



# THE UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA® LANGUAGES CONFERENCE 2019

## PRESENTS

### Thursday, February 7th

Coffee Hour with Dr. Manuel Díaz-Campos  
B.B. Comer Hall Rm. 241  
4:30 - 5:30 PM

### Friday, February 8th

Keynote Address: Dr. Manuel Díaz-Campos  
Hotel Capstone  
4:30 PM

*"A sociolinguistic analysis of two phonological variables in  
Puerto Rican Spanish"*

Manuel Díaz-Campos is Professor of Hispanic Sociolinguistics at Indiana University Bloomington. His research interests include first and second language phonological variation and sociolinguistic variables contributing to dialectal variations in Spanish.

He is the editor of *The Handbook of Hispanic Sociolinguistics* and the author of *Introducción a la Sociolingüística Hispánica*.

### Saturday, February 9th

Keynote Address: Dr. Esther Allen  
Hotel Capstone  
4:00 PM

*"The Perils of Polyglossia"*

Esther Allen is Professor in the Ph.D. Programs in French and in Latin American, Iberian and Latino Cultures at City University of New York. Co-founder of the PEN World Voices Festival and the PEN Translation Fund, she has twice been a National Endowment for the Arts Translation Fellow. Her 2016 translation of Antonio Di Benedetto's *Zama* won the American Literary Translators Association National Translation Award, and she is a 2018 Guggenheim Fellow.