

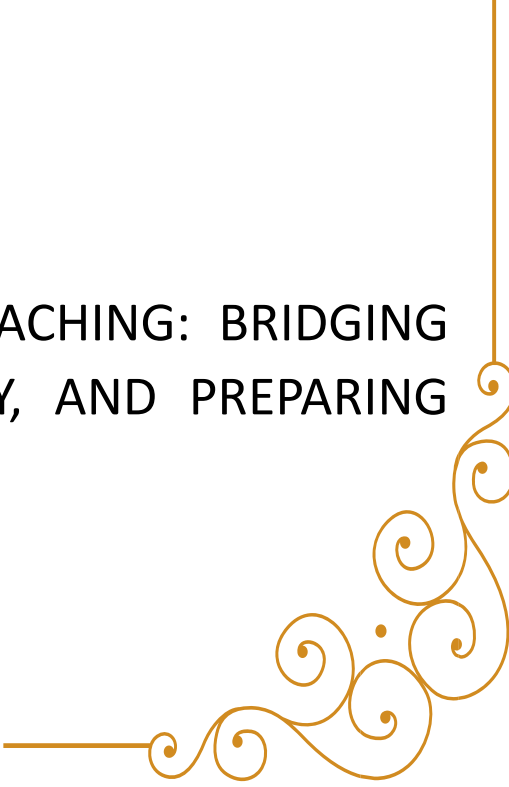
## IV HISPANIC-GHANAIAN INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR

**Accra, Thursday 10th April 2025, Maison Francaise**



University of Ghana - University of Valladolid Erasmus KA171

INNOVATIVE APPROACHES TO TEACHING: BRIDGING  
CULTURES, ENHANCING PEDAGOGY, AND PREPARING  
FUTURE EDUCATORS



Host: UG Centre for Latin American Studies, Department of European  
Languages & School of Education and LeaderShip (SEL)



Moderators                      Ms. Franklina Kabio-Danlebo, Department of European Languages, UG  
Dr. John Sedofia, College of Education, UG

9:30am                              Arrival  
9:40am                              Opening Prayer

9:45am -10:00am                Introduction

Dr. Kwaku Darko Amponsah, Head of Department of Teacher Education, University of Ghana  
Dr. Joanna Boampong, HOD of European Languages Department, University of Ghana  
Prof. Benedicta A. Lomotey, Director, Centre for Latin American Studies, University of Ghana  
Ms. Sara Martin Sanz, Student Lead, University of Valladolid, Spain

10:00am -10:20am              Opening Address  
The Global African Education Today  
Prof. Justo Bolekia Boleká, Visiting Scholar, University of Salamanca, Spain

10:20am-10:25am                Performance by the UG Spanish Club

10:25am -10:40am                The synergy between innovative pedagogy, cultural responsiveness,  
and preservice teacher preparation.  
Dr. Salifu Maigairi Mohammed, Senior Lecturer, Department of Teacher Education (School of Education and  
Leadership, University of Ghana)

10:40am-11:20am                Round Table 1  
Cultural sensitivity and inclusivity in education. Moderated by Ansah Davis Boakye, Education Students'  
Association (EDSA) Former Vice President

- Sara Martin Sanz and  
Candela Gómez Cuerpo                      Corner-based work and experiential  
learning in Ghana
- Jesús De La Cal Santamarta                      Inclusion of students with special needs in  
economically disadvantaged situations
- Luis Rodríguez Santiago                      Religion and cultural diversity in the  
classroom
- Darío González González                      Language as an element of inclusion or  
Exclusion
- Anthony Opoku Mensah                      Beyond Representation: Culturally

## Responsive Curriculum Design

- Noah Marki  
Bridging Cultural Gaps (Connecting Perspectives for Understanding and Collaboration)
- Amarh Keziah Naa Ashorkor  
Developing cultural responsive teaching practices.
- Gloria Adomah  
Addressing microaggression in education

11:20am-11:25am      Performance by the UG Spanish Club

11:25am-12:05am      **ROUND TABLE 2**

**Teacher Training in a Globalized World: Adapting training programs to prepare educators for cross-cultural classrooms.** Moderated by Sara Martin Sanz, student, University of Valladolid.

- Ansah Davis Boakyee  
Addressing the Barriers to Equipping Teacher with Global skills
- Seidu Rashid  
Building Cross-Cultural Competencies Through Collaboration
- Amoako Belinda Esi  
Culturally responsive teaching in a globalized classroom
- Ángela Duque Herrero  
International teaching practices and academic mobility
- Aaron Amoah  
Project - Based Learning with Global Lens
- Cecilia Merino Martinez  
Curricula adapted to global and local contexts
- Ángel Bartolomé Tordesillas  
Using technology to connect global classroom
- Inés Huertas Garcimartín  
How teachers can understand students from different cultures

12:05pm-12:15pm                      Q&A Open forum session : Dr. Charles Noa Bela  
Students, Staff, Participants

12:15pm                                      Closure  
Dr. Charles Noa Bela, Lecturer, Department of European Languages, UG

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