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ACADEMIC DEGREES

- 1998** **Ph.D. Princeton University.** Princeton, New Jersey. Romance Languages and Literatures.
- 1995** **M.A. Princeton University.** Princeton, New Jersey. Romance Languages and Literatures.
- 1993** **Magister, Universidad de Chile.** Santiago de Chile. Literatura.
- 1991** **Licenciatura, Universidad de Chile.** Santiago de Chile. Humanidades, con mención en Lengua y Literatura Hispánica.

HONORS: SCHOLARSHIPS, GRANTS AND AWARDS

- 2005-2008** Consultant. NEH Collaborative Translation Award. Susan Schroeder, Project Director. Research funds in the amount of \$80,000.
- 2003** Cornell University's School of Criticism and Theory. A grant covering tuition and travel funds to attend a series of lectures, workshops, and seminars in The School of Criticism and Theory at Cornell University.
- 2001-02** Faculty Fellow, Institute for the Humanities, University of Illinois, Chicago. A one-year appointment at the Institute for the Humanities granted for the completion of my book manuscript.

- 2001** Mendel Fellowship, Lilly Library, Indiana University. A \$ 1,500 grant for travel costs and living expenses in Bloomington during my research in the Lilly Library.
- OVRC-AHH Grant, University of Illinois, Chicago. A \$ 2,550 grant for travel costs and living expenses in Providence, Rhode Island during my research in the John Carter Brown Library.
- 1998-2001** University of Illinois Minority Grant, University of Illinois, Chicago. 30,000 in research funds distributed in three yearly installments of 10,000.
- 1996-97** Armstrong Prize, RLL, Princeton University.
- 1995-96** Armstrong Prize, RLL, Princeton University.
- 1994-95** Armstrong Prize, RLL, Princeton University.
- 1993-94** Latin American Studies Award, Princeton University.
- 1993** Magister Fellowship. CONICYT-Chile (Comisión Nacional de Investigación, Ciencia y Tecnología).
- 1990** Beca de Colaboración Académica (Instructorship Grant), Departamento de Literatura, Universidad de Chile.
- 1989** Beca de Colaboración Académica (Instructorship Grant), Departamento de Literatura, Universidad de Chile.

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

- 2005-to date** **Associate Professor**, Department of Latin American and Latino Studies, University of Illinois at Chicago.
- 2004-2011** **Associate Professor**, Department of Spanish, French, Italian, and Portuguese, University of Illinois at Chicago.
- Winter 2006** **Visiting Associate Professor**, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Chicago.
- 1998-2004** **Assistant Professor**, Department of Spanish, French, Italian, and Portuguese, University of Illinois at Chicago.
- 1997-1998** **Assistant Professor**, Modern and Classical Languages, College of Saint Benedict/St. John's University.

- 1993-1996** **Assistant in Instruction**, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, Princeton University.
- 1991-1993** **Profesor Ayudante Segundo**, Departamento de Literatura, Facultad de Filosofía, Universidad de Chile, Santiago de Chile.

DOCTORAL DISSERTATION

“La historiografía del descubrimiento en la Historia de las Indias de Francisco López de Gómara” [Francisco López de Gómara’s Historiography of the Discovery]. Advisor: Professor Rolena Adorno. Not published.

PUBLICATIONS

Books

- Histories of Infamy: Francisco López de Gómara and the Ethics of Spanish Imperialism*, Boulder: University Press of Colorado, 2005.
Reviewed by Patricio Boyer, *The Americas*, 64, no. 3 (2008): 462-463.
Reviewed by John F. Schwaller, *Hispanic American Historical Review* 87.4 (2007): 740-741.
Reviewed by Kathleen Myers, *American Historical Review* (December 2007): 1615-1616.
Reviewed by Juan Francisco Maura, *Bulletin of Hispanic Studies* 84.3 (2007): 419-420.
Reviewed by Paul Lokken, *H-Atlantic* (July, 2007): <<http://www.h-net.org/reviews/showpdf.php?id=13400>>.
Reviewed by Sean Fleming, *Library Journal* (October 15, 2005): 69.

Translations and editions

- Chimalpahin y la Conquista de México de Francisco López de Gómara*, Susan Schroeder, dir., David E. Tavarez and Cristián Roa-de-la-Carrera, eds. Mexico: Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, 2011.
- Chimalpahin and the Conquest of Mexico by Francisco López de Gómara*, Susan Schroeder, dir., Anne J. Cruz, Cristián Roa-de-la-Carrera, and David E. Tavarez, eds. and trans., *Codex Chimalpahin*, volume 5, Susan Schroeder, gen. ed. Stanford: Stanford University Press, 2010.

Articles

“Human Sacrifice, Conquest and the Law: Cultural Interpretation and Colonial Sovereignty in New Spain.” Santa Arias and Raúl Marrero Eds. *Coloniality, Religion, and the Law in the Early Iberian World*. Minneapolis: University of Minnesota Press, forthcoming.

“Francisco López de Gómara and the *Conquista de México*,” *Chimalpahin y la Conquista de México de Francisco López de Gómara*, Susan Schroeder, dir., David E. Tavarez, and Cristián Roa-de-la-Carrera, eds. Mexico: Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, 2011.

“Para narrar del imperio indiano: catacresis jurídica y el legado colonial español.” *Estudios transatlánticos coloniales*, Ileana Rodríguez and Josebe Martínez, eds. 4 vols. Barcelona: Anthropos, 2011.

“Francisco López de Gómara and the *Conquista de México*,” *Chimalpahin and the Conquest of Mexico by Francisco López de Gómara*, Anne J. Cruz, Cristián Roa-de-la-Carrera, Susan Schroeder, and David E. Tavarez, eds. and trans., *Codex Chimalpahin*, volume 5, Susan Schroeder, gen. ed. Stanford: Stanford University Press, 2010, 35-49.

“Translating Nahua Rhetoric: Fray Bernardino de Sahagún's Missionary Ethnography and the Nahua Subject in Colonial Mexico.” In *Rhetorics of the Americas: 3114BCE to 2012CE*, edited by Damián Baca and Víctor Villanueva. New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2010, 69-87.

“El “indio” como categoría antropológica en la *Apologética Historia Sumaria* de fray Bartolomé de las Casas,” *Confluencia* 25.2 (2010): 81-93.

“Vespucci, Amerigo.” *Encyclopedia of Latin American History and Culture*, 2nd Edition. Edited by Joseph S. Tulchin. Detroit: Gale Cengage, 2008, 6: 357-358.

“El Nuevo Mundo como problema de conocimiento: Américo Vespuccio y el discurso geográfico del siglo XVI,” *Hispanic Review* 70.4 (Autumn 2002): 557-80.

“La historia de Indias y los límites del consenso: Gómara en la cultura del imperio,” *Colonial Latin American Review* 10.1 (2001): 69-86.

(with Arcadio Díaz Quiñones). Preface to *El Caribe entre imperios. Coloquio de Princeton*, special issue of *Revista del Centro de Investigaciones Históricas de la Universidad de Puerto Rico* 9 (1997): XI-XIV.

“El discurso de la guerra en los textos chilenos del siglo XVI,” *Revista Chilena de Literatura* [Santiago de Chile] 42 (Agosto 1993): 217-21.

“Negación e hibridación en Coplas D Navidad de Nicanor Parra,” *Revista Chilena de Literatura* [Santiago de Chile] 39 (abril 1992): 63-73.

Book reviews

Beckjord, Sara H. (2007) *Territories of History. Humanism, Rhetoric, and the Historical Imagination in the Early Chronicles of Spanish America*, The Pennsylvania State University Press (University Park, PA). *Bulletin of Latin American Research* 29.2 (2010): 251-252.

(with Alejandro Madrid). *The Singing of the New World: Indigenous Voice in the Era of European Contact*. By Gary Tomlinson. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2007. *Hispanic American Historical Review* 88.4 (2008): 697-699.

Writing from the Edge of the World: The Memoirs of Darién, 1514-1527. By Gonzalo Fernández de Oviedo. Translated and with an Introduction by G. F. Dille. Tuscaloosa: University of Alabama Press, 2006. *Hispanic American Historical Review* 88.2 (2008): 299-300.

Jonathan Earl Carlyon. *Andrés González de Barcia and the Creation of the Colonial Spanish American Library*. Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 2005. *The American Historical Review* 112.3 (June 2007): 902-903.

Verónica Cortínez, *Memoria original de Bernal Díaz del Castillo*. Huixquilucan, México: Oak Editorial, 2000. Luis Millones Figueroa, *Pedro Cieza de León y su Crónica de Indias. La entrada de los incas en la historia universal*. Lima, Perú: IFEA-Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú, 2001. *Colonial Latin American Review* 11.2 (2002): 339-42

Jorge Lozano, *El discurso histórico*. Madrid: Alianza, 1987. *Revista Chilena de Literatura* [Santiago de Chile] 35 (abril 1990): 154-59.

Exhibits

(Co-author with Ellen T. Baird). *The Aztecs and the Making of Colonial Mexico: A Virtual Exhibit* (www.newberry.org/aztecs.html).

(Co-curator with Ellen T. Baird). “The Aztecs and the Making of Colonial Mexico,” Newberry :Library, Chicago, September 28, 2006-January 13, 2007.

LECTURES AND CONFERENCE PAPERS

“A Nahua Scholar and His Spanish Source: Chimalpahin’s Transcription of López de Gómara’s *La conquista de México*.” “Indian” Identities in Colonial Latin America. A Symposium of the Center for Latin American and Latino/a Studies. Georgia State University. September 21, 2012.

“Representing Quetzalcoatl in the *Florentine Codex*: Overlapping Literacies and the Encyclopedic Organization of Knowledge.” 127th Modern Language Association Annual Convention, Seattle, Washington, January 5-8, 2011.

“Representing Human Sacrifice in Colonial Mexico: The Spanish Conquest and Cultural Interpretation.” Latin American and Latino Studies Brownbag Talk, University of Illinois at Chicago, April 20, 2011.

“Fray Bernardino de Sahagún and the Return of Nahua Idolatries.” Society of Early Americanists Seventh Biennial Conference. Philadelphia, March 3-5, 2011.

“Performing Cultural Difference in the Spanish Empire Being Nahua For The Eyes of a Christian Beholder.” In/Between Conference: Thoughts on Literature and Language. University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, April 22-23, 2010.

“Marvelous Conversions: Motolinía and the Franciscan Missionary Enterprise in New Spain,” Mid-America Conference on Hispanic Literature, The University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas, November 5-7, 2009.

“Reading Nahua Subjectivity in New Spain: Religious and Political Performances in Sixteenth Century Chronicles,” Society of Early Americanists 6th Biennial Conference, Bermuda, March 4-7, 2009.

Invited lecture. “Mexico’s Christians: Indigenous Creativity and the European Tradition,” Online Exhibition Launch, *The Aztecs and the Making of Colonial Mexico*. Newberry Library, Chicago, January 29, 2009.

“Justicia e imperialismo español: el canon colonial y la tradición de la desigualdad en América,” 50th M/MLA Annual Convention, Minneapolis, Minnesota, November 13-16, 2008.

“El indio como categoría antropológica en la obra de Bartolomé de las Casas,” XXXVII Congreso Internacional IILI, Puebla, Mexico, June 24-28, 2008.

“The milieu-theory and the hermeneutics of cultural difference within Spanish colonialism,” Mid-America Conference on Hispanic Literature, University of Wisconsin-Madison, October 4-6, 2007.

Invited Lecture. "Colonialism and Historiography," University of Warwick Summer Workshop (funded by the Mellon Foundation), "European and New World Forms of Knowledge in Colonial Spanish America," The Newberry Library, July 31, 2007.

"Fray Bernardino de Sahagún's Missionary Ethnography and the Invention of Nahua Theology," The Sixteenth Annual Medieval, Renaissance, and Baroque Interdisciplinary Symposium "Questioning Colonialism," University of Miami, Coral Gables, February 22-24, 2007

"Time and the Translation of Indigenous Cultural Categories in the *Florentine Codex* by Fray Bernardino de Sahagún," 52nd International Congress of Americanists, Seville, Spain, July 17-21, 2006.

(with Ellen T. Baird) "After the Fall of Tenochtitlan: The Aztecs in Colonial Mexico," Newberry Library Colloquium, Newberry Library, Chicago, Wednesday, May 10th, 2006.

"Letters from Home: Hernán Cortés and the Textuality of Civil Authority in Bernal Díaz del Castillo's *Historia Verdadera*," II Simposio Internacional Interdisciplinario de Colonialistas de las Américas, Bogotá, Colombia, August 8-11, 2005.

"La encomienda y las formas de civilidad colonial: la construcción del "indio" como categoría étnica en las crónicas del siglo XVI," I° Congreso Regional del Instituto Internacional de Literatura Iberoamericana "Nuevas cartografías críticas: problemas actuales de la Literatura Iberoamericana," Rosario, Argentina, June 23-25 2005.

"Provincializing Travel Writing in Sixteenth Century New Spain: Bernal Díaz del Castillo's *Historia Verdadera* and the return of the conquistador," Visiones Literarias del Viejo y Nuevo Mundo, University of Massachusetts-Amherst, April 23-24, 2004.

Invited lecture. "Memorializing the Dead: Lineages, Burial Places, and Family Stories in the Colonization of Mexico," Colonial Latin American Literature: A State of the Art. Yale University, October 24-25, 2003.

"When the Conquistador Comes Home: Colonialism and Domestic Order in Travel Narratives in Sixteenth Century New Spain," XXIV International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association, Dallas, Texas, March 27-29, 2003.

"The Patriarchal World of the Conquistador: Francisco López de Gómara's *Historia general* and Native Slavery," 36th Annual Symposium on Comparative Literature at Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas, March 13-15, 2003.

Invited lecture. “Imagining the Colonial Political Community: Francisco López de Gómara and Social Reform under the Spanish Empire,” Fellows Luncheon Chat, The John Carter Brown Library, Providence, Rhode Island, July 31, 2002.

“Imperialismo y autosuficiencia: la comunidad política colonial en la *Historia general* de Francisco López de Gómara,” XXXIV Congreso Instituto Internacional de Literatura Iberoamericana, Iowa City, July 2-6, 2002.

“Francisco López de Gómara’s *Historia general de las Indias*,” Early Ibero Anglo American Summit, Tucson, Arizona, May 16-19, 2002.

“The Meanings of Exchange: Francisco López de Gómara and the Construction of Spanish Colonialism,” Fellow Lecture at the Institute for the Humanities, University of Illinois, Chicago, November 21, 2001.

“Conceptualizando la inconmensurabilidad: la *Historia general* de Gómara ante la diversidad cultural americana,” XIV Congreso de la Asociación Internacional de Hispanistas, New York, July 16-21, 2001.

“El debate sobre la capacidad del indígena en la formación del discurso colonial,” X FIEALC Congreso Mundial de Latinoamericanistas y Caribólogos, Moscow, June 25-29, 2001.

“Las prácticas jurídicas e historiográficas de colonización: la censura en la formación discursiva de la historia de Indias,” NEMLA, Hartford, March 30-31, 2001.

“Mediterranean Trade and Diplomacy: The European Reader in the Discursive Configuration of Sixteenth-Century Historiography on the New World,” Crossing Boundaries: Europe Arrives in the New World, Universidade Federal da Bahia, Brazil, May 24-27, 2000.

“El imperio como empresa de conocimiento: Colón y la praxis colonial,” XXII International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association, Miami, March 16-18, 2000.

“Los oscuros principios de las historias antiguas: Francisco López de Gómara y la historia de hechos olvidados,” LA CHISPA, New Orleans, February 25-27, 1999.

“Para escribir la historia de Indias en el siglo XVI: López de Gómara y su *Historia general de las Indias*,” XX International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association, Guadalajara, México, April 17-19, 1997.

“El universo criollo de don Carlos de Sigüenza y Góngora en el Alboroto y motín de los indios de México,” Second Graduate Conference on Hispanic and Luso-

Brazilian Literatures, The Graduate School and University Center of the City University of New York, Friday, October 13, 1995.

“El discurso de la guerra en los textos chilenos del S XVI” (printed in Revista Chilena de Literatura), Tercer Congreso de Culturas Hispánicas “Culturas e identidades”, Universidad de Chile, Santiago, 12-14 de Agosto, 1992.

COURSES TAUGHT

University of Illinois, Chicago:

- LALS 596. Independent Study
- SPAN 596. Independent Study
- SPAN 530. Seminar in Spanish American Literature
- LALS 499. Advanced Independent Study
- SPAN 430. Spanish American Literature of the Colonial Period
- LALS 391. Seminar in Latin American Studies
- SPAN 390. Senior Seminar: Topics in Research and Writing
- SPAN 315. Spanish American Literature since Modernismo
- SPAN 314. Spanish American Literature to 1900
- SPAN 312. Spanish American Literature and Society
- LALS/ANTH 256. European Indigenous Interactions in Latin America
- SPAN 212. Cultural and Literary Studies in Spain and Latin America
- SPAN 211. Introduction to the Analysis of Hispanic Texts
- SPAN 210. Introduction to the Reading of Hispanic Texts
- SPAN 201. Spanish Composition
- LALS 192. From the Convents to the Streets: Latin American Women’s Writing
- LALS 110. Introduction to Latin American Cultures
- LALS 101. Introduction to Latin American Studies
- LAS 100. Freshmen Seminar

University of Chicago

- Span 22500/32500, Winter 2006. The Writing of Tradition: The Franciscans’ Translation of Indigenous Knowledges

Newberry Library

- Taught with Ellen T. Baird. “Maps in Colonial Mexico.” Teachers as Scholars Program. Two-day Seminar for Chicgo Area Teachers. December 14-15, 2006.
- Taught with Ellen T. Baird. “Theorizing Indigenous Knowledge in Colonial Mexico: Pictorial Nahua Documents.” A graduate seminar offered for CIC (Consortium for Institutional Cooperation) students. January 13 - March 17, 2006.

SERVICE

Community

- 2009-2010** Volunteer for lunch and playground duty. LaSalle Language Academy, CPS. Capital Development Committee, PTA, LaSalle Language Academy.
- Profession**
- 2013-2014** Executive Committee of the Division on Colonial Latin American Literatures, Modern Language Association.
- 2012-2013** Executive Committee of the Division on Colonial Latin American Literatures, Modern Language Association (term beginning January 7, 2013).
- 2010-2011** Research Project Evaluator, FONDECYT, Chile.
Dissertation Project Colloquium Committee for Heather Allen, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Chicago.
- 2009-2010** Served as panel chair for “Reflections in the Margins: Representation of the Marginalized in Iberian and Latin American Literatures,” The University of Chicago, October 16-17, 2009.
Served as panel chair for “Third IUPLR Biennial Siglo XXI: The State of Latino Studies Conference,” the University of Illinois at Chicago and the National Museum of Mexican Art, Chicago, September 24-26, 2009.
Served in Kimberly Borchard’s Dissertation Defense Committee, University of Chicago, Chicago, May 4, 2009.
Member of the Midwest Working Group on Colonial Latin America. We meet and discuss each others writings. Our May 1-2 meeting was sponsored by the Kellogg Institute at the University of Notre Dame.
- 2008-2009** Served as moderator for the conference *Religious Transformation*, Washington University, St. Louis, March 23-25, 2009.
Tenure Case Evaluator, Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures, Colorado State University.
Newberry Library, served in a focus group sponsored by a grant from the Chicago Community Trust to research, study, and identify a sustained audience development strategy aimed at effectively attracting and expanding Latino audiences in the library, October 1, 2008.
Served in Heather Allen’s Doctoral Colloquium, University of Chicago, December 2, 2008.
Served as a moderator for the conference “New Worlds, New Publics: Re(con)figuring Association and the Impact of European Expansion, 1500-1700,” David Boruchoff, Organizer, The Newberry Library, Chicago, September 25-27, 2008.
- 2007-2008** “Aztecs/ Nahua/ Mexicans: Living Documents Workshop.” The Newberry Library, October 5, 2007.
Translation Project Consultant, Tulane University.

Faculty Mentor. University of Warwick Fellowship (funded by the Mellon Foundation), Newberry Library, May-July, 2007.

Lecturer on "Colonialism and Historiography." "European and New World Forms of Knowledge in Colonial Spanish America," University of Warwick Summer Workshop (funded by the Mellon Foundation), The Newberry Library, July 31, 2007.

Show and Tell. "European and New World Forms of Knowledge in Colonial Spanish America," University of Warwick Summer Workshop (funded by the Mellon Foundation), The Newberry Library, July 31, 2007.

2006-2007

Translation Project Consultant, Tulane University.

Reviewer for Modern Philology.

Exhibit Co-curator, Newberry Library, "The Aztecs in Colonial Mexico."

Docent. "Maps in Colonial Mexico," Teachers as Scholars Seminar, The Newberry Library, Chicago, December 14-15, 2006.

Research Project Evaluator, FONDECYT, Chile.

Tenure Case Evaluator, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan.

Dissertation Project Colloquium Committee for Kimberly Bochar, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Chicago.

2005-2006

Reviewer for University Press of Colorado.

Reviewer for Prentice Hall.

Translation Project Consultant, Tulane University.

Exhibit Co-curator, Newberry Library, "The Aztecs in Colonial Mexico."

Research Project Evaluator, FONDECYT, Chile.

University

- 2012-2013** Graduate College Executive Committee
Application evaluator for the Chancellor's Award Committee, Graduate College
Latino Cultural Center Ambassador
- 2011-2012** Graduate College Executive Committee
Application evaluator for the Chancellor's Award Committee, Graduate College
Latino Cultural Center Ambassador
- 2010-2011** Abraham Lincoln Award Committee, Graduate College
Application evaluator for the Chancellor's Award Committee, Graduate College
Faculty Judge African American and Latino Research Forum this April 14th,
2011.
Doctoral Committee for Amy Galpin, Department of Art History, College of
Architecture and the Arts.
- 2006-2007** Faculty Judge, Undergraduate Research Symposium, April 20, 2007.
Doctoral Committee for Amy Galpin, Department of Art History, College of
Architecture and the Arts.
- 2005** Preliminary Doctoral Exam Committee for Amy Galpin, Department of Art
History, College of Architecture and the Arts.
- 2003** McNair Post-Baccalaureate Achievement Program. Faculty Mentor for Cindy
López.
- 2000-2005** Library Committee.

College of Liberal Arts

- 2012-2013** Institute for the Humanities Executive Committee.
Newberry Liaison (in charge of coordinating co-teaching assignments in UIC and recruiting students for the Newberry Undergraduate Seminar, an undergraduate six-credit course taught in conjunction with DePaul, Loyola, and Roosevelt universities).
Thesis Director for Raul Gutiérrez (Dept. of Hispanic and Italian Studies)..
- 2011-2012** Newberry Liaison (in charge of coordinating co-teaching assignments in UIC and recruiting students for the Newberry Undergraduate Seminar, an undergraduate six-credit course taught in conjunction with DePaul, Loyola, and Roosevelt universities).
- 2010-2011** Newberry Liaison (in charge of coordinating co-teaching assignments in UIC and recruiting students for the Newberry Undergraduate Seminar, an undergraduate six-credit course taught in conjunction with DePaul, Loyola, and Roosevelt universities).
- 2008-2009** Presenter on LALS major, UIC Honors Ambassador Program, October 15, 2008
Panelist, LAS Freshman Town Hall Meeting, October 6, 2008.
- 2006-2007** Chair, Violet Berquist-Redding Award Committee.
- 2005-2006** Chair, Violet Berquist-Redding Award Committee.
- 1998-99** Focus Group on Student Writing at UIC.

Latin American and Latino Studies

- 2013-2014** Outreach Committee
Advisory Committee
- 2012-2013** Director of Undergraduate Studies
- 2011-2012** Director of Undergraduate Studies
- 2010-2011** Director of Undergraduate Studies
- 2009-2010** Director of Undergraduate Studies
Attended blended learning meetings
- 2008-2009** Director of Undergraduate Studies
Assistance with M.A. proposal (contributed in editing, review, submission, and response to Educational Policy Committee and Graduate School queries)

2007-2008 Director of Graduate Studies, in charge of Masters Proposal Design

2006-2007 New Master Program Proposal Committee
Javier Villa-Flores's Tenure Committee.
Title VI NRC Application Coordinator, "Race in the Americas."
Translator, "Marching for Change: Chicago in the National Immigrant
Movement" Conference.

2005-2006 Faculty Mentor.
Class evaluation letter for Javier Villa-Flores's tenure file.

Department of Hispanic and Italian Studies (old Spanish, French, Italian and Portuguese)

2011-2012 Prospectus Committee for Lillian Gorman

2010-2011 Director of Graduate Studies
Quorum Committee
Prospectus Committee for Melissa Huerta
Preliminary Exams Committee for Idoia del Mozo
Preliminary Exams Committee for Melissa Huerta
Preliminary Exams Committee for Lillian Gorman
Dissertation Committee for Eugenio DiStefano

2009-2010 Head, Steven Marsh's Mid-career Review Committee
Library Committee
Prospectus Committee for Maxiliano Sanchez.
Dissertation Committee for Clara Herrera
Dissertation Committee for Javier García

2008-2009 Doctoral Committees for Martin Ponti and Maxiliano Sanchez.
Dissertation Committee for Monserrat Pérez Toribio
Advisory Committee

2007-2008 Graduate Studies Committee
Doctoral Committee for Angelica Ahlman

2006-2007 Dissertation Committee for Juan Trouillhet.
Lecture Committee.
Graduate Committee.
Undergraduate Committee.
Graduate Curricular Revision.
Advisory Committee.
Title VI NRC Application Coordinator, "Race in the Americas."

2005-2006 Director of Undergraduate Studies.
Advisory Committee.
Doctoral Committee for Clara Herrera.

Undergraduate Curricular Revision.
Search Committee and MLA interviews.
Self-Evaluation document of undergraduate studies in Spanish for external review.
Self-Assessment study and documentation.
Class evaluation for Rosilie Hernández-Pecoraro's tenure file.

- 2004-05** Advisory Committee.
Director of Undergraduate Studies (Spring 2005).
Doctoral and Dissertation Committees for Juan Gamiño.
Ruth El Saffar Award Committee.
- 2003-04** Advisory Committee.
Undergraduate Committee.
Undergraduate Advisor for Spanish Majors.
Search Committee: Assistant Professor of Modern Peninsular Literature.
Preliminary Doctoral Committee for Juan Calduch.
Preliminary Doctoral Committee for Juan Trouillhet.
Preliminary Doctoral Committee for Jelena LaPorte.
Preliminary Doctoral Committee for Monserrat Pérez.
- 2002-03** Advisory Committee.
Undergraduate Committee.
Sub-Committee for the revision of Span 210 and 211.
Preliminary Doctoral Committee for Juan Trouillhet.
- 2001-02** On leave.
- 2000-01** Advisory Committee.
Undergraduate Committee.
Search Committee: Assistant Professor of Medieval-Golden Age Literature.
Doctoral and Dissertation Committees for Bernardo Navia.
Preliminary Doctoral Committee for Jelena LaPorte.
Ruth El Saffar Award Committee.
- 1999-2000** Advisory Committee.
Doctoral Committee for Bernardo Navia.
Preliminary Doctoral Committee for Juan Gamiño.
- 1998-99** Preliminary Doctoral Committee for Juan Gamiño.
Preliminary Doctoral Committee for Inés Sahagún.
Committee for the international colloquium "La narrativa latinoamericana al inicio del tercer milenio".