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Papers Presented (selected)

“Diversity Education: Lessons for a just world.” Keynote address, Colloquium on Race, Diversity, and Social Cohesion, University of Pretoria, South Africa, July 2006.

“Black, White, and Us: Implications of *Brown v. Board of Education* for Latinos.” Panelist on Invited Presidential Session, “Brown v. Board of Education: Fifty Years Later.” Annual AERA conference, San Diego, CA, April 2004.

“A Life of Teaching: Reflections from Teachers in an Inquiry Group” (with Karen Gelzinis and Junia Yearwood), at the Annual Fair and Share Conference of the Development and Dissemination Schools Initiative and the Big Apple Schools, New York, June 2002.

“What Keeps Teachers Going in Spite of Everything? A Conversation in Three Voices” (with Stephen Gordon and Junia Yearwood), 23rd Annual Ethnography in Education Forum, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, March 2002.

“Critical Multicultural Education and Student Voices.” Invited symposium panelist, Annual conference of the American Educational Research Association (AERA), New Orleans, LA, April 2000.

“Identity, Personhood, and Puerto Rican Students: Challenging Paradigms of Assimilation and Authenticity,” Annual AERA conference, Montreal, Canada, April 1999.

“Bringing Bilingual Education out of the Basement, and Other Imperatives for Teacher Education” at the symposium *Bilingual Education Works: Linking Research and Practice in Schools.* Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, October 1998.

“Constructing a Knowledge Base for Urban Teaching.” Invited symposium panelist, annual AERA conference, New York City, April 1996.

“On the Brink Between Triumph and Disaster: Exploring Tensions Between Traditional Secondary Schools and Academically Unsuccessful Students through Two Case Studies,” annual AERA meeting, San Francisco, CA, April 1995.

“The Implications of Bilingual Education for Teacher Education *or* Learning to Speak Spanish Like Los Pollitos Perdue is Not Enough” in *Teacher Education in a Multiethnic Society Symposium: Developing an Agenda for Research and Practice* at the annual AERA conference, San Francisco, CA., March 1989.

“Images of Puerto Ricans: A Perspective on Culture, Gender, and Class” at the *Multicultural Perspectives in Child Development* Conference at Glassboro State College, New Jersey, January 1988.

“Challenges and Opportunities” at the Second International Planning Conference of The Ibero-American Heritage Project, Santillana del Mar, Spain, October 1988.

“The Social Perspective” at the first international planning conference of *The Ibero-American Heritage Project: Latinos in the Making of the United States of America: Yesterday, Today, and Tomorrow*, Sterling Forest, New York, October 1987.

“The Politics of Bilingual Education,” at the annual convention of the American Studies Association, New York, November 1987.

“Latinos in the U.S. Educational System: A Critical Appraisal” at the conference *Latinos in the United States: Past Roots and Present Diversity*, Brown University, Providence, R.I., April 1985.

“Puerto Ricans, Adult Education, and the U.S. Educational System” at the conference of the International League for Social Commitment in Adult Education, Gothenberg and Stockholm, Sweden, July 1985.

“Who's Afraid of Bilingual Parents?” at the national conference *VII Symposium on Spanish and Portuguese Bilingualism*, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA., November 1984.

“Self-Affirmation or Self-destruction? The Image of Puerto Ricans in Children's Literature Written in English” at the national conference *Images and Identities: The Puerto Rican in Literature* at Rutgers University, April 1983.

“The Puerto Rican Child in Books” at the annual conference of the National Association for Bilingual Education, San Antonio, Texas, April 1983.

“Puerto Rican Studies and Bilingual Education” at *A Renaissance of Puerto Rican Studies: An Agenda for the '80s*,” a national conference held at Brooklyn College, April 1981.

“Curriculum Decision-Making: The Puerto Rican Family and the Bilingual Child.” Annual Conference of the National Association for Bilingual Education, Anaheim, CA., April 1980.

“Developing Curriculum for the Bilingual Classroom: Toward Defining the Role of the Teacher” at the *Symposium on Spanish and Portuguese Bilingualism*, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, November 1977.

“¿Qué pasa aquí? A Look into the Education of Hispanics in the United States,” at the *Amherst Community Forum*, November 1977.