CURRICULUM VITA

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Education

(Ed.D.)	(Doctoral student, Ed. D. Educational Psychology, Regent University, comps schedule for summer '14)
M.A.	Clinical Psychology, Wheaton College Graduate School,1998 Graduated with honors
B.A.	Counseling, Berean University, 1996 Graduated cum laude

Honors and Awards

Francis J White Award for Psychology and Ministry, 1998
Omicron-Psy Honor Society, member
National Dean's List, 1984, 1985, 1995, 1996
Who's Who Among College and University Students, 1984, 1996
Nominated for Student of the Year, Berean University, 1996

Academic Experience

2013-Present	Visiting Assistant Professor – Taylor University
2011-2013	Psychology instructor – Ivy Tech Community College Introductory Psychology, Life Span Development
Jan 2012-Present	Student Success Instructor – Ivy Tech Community College First year seminar New Student Seminar Face to face and online
1998-2008	Professor of Developmental Psychology at Londrina Bible Seminary. (Undergraduate level).
2002-2005	Coordinator of the graduate program in Counseling at Londrina Bible Seminary Graduate School (LBSG).
2002-2008	Taught the following courses at the graduate level at LBS Elements of Counseling Crisis Intervention Solution-Focused Brief Therapy.
1999-2005	Coordinator of the graduate program in Couples' Counseling at Londrina Bible Seminary Graduate School.

1999-2008 Taught the following courses at the graduate level at LBSG in the Couples' Counseling Program

Elements of Marital Counseling
Couples' Communication
Pre-marital and Preventive Counseling
Sexuality

1999-20 Taught the following classes at the graduate level at LBSG in the Hospital Counseling Program

Grief & Bereavement—funeral and follow-up with the family

1999-2005 Presented workshops on Child Psychology, Children's Emotional Needs, Bullying, Communication and Conflict Resolution at the Londrina Bible Seminary.

Clinical Experience

1998-2008 *Clinician at Shalom Community Church's Counseling Center*
Provided care for individuals, couples, and families; train and supervise lay and professional counselors.

1997-1998 *Teacher Assistant and Supervisor* – Wheaton College Graduate School. Class: Assessment

1997-1998 *Clinician at TriCity Family Services*
510 hours of supervised, clinical internship using the Family Systems approach and Solution-Focused Brief Therapy for families, couples and individuals.

1996-1997 *Caseworker* with Lovaas Method with a 3-year-old child aimed at enhancing language and communication, social/play, pre-academic and independent living skills.

Manuscripts and Publications

Edwards, L.C. (2006) Stones of remembrance 2: Wheaton living stones. Wheaton College, p. 313.

Edwards, L.C. (2002). Psychology and the church: Collaboration opportunities. *Journal of Psychology and Christianity,* 21, 309-313.

Edwards, L.C., Lim, B. R. K. B., McMinn, M.R., Dominguez A. W. (1999), Examples of collaboration between Psychologists and Clergy. *Professional Psychology: Research and Practice,* 30, 547-551.

McMinn, M.R., Chaddock, T.P., Edwards, L.C., Lim, B. R. K. B. (1998). Psychologists collaborating with Clergy: Survey and implications. *Professional Psychology: Research and Practice*, 29, 564-570.

Magazine Articles

Edwards, L.C. (2001). Television's impact on the family. *Voz do Deserto Magazine*, (7), 14-15.

Edwards, L.C. (2002). Boundaries and children. *Seta Magazine,(3),* 9.

Chapters

Edwards, L. C. (under contract) The Psychology of Suffering and the Message of Jesus (2012). Emery University, Dr. L. Wesley de Souza.

Edwards, L.C. (2005). Psychology and the church: Collaboration opportunities. In McMinn, M. R., Dominguez, A. W. (Eds.), *Psychology and the church* (pp. 57-63). New York, NY: Nova Science Publishers.

Professional Presentations

McMinn, M.R., Chaddock, T.P. Edwards, L.C. Lim, B.R.K.B & Campbell, C.D. (August 1997). Psychologists collaborating with clergy: Survey findings and implications. Paper 2008ed at the annual meetings of the American Psychological Association. Chicago.

McMinn, M.R. Chaddock, T.P. Edwards, L.C., Lim, B.R.K.B. (November, 1997). Clergy and Psychologists working together. Professional Issues Track. Workshop 2008ation at the American Association of Christian Counselors World Conference. Dallas.

Edwards, L.C., Lim, B.R.K.B., McMinn, M.R., Chaddock, T.P. (March 1998). Examples of collaboration between psychologists and clergy. Workshop 2008ation at the annual meetings of the Christian Association for Psychological Studies. Chatanooga, TN.

Certificates

2011 – Certificate for online teaching
1995 – TESOL Certificate, Mohawk University, Canada

Memberships

AACC – Member – American Association of Christian Counselors

Languages

Portuguese: Fluent (Native speaker)
Spanish: Intermediate Level