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ABOUT

Antonio Puente, born in La Habana, Cuba, received his undergraduate degree in psychology from the University of Florida and his master's degree and PhD from the University of Georgia. He has holds appointments as Professor of Psychology at the University of North Carolina Wilmington (since 1981), a visiting professor of psychology at the Universidad de Granada (Spain) and the University of California Los Angeles. Prior to these positions he taught at St. George's University School of Medicine (neuroanatomy).

Antonio Puente, PhD was the 2017 president of APA (American Psychological Association)



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EXPERIENCE

Antonio Puente founded and edited two journals Neuropsychology Review and Journal of Interprofessional Education & Practice as well as a book series in neuropsychology. He is the author of 8 books, 83 book chapters and 110 journal articles (in English, Spanish, Russian, and Arabic).

In addition to his position at University of North Carolina in Wilmington, Puente maintains a private practice in clinical neuropsychology. He also is the founder and co-director of mental health services at the Cape Fear Clinic, a bilingual multi-disciplinary health center serving the indigent. Puente completed two terms on the Editorial Panel of the American Medical Association's Current Procedural Terminology and, prior to that, served as APA's advisor to the panel from 1992-2007.

He has been a member of the APA since 1979 and fellow of nine divisions and also served as president of the North Carolina Psychological Association, North Carolina Psychological Foundation, Hispanic Neuropsychological Association, National Academy of Neuropsychology, and Society for Clinical Neuropsychology (Division 40 of APA). Antonio Puente, PhD was the 2017 president of APA.

Antonio is a professional member of the Interamerican Society of Psychology since 1980.