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Education

- University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT** 2018
 School of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Department of Modern Languages
 Doctor in Philosophy
Imágenes distorsionadas: El olvido en la producción cultural chilena del siglo XXI
- University of Puerto Rico, Mayagüez, PR** 2007
 Hispanic Studies Department
 Master of Arts
La reencarnación de los dioses: Mitopoesis en la narrativa de Horacio Quiroga y Adolfo Bioy Casares
- Inter American University, Aguadilla, PR** 2001
 Department of Natural Sciences
 Bachelor of Science

Teaching Experience

- TRINITY COLLEGE, DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGE AND CULTURE STUDIES, HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT**
- Co-director: Blume Language Center August 2021 - present
 Lecturer and Spanish Language Coordinator 2016 - present
 Visiting Lecturer and Spanish Language Coordinator 2015 - 2016
 Graduate Fellow 2014 - 2015
- UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT, STORRS, CT**
- Teaching Assistant, sole instructor of record for courses at all academic levels. 2008 - 2015
- UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT, GRANADA, SPAIN**
- Study Abroad Program Spring semester 2012
 Resident Director, University of Granada.
- UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT, STORRS, CT**
- Upward Bound / Conn Center for Academic Programs, Instructor 2011
- UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO, MAYAGÜEZ, PR**
- Teaching Assistant, sole instructor of record for courses at all academic levels. 2003 - 2006
- INTER AMERICAN UNIVERSITY, AGUADILLA, PR**
- Spanish Skills Development Technician, 2007 - 2008
 University Learning Center (Título V), Language assistance to students of all academic levels.

Publications

"E-Dem: From oblivion to simulacra" [under submission]

"Del Olimpo al laboratorio: El hombre artificial". *Revista de Estudios Hispánicos*. 1-2 (2012): 129 - 136. Print [University of Puerto Rico].

"La memoria chilena hoy". *Pucara*. 23 (2011): 83-98. Print [University of Cuenca, Ecuador].

"¿La desaparición de la dictadura?: Zombies en la Moneda". *Cruce: Crítica Socio-Cultural Contemporánea*. 22 agosto 2011. [Metropolitan University - Puerto Rico].

"La incorporeidad de la nación". *Pucara*. 22 (2010): 113 - 122. Print [University of Cuenca, Ecuador].

"8-26 de agosto 2003". *Códice*. 5 (Spring 2004): 15. Print [University of Puerto Rico - Mayagüez].

Conferences

"Sexo, terror y memoria en *Trauma*". New England Council of Latin American Studies. October 30, 20

"Del olvido al simulacro: E-Dem". New England Council of Latin American Studies. November 10, 2018

"Zombie Pinochet Presidente: Carabineros, motosierras y estudiantes, ¡presente!". Congreso Internacional de Literatura Hispánica, Granada, España. June 27-29, 2018

"From Island to City to Space: Boricua Superheroes". New England Council of Latin American Studies. November 4, 2017

"Cine que olvida: La trilogía de la dictadura de P. Larraín". Congreso Internacional de Literatura Hispánica, San Sebastián, España. July 5-8, 2016

"Michelle Bachellet: Puente entre la memoria y la postmemoria". NEMLA Annual Conference. Toronto, Canada. May 3rd, 2015

"La zombieficación de la memoria". XIV Céfiro Annual Conference. Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas. April 4th, 2013

"El dilema de las miradas: 'Balada del condenado de Oklahoma.'" 31st Cincinnati Conference on Romance Languages and Literatures. May 5th, 2011.

"¿Experiencia sin fronteras?" University of Connecticut Graduate Student Conference - Tectonic Clashes. March 12th, 2011.

"Promoting Reading and Writing Skills Through Videos". Connecticut high school teachers of Spanish for the University of Connecticut's Early College Experience Program. March 25, 2010.

"La incorporeidad de la nación". II Congreso Internacional: Ciudad e imaginarios en las literaturas latinoamericanas. Pontificia Universidad Católica de Valparaíso, Chile. November, 13, 2009

"La formación de lectores críticos". Tercer Congreso de Lingüística Aplicada a la enseñanza del español, College Board Oficina para Puerto Rico y América Latina. Universidad Interamericana de Puerto Rico, Recinto de Ponce. October 8, 2009.

"Del hombre a la máquina". La Jornada 2009: Otras subjetividades desde dentro y/o fuera de lo humano. Rutgers University. September 26, 2009

"Del Olimpo al laboratorio". Primer Congreso de Estudiantes Graduados de Estudios Hispánicos. Universidad de Puerto Rico, Recinto de Río Piedras. March 13, 2008

Courses taught

TRINITY COLLEGE

- First Year Seminar
- Spanish for Heritage Speakers
- Hispanic Hartford
- Latin American Culture I and II
- Spanish Intermediate I and II
- Spanish Elemental I and II
- Advanced Grammar and Composition

UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT

- Latino Culture in the United States.
- Classical Mythology
- Linkage Through Language Program: Spanish for the professions
- Hispanic Literature, Culture, and Society
- Spanish Composition
- Spanish Intermediate I and II
- Spanish Elemental I and II

UNIVERSIDAD DE PUERTO RICO

- Spanish Literature and Composition for Heritage Speakers I and II

Awards and Scholarships

COUNCIL OF INDEPENDENT COLLEGES

Humanities Research for the Public Good Grant - Voces de la Migración Project 2021

TRINITY COLLEGE

Mujeres poderosas / Powerful Women: La Voz Latina 2019, 2020
Community Learning Initiative Course Development Grant 2017-2018

UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT, STORRS, CT

Mu Sigma Upsilon Sorority, Inc.
Phenomenal Women Award November 2011

Department of Literatures, Cultures and Languages
Teaching Excellence Award May 2011
Graduate Student Fellowship for Summer Research Summer 2010
Research Assistantship Summer 2009
Josefina Romo-Arregui Scholarship, University of Connecticut August 2008

UNIVERSIDAD POLITÉCNICA DE PUERTO RICO, SAN JUAN, PR

Double mention - 11th Literary Contest May 2004

INTER AMERICAN UNIVERSITY, AGUADILLA, PR

Dean's List May 2001
Academic Excellence May 2001
Recognition of Leadership May 2001
Academic Excellence for Early Admission Student May 1998

Inter American University, San Germán, PR
Círculo Gautier Benítez, First Place (Poetry) - Literature Contest April 2000
First Place (Poetry) - Literature Contest April 1999
First Place (Poetry) - Literature Contest November 1997

University Service

TRINITY COLLEGE

Advising Fellow - Center for Academic Advising 2020 - present
Nest Artist: Faculty Adviser 2019 - present
Posse Scholars: Mentor 2019 - 2020
WRTC-FM - Host
Friday Class 2020
Borderless Voices; Books, Movies & Stuff; Voices Across Borders 2017 - 2019
Spanish Table Coordination 2014 - 2016
International Film Festival Coordination Spring 2015
Spanish Film Club Coordination Fall 2014

Committees

Student Records Coordinator Search Committee Fall 2021
Racial Justice Committee 2020
Blume Language Lab 2019 - 2020
Academic Assessment Board 2018 - 2020
Bantams in Balance 2017 - 2019
Peer Exchange Group 2017 - 2018

Study Away Faculty Advisor for Argentina and Latin America	2017 - 2018
Faculty Diversity Working Group	2017

UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT, STORRS, CT

University Graduate Student Senate - Senator	2012 - 2014
Senate Scholastic Standards Committee - Graduate Student Representative	2012 - 2014
Literatures, Cultures and Languages Department Faculty Committee Graduate Student Representative	2012 - 2013
Graduate Student Conference - Tectonic Clashes - Committee member	2010 - 2011
Humanities: Where are you going? A Graduate Student Forum - Co-chair	Spring 2011
Early College Experience Program Workshop Speaker and school visitor	2010 - 2011
Metanoia Week Spanish Film Festival - Committee member	2009

UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO, MAYAGÜEZ, PR

Hispanic Studies Department Open House Day, Committee member	2005
"Rosario Ferré: Lenguaje, Sujetos y Mundos" Congress, Committee member	2005

INTER AMERICAN UNIVERSITY, AGUADILLA, PR

University Senate, Senator	2000 - 2001
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Community Service

Comité Centroamérica Unida	2019
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Department of Education of Puerto Rico, Mayagüez, PR McKinney-Vento: "No child Left Behind" Act - Homeless Program Volunteer	2003 - 2005
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Certificaciones Profesionales de Hoteles Todo Incluido, Punta Cana, Dominican Republic Exam preparation Consultant	2002
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Close Up Foundation, Washington, D.C Conversational Interpreter, Language oral and written assistance for students and teachers.	2001
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Other experience

Digital Scholarship Fellowship Program in Exploratory Coding	2018
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2019 Voces Oral History Research Summer Institute University of Texas at Austin	2019
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