

# Department of Teaching and Learning

## Faculty Profile and Curriculum Vitae



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### **Credentials:**

Ph.D. University of Florida, major: Educational Psychology, minor: Psychology (1998)

M.Ed. University of Florida, Educational Psychology (1995)

B. S. University of Florida, Psychology, Honors (1994)

### **Biography**

Dr. Alyssa Gonzalez-DeHass is an Associate Professor of Educational Psychology for the Department of Teaching and Learning (DTL) in Florida Atlantic University's College of Education (COE). She joined the University in 1998 as Assistant Professor and was promoted in 2004 to Associate Professor. She teaches undergraduate and graduate courses in educational psychology. Dr. Gonzalez-DeHass co-authored a book, *Theories in Educational Psychology: Concise Guide to Meaning and Practice*, published in 2013, with Dr. Patricia Willems, who is a DTL faculty member. One of their most cited articles (also co-authored with M. Doan Holbein) was "Examining the Relationship between Parent Involvement and Student Motivation," published in *Educational Psychology Review* in 2005.

Presently, Dr. Gonzalez-DeHass is a reviewer for many internationally refereed journals in her area of expertise, and she serves on the editorial board for the *School Community Journal*. From 2010 to 2011, Dr. Gonzalez-DeHass served as DTL representative on the COE Graduate Programs Committee and COE Graduate Programs Curriculum Sub-committee. From 2011 to 2013, she served as a DTL representative on the COE Faculty Assembly Steering Committee. Her research interests include parental involvement, student motivation, and the case study method of instruction. Information on the program in Educational Psychology offered at FAU can be found on the following web page <http://www.coe.fau.edu/academicdepartments/tl/edpsy.aspx>.