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Education

Ph.D., University of New Mexico (1992). Major in Latin American History, minor in United States History since 1860, auxiliary field in the history of the Western United States. Dissertation: "Zapata: Revolution and Betrayal in Mexico," supervised by Linda B. Hall.

M.A., University of New Mexico (1987). Major in Latin American History, minor in United States History.

B.A., Washington University at St. Louis (1981). Major in English Literature.

Honors, Fellowships, Grants

Graduate Faculty Mentoring Award, Graduate School, 2018

College of Liberal Arts and Building Scholars Mentoring Award, 2016 Appointed Dr. and Mrs. W.H. Timmons Professor of Borderlands History, 2015-

The Posthumous Career of Emiliano Zapata received Honorable Mention for the Thomas McGann Award from the Rocky Mountain Conference for Latin American Studies, 2009.

The Posthumous Career of Emiliano Zapata was a finalist for the Texas Institute of Letters' Most Significant Scholarly Book of 2008.

Outstanding Faculty Achievement Award, College of Liberal Arts, University of Texas, El Paso, 2008.

Awarded Faculty Development Leave, University of Texas, El Paso, 2003. National

Endowment for the Humanities, Extending the Reach Grant, 2002-2004. Recipient of University Research Grant, University of Texas, El Paso, 2001. Appointed Graduate Faculty Fellow, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1997.

Recipient of a Distinguished Teaching Award, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1997.

Recipient of Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students, from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Parents Association, 1996-1997, 1997-1998.

Nominated for Outstanding Teacher of the Year by the Association of Students at the University of Nebraska, 1996.

University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Faculty Summer Research Fellowship, 1996.

University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Faculty Summer Research Fellowship, 1994.

Appointed Fellow of Center for Great Plains Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1993.

University of New Mexico Latin American Institute Field Research Grant, 1991.

Fulbright Grant, 1989/1990.

University of New Mexico Graduate Achievement Award, 1989/1990.

Three University of New Mexico Student Research Allocation Committee Grants, 1987/1988, 1990, 1991.

Distinction awarded on comprehensive examinations for the Ph.D., 1989. Tinker/Mellon Research Grant, 1987/1988.

Distinction awarded on comprehensive examinations for the M.A., 1987.

Teaching

Professor of History at the University of Texas at El Paso, 2008--present.

Associate Professor of History at the University of Texas at El Paso, 1998-2008.

Assistant Professor of History at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1993-1998.

Instructor at the University of New Mexico and Albuquerque's Technical-Vocational Institute, 1990-

1993.

Courses Taught

At the University of Texas at El Paso

United States History to 1865
World History to 1500
World History since 1500
Modern Mexico
The Environmental History of Latin America
Jr.-Sr. Seminar: Modern Mexico
Jr.-Sr. Seminar: Environmental History of Latin America
Studies in Latin American History: The Mexican Revolution (graduate level)
Studies in Latin American History: Environmental History (graduate level)
Studies in World History: Environmental History (graduate level)
Studies in Borderlands History: Environmental History (graduate level)
Seminar in Latin American History: Twentieth Century Mexico (graduate level)
Literature and Methodology of Latin American History (graduate level)

At the University of Nebraska

Latin American Culture and Civilization
The Making of Colonial Mexico
The Shaping of Modern Mexico
Revolutions in Twentieth-Century Latin America
History of Brazil
Readings and Problems in Latin American History: The Mexican Revolution (graduate level)
Readings and Problems in Latin American History: Power and Resistance in Modern Latin America
(graduate level)
World History

At the University of New Mexico and T-VI

Western Civilization
United States History Survey

Dissertations Supervised

Carolina Monsivais, "Skirting the Law: Women in Vice During U.S. Prohibition in South Texas, 1900-1933" (2019)

Aaron Waggoner, "The New Wine: Spirit, Transformation, and Gender in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands, 1960-1990" (2017)

Joanne Kropp, "Constructing a River, Building a Border: An Environmental History of Irrigation, Water Law, State Formation, and the Rio Grande Rectification Project in the El Paso/Juárez Valley" (2016)

Juana Moriel, "Drama a flor de piel: fiestas, capellanías y cofradías en San Joseph del Parral, Chihuahua, siglos XVII y XVIII" (2016)

Aaron Margolis, "La Otra Frontera: Exiles, Engineering, and State Power in the Chiapan Borderlands" (2015)

Alejandro Rodriguez Mayoral, "Zapatistas: Vida cotidiana durante la Revolucion Mexicana" (2015)

Michael Bess, "Routes of Compromise: Road Building and Motor Transportation in Modern Mexico, 1920-1950" (2013)

Nancy Aguirre, "Porfirismo During the Mexican Revolution: Exile and the Politics of Representation, 1910-1920" (2012)

Jorge Jimenez, "The Private Businesses of Porfirio Diaz and the Early Modernization of Mexico, 1876-1911" (2012)

Juan Manuel Mendoza Guerrero, "La Comida Mexicana en El Paso, 1880-1964" (2012)

Jeffrey Lucas, "Twentieth Century Mexico through the Eyes of Antonio Díaz Soto y Gama" (2006).

Teaching Initiatives

Became certified by UTEP's Teaching Online Academy and delivered summer and fall classes entirely online, 2020

Created two new courses at the University of Texas, El Paso: The Environmental History of Latin America (History 3348) and Studies in World History (History 5306). Developed teaching interest in environmental history.

Participant in the creation of a new World History course, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1995-1996.

Participant in a University of New Mexico "Arts and Sciences Participatory Seminar" that focused on the teaching of critical thinking, 1991.

Awards Won by My Students

Aaron Waggoner, Outstanding Dissertation in Liberal Arts for “The New Wine: Spirit, Transformation, and Gender in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands, 1960-1990s,” 2019.

José Leyva, Outstanding MA Extended Seminar Paper, College of Liberal Arts. Title of project: “Beyond Making Good’: Braceros, Campesinos, and the Green Revolution in Mexico, 1940- 1979.” 2017.

Ligia Arguilez, Outstanding Undergraduate Thesis, College of Liberal Arts. Title of project: “An Un-Neutral Neutrality: United States Hegemony and Mexican Internment Camps Along the U.S.-Mexico Border, 1913-14.” 2017.

Aaron Margolis, Outstanding Dissertation in Liberal Arts for “La Otra Frontera: Exiles, Engineering, and State Power in the Chiapan Borderlands.” 2015.

Michael Bess, Outstanding Dissertation in Liberal Arts for “Routes of Compromise: Road Building and Motor Transportation in Modern Mexico, 1920-1950.” 2013.

Nancy Aguirre, Outstanding Dissertation in Liberal Arts for “Porfirismo During the Mexican Revolution: Exile and the Politics of Representation, 1910-1920.” 2012.

Books Published by My Students

Jeffrey K. Lucas, The Rightward Drift of Mexico's Former Revolutionaries: The Case of Antonio Diaz Soto Y Gama (Edwin Mellen, 2010).

Jorge H. Jiménez, Porfirio Díaz. Empresario y dictador (Editorial RM, 2013).

Michael K. Bess, Routes of Compromise: Building Roads and Shaping the Nation in Mexico, 1917-1952 (Nebraska, 2017).

Related Work Experience

Indexing the New Mexico Historical Review, fall 1992.

Publications

Books

La trayectoria póstuma de Emiliano Zapata: mito y memoria en el México del siglo xx, trans. of The Posthumous Career of Emiliano Zapata (Mexico City: Grano de Sal, 2019).

The Posthumous Career of Emiliano Zapata: Myth, Memory, and Mexico's Twentieth Century (Austin: University of Texas Press, 2008).

Heroes and Hero Cults in Modern Latin America, coedited with Ben Fallaw (Austin: University of Texas Press, 2006).

Emiliano Zapata: Revolution and Betrayal in Mexico (Albuquerque: University of New Mexico Press, 1995).

Articles and Book Chapters

Review of Museum Exhibit, Mexico City, Palacio de Bellas Artes, "Emiliano. Zapata después de Zapata," in Letras Libres (Mexico City), February 2020.

"Forjar un Zapata nacional," in Emiliano. Zapata después de Zapata, Luis Vargas Santiago, ed. (Secretaría de Cultura, Instituto Nacional de Bellas Artes y Literatura, 2019).

"Un siglo en el recuerdo," in Nexos (Mexico City), April 1, 2019.

"El Plan de Ayala y la unidad zapatista," in El Plan de Ayala: un siglo después, Laura Espejel, ed. (Secretaría de Cultura y Instituto Nacional de Antropología e Historia, 2018).

Encyclopedia entry, "Emiliano Zapata," in Iconic Mexico: An Encyclopedia from Acapulco to Zócalo, Eric Zolov, ed. (ABC-Clio, 2015), vol. 2: 682-687.

"Mito y memoria de Zapata en Morelos," in Historia de Morelos. Tierra, gente, tiempos del Sur, Horacio Crespo, ed. (Edición homenaje al Bicentenario de la Independencia de México y al Centenario de la Revolución Mexicana, Congreso del Estado de Morelos, 2012)

"El Culto Popular," in Proceso Bi-centenario 2: Zapata de la Z a la A, (May 2009): 22-34.

Entry on the "Mexican Revolution of 1910" for The World Book Encyclopedia, 2009.

Entry on Zapatismo for Encyclopedia of the Modern World (Oxford University Press, 2008).

"The Mortal Remains of Emiliano Zapata," in Death, Dismemberment, and Memory: Body Politics in Latin America, Lyman Johnson, ed. (University of New Mexico Press, 2004).

"La muerte de Emiliano Zapata y la institucionalización de la Revolución mexicana, 1919-1940," in Estudios sobre el zapatismo, coordinadora Laura Espejel López (Mexico City: INAH, 2000).

"Remembering Emiliano Zapata: Three Moments in the Posthumous Career of the Martyr of Chinameca," Hispanic American Historical Review 78 (August 1998).

"The Sad Situation of Civilians and Soldiers': The Banditry of Zapatismo in the Mexican Revolution," American Historical Review 101 (April 1996).

"Emiliano Zapata: The Myth and the Man," in Mirage (University of New Mexico Alumni magazine), winter 1996.

Entries on Emiliano Zapata, Otilio Montaña, and Manuel Palafox for the Encyclopedia of Mexico: History, Society, and Culture (Fitzroy Dearborn Publishers, 1998).

Entries on Emiliano Zapata, the Plan of Ayala, Genovevo de la O, and Felipe Angeles for the Encyclopedia of Latin American History (Charles Scribner's Sons, 1995).

"Zapata and the City Boys: In Search of a Piece of the Revolution," Hispanic American Historical Review 73 (1993).

Book Reviews

Rebeca Villalobos Álvarez, El culto a Juárez. La construcción retórica del héroe (1872-1976), in Hispanic American Historical Review, forthcoming, 2021.

Oscar Martinez, Mexico's Uneven Development, El Paso Times, Nov. 10, 2015.

Claudio Lomnitz, The Return of Comrade Ricardo Flores Magón, in Times Higher Education (2014).

Emily Wakild, Revolutionary Parks: Conservation, Social Justice, and Mexico's National Parks, 1910-1940, in the American Historical Review (2012).

Andrew S. Mathews, Instituting Nature: Authority, Expertise, and Power in Mexican Forests, H- Net (2012).

Tanalís Padilla, Rural Resistance in the Land of Zapata, in Contracorriente (2009).

Patrick McNamara, Sons of the Sierra: Juárez, Díaz, and the People of Ixtlán, Oaxaca, 1855- 1920, in the Hispanic American Historical Review (2009).

Plutarco Elias Calles and the Mexican Revolution, by Jurgen Buchenau, in the Journal of Latin American Studies (2008).

Caciquismo in Twentieth Century Mexico, edited by Alan Knight and Wil Pansters, in Estudios Interdisciplinarios de America Latina y el Caribe (2007).

The Life and Times of Mexico, by Earl Shorris, in The Historian (2007).

Catarino Garza's Revolution on the Texas-Mexico Border, by Elliott Young, in The Journal of Latin American Anthropology (Nov. 2005).

Fragments of a Golden Age: The Politics of Culture in Mexico since 1940, ed. Gilbert Joseph, Anne

Rubenstein, and Eric Zolov, in the American Historical Review (June 2003).

Zapata Lives!: Histories and Cultural Politics in Southern Mexico, by Lynn Stephen, in the Hispanic American Historical Review 84 (August 2004).

Los orígenes del zapatismo, by Felipe Arturo Avila Espinoza, in Historia Mexicana 53 (October-December 2003).

La Revolución: Mexico's Great Revolution as Memory, Myth, and History, by Thomas Benjamin, for H-LATAM, 2003.

Viva Mexico! Viva La Independencia!: Celebrations of September 16, ed. William H. Beezley and David E. Lorey, in the New Mexico Historical Review, (fall 2003).

Mexico in the 1940s: Modernity, Politics, and Corruption, by Stephen R. Niblo, in the New Mexico Historical Review, spring 2002.

Vicios publicos, virtudes privadas: La corrupción en Mexico, ed. Claudio Lomnitz, in the Hispanic American Historical Review, February 2002.

Popular Movements and State Formation in Revolutionary Mexico: The Agraristas and Cristeros of Michoacan, by Jennie Purnell, in Peace and Change, January 2002.

Zapata and Villa: A Biography of the Mexican Revolution, by Frank McLynn, in the English Historical Review, 2002

The Chiapas Rebellion: The Struggle for Land and Democracy, by Neil Harvey, in the New Mexico Historical Review, April 2000.

The Life and Times of Pancho Villa, by Friedrich Katz, in the El Paso Times (August 22, 1999) and the New Mexico Historical Review, October 1999.

Red, White and Green: The Maturing of Mexicanidad, 1940-1946, by Michael Nelson Miller, in the El Paso Times, July 18, 1999.

Cultural Politics in Revolution: Teachers, Peasants, and Schools in Mexico, 1930-1940, by Mary Kay Vaughan, in the American Historical Review, October 1998.

The Mexican Right: The End of Revolutionary Reform, 1929-1940, by John W. Sherman, in History: Reviews of New Books (1998).

Setting the Virgin on Fire, by Marjorie Becker, in The Americas (1997).

The Dynamics of Domination, by Viviane Brachet-Márquez, in History: Reviews of New Books 24 (1995).

B. Traven: A Vision of Mexico, by Heidi Zogbaum, in the New Mexico Historical Review 69 (1994).

Always a Rebel: Ricardo Flores Magón and the Mexican Revolution, by Ward S. Albro, in the New Mexico Historical Review 69 (1994).

Newspaper Articles

“La imagen de Zapata: más usos para los hombres que para las mujeres,” in Pie de Página (Mexico City), December 11, 2019

Editorial on naming of El Paso’s Oñate statue, El Paso Times, September 12, 2006.

Editorial, “To Label Villa a Terrorist is to Err” (not my title), El Paso Times, October 2001.

Papers Presented at Professional Meetings

"The Plan of Ayala and the Formation of Zapatista Unity," presented at conference commemorating the 100th Anniversary of the Plan de Ayala, Instituto Nacional de Antropología e Historia,, Mexico City, 2011

“A Mexican Martyr in Gringolandia; or, the Transborder Escapades of the Mythical Emiliano Zapata,” presented at the XII Conference of Mexican, United States and Canadian Historians, Vancouver, October 2006.

“The Mortal Remains of Emiliano Zapata,” presented at the Rocky Mountain Conference for Latin American History’s Annual Meeting, February 21, 2003.

“Origins of the Popular Myth of Zapata,” March 2001, Rocky Mountain Conference for Latin American Studies, Tucson.

“Writing a Life of Emiliano Zapata: the Man, the Myth, and the Role of the Individual in History,” January 4, 2001, Conference On Latin American History, Boston.

“Popular Culture, State-Building, and the Posthumous Career of Emiliano Zapata,” at the annual meeting of the Latin American Studies Association, Guadalajara, Mexico, April 19, 1997.

"Remembering Emiliano Zapata: Three Moments in the Posthumous Career of the Martyr of Chinameca," at the 40th annual Missouri Valley History Conference, Omaha, March 8, 1997.

"The Martyr of Chinameca and the Mexican State, 1919-1940," at the annual meeting of the American Historical Association, New York City, January 5, 1997.

"The Death of Emiliano Zapata," at the annual meeting of the Rocky Mountain Conference for Latin

American Studies and the Pacific Coast Conference on Latin American Studies, Santa Fe, March 21, 1996.

"From Chiapas to Chinameca: The Posthumous Career of Emiliano Zapata, 1919-1994," at the 39th annual Missouri Valley History Conference, Omaha, March 8, 1996.

"The Banditry of a Peasant Rebellion: The Case of the Zapatistas in the Mexican Revolution," at the 38th annual Missouri Valley History Conference, Omaha, March 10, 1995.

"The Politics of Zapatista Banditry," at the IX Conference of Mexican and North American Historians, Mexico City, October 28, 1994.

"Zapata and the City Boys: In Search of a Piece of the Revolution," at the annual meeting of the American Historical Association, Chicago, December 30, 1991.

"Zapatistas and Sandinistas: A Comparative Study of Peasants and their Leaders," at the Rocky Mountain Conference for Latin American Studies, Flagstaff, February 23, 1991.

Appearances at Professional Meetings

Chaired Panel, Rocky Mountain Conference on Latin American Studies, 2009, 2013.

Chaired Panel, Lineae Terrarum International Borders Conference, March 2006.

Commentator on panel at the Texas State Historical Society Annual Meeting, 2003.

Chair of panel on motorcycling history at the Southwest/Texas Popular Culture Association conference, Albuquerque, February 2002.

Commentator in panel, "Ideological Collaboration and the Role of the Media in the Postwar Period," at the X Conference of Mexican and North American Historians, Fort Worth, November 20, 1999.

Commentator in panel, "Strategies of Political Resistance Among Native Americans," in "Indigenous Peoples: An International Symposium," Lincoln, April 8, 1997.

Chair of panel, "Grasslands of the World," in the symposium "Great Plains Grasslands," Lincoln, April 8, 1994.

Invited Lectures and Other Presentations

Keynote address, "Difusión regional del mito de Zapata," at the XVII Congreso Internacional de Historia Regional, Universidad Autónoma de Ciudad Juárez, October 4, 2019.

Marjorie Fortunoff Mayrock address, "Remembering Emiliano Zapata: A Brief Visual Tour of Mexico's 'Revolutionary' Century," Ithaca College, March 24, 2014.

Continuing Education, Internal to The University of Texas at El Paso, Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, 30 participants. (October 10, 2011).

Continuing Education, Internal to The University of Texas at El Paso, OLLI--Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, 30 participants. (February 2011).

Conference call on my work with class at University of Puget Sound, 2011.

Presentation to the Department of Art and Art History, University of New Mexico, October 8, 2010, "Remembering Zapata: A Visual Tour."

Presentation to the History Department seminar series on my book, The Posthumous Career of Emiliano Zapata, October 24, 2008.

Spoke on Pancho Villa to Boulder RV Club, El Paso, March 2006.

Invited participant in the roundtable, Zapata Vive!: Constructions of a Cultural Hero, Jonson Gallery, University of New Mexico, October 28, 2005.

"Zapata, Hegemony, Nation, State and Mexico's Twentieth Century," History Department, University of New Mexico, October 28, 2005.

Spoke at the dedication of Emiliano Zapata grade school, La Joya (Texas) Independent School District, May 8, 2004.

Lecture on "Zapata, Man and Myth," at the Museum of South Texas History, Edinburg, Texas, May 8, 2004.

I have spoken several times about my first book, via conference call, with classes at Principia College in St. Louis.

"The Myth of Emiliano Zapata and Mexico's Twentieth Century," at the Center for Latin American and Border Studies, New Mexico State University, March 6, 2002.

Various lectures to the Center for Lifelong Learning, University of Texas at El Paso, 1999-2011.

"Demythologizing an Icon, Revising a Classic: Zapata, Womack, and me," and "The Myth of Emiliano Zapata" at the University of New Mexico, November 1998.

"The Myth of Emiliano Zapata," to UTEP Phi Alpha Theta and MEChA, November 20, 1998. "The

Posthumous Career of Emiliano Zapata: Three Episodes," Latino and Latin American Studies,

University of Nebraska-Lincoln, February 11, 1997.

"The Myth of Emiliano Zapata," Nebraska Wesleyan University, Lincoln, Nebraska, November 6, 1996.

"Zapata, el hombre y el mito," Dirección de Estudios Históricos del Instituto Nacional de Antropología e Historia (INAH), Mexico City, July 2, 1996.

"Emiliano Zapata: The Man and the Myth," University of California at Los Angeles, April 16, 1996.

"Emiliano Zapata: The Man and the Myth," California State University at Los Angeles, April 16, 1996.

Presentation sponsored by Phi Alpha Theta, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "The Myth of Zapata," November 17, 1994.

Presentation sponsored by Department of Latino and Latin American Studies, "The Zapatistas and Zapata," April 1994.

Presentation in Faculty Lecture Series, University of Nebraska-Lincoln Culture Center, "Emiliano Zapata," October 1993.

Research/Writing in Progress

Currently working on a book project tentatively entitled, "Place on the Border: The Pass of the North and the Environmental History of the Chihuahuan Desert."

Other Media

KTEP radio interview on annual Borderlands History Conference, February 2017

Newspaper interview, *El Paso Times*, May 15, 2011.

Discussed the Mexican Revolution on the KTEP radio show "Connections," Sept. 25, 2010.

Discussed my book, *The Posthumous Career of Emiliano Zapata*, on the Leon Metz radio show, December 13, 2008

Participated in a web roundtable, "Heroes, Gods, and Myths: The Myths That We Create and How They Create Us," hosted by Working Papers, a graduate web publication of the University of Pennsylvania's Department of Romance Languages, fall 2007.

Interviewed for "Zapata Lives," Argentinean documentary, which initially aired on the or the

History Channel, Latin America in early 2008.

I served as a consultant and did some writing for a KNME-TV production in Albuquerque, New Mexico entitled "Del Sur," which first aired in August 1992.

I worked as a consultant with film maker Susan Lloyd on a documentary film, "The Last Zapatista" (1995).

Service

At UTEP

Chair, Liberal Arts Tenure and Promotion Committee, 2020

Member, Ad-hoc Liberal Arts Curriculum Committee on BA General Requirements, 2020

Workload/Bylaws Committee, Department of History, 2019-20

Undergraduate Committee, Department of History, 2019-2020

Long Range Planning Committee, Department of History, 2020

Chair, Texas History Search Committee, 2019

PAR grievance committee, College of Liberal Arts, 2019

Chair, Faculty Workload Committee, College of Liberal Arts, 2018-2019

Brought in guest speaker Yoav Di-Capua, 2019

Brought in guest speaker Mario Garcia, 2019

Committee to evaluate Liberal Arts Outstanding Achievement Awards, 2017-2018

Borderlands Conference Committee Chair, 2015-2018

Borderlands Conference Committee Member, 2015

Mentor, HSI Pathways Program, 2016-2020

Participant, Music Unwound Grant Programming, 2016-2017

Reviewer for Building Scholars Mentoring Awards, 2017

Reviewer for Tom Lea Fellowships, 2016-2018

Chair of Search Committee, Borderlands/Mexican American History, 2014-2015

Brought in guest speaker, Barbara Tenenbaum, April 2014

Reviewed graduate student applications for Dodson Research Grants from Graduate School, 2014

Reviewed Proposals for COURI Research Awards Competition, 2013

College of Liberal Arts, Tenure and Promotion Committee, 2010, 2013

Head of Search Committee, Colonial Borderlands, 2012-13

In Charge of Department Scholarships, 2012-2013

Undergraduate Advisor, History Department, 2011-2020

Graduate Scholarship Committee, 2008-2011

Judge for outstanding M.A. thesis, Liberal Arts, 2008

Judge for UTEP-NMSU history conference, 2008

Served on search committee, Social Studies Teaching position, 2007-2008

Doctoral Advisor, 2006-2010, during which time I oversaw the reform of UTEP's doctoral program, instituting a new portfolio system for evaluating students' knowledge of fields.

Participant in College Assistance Migrant Program (CAMP), student mentoring, 2006-2009.

On committee for UTEP's program in response to El Paso's Oñate statue, 2006-2007.

In charge of doctoral recruiting in Mexico, 2006.

In charge of departmental web-site, 2006-2007.

Serving on the editorial board of H-Borderlands listserve, 2006-2015.

Head of Spanish history search committee, UTEP, 2004-2005.

Brought guest speaker Iñigo García-Bryce to UTEP, October 2005.

Served on UTEP Faculty Development Leave Committee, 2005

Helped organize conference Envisioning Bracero History, El Paso, fall 2005.

Arranged two talks on Islam by visiting Fulbright Professor Seema Alavi, UTEP, February 2004.

Head of history department's Western U.S. Search Committee, spring 2003.

Brought in a speaker from the UNAM, Felipe Arturo Avila Espinosa, in October 2003, to give a talk entitled, "The Origins of Zapatismo."

Graduate Program Committee, History Department, 2000-2002, 2006-2011, 2013-2020.

Graduate Advisor, UTEP history department, 2000-2002 UTEP

Faculty Senate, 2000-2001, 2006-2008.

McNair program mentor, 2000-2001.

Interim Chair, UTEP history department, 1999-2000.

Immigration History Project Campus Advisory Group, UTEP, 1999.

Brought speaker Linda Hall to UTEP, October 1999.

Judge for UTEP/NMSU Joint History Conference, 1999, 2001, 2008.

Judge for El Paso History Day contest, 1999-2020.

Advisory Council, UTEP history department, 1998-99, 2002-2003.

Library Committee, UTEP history department, 1998-99.

Merit Review and Post Tenure review committees, history department, 1999, 2000, 2003, 2005, 2014.

To the Community

Serving on Exhibits Committee for planning commemoration of the Mexican Revolution.

Met with El Paso County Historical Commission's Mexican Revolution Centennial Committee, 2006.

Interviewed about my work on Zapata by History Fair participant from Houston, Texas, 2006.

To the Profession

Reviewer of Grant Proposal to Digitize Archives, Modern Endangered Archives Project,

UCLA, 2021

Reviewer of manuscript for Journal of Latin American Studies, 2018

Promotion Review for New Mexico State University, 2017 Promotion

Review, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs, 2016

Reviewer of manuscript for the Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Latin American History, April 2015.

Reviewer of journal article for The Latinamericanist, February 2015.

Article manuscript review for Environmental History, 2014

Program Review, St. John's University, proposed Ph.D. program, 2014

Tenure and Promotion review for Montana State University, 2014 Tenure and

Promotion review for Arizona State University, 2013 Textbook review, CQ

Publishers, 2010-2011.

Reviewed entries on National Action Party, Netzahualcōyotl, and Oaxaca City for World Book Encyclopedia, 2010.

Tenure and Promotion review for University of Texas, San Antonio, 1999, 2010

Book manuscript reviews for the University of Texas Press, 2008, 2009.

Review of James W. Hurst, Pancho Villa and Black Jack Pershing, for the University of Oklahoma Press, 2008

World history text review for Houghton Mifflin, 2007

Book manuscript review for University of Calgary Press, 2007.

Co-chair of Program Committee for the Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association Conference in Hawaii, summer 2007.

World history text manuscript review, for Bedford/St. Martin's, 2006, 2007

Article manuscript review for Mexican Studies/Estudios Mexicanos, 2005, 2012.

Lewis Hanke prize committee for Conference for Latin American History, 2005.

Book manuscript reviews for the University of New Mexico Press, 2003, 2004, 2009 (2).

Textbook Manuscript Review for Addison, Wesley, Longman, 2001.

Article Manuscript Review for The Historian, 2001.

Manuscript reviews for McGraw Hill, World History Text, 1998, 1999, 2007. Two manuscript reviews for the Latin American Research Review, 1999.

Manuscript review for the University of Texas Press, 1998.

Manuscript review for the University of Nebraska Press, 1997, 2006, 2007. Manuscript review for the Hispanic American Historical Review, 1997.

Textbook review for Harper Collins, 1997.

Textbook manuscript review for Harcourt Brace, 1996.

Manuscript review for The Americas, 1996, 2005.

Manuscript review for Great Plains Quarterly, 1996.

Textbook review for Prentice Hall, 1995, 1997.

Manuscript reviews for New Mexico Historical Review, 1993, 1996, 1998, 2003, 2006.

At the University of Nebraska

Ad-hoc Committee on the Graduate Program, UNL History Department, 1997-1998.

Undergraduate Advisor, UNL Latin American Studies, 1997-1998.

Search Committee for Chair of History Department, UNL, 1997. Advisory

Committee, Department of History, UNL, 1995-1997. Undergraduate

Committee, Department of History, UNL, 1993-1997.

At the University of New Mexico

Judge for Dabney Award, University of New Mexico, 1992.