Fireside Chat with American Psychological Association President Antonio E. Puente, Ph.D.

Thursday, March 22, 2018
3pm-4pm
Gallery Room 102
The Louis Stokes Health Sciences Library
501 W St. NW, Washington, DC 20059

Brief Bio:
Puente was born in Cuba and received his bachelor's degree from the University of Florida, and his master's and doctoral degrees from the University of Georgia. Puente was a clinical psychologist at a teaching psychiatric hospital and a professor of neuroanatomy at a medical school before becoming a professor of psychology at the University of North Carolina Wilmington (UNCW). Puente has authored/edited eight books, 77 book chapters, 107 journal articles (in English, Spanish and Russian). His research focus has largely been on the interface between culture and clinical neuropsychology. He founded and edited Neuropsychology Review, the Journal of Interprofessional Healthcare and a book series in clinical neuropsychology (33 books). He has lectured in over a dozen countries and supervised fellows or visiting scientists from Mexico, Russia, South Africa and Spain. He has taught over 8,000 undergraduate students, supervised 33 graduate students and 10 post-doctoral fellows. He has received several awards, including: Fulbright Scholar Award 1983 (Argentina); UNCW’s Distinguished Faculty Scholarship Award 2009; North Carolina Psychological Association’s Lifetime Achievement Award 2008; and APA’s Karl Heiser Award 1996; Presidential Award 2006; State Leadership Award 2009; and Distinguished Professional Contributions to Independent Practice 2011.

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