

# **Dolores Delgado Bernal**

**Professor at Loyola Marymount University**

Los Angeles, CA, US

Department of Educational Leadership and  
Administration

---

## **Biography**

Delgado Bernal was a first-generation college student and an elementary school teacher in Pasadena Unified who earned her Ph.D. from UCLA. She was faculty at the University of Utah for 17 years, and then at Cal State LA she served as chair for the Department of Chicana(o) and Latina(o) Studies and afterwards as Associate Dean for the College of Ethnic Studies. She's a scholar-activist whose scholarship bridges the fields of education and Chicana studies and whose passion is in mentoring students. Her scholarship draws from Chicana feminist studies and critical race studies to investigate educational (in)equity, Latinx educational pathways, feminista pedagogies, and different forms of student resistance. She has published over 40 articles/chapters, and has co-authored or co-edited four books. She has received numerous awards for her scholarship, teaching, and/or mentoring, including, the American Educational Research Association Distinguished Scholar Award, Mujeres Activas en Letras y Cambio Social Tortuga Award, and Critical Race Studies in Education Association Derrick Bell Legacy Award. Her biggest award is being mamá to three wonderful sons.

---

## **Areas of Expertise**

Chicana/Latina Feminist Theories, Ethnic Studies & Femenista Pedagogies, Anti-Racist & Social Justice Education, Chicana/Latinx Educational Pathways, Critical Race Theories, Methodologies & Praxis, Decolonial & Feminist Methodologies

---

## **Affiliations**

American Educational Research Association, Mujeres Activas en Letras y Cambio Social , Critical Race Studies in Education Association, National Association for Chicana and Chicano Studies, Oral History Association

---

## **Education**

**University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)**

PhD Administration, Curriculum, and Teaching Studies

**University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)**

Teaching Credential and Multiple Subject Bilingual Crosscultural Language Academic Development (BCLAD)

**University of Missouri, Kansas City**

MPA Public Administration, Emphasis: Non-Profit Service Organizations

**Kansas State University; Manhattan, Kansas**

**BS Personnel Management; Sociology Cognate (With Honors)**

---

## **Accomplishments**

**2023 AERA Fellow**

American Educational Research Association (AERA)

**2019 National Prize for Excellence in Mexican American Studies**

University of Arizona

**2015 Derrick Bell Legacy Award**

Critical Race Studies in Education Association

**2015 Tortuga Scholar-Mentor Award**

Mujeres Activas en Letras y Cambio Social

**2011 Paulo Freire Critical Pedagogy Award**

American Educational Research Association

**2010 Distinguished Scholar Award**

American Educational Research Association (AERA)

**2000 Ford Postdoctoral Fellowship**

National Research Council & Ford Foundation

---

[Please click here to view the full profile.](#)

This profile was created by [Expertfile.](#)