

Allegra Villarreal

I am an educator, writer, curriculum designer and adult learning facilitator with experience teaching in three countries, three states, and across five colleges for over 14 years. I've also developed programs and coached adults in educational non-profits for seven years, working with both higher education and K-12 institutions. My academic career began with a GED and two years at my local community college before transferring to university in the UK, ultimately earning degrees in International Relations and Middle East Studies from St. Andrews University as well as a Master's degree in Creative Writing from Oxford University.

I am guided in all the work I do by a genuine curiosity about the world (histories, knowledges, root causes but also future possibilities, trends, and emerging philosophies), a love of storytelling, and a commitment to accessible, inclusive, and equitable education for all students. Some passions that have emerged at the intersection of my personal experience and professional training are critical, culturally responsive and open pedagogies, holistic and innovative approaches for adult learners and supporting Latina/o/x students and their teachers.

I am currently taking on projects that I find personally and professionally meaningful, and am always open to collaboration.

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