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SEMINAR:	
SUBJECTIVITY IN LANGUAGE TEACHER EDUCATION: THE <i>STATUS QUAESTIONIS</i>	
Academic Period: 2019 – I	Course credits: 5
<p>ACADEMIC AREA (<i>Select with an X where appropriate</i>):</p> <p>() EFE Emphasis () EFEP Education and Pedagogy (x) EFI Research</p> <p>Research Emphases: ELT Identity, power and inequality and Second Language Teacher Education</p> <p>Research Group: Aprendizaje y sociedad de la información</p>	
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ABSTRACT	
<p>This seminar is designed to assist doctoral students in the analysis of their research antecedents in terms of the status quaestionis and the theoretical framework to identify possible gaps and understand how similar works have problematized subjectivity in language teacher education. Participants are expected to trace back what has been told/untold about subject constitution in second language teacher education. In doing so, a critical review must be conducted within a philosophical and educational dialogue to trace the relationships between research approaches and colonial practices to better co-construct the status quaestionis of the research emphasis.</p>	
SEMINAR DESCRIPTION	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The purpose of this seminar will focus on a critical review of researches that have been conducted in the field of second language teacher education in regards to subjectivity to explore how it can be studied and most importantly how this domain portrays complexity at different levels of analysis, i.e. self-subject- agent and identity. It is important to trace how subjectivity has been focused in the field of second language teacher education to identify the type of knowledge that has been provided/produced to explain how subjects in education struggle to govern themselves facing identity positions already established. Within a local perspective, it is relevant to inquiry how English teachers are educated, what type of roles they are urge to perform or accomplish and what specific tasks, practices and identities they 	

enact.

RATIONALE

Epistemologically speaking the language/social turn had an impact in the ways research has been conducted to try to solve problems in direct connection to inequality, domination and subjugated knowledges. That is to say, how research now is used to reveal how knowledge produced to perpetuate domination practices, hinders other type of knowledges that do not aspire to be considered as scientific but exist to explain people's lives. In this new turn, to give voice to subjects in education, for example, means to recognize the validity of their stances to explain facts and events with major implications to meaning construction in the education field. In this seminar, we are interested in revising what has been said to trace the unsaid as an opportunity to unveil naturalized discourses and practices in regards to teacher education to set research directions.

SEMINAR OBJECTIVES

General objective:

To revise the ways subjectivity category has been employed to explain English language Teacher Education in Colombia to illuminate an epistemological position that opposes, complements or reformulates what has been said about English teachers, their education, teaching practices, and classroom interaction.

Specific objectives

- To back up the researchable problem with evidence taken from different sources
- To provide evidence of epistemological and methodological approaches to trace the problem of subject constitution and power-knowledge practices within ELT field.
- To describe to what extend researches in the field of ELT education have provided critical insights to think English language teacher education.

SEMINAR CONTENTS

This seminar is an invitation to revise researches in the field of ELT education in both local and no local perspectives to explore what has been said and how has been said to analyze its effects and contributions in the identification of gaps, fractures or cracks. The seminar will cover the following interrelated thematic problems:

General thematic problem: profiling academic research

Guiding question: What is the academic research profile of the problem/area of study to be researched?

Thematic problem 01: Subjugated knowledges and its conditions of possibility in ELT research

Guiding question: What is the significance of the literature review to inform and relate our research problem at the doctoral level within a local and a global perspective?

Thematic problem 02: subjectivity and English teacher education practices in EFL

Guiding question: What has been said in terms of Second Language Teacher Education to trace practices, experiences, cracks or gaps to be problematized in the Colombian ELT field?

SCHEDULE: Wednesday 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

ROOM Postgraduate Building TBA

SEMINAR OUTLINE

DATE	TOPIC	KEY READINGS	ASSIGNMENTS
Week 1	Introduction to Research seminar, expectations, comments, assessment procedures		
Week 2	Workshop on INDEX-K - Motor de Búsquedas Integradas Biblioteca UD	(Fayyad, Piatetsky-Shapiro, & Smyth, 1996) (Nahm, 2004) (van Dijck, 2010)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading and discussion
Week 3	Profiling academic research	(Bragge, Relander, Sunikka, & Mannonen, 2007; Porter, Kongthon, & Lu, 2002) (Amini, Ibrahim, Othman, & Selamat, 2014)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading and discussion
Week 4	Discussing examples of academic research profiles and literature reviews	(Webster & Watson, 2002) (Castañeda-Peña, 2012; Castañeda-Peña, Salazar, González Romero, Sierra, & Menéndez, 2013)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading and discussion
Week 5	What is gained with the literature review and research profiling?	(Boote & Beile, 2005) (Choi, Lee, & Sung, 2011) (Panda & Gupta, 2014)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading and discussion • Each participant will present 5 RARs
Week 6	Examining the concept of literature review and writing processes	(Baker, 2000; Carnwell & Daly, 2001)(C. Cronin, 2011; P. Cronin, Ryan, & Coughlan, 2008) (Pautasso, 2013)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading and discussion • Each participant will present 5 RARs
Week 7	Approaches to writing literature reviews	(Dunne, 2011) (Torraco, 2005) (Shin & Cummings, 2010)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading and discussion • Each participant will present 5 RARs
Week 8	Deconstructing the concept of “Beyond” from a cultural perspective Focusing on one’s own <i>status quaestionis</i>	(Bhabha, 1994). <i>The Location of Culture</i> . New York: Routledge. Read chapter 1: Introduction: Locations of culture, pp. 1-27.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading and discussion • Each participant will present 5 RARs
Week 9	Concepts of identity in the social sciences Focusing on one’s own <i>status quaestionis</i>	(Block, 2007). <i>Second Language Identities</i> . New York: Continuum. Read chapter 2: Identity in the social sciences today, pp. 11-45.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading and discussion • Each participant will present 5 RARs
Week 10	The sociolinguistics of language and identity Focusing on one’s own <i>status quaestionis</i>	(Tabouret-Keller, 1997). Language and identity. In Coulmas, F. (Eds) <i>The Handbook of Sociolinguistics</i> . Malden, MA: Blackwell Publishing. 315-326	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading and discussion • Each participant will present 5 RARs
Week 11	Thinking of one’s own reference framework	What has been said about Immersion practices in ELT? The no	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Socialization activity – Jar

		yet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • will present his insights
	Thinking of one's own reference framework	What has been said about Foreign English Teachers Identities? The no yet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Socialization activity – lu Fen • will present her insights
Week 12	Thinking of one's own reference framework	What has been said about pedagogical movements and practices in ELT? The no yet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Socialization activity – Sindy • will present her insights
	Thinking of one's own reference framework	What has been said about transgender identities in Teacher Education? The no yet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Socialization activity -Pedro <p>Each participant will present his insights</p>
Week 13	Thinking of one's own reference framework	What has been said about bilingualism practices and school administration?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Socialization activity -Mireya <p>will present her insights</p>
	Thinking of one's own reference framework	What has been said about observation and training practices in ELT?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Socialization activity -Miguel <p>will present his insights</p>
Week 14	Thinking of one's own reference framework	What has been said about English and peace education?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Socialization activity – Yeraldine • will present her insights
Week 15	Thinking of one's own reference framework	Chapter book writing workshop	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Socialization activity <p>Each participant will present how the chapter was organized</p>
Week 16	Thinking of one's own reference framework	Chapter book writing workshop	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Socialization activity <p>Each participant will present how the chapter was organized</p>

METHODOLOGY

Reading and discussions: This seminar will have common sessions where the entire 2018-III cohort will participate in readings and discussion. There will also be a common oral presentation at the end of the seminar. Individual sessions will be provided to help doctoral students shape their *status quaestionis*.

References review: As a part of the mechanics of the class, you must prepare a written review of 5 references per class. This review format will contain: a) the research questions/hypotheses/concerns; b) the data; c) the method, and d) Contributions to your own paper (this is a written assignment per class).

Oral presentations: students will be selectively called upon in class to introduce their reviews.

ASSESSMENT

Participants taking this course will be required to complete the following:

- Delivering and oral presentations– 20%
- References review-20%
- Class attendance, work and participation-20%
- Handing in a *status quaestionis* book chapter – 40%

Final document will contain:

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Deadline: Last week of July, 2019

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