

M O S T A F A B O I E B L A N E L A B O U R I

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Date of birth: 05/03/1976

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WORK EXPERIENCE

2014-.....

- Associate Professor at Universidad Politécnica de Madrid (Linguistics Applied to Science and Technology).
- Associate Professor at Universidad Carlos III (Linguistics and English Studies).

2010-2014

- English Teacher at the following companies and public organisms (Oxford University Press, Language Consultants, LinguaCenter, Telefónica, Agencia Tributaria, Tribunal Supremo, Estudios Físcales, Ministerio de Fomento, Agencia del Medicamento).

2008-2009

- Research Assistant for Dr. Richard Koenigsberg (Library of Social Science at New York City).

2007-2008

- Librarian at the University of California, Berkeley
- Data organizer with Dr. Deborah Anderson

2006-2007

- Translator (English-Spanish and Spanish-English) for Andromedical.com.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

2014–2015

- Curso Inicial para Profesores de la Educación Superior (Organized by UPM)

2013-2014

- Honorific Collaborator at Universidad Complutense de Madrid (Linguistics Department)

2010-2014

- PhD (Cum Laude) in Cognitive Linguistics “**Rethinking Embodiment Theory: Re-conceptualizing Directly and Indirectly Meaningful Concepts in Metaphor and the Impact of this Study on the Theoretical and Experimental Frameworks of Embodiment**”. (Complutense de Madrid, Linguistics Department). The thesis was supervised by Dr. Michael Christopher White Hayes and Dr. Enrique Bernardez Sanchís

<http://eprints.ucm.es/24842/1/T35250.pdf>

2008-2009

- Research Assistant (Language and Ideology) at the Social Science Library, New York City. My supervisor was Dr. Richard Koenigsberg

2007-2009

- EAP (Education Abroad Program) at Berkeley (University of California) My supervisor was Dr. George Lakoff.

2005-2007

- DEA (Diploma de Estudios Avanzados). This master-like course consists of year attending conferences and another year for developing a project. (My project was titled: Political Hypnosis: Creating Cultures of Despair through Language)

2005-2006

- CAP Certificate of Pedagogic Aptitude at Complutense de Madrid

LANGUAGES

Arabic, English, French, Spanish, and Berber

INFORMATICS

- Website designer (Dreamweaver and Web Expression 4)
- Moodle (Curso Básico, Evaluación Continua, Comunicación en Moodle, Trabajo Colaborativo, Gestión de Grupos).
- Computers Maintenance and Configuration

OTHER COURSES

- Scientific Presentations
- Structuring Scientific Papers
- How to Write an abstract

CONFERENCES

- Discourse as Social Practice: Priorities and Prospects» 16–17 October 2014 «Moscow State Linguistic University»
Social identity and domestic violence: a cognitive approach
- Conceptual Structure, Discourse and Language (CSDL) Conferences 2014 (4-6 Nov.) Universality of California, Santa Barbara. “**Metaphorical Mapping Typologies: a Challenge to Embodiment Theory**”
- AESLA Psicología del Lenguaje, Lenguaje Infantil y Psicolingüística. Universidad Politécnica de Madrid. 2015
“Dimensions of Coupling Source and Target Domains in Multimodality and Structural Metaphors: a Contrastive Study”.
- 2nd International Symposium on Figurative Thought and Language. University of Pavia, Italy. 2015. “**Concept Formation through Metaphor: Is it Lineal?**”

INTERESTS

- Second language acquisition
- Language and ideology
- Linguistics applied to science and technology
- Linguistics applied to design, fashion and technology
- Discourse analysis