



Antonio Rodríguez, Online Language Placement Test (OLPT) Coordinator

Antonio was born in Seville as the Don McLean song goes “a long, long time ago..”. He has spent most of his intense life in the above city, the same city in which he got his degree in English Philology at the University of Seville. After getting his degree he worked in some private Sevillian schools doing one of his passions in life: teaching. The other two are playing the guitar, of which he has six, and football. In fact, he is a big fan of the only possible team in this city: Sevilla FC. He started to work for CIEE in 1991 and since that marvelous year he has been teaching both Spanish for Business and Comparative and Contrastive Syntax: Spanish-English. In spring 2005 he started work as the OLPT Coordinator. These two roles: teaching and coordinating the OLPT, fulfill all of his professional expectations, as he has always believed that the only possible success in life is to be honest in anything you do. Nowadays, he is involved in finishing his Master in English Studies, which, hopefully, will lead him to finish his PhD on the word order in English and Spanish. Similarly, he continues organizing seminar and courses for CIEE in the field of Contrastive Grammar, Linguistics and Spanish for Specific Purposes.