

**Luís S. Ponce de León, Professor Emeritus of the Department of Modern Languages and Literatures,  
Passed Away November 12, 2019**

Luís Sierra Ponce de León, Professor Emeritus of the Department of Modern Languages and Literatures, passed away November 12, 2019. A professor of Spanish, he began his career at California State University, Hayward (East Bay) in 1972 and retired in 1992. He received the B.S. degree in 1948 from the Instituto Nacional de Enseñanza Media (Spain); the M.A. degree, 1965, and the Ph.D., 1970, from Stanford University.

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