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Current Academic Position (25 years at Bond University)

Assistant Professor, Intercultural Communication

French and Spanish Coordinator

Bond University

Academic Credentials

2006	PhD	International Studies	University of South Australia
2002	MA (LOTE)		Bond University
1977	BA		Monash University
1978	Dip Ed		Rusden, Victoria

Research Expertise

Intercultural communication – Lecturing and Research

Author of 3 books and Author and Co-editor of 2 books

Ethnographic Writing

Internationalisation of students

Culture shock, Reverse culture shock and Cultural Identity Issues

Bilingualism

Second language acquisition

Affiliations

SIETAR (Society for Intercultural Education, Training and Research)

MLTAQ (Modern Language Teachers' Association of Queensland) for French and Spanish

Association of Heads of French language in Australian Universities.

Previous Academic Positions

9/9/91-29/11/91	Spanish Language Instructor (teaching 1 Spanish course) x 3 hours per week
20/1/92-31/12/99	Adjunct Teaching Fellow (number of fixed term contracts) Head of French and Spanish - teaching 4 courses of French and Spanish (alternating levels – level 1 offered each semester) 16 hours per week. Responsible for 3 educational excursions to New Caledonia.
1/1/00-30/6/06	Senior Teaching Fellow. Head of French and Spanish - teaching 3 courses of French and Spanish (alternating levels – level 1 offered each semester) 12 hours per week.
1/7/06	Assistant Professor Level B. Head of French and Spanish - teaching 3 courses of French and Spanish and Special Topics (alternating levels – level 1 offered each semester) 12 hours per week. Member of Board for AUSTRADE Internships in Paris.
18/01/10	Assistant Professor Level B. 4 French language courses x 14 hours (2 hours online) and Special Topics. Member of Board for AUSTRADE Internships in Paris.
2011 ongoing	Assistant Professor A – Lecturer in Intercultural Communication from September 2014. Head of French and Spanish.

TEVAL Scores (Teacher Evaluations)

Based on the final Bond University TEVAL survey question, “All things considered how would you rate the effectiveness of this teacher in this subject?” my scores averaged at 6.16 out of 7, within the Top 15% of the Faculty academic staff. If the 2009 TEVAL scores from 2009 that were experimentally conducted online were to be discounted as a result of inconsistencies in participation rates, my scores would average at 6.48 out of 7.

Research Grants

2008	Vice Chancellor’s Research Grant (\$ 4,500)
2008	Faculty of HSS Research Grant (\$2,000)
2009	Faculty of HSS Research Grant (\$2,000)
2002	Small Faculty of HSS Research grant towards my Master’s thesis to visit Professor Michael Clyne at Melbourne University.

Awards

1996	Faculty of Humanities and Social Science Dean’s Teaching Award
2002 (Feb)	Vice Chancellor’s List of Academic Excellence

2002 (June)	Vice Chancellor's List of Academic Excellence
2002 (June)	Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences Award: Consistently Outstanding Academic Achievement in Language Teaching Subjects (High Distinctions in all Master's subjects)

International Conferences (Presentations)

2013	International Journal of Arts & Sciences (IJAS) Multidisciplinary Conference, Bad Hofgastein, Austria
2014	9th International Conference on Interdisciplinary Social Sciences University of Vancouver, Canada
2016	The Third European Conference on Cultural Studies, Brighton, UK

Current and Previous Employment History

1991 – 2016	Official Interpreter for Migrant Services (Centrelink) in French and Spanish.
1991 - 2011	Interpreter and Translator for various law firms on the Gold Coast who act for executors of deceased estates, for requirements from the Department of Immigration and Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs; for banks and other government bodies.
1989 - 1990	WIGGINS HOMES S.A. (UK/Marbella, Spain)
1986 - 1987	HOWSON GARDEN VILLAS ESPANA S.A. (Marbella, Spain)
1984 - 1986	Self-employed: AU PAIR AGENCY in Marbella in collaboration with two agencies in London.
1984	Examiner for Oral Exams for International Colleges of the Costa del Sol, Spain, for the British Associated Examining Board in Marbella (O and A Levels.)
1983 - 1984	ALOHA INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE, Marbella, Spain. French and Spanish Coordinator - Language teaching – Senior 1 to 4 students (O Level students)
1982	French educational excursion to Noumea, New Caledonia – for Coomoora High School students from Years 10 to 12.
1980	Awarded Scholarship /Assistantship to teach English in Marseille, France for academic year. Granted special leave from Victorian Education Department to accept position.
1978 - 1982	COOMOORA HIGH SCHOOL , Melbourne, Victoria. French and Spanish Coordinator. Language teaching – Years 7 to 12 students. Responsible for educational excursion to New Caledonia.
1977	Examiner for French Oral Exams for H.S.C. students in Victoria, at Monash University.

Invited Address

2011	Panel member for <i>Foundations of University Learning & Teaching</i> (FULT) class in Semester 1, 2011. Teaching Diverse Learners, Teaching International Students Global Relevance, Universal Design for Learning.
2009	Bond University Press book launch of Diary of a French Girl .
2008/ 2009	Guest lecturer for Intercultural Communications (undergraduate and postgraduate) on intercultural themes based on second book: Diary of a French Girl: Surviving Intercultural Encounters . Followed by discussion forum.
2008	Guest lecturer at University of Nancy 2, France on first book: Culture and Identity in Study Abroad Contexts: After Australia, French without France . Two-hour lecture including discussion forum. Audience - academics and students and guests from industry.
2002	Guest lecturer for Sociolinguistics class to deliver a paper on my minor thesis, outlining the methodology used in my research project with useful guidelines for the postgraduate students embarking on their minor theses as well as the actual analysis and discussion of my research findings.
1999	Invited by Griffith University lecturer, Nathan campus, to address students from the Faculty of Education.
1995	Official address in Noumea, New Caledonia for Mayor and dignitaries at a function I organised with the Mayor during an educational excursion with French students. Representative for Bond University and Gold Coast (sister city) on behalf of Mayor, Gary Baildon.
1994	Official address in French at the Gold Coast City Council accompanied by Head of International Office at Bond, Ling Hollingman. Audience: Mayor and councillors at a meeting for a delegation of dignitaries from New Caledonia.

Other Research/Service Contributions

2014 – ongoing	Collaboration with Professor Jim Corkery on the <i>Global Sports Law Moot: Bond University v La Sorbonne Paris 13!</i> Served as one of the judges in 2015 and 2016.
2011	Peer Support Colleague to the Bond Academics who are being inducted through the <i>Foundations of University Learning & Teaching</i> (FULT) subject in Semester 1, 2011.
1992 - 2016.	Attendance at more than 65 graduation ceremonies over 25 years and 23 Open Days in the role of Faculty academic or BU Latin Society member for promotion of Latin Languages with students.

2010	Promotional videos – multimedia – for Bond marketing and recruitment.
2009	BA Honours Thesis Examiner for University of South Australia “Why do students choose to learn Spanish? How attitudes and beliefs about Spanish-speaking culture frame students’ orientations towards Spanish language study.”
2009	Promotional video for marketing of Latin languages in collaboration with Dr Shelley Kinash and BU Humanities Students’ Association during inaugural language competitions. Link to Episode 17: Internationalisation: Language Competitions. Part 1 http://works.bepress.com/m_c_patron/ .
2009	ABC Television filming of French class for Paralympian, Annabelle Williams who qualified for Beijing in 2009 as part of Australian Story on Paralympians.
2008/2009.	Involvement in Alumni functions in Paris, France.
2007/2008	Member of board for Alumni Anniversary Balls over several years.
2007	Invitation to Spanish Embassy in Canberra to participate in meeting for the Association of Heads of Spanish in Australia.
2005	Invitation by Dean of Griffith University Professor Kay Ferris, to sit on selection panel as external advisor to appoint a Spanish Studies lecturer for Griffith University.
2003	Examination of Master’s Thesis for Bond University Applied Linguistics Department. Dr Beata Webb.
2002	Bond representative at Language Expo in Melbourne.
2001	Appointed by Dean to serve on Research Grant Committee for H&SS.
1998	Adjudication of Spanish language competitions for AB Patterson College, Gold Coast.
1995	Bond representative at Language Expo in Sydney.
1995	Bond representative in Noumea recruiting at the Office of Recruitment for students during French educational excursion.
1993	Appointed by Registrar to serve on a Misconduct Committee with Law and Business faculty professors.
1994	Member of Plagiarism Committee in H&SS.
1992	Leading role in welcoming to Bond University the Leader of the Opposition of Chile, Senator Don Hugo Ortiz de Filippi. Interpreter for the Senator with Dean of Faculty of Business, Professor Ashley Goldsworthy; Interpreter for first meeting with Dean of Law Faculty, academics and students at welcome morning tea. Recorded interviews with the Senator and students in Bond library.
1992 – present day	Founder of the BU Latin Society, formerly known as the French and Spanish Club. Mentoring of students and organisation of wide range

of activities for the promotion of Bond University and the Latin Languages, including 11 Masquerade Balls and participation in fund raising activities for Latin American countries.

List of publications (Please refer to my Research Page)

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Conference Proceedings Refereed

Patron, M. (2004). Francophone Sojourners' Experiences of Culture Shock. In B. Bartlett, F. Bryer & R. Roebuck (Eds.), *Educating: weaving research into practice* (Vol. 3). Brisbane: School of Cognition, Language, and Special Education, Griffith University and individual contributors.

Patron, M. (2005). The Re-negotiation of Cultural Identity of French Academic Sojourners During Cross-Cultural Transition in Australia. In B. Bartlett, F. Bryer & R. Roebuck (Eds.), *Stimulating the 'action' as participants in participatory research*. Brisbane: School of Cognition, Language, and Special Education, Griffith University and individual contributors.

Australian Conference Presentations Refereed

Patron, M. (2004). Francophone Sojourners' Experiences of Culture Shock.. Griffith University Conference: *Educating: weaving research into practice*. School of Cognition, Language, and Special Education.

Patron, M. (2005). The Re-negotiation of Cultural Identity of French Academic Sojourners During Cross-Cultural Transition in Australia. Griffith University Conference: *Stimulating the 'action' as participants in participatory research*. School of Cognition, Language, and Special Education.

Peer Reviewer

Patron, M. (2010). Peer reviewer for chapter on Academic Mobility, edited by Professor Fred Dervin from the University of UTU Finland. 'Preparing Foreign Language Teachers for Intercultural Mobility.' Peter Lang Academic Publishers.

Radio Interviews

(1995). Interview on SBS Radio about Bond University during Language Expo in Sydney.

(2002). Interview on SBS Radio in Melbourne during Language Expo, outlining the parameters of my thesis and my career at Bond University.

(1994). Participation in the running of a programme with my French students on 4CRB Radio on the Gold Coast. Promotional exercise for Bond University and the Latin Languages.

Subsequently, I set up an affiliation with 4BUR (Bond University Radio) to provide a forum for French and Spanish students on campus to discuss issues in Latin languages, invite guests for discussions in the target languages (as part of their assessment).

Non-Peer-Reviewed Magazine articles

Patron, M. (2009). The History and Significance of French and Spanish as a Vital Part of Bond University. *Insight (4)*. Bond University Humanities Students' Association. Ed. Anna Eraclides.

Patron, M. (2007). La Experiencia de la Bond University. *Voces Hispanas (4)*. Secretaria General de Información y Publicaciones. Rafael Martinez Bernardo. Spanish Embassy, Ministry of Education. Yarralumla, ACT.