

- **Name and job title**
 - María Miranda Rivera
 - Lecturer and Speech & Language Therapist

- **What do you do?**
 - Lecturer in Speech and Language Therapy at the University of Essex. I teach the anatomy & physiology modules, dysphagia and practice-based learning/placements.

- **What are your qualifications?**
 - BSc Cellular and Molecular Biology
 - MSc Language and the Brain
 - MSc Speech and Language Therapy
 - Certified Member of the Royal College of Speech & Language Therapists (RCSLT)
 - Registered Member of the Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC)
 - Certificate of Clinical Competence of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA)
 - Fellow of the Higher Education Academy

- **Fun fact about you**
 - I'm currently learning to drive