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# DIÁLOGOS VIRTUALES

A COE Lecture/Discussion Series on Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & the Global in Education

Thursday, March 4, 2021, 12:00 – 1:10 PM (PT)

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## "Advancing Glocal and Global Education in the COE: An Initial Dialogue."

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What is the relevance of global and glocal learning for preparing education service professionals in 21st century societies? How do we, as community faculty-practitioners, envision the future of global and glocal learning in COE curriculum, pedagogy, and community engagement? What local, state, national, and international supports and resources are at our disposal for enhancing and/or furthering this work? In this session, interested COE faculty are invited to engage in an open discussion about the global/glocal dimensions of our work and to join the COE GloBCal Teaching and Learning Hub (GTLH) - a structure for supporting our continued "GloBCalization." [Open to COE faculty]



## About the Speakers

**Cristian R. Aquino-Sterling**, Ph.D. is Associate Professor and Associate Dean for Diversity and International Affairs in the College of Education at San Diego State University. He holds a BA in Philosophy (Fordham University); a MA in Hispanic Cultural Studies and Literatures (Columbia University), and an Interdisciplinary Ph.D. in Curriculum & Instruction (Arizona State University). He has taught at various public and private schools in New York City, at Fordham University (his Alma Mater), and at the Lauder Institute of Management and International Studies (University of Pennsylvania). Dr. Aquino-Sterling is the recipient of the 2016 Early Career Reviewer Award of the Bilingual Research Journal (National Association of Bilingual Education) and currently serves as Assistant Editor of the Journal of Global Education and Research. His works have been published in *Abriendo brecha: antología crítica sobre la educación bilingüe de doble inmersión*; *Bilingual Research Journal*; *International Journal of Bilingual Education and Bilingualism*; *International Journal of Language and Linguistics*; *International Multilingual Research Journal*; *Multicultural Perspectives*; *Reading in a Foreign Language*; *Revista Comunicación*; *Revista Internacional de Educación para la Justicia Social*, and *Teachers College Record*. Dr. Aquino-Sterling has served as Research Fellow in the Advanced Research Collaborative (ARC) of the Graduate Center, City University of New York and, during the academic year 2018–2019, he served as Visiting Professor in the MIRCo research group at Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, and at Pontificia Universidade Católica do Rio de Janeiro. Dr. Aquino Sterling is multilingual in Spanish and English and is currently learning Brazilian Portuguese. He is in love with his Afro-Caribbean ethnic, racial, cultural, linguistic, and spiritual heritage!

**Dr. Sarah Maheronnaghsh**, Ph.D. has twenty years of experience working as a bilingual educator with diverse students, families, and community members. During her experience as a bilingual educator, she has taught fourth grade, undergraduate students, credential students, and graduate-level students. She also serves as the Global Cultural Experience coordinator. She is thrilled to play a role in designing and implementing study abroad experiences for students within the College of Education. She particularly enjoys being a witness to the transformations that take place both during and after the variety of study abroad programs offered by the college.