

## **Valentin Escanuela**

Valentin Escanuela is an Executive Leadership Coach for the San Diego County Office of Education's Equity Department. Valentin holds a BA in Sociology and an MEd in Cross Cultural Education. He is a champion for students as he spent 16 years working with the Juvenile Court and Community Schools serving the most underserved and under resourced students in San Diego County. He has led with an equity lens throughout his career as a teacher, Literacy Specialist, and administrator. He brings an expertise of creating environments and conditions that support the needs of teachers, staff, and our most vulnerable students. Valentin's most recent work has been to support schools and districts in creating learning environments that value, respect, and challenge all students to achieve at high levels.