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Garrett Fisher is currently finishing his M.A. in Spanish in the translation track at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte.

Garrett is a North Carolina Teaching Fellow who graduated magna cum laude from Western Carolina University with a bachelor's degree in Spanish Education in 2010. During this time, he studied abroad in Monterrey, Mexico at the Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey.

After graduating, Garrett began teaching Spanish at Franklin High School. Shortly after beginning, he started teaching Spanish and English as a Second Language at Southwestern Community College at night as well. He began researching innovative ways to keep his students engaged and decided to return to graduate school for Spanish translation at UNCC. While studying and researching, Garrett is teaching beginner-level Spanish collegiate classes as a graduate teaching assistant.

Garrett has interned as a medical interpreter with two different organizations and has done translation and transcription work for publications.

While in the classroom, Garrett strives to simplify languages by using modified versions of the Total Physical Response through Storytelling (TPRS) method and engagingly fun activities for his students while utilizing new-age technology.