# **Jennifer Falcón**Department of English500 W. University Ave. El Paso, Texas 79968Phone: 323-243- 4739 E-Mail: jfalcon3@utep.edu**Education**

## **Ph.D.,** Rhetoric and Composition **2014 - Present**University of Texas at El PasoEl Paso, Texas

Dissertation: Multimodal Assignments in First-Year Composition: Applying Theories of Digital Rhetoric, Procedural Rhetoric and Electracy Composition Curriculum

Committee: Beth Brunk-Chavez (chair), Gustav Verhulsdonck, William Robertson

## **M.F.A,** Creative Writing **2013**University of Texas at El PasoEl Paso, Texas

## **B.A.,** English **2008**The Ohio State UniversityColumbus, Ohio

# **Research Interests**

## Multimodal composition, digital rhetoric, digital literacies, visual rhetoric, composition studies, professional writing, and technical communication.

# **Teaching**

**Assistant Instructor 2014 - Present**
University of Texas at El Paso
Courses Taught:
Rhetoric and Writing Studies 3355: Workplace Writing (f2f and online)
Rhetoric and Writing Studies 1302: Rhetoric and Composition II (hybrid)

**Teaching Assistant 2011 – 2014**

University of Texas at El Paso

Courses Taught:Rhetoric and Writing Studies 1302: Rhetoric and Composition II (hybrid)Rhetoric and Writing Studies 1301: Rhetoric and Composition I

# **University Writing Center Experience**

**University Writing Center Consultant 2011 - 2012**

University of Texas at El Paso

# **Publications**

(Under review) Villa, J., Falcon, J., and Aravelo, M. Cultural Technique and Digital Content management. In Baca, I. Del Hierro, V., and Gonzales, L. (Eds.), *Community Action for Social Change: A Digital Archive*. Anderson, SC: Parlor Press.

# **Conference Presentations**

“Teaching Composition at a Hispanic Serving Institution: Linking Linguistic Practices to Multimodal Writing” *Conference on College Composition and Communication Midwest Summer
 Conference,* Clermont, Ohio, June 9, 2017

“Social Media/Microblogging: Identity in Digital Spac*es”(with Jasmine Villa, Sarah Bartlett Large)
 Cultural Rhetorics,* East Lansing, Michigan, October 3, 2016

“Blurring the Lines of Theory and Application: Building Digital Rhetoric and Digital Literacies in the Composition Classroom.” *South Central Modern Language Association*, Dallas, Texas

November 3, 2016

“The Digital Self-Reflection: Metacognitive Practices through Multimodality.” *South
 Central Modern Language Association,* Nashville, Tennessee, November 3, 2015

“Continuing the Conversation: Empowering Students through Self-Reflective Multimodal
 Assignments.” (with Jasmine Villa) *WIDE-EMU ‘15*, East Lansing, Michigan, October 10,
 2015

# **Poster Presentations**

# “Cultivating Wonder through Multiliteracies: Using digital multimodal assignments to  enhance student engagement” (with Jasmine Villa) Poster Session at Computers and Writing Conference, Findlay, Ohio, June 3, 2017“Using digital multimodal assignments to enhance student agency.” (with  Jasmine Villa) Digital Praxis Poster Session at Conference on College Composition and  Communication, Portland, Oregon, March 16, 2017

# **Invited Talks**

“UTEP Teaching Assistant Success Panel” Invited to talk for UTEP Graduate School Orientation*,* El Paso, Texas, August 23, 2017

#  **Service**

**Assistant Director 2017 - Present**

Rhetoric and Writing Studies-Undergraduate Program

University of Texas at El Paso

**Assistant Director 2015 - 2017**

Rhetoric and Writing Studies Graduate Program

University of Texas at El Paso

**Stage 1 Reviewer, CCCC 2018 2017**

**Symposium Chair 2016 - 2017**

Frontera Retórica

**Secretary 2015 - 2016**Frontera Retórica

# **Honors and Awards**

Rhetoric and Writing Studies $750 **2017**
Nuestra Gente Award
English Department
University of Texas at El Paso

Student Government Travel Grant $578 **2017**
University of Texas at El Paso

Liberal Arts Dodson Travel Grant $500 **2017**
University of Texas at El Paso

Baker-Hernandez Travel Grant $430 **2017**

University of Texas at El Paso

Baker-Hernandez Travel Grant $692 **2016**

University of Texas at El Paso

Liberal Arts Dodson Travel Grant $200 **2016**

University of Texas at El Paso

Baker-Hernandez Travel Grant $1200 **2015**

University of Texas at El Paso

Baker-Hernandez Travel Grant $990 **2015**
University of Texas at El Paso

Liberal Arts Dodson Travel Grant $500 **2015**
University of Texas at El Paso

# **Affiliations**

National Council of Teachers of English **2017 - Present**

South Central Modern Language Association **2015 - Present**

Society of Technical Communication **2015 - Present**

University of Texas at El Paso Chapter

Frontera Retorica **2014 - Present**
University of Texas at El Paso chapter of Rhetoric
Society of America

**REFERENCES**

Available upon request.