by-Others toward Mathematics, Mathematics Teaching, and Learning

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Teacher Preparation, University of Texas at El Paso. Concentration: Secondary Education and Special Education

Masters of Arts, Public Administration, University of New Mexico Concentration: Public Health and Personnel

Bachelors of Arts, Sociology and Social Work, New Mexico State University, Concentration:
Juvenile & Adult Protective Services and Adolescent Behavior Problems

Certifications/Professional Development

Specialized Content Knowledge (SCK) Institute: University of Michigan. 2016.

4- 8 Texas Teaching Certificate, Mathematics

4-8 Texas Teaching Certificate, Language Arts

K- 12 Texas Teaching Certificate, Special Education

Gifted and Talented Certificate

Certified SIM Professional Staff Developer, University of Kansas-Center for Research and Learning

Higher Education Courses Taught

Secondary, Middle & Elementary Mathematics Methods, Secondary Science Methods, Secondary General Methods, Secondary Curriculum & Lesson Planning, Educational Technology, Teaching Math/Dual Language Classroom, Secondary & Middle Teaching Internships, Independent Studies, Honors Contracts, and Certification Review Sessions

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Positions Held

- **Assistant Professor,** Practice (Clinical), Teacher Education Department, University of Texas at El Paso, El Paso, Texas. Fall 2014—Present
- **Lecturer**, Elementary and Secondary Mathematics Methods, Teacher Education Department, University of Texas at El Paso, El Paso, Texas. Spring 2011—May 2014
- **Administrator**, Campus Support, Evaluator, and Benchmark Specialist II, Curriculum & Instruction, Accountability, El Paso Independent School District, El Paso, Texas. June 2010-August 2014
- Instructional Math Coach and Classroom Teacher, 6-8 Mathematics. El Paso ISD, El Paso, Texas, 1991-2010
- **Special Education**, Site Specialist, Transition Specialist and Classroom Teacher. 6-12, El Paso ISD, 1991-2010

Publications

- Lynch Arroyo, R. L. & Tchoshanov, M. (in draft, 2017). Math is Beautifully Intimidating: Conflict between Teacher Affective Self-Reported Disposition and Observed Positioning-by-Others
- Lynch-Arroyo, R. L. & Asing-Cashman, J. (2017). Integrating Edutainment to Reinforce Mathematical Learning: Pedagogic Intention of Pre-Service Secondary Mathematics Students. Society for Information Technology & Teacher Education International Conference 2017 (Mar 05, 2017) pp. 1960–1967
- Lynch-Arroyo, R.L. & Asing-Cashman, J. (2016). Using Edutainment to Facilitate Mathematical Thinking and Learning: An Exploratory Study. Journal of Mathematics Education. December 2016. 9:2 (pp. 37-52).
- Lynch Arroyo, R. L. & Tchoshanov, M. (2014). Sage and Thyme: Cases of Teacher Affective Disposition Through the Lens of Reflective Transphenomenality. In Proceedings of the 41th Annual Meeting of the Research Council on Mathematics Learning 2014 (pp. 72-79).
- Lynch Arroyo, R., McDermott, B. & Tchoshanov, M. (2012). Assessing Pre-Service Elementary Teachers Disposition toward Mathematics Using Open-Ended Metaphor. In Van Zoest, L.R., Lo, J.-J., Kratky, J.L. (Eds.), Proceedings of the 34th Annual Meeting of the North American Chapter of the International Group for the Psychology of Mathematics Education. Kalamazoo, Michigan: Western Michigan University (pp. 598-692).
- Lynch Arroyo, R., & Lucero, L. (2012, March). Enabling Mathematical Voices through Instructional Technology Integration. In Society for Information Technology & Teacher Education International Conference (Vol. 2012, No. 1, pp. 1559-1564).
- Arroyo, R. L., McDermott, B., & Tchoshanov, M. (2012). Pre-service elementary teachers' affective disposition toward mathematics. In V. Gabdulhakov (Ed.), Development of creative abilities of students: In the context of implementation of federal state educational standards of new generation (pp. 18-23). Kazan, Russia: The National Book Center

Fields of Research Interest

- Complexity Theory and Pre-Service Teacher Preparation and Disposition/Positioning Toward Mathematics, Mathematics Teaching and Mathematics Learning
- Teacher and Student Disposition and Positioning Toward Mathematics, Mathematics Teaching, and Mathematics Learning
- Pre-Service/In-Service Teacher Disposition and Positioning Toward Mathematics, Mathematics Teaching, and Mathematics Learning: Comparative US-Russian Study
- Disposition toward Mathematics and Gender: Contributions to the body of research of gender gap/equity in STEM education
- Exploration of the effects of technology integration on pedagogical approaches to teaching and content development.

Professional Organizations

Society for Integration of Technology in Education [SITE], Member
National Council of Teachers of Mathematics [NCTM], Member
Research Council of Mathematics Learning [RCML], Member
Association of Mathematics Teacher Educators [AMTE], Member

Conference Papers/Presentations

- Tillman, D., Lynch-Arroyo, R., & Juarez, M. (2017). Creating 21st-Century Instructional Technologies. Presented at the NMSU College of Education Inaugural Symposium: Re-Imagining the Future of Learning, Las Cruces, NM.
- Integrating Edutainment to Reinforce Mathematical Learning: Pedagogic Intention of PreService Secondary Mathematics Students, Co-Author, Full Paper. 2017 SITE.
- Dispositional Positioning in the Mathematics Equation: The Gender Variable, Co-Presenter Round Table Discussion. 2017 AERA.
- An Exploratory Study: Using Edutainment to Facilitate Mathematical Thinking and Learning. Co-Presenter Poster Session. 2017 AERA.
- Mathematical Positioning Shift: The Gender Factor in the Disposition Equation. Co-Presenter Research Burst Session. 2016 NCTM Regional Conference.
- Dynamic Positioning: Pedagogical Strategies Developed by Pre-Service Secondary Mathematics Teachers . Co-Presenter Research Burst Session. 2016 NCTM Regional Conference.
- Learn Quadratics with Mario and Angry Birds. Co-Presenter Workshop. 2016 Region XIX Mini-Cast Conference.

Conference Papers/Presentations

- The Gender Variable: Mathematical Positioning Shift in the Disposition Equation , Co-Presenter, 2016 Sun Conference University of Texas at El Paso
- Emphasizing TPCK Positioning in Methods Courses for Pre-Service Secondary Mathematics Teachers, Poster Session Co-Presenter, AMTE 2016 Annual Conference, Irvine, California
- The Gender Variable: Mathematical Positioning Shift in the Disposition Equation. Co-Presenter, 2016 SUN Conference, University of Texas at El Paso.
- Mathematical Affective Dispositions: Comparative Case Studies of US and Russian Middle School Teachers, Poster Session Co-Presenter, 2015, ABC Conference, University of Texas at El Paso
- Dynamics of Pre-Service Elementary Teachers' Disposition toward Mathematics, Its Learning and Teaching: Case of Vanity. Co-Presenter, 2013 SUN Conference, University of Texas at El Paso.
- Embedding TPCK in Secondary Mathematics Teaching Poster Session Co-Presenter, 2015, ABC Conference, University of Texas at El Paso
- Empowering Cross-Curricular Writing. Co-Presenter, 2014, ABC Conference, University of Texas at El Paso.
- REACT: Reflective Evaluation and Analysis of Classroom Teaching. Co-Presenter, 2014, ABC Conference, University of Texas at El Paso.
- Sage and Thyme: Cases of Teacher Affective Disposition Through the Lens of Reflective Transphenomenality. Presenter, 2014 RCML Conference, San Antonio, Texas.
- Dynamics Among Three Domains in Forming Pre-Service Teachers' Dispositions. Co-Presenter, 2014 RCML Conference, San Antonio, Texas.

Service

Undergraduate STEM Honors Contracts (3), Fall 2017. Allen, Olivas & Olivas

Future Educators of Math & Science (FEMaS), October 2016, Presenter, Why Lesson Plan

Blind Peer Reviewer, 2016 PME-NA Conference Proposals

Blind Peer Reviewer, 2016 NCTM Research Conference Proposals

Blind Peer Reviewer, 2016 RCML Conference Proposals

2017, Graduate Seminar Discussant, Baltic Federal University [via SKYPE]

2017, Professional Panel Discussant, UTEP Doctoral Program Proposal Writing Seminar

2016 ABC Conference, Round Table Book Discussant

2016 ABC Conference Committee, Chair

2016 UTEP Doctoral Program Professional Panel: Proposal Writing and Academic Life, February

2015 Education Professional Panel Member, UTEP Career Center, November

References

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