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| **Lydia R.L. Young, Ph.D.**  **e-mail: l.young@northeastern.edu** | |
| **Educational History** | |
|  | Boston College, Lynch School of Education May, 2011  Ph. D. in Curriculum and Instruction; Specialization in Critical Pedagogy, Diversity, and Social Justice  Dissertation: *Standing, being and positioning: A qualitative study of the academic, social and cultural experiences of graduates of a college preparation program during their first year of college*  Chair: Audrey Friedman, Ph.D.  Boston College, Lynch School of Education May, 2004  M.Ed. in Curriculum and Instruction; secondary English education licensure  University of Iowa December, 1998  Bachelor of Arts in English and secondary education |
| **Professional Experience** | |
|  | Northeastern University College of Professional Studies Boston, MA 2016-current  Associate Dean, Graduate School of Education   * Lead development & convening of NExT – a curriculum & network devoted to preparing, developing, and convening experiential learning practitioners and leaders. Created innovative educational solutions and opportunities to transform traditional education. Developed a diverse learning ecosystem that cut across boundaries of geography, grade level, learning site, or subject discipline. Convened participants to bridge the divide between K12, higher education, and real-world settings * Work with program offices and marketing to develop effective marketing materials and plans. * Evaluate the execution and effectiveness of marketing plans as they relate to strategic goals and work with marketing to realign efforts as necessary. * Represent the interests of CPS across units within the university by working directly with other units and by serving on committees as necessary. * Manage and supervise academic deans and directors who have direct responsibility for degree and non-degree programs to ensure the smooth and effective execution of new and existing programs. * Identify and cultivate programmatic and institutional opportunities, ranging from the refinement of targeting and marketing efforts to the creation and oversight of graduate education degree programs. * Responsible for issues related to curriculum, faculty recruitment and development, market and competitive positioning, and needs assessment. * Ensure learning outcomes, student course assessment, and curricula relevance are paramount and of the highest quality. * Develop business plans, program budgets, analyzes enrollment trends, establishes goals and benchmarks for new programs, and conducts program reviews. * Provide leadership and direction to faculty teaching degree and non-degree programs within CPS. * Responsible for cultivating personal and organizational relationships, creating new public and private financial resources: including grants, contracts, and collaborations, and representing the Dean internally and externally as appropriate. |
|  | Northeastern University College of Professional Studies Boston, MA 2008-2016  Associate Teaching Professor; M.Ed. Learning and Instruction Concentration Lead; Director, Masters in Education programs   * Provide oversight of Masters in Education programs to ensure pedagogically sound, cohesive, and relevant coursework; maintaining alignment in mission, purpose, and promise * Engagement with enrollment, marketing, and advising * Provide academic vision for local and national recruitment events; identify areas of potential recruitment and methods to retain students * Lead Masters in Education Learning and Instruction team to review and redesign current course curriculum and practices * Create innovative programs and opportunities that support educator development * Constructed courses that meet the needs of diverse student populations, including FBI cohorts, teachers of record, and career changers * Provide academic oversight, development, and input on new M.Ed. concentrations – Learning Analytics and ESL * Designed writing workshops and resources for graduate students * Developed on-line tools for Teacher Candidates, University Supervisors, and alumni to network and access resources * Oversee part-time faculty hiring, professional development, and community building * Manage complex interplay between curriculum, accreditation, and logistics * Full-time faculty member with a focus on literacy, culture, social justice, research, and experiential learning * Co-lead on Department of Elementary and Secondary Education grant to pilot use of avatars in teacher preparation programs using Mursion and TeachLivE platforms * Promoted from Assistant Teaching Professor to Associate Teaching Professor * Courses taught: Teaching in the Disciplines: English; Student Teaching Practicum; Language, Culture and Literacy in the Middle and High Schools; Research Design in Education; Facilitation and Instruction; Sociocultural Contexts; Education as an Advanced Field of Study; Globalization of Education   Northeastern University College of Professional Studies Boston, MA 2008-2011 |
|  | Director of Field Placement; Senior Fellow   * Expanded school-university partnerships to meet increased demand of fast-growing program * Ensured practice-oriented student teaching experiences that prepare Teacher Candidates for licensure * Focused expansion on Boston public schools, vocational schools, and under-served schools outside of city * Negotiated complex process of pre-practicum and student teacher placements * Hired, supervised, and supported development of University Supervisors * Managed complex relationships between University, host public schools, Teacher Candidates, host Cooperating Teachers, and University Supervisors; met the needs of each constituent involved in process |
|  | Boston Public Schools Boston, MA 2007-2008 |
|  | Special Assistant to the Director: Office of College and Career Connections   * Recruited volunteers for committees devoted to achieving OC3 goals and mission * Collaborated with high school headmasters, program directors, and university representatives * Created a compendium of current and successful college preparation programs in Boston * Prepared presentations for university partnerships * Built a community presence |
|  | Boston College Chestnut Hill, MA 2004-2007 |
|  | College Bound Program Coordinator   * Recruited and assisted students from urban high schools in attaining college goals * Collaborated with high school headmasters, liaisons, instructors, and program director * Recruited, hired, and supervised College Bound instructors * Researched academic resources and planned college visits for College Bound students * Designed and implemented writing and advisory curriculum * Conducted research on curriculum’s effectiveness; published as dissertation |
|  | Hestia Fund Boston, MA 2006-2008 |
|  | Program Manager   * Coordinated grant giving process; collaborated with Committee Chairs and Hestia Fund membership; worked in partnership with Bank of America to manage Hestia Fund contributions and dues as well as grants distributions; supervised and recruited undergraduate internship |
|  | Brook Farm Service and Business Career Academy West Roxbury, MA 2006 |
|  | Independent consultant: Brook Farm Business and Service Career Academy   * Designed and helped implement writing curriculum; focused on engaging writing strategies for students with special needs and reluctant writers; created lesson and unit plans to include multiple levels of learning |

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|  | | Minuteman Regional High School Lexington, MA 2005-2007 |
|  | | Independent consultant   * Designed and implemented professional development focused on reading across the curriculum; focused on reading strategies for students with special needs and reluctant readers; presented workshops to faculty; provided continued support throughout semester and between workshops |
|  | | Williams Middle School Chelsea, MA 2002-2003 |
|  | | Eighth grade English Teacher   * Instructed English Language Arts; prepared lesson plans to include multiple levels of learning; taught in the After School Program assisting students who experienced academic challenges |
|  | | Lee High School San Antonio, TX 2000-2002 |
|  | | English Teacher: Ninth, Tenth, and Eleventh grades; Ninth grade Freshman Prep   * Instructed regular placement English and Freshman Prep, which assisted students struggling with English curriculum; assisted in creation of Freshman Prep and collaborated with Interdisciplinary team |
|  | | Stovall Middle School Houston, TX 1999-2000 |
|  | | Seventh grade Language Arts Teacher   * Instructed seventh grade regular and accelerated Language Arts; planning encompassed variable learning levels and backgrounds in a Title I school; collaborated with Interdisciplinary team |
| **Professional Affiliations** | | |
|  | * American Educational Research Association * National Council of Teachers of English | |
| **PUBLICATIONS**  Burns, S. M., Maniss, S., Young, L. R. L., & Gaubatz, M. (2005). Attributions of control and seropositivty among Latinos: Examining the predictive utility of the locus of control construct. *AIDS Care*, 17,263–296.  Burns, S. M., Young, L. R., & Maniss, S. (2006). Predictors of employment and disability among people living with HIV/AIDS. *Rehabilitation Psychology*, *51*(2), 127.  Burns, Shaun Michael, Young, L. R. L., and Maniss, S. (2007). Factors Associated with Employment among Latinos Living with HIV/AIDS. *Journal of rehabilitation,* 73(1). | | |

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| **CREATIVE ACTIVITY** | | |
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| **ACADEMIC/PROFESSIONAL AWARDS** | | |
| * Nominated for Northeastern University Excellence in Teaching Award * Boston College Donovan Urban Teaching Scholar * P.E.O. Continuing Education Grant * Elected by colleagues to Faculty Advisory Committee at Lee High School in San Antonio, TX | |