

# SANDRA PESOLI

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### EDUCATION:

- Master of Education in Foreign Languages, Ohio State University, 2001

*Learned teaching theories and methodologies for Italian and Spanish, Thesis on Reading Strategies and Authentic Materials.*

- Master of Arts, Ohio State University, 2000

*Studied Italian Literature, Linguistics and Methodologies for Teaching Italian at College Level*

- *Laurea* in Foreign Languages and Literatures, Università di Roma 3, 1998

*Earned an undergraduate degree with a double English and Spanish major.*

### EMPLOYMENT:

- Lecturer of Italian, NCSU, 2021-today.

*Taught 100 and 200 level Italian courses, and wrote exams. Participated in department meetings and events. Volunteered with the Italian Club and the DEI committee.*

- Adjunct Professor of Italian, Meredith College, 2014-today.

*Taught 100 and 200 level Italian courses, Independent Studies, Italian Cuisine and Culture and IDS courses. Prepared educational material and wrote exams. Participated in department meetings. Adviser for the Italian Minor and the Italian Club.*

- Wake County Public School System, Substitute Teacher, 2021.

- Italian Teacher, Verrieres le Buisson, Paris, France, 2009-2010

*Worked for the Association Club ABC as Animatrice d'italien*

- Interim Director of Italian Language Instruction, University of Minnesota, 2005-2006

*Taught Lower Division courses, coordinated and supervised the teachers of Lower Division courses, introduced changes in the curriculum, reorganized online materials and syllabi, worked on the Italian proficiency exams, broadened communication with CARLA (Center for Advanced Research and Language Acquisition).*

- Adjunct Lecturer of Italian, University of Arizona, 2004-2005

*Taught Italian courses, was in charge of the Italian Club and attended the weekly French and Italian Pedagogy Seminar.*

- Instructor of Italian and Spanish, Meredith College, 2003-2004

*Taught Italian and Spanish courses, coordinated the instructors of Beginner Spanish, and created the Italian Competency Exam.*

- Lecturer of Italian, University of Miami, 2001-2003

*Taught Beginner and Intermediate Italian. Worked on the selection of an Intermediate Italian textbook.*

- Italian Tutor, Division of Continuing and International Education, University of Miami, 2001-2003

*Taught classes to adult learners.*

- Italian Instructor, Department of Foreign Languages, Miami Dade Community College, 2001-2003

*Taught classes to adult learners.*

- Italian Instructor, Istituto Dante Alighieri, Miami, 2002-2003

*Taught classes to adult learners.*

- Assistant to the Director of the Undergraduate Italian Language Program, Ohio State University, 2001

*Wrote exams for the Lower Division courses.*

- Graduate Teaching Assistant, Ohio State University, 1998-2001

*Taught Beginner and Intermediate Italian to undergraduate students.*

- Italian Instructor, Continuing Education, Ohio State University, 2000

*Taught classes to adult learners.*

- Italian Teacher, Universidad Nacional de Trujillo, Peru, 1998

*Taught Italian to college students (sponsored by Istituto Italiano di Cultura).*

### **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:**

- CASPSLaP Conference, NCSU, 2024.
- O.P.I. Workshop, NCSU, 2023.
- INTRODUCTION TO FILM, NCSU, 2019. Took the 3 credits class.
- PCA-ACA Conference, Washington D.C., 2019. Presented on Italian Culture.
- NECTFL Conference, New York City, 2018. Presented on Italian Speech Acts.
- MIFLC Conference, Wilmington, 2017. Presented on Italian Culture.
- NECTFL Conference, New York City, 2016.
- O.P.I. Workshop (conducted in Spanish), Meredith College, 2015.
- CENTER FOR ADVANCED RESEARCH AND LANGUAGE ACQUISITION (CARLA): workshops and presentations, University of Minnesota, 2006.
- ALLIED FOREIGN LANGUAGE ORGANIZATIONS Conference, Meredith College, 2004.
- FLANC Conference, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, 2003.

### **RELATED EXPERIENCE:**

- Presented on Italian Cuisine and Culture, Meredith College, 2021
- Accompanied students to Charleston, SC for the *Nuovo Cinema Italiano Film Festival*, 2018 - today
- Wrote the proposal for a new course to be included in the undergraduate catalogue, Meredith College, 2017
- Participated in P.I.E. workshops, Meredith College, 2015 – today
- Created an Italian Course, Continuing Education and Academic Outreach Center, University of Arizona, 2005

**AWARDS:**

- Adjunct Faculty Award for Excellence in Teaching. Meredith College, 2024
- Scholarly Productivity Grant. Faculty Development and Instructional Technology Committee. Meredith College, 2018
- Scholarly Productivity Grant. Faculty Development and Instructional Technology Committee. Meredith College, 2019.
- Instructional Improvement Grant. Office of Information Technology. University of Minnesota, 2006