



**Rev. Miguel O. Alvarez, DMin, PhD**  
**Professor of Theology and Mission**

**Profile**

Dr. Miguel Alvarez, a missionary from Honduras, is the president of the Seminario Bíblico Pentecostal Centroamericano (SEBIPCA) in Quetzaltenango, Guatemala, and president of the Alliance for Education for Latin America (ALEAL). He is also International Vice president of the Asian Center for Missions (ACM), and president of the Consorcio de Seminarios de Latinoamérica (CONSELA).

In recent years he served as President of the Asian Seminary of Christian Ministries (ASCM) in the Philippines, and the South American Seminary (SEMISUD) in Ecuador. He is also the former President of the Asian Pentecostal Society (APS).

Dr. Alvarez has been pastor and administrator in the Church of God, his denomination. He lectures internationally and serves as academic advisor of mission, theology and hermeneutics. Alvarez networks with a variety of organizations and Christian leaders. He connects pastors, educators and church ministers with resources available in different locations. He is ordained with the Church of God (Cleveland, Tennessee).

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Civil Status: Married to Dr. Mireya Alvarez  
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## **Education**

PhD Oxford Centre for Mission Studies and Middlesex University, UK (2013)  
DMin Ashland Theological Seminary (1993)  
MDiv Pentecostal Theological Seminary (1986)  
Lic. Psicología Universidad Nacional Autónoma de Honduras (1983)  
BA International Latin Seminary (1977)

## **Professional History**

President Alianza para la Educación de América Latina (ALEAL) 2021-Present  
President Seminario Bíblico Pentecostal Centroamericano (SEBIPCA) 2019-Present  
President Alianza para la Educación de Centroamérica (ALECA) 2020-Present  
International Vice-President, Asian Center for Missions (ACM) (1995-Present)  
Editor of the Pentecostal Education Journal (2020-2024)  
Editor of Boletín Hechos (2019-Present)  
Associate Representative of CBN's [www.superbook.tv](http://www.superbook.tv) (2012-2023)  
President, Asian Seminary of Christian Ministries (1992-2001, 2017-18)  
Director of Hispanic Ministries Church of God in the State of Virginia (2013-17)  
Adjunct Professor of Theology and Mission at Regent University (2012-Present)  
Chancellor of the Asian Seminary of Christian Ministries (ASCM) 2001-Present  
President, South American Seminary (2010-2012)  
Administrative Bishop, Church of God Northeast Hispanic Region (2004-2010)  
President, Asian Pentecostal Society (2000-2002)  
Vice-President of the Asian Pentecostal Society (1998-2000)  
President of the Asian Missionary Society, Philippines (1993-1995)  
Director of Youth and Christian Education for Central America (1986-1992)  
Presidente of Confraternidad Evangélica de Honduras (1989-1992)  
President of the Pastors Association of Tegucigalpa, Honduras (1988-1990)  
District Overseer of the Church of God in Central Honduras (1983-1985)  
President of the AMEN Alliance of Honduras (1982-1983)  
Vice-President of the AMEN Alliance of Honduras (1980-1982)  
Director of Radio for the Church of God in Honduras (1977-1984)

## **Teaching Experience**

Professor of theology and mission at Seminario Bíblico Pentecostal Centroamericano (SEBIPCA) (2020-Present).  
Adjunct professor at United College of Theology and Mission (UCTM) Dimapur, India (2018-Present)  
Adjunct professor at University and Institute of Leadership and Ministry (UNILIMI) (2021-Present)  
Professor at Latin American Consortium of Education (CONSELA) (2011-Present)  
Adjunct Professor of Theology and Mission Regent University (2002-Present)  
Visiting Professor at Seminario Bíblico Pentecostal Centroamericano in Guatemala (2015)  
Professor of Intercultural Studies at the South American Seminary (SEMISUD) (2000-2012)  
Visiting Professor Pentecostal Theological Seminary (2005-Present)  
Visiting Professor Church of God Theological Seminary (2001)  
Visiting Professor Church of God School of Theology Jakarta, Indonesia (1997)  
Professor of Theology and Mission Asian Seminary of Christian Ministries (1992-Present)  
Professor at Pentecostal Theological Faculty of Central America (1986-1992)  
Professor at Honduras Theological Seminary (1986-1992)

## **Pastoral History**

Senior Pastor Capilla del Valle, Quito, Ecuador (2010-2012)  
Senior Pastor Iglesia Vino Nuevo, Virginia Beach, Virginia (2002-2004)  
Associate Pastor Word Community Church, Manila, Philippines (1994-2001)  
Senior Pastor ABBA Church of God, Tegucigalpa, Honduras (1987-1992)  
Senior Pastor Alameda Church of God, Tegucigalpa, Honduras (1977-1985)  
Senior Pastor Samaria Church of God, Samaria, Panamá (1976-1977)  
Senior Pastor El Valle de San Isidro Church of God, El Valle, Panamá (1975-1976)  
Senior Pastor El Zapote Church of God, Honduras (1974-1975)

## **Board Participation**

Member of the Board of Directors of Asociación para la Educación Teológica Hispana—AETH (2024-present)  
Member of *The Chosen* Biblical Advisory Board 2022-Present  
Member of the Board of Directors for the World Alliance of Pentecostal Theological Education (WAPTE 2021-Present)  
Member of the General Board of Education of the Church God (2022-Present)  
Member of Consejo Ejecutivo de América Central (CEAC) 2020-Present  
Member of the Church of God Global Board of Education (2020-Present)  
Member of the Church of God General Board of Education (2018-2020)  
Member of the Joint Consultative Group of Pentecostals and the World Council of Churches (2000- Present).  
Member of the Missions Commission of the Pentecostal World Conference (2018-Present)  
Member of the Church of God Global Board of Education (2016-2018).  
Chairman of the Hispanic Council of the Church of God in Virginia (2013-2017)  
Board of Directors Latin American Consortium of Education—CONSELA (2011-Present)  
Board member World Alliance for Pentecostal Theological Education –WAPTE (2009-Present)  
Chairman of the Board of the Alliance for Education on Latin America (2008-2012)  
Board of Directors Pentecostal Theological Seminary (2004-2010)  
Board Directors of the Church of God Hispanic Education in the US (2006-2010)  
Board of Trustees Tidewater Bible College in Virginia Beach, Virginia (2003-2004)  
Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Church of God School of Ministry (2000-2002)  
Member of the Church of God General Board of Education (1994-2000)  
Member of the State Council of the Church of God in Honduras (1987-1992)  
Board of Directors Church of God Youth and C. E. for Latin America (1986-1992)  
Board of Directors of ALFALIT Honduras (1981-1982)

## **Community Leadership**

Founding Director, Community Center for Humanitarian Aid, Ecuador (2010-2012)  
Board of Directors International Little League Association of Manila (1998-2001)  
Little League Baseball Coach, Manila, Philippines (1992-2001)  
Baseball Commissioner International Little League of Manila –ILLAM (1998-1999)  
Baseball Commissioner International Little League of Manila –ILLAM (1994-1995)  
Disciplinary Commission of Baseball League of Tegucigalpa, Honduras (1988-1992)  
Counselor at Victoria Project for Drug Addicts and Alcoholics in Honduras (1980-1984)  
Little League Baseball Coach Tegucigalpa, Honduras (1988-1992)

President of Vida Santa Soccer Team Association in Honduras (1983-1984)  
Volunteer Chaplain of the 1982 World Cup Team of Honduras (1980-1982)

### **Academic Works:**

Editor of *Boletín Hechos* (2019 – present)

Editor of *Pentecostal Education*. The Journal of the World Alliance of Pentecostal Theological Education—WAPTE (2020 – 2024).

Miguel Alvarez, *Hermenéutica: Palabra, Espíritu y Comunidad* (Quetzaltenango, Guatemala: Editorial SEBIPCA, 2021)

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\_\_\_\_\_, *Misión Integral: Un Nuevo Paradigma para el Pentecostalismo Latinoamericano* (Salem, OR: Publicaciones Kerigma, 1917).

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Vinson Synan and Amos Yong with Miguel Alvarez, *Global Renewal Christianity: Latin America*, Volume II (Orlando, FL: Charisma House, 2016).

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Raúl Zaldivar, Miguel Álvarez and David Ramírez, *El Rostro Hispano de Jesús* (Barcelona, España: Editorial CLIE, 2013).

\_\_\_\_\_, *Entendiendo la Hermenéutica Pentecostal* (Cleveland, TN: Editorial Evangélica, 2007).

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\_\_\_\_\_, *Historical Profile of the Church of God in Honduras*. Master of Divinity Thesis, Pentecostal Theological Seminary, 1986.

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\_\_\_\_\_, “La Gracia en la Tradición Pentecostal Latinoamericana”, *HECHOS* 7.2 (Junio 2025): 51-66

\_\_\_\_\_, “Continuidad de la Reforma Protestante: Anticipaciones del Evangelio Completo Pentecostal”, *HECHOS* 7.1 (Enero 2025): 23-43.

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\_\_\_\_\_, “Escudriñando al Texto. Un Método que Interpreta a la Escritura desde el Contexto Latinoamericano”, *HECHOS* 6.1 (Enero 2024): 3-26.

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