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CURRENT AFFILIATION

New Jersey City University, Jersey City, New Jersey, USA.

Assistant Professor, Department of World Languages and Cultures. Fall 2019-present.

Affiliated Faculty, Center for Latin American, Caribbean, and Latinx Studies. Fall 2019-present.

Interim Codirector, Center for Latin American, Caribbean, and Latinx Studies. Summer 2022-Spring 2023

EDUCATION

University of Minnesota-Twin Cities, Ph.D. in Spanish and Portuguese, 2010

"Enemigos corteses y súbditos traidores: La utilidad política de los personajes musulmanes en las ."
edited by Daniel Grégorio, L'Harmattan, 2022, pp. 137-161.

"Una sagrada venganza contra gentes muy malditas: Las figuras del odio en las por Martín de Herrera." , no.
49, 2021, pp. 259-271.

"'Crespo e Nuu e Negro': Gomes Eanes de Zurara and the Racialization of Non- Christians by Portuguese Authors." IG(Ess)3(aj72 792401F321aj72 792401F321)

"Memories, Dreams, and Fictions: The Unreliable Narratives Behind the Production of an Epic Hero." 32nd Annual Conference of the Illinois Medieval Association. Illinois Medieval Association. St. Louis, Missouri. February 2015.

"La construcción del héroe multirracial en el contexto." Spanish and Portuguese Research Group. Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies, University of Minnesota. Minneapolis, Minnesota. November 2014.

"Una deformidad perfecta: las divergentes valoraciones de la hibridez monstruosa en de Carlos Droguett y en la imaginación premoderna." Symposium Carlos Droguett, nuevas lecturas. Centre de Recherches Latino-Américaines, Université de Poitiers / Departamento de Lengua y Literatura, Universidad Alberto Hurtado. Santiago, Chile. December 2012.

"El sentido espiritual de la risa y la alegría en la Religiosidad y pensamiento medieval." Symposium Religiosidad y pensamiento medieval. Facultad de Filosofía y Humanidades, Universidad Alberto Hurtado. Santiago, Chile. November 2011.

"'Dolcissimo patre', 'figliuol mio': la importancia simbólica de las relaciones padre-hijo en la ." 2nd International Symposium on Medieval Studies. Centro de Estudios Medievales, Universidad Gabriela Mistral. Santiago, Chile. September 2011.

"La fuerza del mestizaje: valoración y exaltación de la mezcla étnica en los héroes del y de Wolfram von Eschenbach." Tolerancia: teoría y práctica en la Edad Media, 2011 FIDEM Annual Meeting. Fédération Internationale des Instituts d'Études Médiévales/Universidad Nacional de Cuyo. Mendoza, Argentina. June 2011.

"La religiosidad del cuerpo del héroe en la épica castellana." Symposium Religiosidad y pensamiento medieval Facultad de Filosofía y Humanidades, Universidad Alberto Hurtado. Santiago, Chile. November 2010.

"Amor/odio: lectores, poesía y academia" (in collaboration with Laura Catelli). La Jornada Literaria: 10th Graduate Conference. Department of Spanish and Portuguese, Rutgers University. New Brunswick, New Jersey. October 2002.

"X: represión, exilio e identidad en de Cristina Peri Rossi." 30th Annual Twentieth-Century Literature Conference. University of Louisville. Louisville, Kentucky. February 2002.

Professor of courses in the areas of:

- Spanish language: "Spanish for Bilingual Speakers" (LANG 215).
- General education: "Violence and Resistance in Latin America" (LANG 255).
- Spanish writing: "The Art of Writing in Spanish" (LANG 304, previously "Advanced Spanish Composition I"); "Spanish Writing for the Professions" (LANG 314, previously "Advanced Spanish Composition II").
- Spanish literatures and cultures: "Civilization and Culture of Spain" (LANG 305); "Authors and Readings from Spain" (LANG 307, previously "Survey of Spanish Literature"); "The Many Faces of Spain" (LANG 350); "Cervantes" (LANG 419).
- Latin American literatures and cultures: "Voices and Texts from Latin America" (LANG 308, previously "Survey of Spanish American Literature"); "Race and Ethnicity in Latin American Literature" (LANG 402); "20th-Century Spanish American Poetry" (LANG 420).

Department of Modern and Classical Languages, University of St. Thomas. January 2019, Spring 2019.

Instructor of "Elementary Spanish I" and "Intermediate Spanish I."

Department of Languages and Cross-Cultural Studies, Augsburg University. Summer 2015, Fall 2018-Summer 2019.

Instructor of "Beginning Spanish I" and "Beginning Spanish II."

Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities. Fall 2016-Spring 2018.

Graduate instructor of "Spanish Composition and Communication,"

Fundação Luso-American para o Desenvolvimento (Luso-American Development Foundation) / Biblioteca Nacional de Portugal.

Bolsa de investigação de curta duração (Short-term research grant) FLAD/BNP. 2016.

Center for Open Educational Resources and Language Learning (COERLL). University of Texas at Austin.

Travel award. July 2016.

Newberry Center for Renaissance Studies Consortium.

Newberry Consortium Travel Grant. February 2016.

Institute for Global Studies, College of Liberal Arts, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities.

Academic Year Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Fellowship in Portuguese. 2015-2016.

Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities.

Summer Research Fellowship. 2015, 2016, 2017.

Graduate Student Travel Award. Spring 2015, Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2017.

College of Liberal Arts, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities.

College of Liberal Arts Graduate Fellowship (CLAGF). 2014-2015.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Community Engaged Learning (CEL). New Jersey City University.

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Consortium for the Study of the Premodern World, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities.

Creator and facilitator of the research workshop "Songs of Hate: A Medieval and Early Modern Poetry Reading Group" (in collaboration with Veronica Menaldi). Fall 2015-Spring 2016.

SERVICE

New Jersey City University.

Member of the Student Affairs Committee. Fall 2022-present.

Senator at the University Senate. Fall 2021-present.

Chairperson of the Academic Standards Committee. Fall 2021-Spring 2022.

Member of the Academic Standards Committee. Fall 2020-Spring 2022.

Department of World Languages and Cultures, New Jersey City University.

Editor of student magazine . Fall 2019-present.

Content manager for the department's website. Fall 2019- present.

Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities.

Organizer of the Spanish & Portuguese Research Group. Fall 2016-Spring 2017.

Department of Spanish and Portuguese. Rutgers University.

Student-faculty liaison. Fall 2002-Spring 2003.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

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