

# Byron Cabrera

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## Education

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### Grinnell College

Grinnell, Iowa

*Spanish Language Teaching Assistant*

August 2021 – May 2024

- GPA: 3.77/4.00
- Selected Coursework: Second Language Acquisition, Language Culture and Society, Japanese Linguistics

### San Francisco de Quito University

Quito, Ecuador

*Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts*

August 2013 – June 2019

- GPA: 3.65/4.00
- Selected Coursework: Linguistic Anthropology, Gesture & Visual Communication

### Kansai Gaidai University

Osaka, Japan

*Asian Studies Program*

August 2015 – June 2016

- GPA: 2.78/4.00
- Selected Coursework: Innovation and Education in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Japan, Japan and Globalization

### University of Oregon

Eugene, Oregon

*American English Institute*

June 2014 – August 2014

- GPA: 4.00/4.00
- Selected Coursework: English Oral Skills, Reading and Writing in English

## Teaching Experience

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### Contract Employee

Grinnell, Iowa

*Spanish Department, Grinnell College*

August 2021 – May 2024

- Plan and instruct one-hour Conversational Spanish Class for undergraduate students twice a week
- Support students with Spanish language related classwork in office hours or by appointment
- Organize Spanish culture and language exchange events for the college community
- Collaborate in Introduction to Spanish classes under supervision of a faculty member

### Contract Employee

Quito, Ecuador

*Fujino Japanese Language School*

August 2019 – August 2021

- Instruct Japanese Language to Spanish Language Ecuadorian Teenagers, College Students and Adults

## Specialized Skills and Qualifications

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### Language

- Spanish (Native)
- Japanese (Advanced – Japanese Language Proficiency Test N1 | 136/180)
- English (Fluent – TOEFL iBT | 97/120)
- Grand Prize Winner of the 2022 36<sup>th</sup> Japanese Speech Contest by Consulate General of Japan in Chicago
- Chinese (Beginner)
- German (Beginner)
- Korean (Beginner)