



## Trainer's Profile

Jayne Arellano was born and raised in Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania. She studied dance and theater at New York University and took part in several Broadway Shows before moving to Los Angeles to work in film and TV.

One of those shows filmed in Mexico and Jayne met her director husband Pepe Arellano, fell in love and stayed.

Her Montessori training was under Cato Hanrath in Mexico City and she holds an AMI diploma for 2 1/2 to 6 +years. Jayne assisted Mrs. Hanrath in many of her parent courses and was instrumental in the publishing of her book; EL NIÑO DEL MAÑANA .

Jayne also holds an AMI diploma in Special Education and has extensive studies in Early Childhood Education.

She initiated Montessori courses and trained in many Mexican states, in Chile and in the United States and she assisted Rita Zenner in the first AMI course in Thailand.

In 1988 Jayne founded Grupo Montessori de La Ciudad de Mérida, A.C. The school has seven Montessori environments including one Infant Community, two Children's Houses, two Lower elementary and two upper elementary environments. Now 26 years old the school has been quite successful.

After many years of training her course in Merida first became an AMI Associated Course and after completing the training of Trainers she became an AMI International Trainer.

Her love of the arts continues and she promotes movement and music in her courses.