

*"HELLO, MY NAME IS LUIS... AND I AM A COLLEGE PROFESSOR."*

**Luis C. Almeida, Ph. D.**

*"Luis is a capable and conscientious scholar from one of our field's top doctoral programs. He's made some significant service contributions to our profession, including as an elected leader in a division of our oldest scholarly association and as a consulting editor for the highest impact peer-reviewed journal in our discipline. He's also an important thinker and leader."* **Jim Ellsworth, National Security Leader.**

*"Luis works his magic with his keen observations and compassionate humor."* **Ann Zuccardy, TEDx Speaker**

*"Yeah, meeting you (and your wife) was a blast, man. You on stage were awesome."* **Mark Levy, Levy Innovation.**

*"His understanding of statistics and research processes is outstanding. He has in-depth knowledge of the subject and does a great job presenting it to the class. I learned about a lot of issues in methodology and statistics that I had understood in the past. I believe he would make an excellent teacher in statistics and methodology. I also thought he was energetic and focused with his discussions. He presented current topics and helped us expand our knowledge of the field. I cannot say enough good things about his content and teaching methods."* **Raj Murphy, Assistant Dean of Technology, IUP.**

*"I would like to thank you for participating in New International Student Orientation and share your words of wisdom and inspiration."* **Christina Arroyo, Assistant Director of International Affairs**

*"It is becoming harder and harder to find professors that actually care about their students, but you so clearly do."* **Catherine Watson, Former Student.**

*"You do an excellent job of relaying information and teaching us ideas that will help us in the "real" world."* **Theron Binder, Former Student**

*"I have learned a great deal from your classes. Attached is my new computer wallpaper image, in your honor!"* **Jim Kineer, V.P of People and Organizational Development, IRMC.**

*"I also wanted to thank you, for being a great teacher and just a great person. You were always very supportive of not just me, but of everyone around you. You encouraged students to take chances and follow their dreams. I really appreciate that and all you did for me."* **Suzie Hanish, Former Student**

*"I value and appreciate your work, your ethics, and your deep commitment to students."* **Laurie Nicholson, Associate Dean of Teacher Education, IUP.**

*"Thank you for everything you have done for me. I couldn't have gotten this job without your help."* **David Algeo, Former Student.**

*I just wanted to thank you for being my adviser the past four years. You've been very helpful and I appreciate everything you have done for me.* **Katie Caffey, Former Student**