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ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

EDUCATION:	<u>date of graduation</u>	<u>degree received</u>	<u>major</u>
The University of New Mexico	December 1989	Ph.D.	American Studies
Bowling Green State University	June 1982	M.F.A.	Creative Writing
The University of Texas at El Paso	May 1980	B.A.	English

DISSERTATION: “Hispanic Themes Of Redemption, Renewal, And Regeneration”: A translation and critical evaluation of these themes in Álvaro Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación* with specific attention to the development of Mexican-American themes of redemption, renewal, and regeneration.

LANGUAGES: fluent in Spanish

RESEARCH/TEACHING INTERESTS: Primary: Cross-cultural Latin American and U.S. Latina/o ethnic studies and literature with a historical emphasis; Secondary: American Studies/literature; regional and comparative studies.

WORK IN PROGRESS: manuscript tentatively entitled *Orchestration of Voices*.

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

Full Professor effective August 2020
Associate Professor, Fresno State (August 2013 to August 2020)
Assistant Professor, Fresno State (August 2007 to August 2013).
Lecturer B, Fresno State (August 2006 to May 2007).
Adjunct, Central Oregon Community College (September 2003 to August 2006).
Lecturer B, Humboldt State University (August 2001 to August 2003)
Visiting Professor, Universidad de Oviedo (February 24-28, 2003): doctoral course: Literatura étnica contemporánea en los Estados Unidos.
Assistant Professor, Olivet College (August 29, 1997 to May 2001)
Visiting Professor, Universidad de Oviedo (May 1998): doctoral course: Literatura Chicana contemporánea como expresión de reconocimiento étnico dentro del pluralismo cultural norteamericano. [I advised Spanish students at the Universidad de Oviedo, Facultad de Filología on their American and Chicano literature projects (*trabajos de investigación*).]
Assistant Professor, University of Washington, Bothell (August 1, 1990 to August 1997)
Fulbright Lecturer, Universidad de Oviedo and Universidad de Leon (Jan. 1, 1991-April 30, 1991): Doctoral courses; Fourth- and Fifth-year North American Literature courses.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Non Instructional Assignment:

Awarded semester sabbatical to work on two articles that later got accepted for publication (spring 2015)

SCHOLARLY PUBLICATIONS:

Article "Polemic of Privilege: Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *Relación* and Mota Padilla's 1742 *Historia, Capítulo XV*," *Revista de Historia de América*, número 157 (julio-diciembre de 2019): 45-69.

Article: "Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's Struggle for a Discourse Validator Which Confirms His True Cristiano Status as *esclavo/cautivo* in His 1542 *La Relación*," *Revista de Indias*, LXXVIII/274 (Madrid, 2018): 659-686.

Article: "Slavery and Captivity in Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*." *Corpus: Archivos Virtuales de la Alteridad Americana*, Vol. 6, N° 2, July-December 2016, online peer-reviewed academic journal.

Article: "Conflicting Discourses in the Conquest of the Americas in Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*." *Revista de Historia Iberoamericana*, Vol. 5, No. 2, 2012: 82-102.

Article: "Cultural Discourse and Interpretation of Distressed American Indigenous Communities in Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*." *NAKUM*, Vol. 3.1, 2012, online peer-reviewed interdisciplinary academic journal.

Article: "Discourse Map and Empire Building in Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*." *Estudios de Historia Novohispana*, No. 46, enero-julio 2012: 23-45.

Article: "Imperial Memory: The Three Phase Development of the Missionizing Warrior Discourse in Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*." *Corrientes: Revista noruega de estudios hispánicos*, Vol. 1, 2011: 72-91.

Article: "Northwest and the Conquest of the Americas: Chicana/o Roots Of Cultural Hybridity and Presence." In *Memory, Community, and Activism: Mexican Identity and Labor In The Pacific Northwest*. Eds. Jerry Garcia and Gilbert Garcia. East Lansing, MI: Julian Samora Research Institute, 2005: 23-40.

Article: "Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*: 'Imaginary Cities.'" In *Homage To Alexander von Humboldt Conference: Travel Literature to and from Latin America from the Fifteenth through Twentieth Centuries*, June 18-22, 2001. Ed. Lilianet Brintrup. Humboldt State University and Universidad Autonoma "Benito Juárez" de Oaxaca: Oaxaca, Mexico, 2005: 273-279.

Article: "Chicana/o Cultural Manifestations: Chicana/o Roots in the Rejoinders of In-betweenness in Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's *La Relación* (1542)." In *Perspectivas Transatlánticas En La Literatura Chicana: Ensayos y Creatividad*. Coords. María Herrera-Sobek, Francisco Lomelí, Juan Anronio Perles Rochel, Servicio de Publicaciones Universidad de Málaga, Spain, 2002: 267-276.

Article: "City and a Chicano Evolving Hybridity: Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's and Gary Soto's Creation and Discovery." In Spanish Association For American Studies *Actas IV Congreso: Travelling Across Cultures*, Eds. Constante González Groba, Cristina Blanco Outón, Patricia Fra López, Susana Jiménez Placer, 24-26 March 1999. Santiago Compostela, Spain: Universidad de Santiago de Compostela, 2000: 509-516.

Entries on Barbara Brinson Curiel and Celso De Casas in the Third Series of Chicano Writers of the *Dictionary of Literary Biography* Vol. 209. Eds. Francisco A. Lomelí and Carl R. Shirley. Detroit: A Bruccoli Clark Layman Book, 1999: 61-64 and 65-67.

Article: "Hispanic Cultural Themes of Redemption, Renewal, and Regeneration: Centripetal Forces In A Cross-cultural Experience And Evolving *Mestizaje*." In *ACTES DU VI^e CONGRÈS EUROPÉEN SUR LES CULTURES D'AMÉRIQUE LATINE AUX ÉTATS-UNIS*, Elyette Benjamin-Labarthe, Yves-Charles Grandjeat, Christian Lerat, eds., 7-9 July 1994. Bordeaux, France: Maison des Pays Ibériques, 1995: 307-318.

Article: "Environmental Constructs Revealed Through the Voices of the 'Other': Discourse Practices in Álvaro Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*." In *Proceedings of the Conference on Communication and Our Environment*, James G. Cantrill and M. Jimmie Killingsworth, eds., 23-25 July 1993. Marquette, MI: Northern Michigan University Printing Services, 1993: 264-269.

Article: "The First Captivity Narrative: Álvaro Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*." In *Actas del II Congreso SEDERI*, S. G. Fernández-Corugedo, ed., 21-23 February 1991. Oviedo, Spain: Servicio de Publicaciones de la Universidad de Oviedo, 1992: 247-260.

Entries on Manuel C. de Baca and Cleofas M. Jaramillo in the Second Series of Chicano Writers of the *Dictionary of Literary Biography* Vol. 122. Eds. Francisco A. Lomelí & Carl R. Shirley. Detroit: A Bruccoli Clark Layman Book, 1992: 40-43 and 154-158.

CONFERENCE PAPERS and PRESENTATIONS

February 12-17, 2018: Paper: "Refracted Castaway Image: Economics, Politics, and Narrative in the Discursive Interpretation of the Polemic of Privilege in Álvaro Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación* and Capitulo XV in Matías de la Mota Padilla's 1742 *Historia de la Conquista de la Provincia de la Nueva Galicia*" at the 26th NAAAS Joint National Conference, at the Double Tree Dallas Hotel, Dallas, Texas.

February 13-18, 2017: Paper: "Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación* and Capitulo XV in Matías de la Mota Padilla's 1742 *Historia de la Conquista de la Provincia de la Nueva Galicia* Narrative: Polemic of Privilege" at the 25th NAAAS Joint National Conference, at the Westin Dallas Park Central, Dallas, Texas,

February 8-13, 2016: Paper: "Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's Superaddressee Concerning the Slavery of African People in His 1542 *La Relación*" at the 24th NAAAS Joint National Conference, Global Diversity Network, at Crowne Plaza Executive Center, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

February 13-18, 2012: Paper: "Conflicting Discourses in the Conquest of the Americas in Álvaro Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*" at the 20th NAAAS Joint National Conference at Crowne Plaza Executive Center, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

February 14-19, 2011: Paper: "Cultural Narrative Markers Dios, Vuestra Magestad, and Indio and an Interpretation of American Indigenous Community Disruption and Demographic Catastrophe in Álvaro Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*" in the Panel: *Latin American History/literature* for the NAAAS Joint National Conference at Crowne Plaza Executive Center, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

February 8-13, 2010: Paper: "Imposition, Responses, And Limitations Of The *Cristiano*/Hispanic Framework in Álvaro Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*" at the NAAAS Joint National Conference at Crowne Plaza Executive Center, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

November 7-8, 2008: Paper, "Food, Culture, and Politics: Practical and Ideological Survival in Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*," at the *Conference of the Pacific Coast Council on Latin American Studies (PCCLAS) 2008 Conference* at University of Nevada, Las Vegas, NV.

April 9-12, 2008: Paper: "The Missionizing Discourse-created Space In Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*," for the *Rocky Mountain Council for Latin American Studies 2008 Annual Conference: "Work, Migration, and Globalization: Contested Journeys in Multi-Ethnic U.S."* at Radisson Woodlands Hotel, Flagstaff, Arizona.

November 2, 2007: Paper: "Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación* As Discursive Map Which Attempts To Make Space Culturally Understandable: An Itinerary-like Discursive Construct And The Cultural Inscription Of The American Space," for the *Conference of the Pacific Coast Council on Latin American Studies (PCCLAS)* at Claremont McKenna College, Claremont, California.

March 22-25, 2007: Paper: "Unexpected Bases For Discourse and Literature: Kingdoms And Vassals And Orchestration Of Voices In Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*" at MELUS (Society for the Study of the Multi-Ethnic Literature of the U.S.) 21st Annual Conference: "Work, Migration, and Globalization: Contested Journeys in Multi-Ethnic US Literature," at Piccadilly Inn University Hotel, Fresno, CA.

November 3-4, 2006: Paper: "To Interpret In Order To Control: Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*, Gonzalo Guerrero, And Aguilar, And The Orchestration of Changing Circumstances" at the Conference of the Pacific Coast Council on Latin American Studies (PCCLAS): *Change in Latin America*, at California State University Dominguez Hills, Carson, CA.

April 2-6, 2003: Paper: "Roots and Principles of Liberation Theology in Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*" at XXX National Association for Chicana and Chicano Studies Annual Conference, *No More Wars: Sovereignties, Sexualities, Human Rights*, at Millennium Biltmore Hotel, Los Angeles, CA.

May 21-23, 2002: Paper: "Chicana/o Cultural Manifestations: Chicana/o Roots in the Rejoinders of In-betweenness In Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's *La Relación* (1542)," at III International Conference on Chicano Literature at *Casa Diocesana de Espiritualidad*, Málaga, Spain.

June 18-22, 2001: Paper: "Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación* And 'Imaginary Cities,'" at Alexander von Humboldt Conference: Travel Literature to and from Latin America from the Fifteenth through Twentieth Centuries at Humboldt State University, Arcata, CA.

March 22-25, 2000: Paper: "Dynamics of *La Lucha* and *Liberación*: Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's Unintended Transgression Of Borders In His 1542 *La Relación*," at National Association for Chicana and Chicano Studies National Conference at Portland, OR.

April 28-May 1, 1999: Paper: "A Missionary Position: Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca and The Orchestration Of Identity," at National Association for Chicana and Chicano Studies National Conference at San Antonio, TX.

March 24-26, 1999: Paper: "City and a Chicano Evolving Hybridity: Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's and Gary Soto's Creation And Discovery," at IV *Congreso* of the Spanish Association For American Studies, Universidad de Santiago Compostela, Spain.

April 30, 1997: Paper: "Marginalization and Dehumanization Aspects of The Immigration Experience In The Chicano Literary Tradition: The Waste Land," at Eastern Washington University's 1997 Cinco de Mayo Lecture Series at Cheney, WA.

December 9-10, 1994: Paper: "Conqueror vs. Ascetic: The Monologic Impact in Establishing Community in Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's Incarnation of Conquest," at Speech Communication Association of Puerto Rico Conference in San Juan, Puerto Rico.

July 7-9, 1994: Paper: "Hispanic Cultural Themes Of Redemption, Renewal, and Regeneration: Centripetal Forces In A Cross-cultural Experience And Evolving *Mestizaje*," at VIth European Conference on Latino Cultures in the U.S. in Bordeaux, France.

July 23-25, 1993: Paper: "Environmental Constructs Revealed Through the Voices of the 'Other': Discourse Practices in Álar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*," at the Conference on Communication and Our Environment at Big Sky, Montana.

April 28, 1993: Paper: "The Voices of the 'Other' in Cabeza de Vaca's 1542 *La Relación*," at Chicano Arts: Fragments of Our Culture-- Cinco de Mayo Program, Eastern Washington University, Cheney, WA.

March 25-27, 1993: Paper: "Álar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's Incarnation of Conquest: Conqueror vs. Ascetic," at the 1993 National Association for Chicano Studies Conference at San Jose.

March 26-28, 1992: Paper: "Hispanic Themes of Redemption, Renewal, and Regeneration," at the 1992 National Association for Chicano Studies Conference at San Antonio, TX.

February 21-23, 1991: Paper: "The First Captivity Narrative: Álar Núñez," at Univerisdad de Oviedo's *II Congreso SEDERI*, Oviedo, Spain.

April 13, 1990: Paper: "A Waste Land Answer in Chicano Literature," at University of New Mexico's English Department's Southwest Symposium.

RESEARCH GRANT AND AWARDS

Jan and Bud Richter Center for Community Engagement and Service-Learning: awarded a \$5,000 grant for promotion of CLAS Service-Learning courses (awarded January 3, 2018).

I along with Drs. Herrera and España-Najera were awarded the *Fresno State Summer Teaching Innovations Academy Mini-grant*, \$5,000, (May 7, 2012).

Awarded *College of Social Sciences Research/Creative Activities Award*, a \$3,000.00 research grant for expenses on "An Examination of *Relaciones Geográficas*" (April 9, 2008).

Awarded with co-grant writer Dr. Maria Lopes \$8,000 grant [beginning September 2008] from the *College of Social Science Grant and Mini-Grant Program for Central Valley Latin American Project Lecture Series and Conference* (December 3, 2007).

Awarded *Culture Education Grant* to assist with the costs of presenting the Latino Film Celebration (May 2003).

Fulbright Lectureship Award for Spain: lecturer on American Literature at the Universities of Oviedo and Leon: doctoral course "Twentieth Century Voices of Alienation in U.S. Novels: A Multi-Cultural Reaction" and Fourth-and Fifth-year (undergraduate) North American Literature courses with a survey of Chicano Literature (Jan.1991).

Awarded grant from *Graduate Student Association Student Research Allocation Committee* for the acquisition of a positive copy of the 1542 edition of Cabeza de Vaca's *La Relación* (March 10, 1986).

New Courses/Curriculum Development

April 25, 2017: Converted CLAS 145 into a ***Service-Learning*** (approved March 2, 2018)

September 2013: Change the course number classification of CLAS 116 to **CLAS 120** and the title change from *Cultural Change and the Latino* to ***Latina/o Cultural Changes*** (approved May 28, 2014)

Summer 2014: Converted CLAS 3 course from face to face to online mode and implemented the CLAS 3 online course (approved August 22, 2014)

UNIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

The Scholarship of Application Collaboration

Turquoise Moon Series: The Labyrinth, Organizer and presenter of poetry reading, Wednesday, March 21, 2018 (3:30 p.m.-5:00 p.m.).

Music of America Committee: established the Music of America Concert Series, member contributing to organizing and planning, 2016-2017.

University Development:

Faculty Development and Committee Work at the Department, College, and University Level:

Chair of the Chicano and Latin American Studies Department, beginning August 15, 2020-

CLAS Department SOAP (Student Outcomes Assessment Plan) Coordinator, fall semester 2012 to September 30, 2019.

Chair of the CLAS Department Research Committee, beginning August 2012-2015: 2016-2019.

Chair of the CLAS Department Personnel Committee Chair, 2013-2015; 2016-2019.

CLAS Academic Senate Senator, April 24, 2017 to April 27, 2020.

Senate Executive Committee appointed member on the Task Force on General Education, December 1, 2016-April 27, 2018.

Chair of Chicano and Latin American Studies Department Committee on the Protection of Human Subjects, 2014-2015, 2017.

Learning Assessment Team: assessment group, January 11 and 12, 2016.

Self-study Coordinator for the Chicano Studies B.A. degree program, from October 4, 2013 to end of spring semester 2016.

CLAS Department GE Assessment Coordinator, fall 2012-spring 2015.

Fresno State University Budget Committee, October 19, 2011-December 2014.

I was Equal Employment Opportunity Designee, September 6, 2013.

I represented the CLAS Department for the Dog Days advising, 2:00 p.m.-3:30 p.m., Social Science Building 215, July 22, 2019; Dog Days Student Orientation: June 26, 24, 30, July 9, 2015.

Promoted along with Drs. Annabella España-Nájera and Maria Lopes the Latin American Studies major at a CLAS Department informational table at the *Local Latina Leadership Conference*, at Henry Madden Library 2206, 2:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m., March 14, 2013.

Member of the Fresno State COSS International Education Committee, beginning in 2011.

Organizer and panelist of the “Who Are You Or What Are You Panel: Creating/ Constructing Identity Through Words, Stories, Images” as part International Education Week. Panel Presentation consisted of panelist Drs. Keith Jordan (Art and Design Department), Alex Espinoza (English Department), and I (Ramon Sanchez, Chicano and Latin American Studies). The event was at Music Building 160, 4:00 p.m. to 5:30p.m., November 17, 2011.

Save Ethnic Studies Coordinating Committee member of Save Ethnic Studies presentation of speakers Sean Arce and Alexandro Escamill, teachers from the Tucson Unified School District, at Fresno State McLane Hall 161, 3:30 p.m.-5:00 p.m., March 3, 2011.

Member of the Fresno State *Curriculum and Course Design and Instructional Task Force*: Task force explores ways to better integrate the expert knowledge of the professor with 21st Century-oriented methods of instructional delivery in both online and on the ground classrooms, 2010-2011.

Organizer and panelist of the “Beginnings and Renewals: Millennialism, 2012, and other Ends” Panel Presentation which consisted of panelist Drs. Lisa Weston (English Department), Keith Jordan (Art and Design Department), Howard Hendrix (English Department) , Sergio LaPorta (Armenian Studies), and I (Ramon Sanchez, Chicano and Latin American Studies). The event was at Music Building 160, 4:00 p.m. to 5:30p.m. November 16, 2010.

Committee member of the Fresno State Administrator Support Coordinator Search Committee (CLAS/Social Science) [College Committee] 2010. (October 8, 12, 2010).

Member of the Fresno State Latina/o Faculty and Staff Association (2009-2011).

Served on *Immigration Committee* (2006-2011).

Served in Fresno State, CLAS Department Assessment Committee 2008-2010.

Member of the CVLA Project Committee that produced the ***Central Valley Latin American Project Pamphlet***, May 28, 2009.

Member of the **2009 CLAS Central Valley Conference Committee** for the 2009 Chicano and Latin American Studies Central Valley Conference, *Independencia en las Américas: History, Impact, and Consequences* at Fresno State campus (Friday) March 27, 2009 (for period of June 4, 2008-May 28, 2009).

Served on Fresno State University, Campus Planning Traffic and Safety Subcommittee (2008-2009).

Served in *Southeast Asian Symposium Committee* (2008-2009).

Organizer and coordinator of Fresno State Central Valley Latin American Project *Immigration Film Series* at McLane Hall 161, February 20, March 12, and April 16, 2008 (5:00-10:00 p.m.) and May 3, 2008 (3:00-7:00 p.m.).

Professional Growth:

Professional Development Activity (meeting, seminars, workshops, conferences, etc.):

I completed the Foundations of Virtual Instruction course training and all the learning outcomes, June 8, 2020-June 28, 2020.

For completing the activities related to the fall 2018 Online Blended and Teaching Q1 (Q1 Introduction to Teaching Online), I was awarded \$500 in professional development funds: January 22, 2019.

I received the certificate *Growing with Canvas @ Fresno State*: December 12, 2018.

I successfully completed Introduction to Teaching Online Using QLT training and received the certificate of completion: October 18, 2018.

I took the Q1 *Introduction to Teaching Online using QLT* course entitled “How to teach online using QLT”: October 1, 2018-December 31, 2018.

I attended the networking lunch for the *Online and Blended Teaching Certificate* in the Center for Faculty Excellence (Fresno State University campus): 12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m., on Friday, September 28, 2018.

I applied and was accepted to the Online and Blended Teaching Certificate Program at Fresno State: September 11, 2018.

Attended ARRC (Advisor Request Recordkeeping Component) workshop training, Social Science 205A: September 22, 2017.

Attended CFA Fresno Chapter faculty information gathering, at Vintage Room: 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m., Wednesday, September 27, 2017.

I was granted a \$1,500 summer stipend for participating in the *Service-Learning* Summer Intensive Course Redesign Grant sessions: May 22-26, 2017.

Member of the CLAS Department College of Social Sciences Tenure Density Hire Search Committee, which was very successful: December 9, 2016-May 10, 2017.

As CLAS Department Assessment Coordinator, I attended *Fresno State Assessment Conference*, Fresno State University: 12:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m., February 5, 2016.

I and Dr. Annabella España-Nájera (CLAS Department) participated in SOAP feedback interview with Outside SOAP Assessor Dr. Debra Jackson, at Fresno State University, McKee Fisk 203B: 11:00 a.m. to 12:10 p.m., September 3, 2014.

I was granted a \$1,500 summer stipend for converting the CLAS 3 face to face course to online instruction in the *TILT Training and Course Conversion to Online*: August 22, 2014.

Attended On-line Workshop at HML 2130: 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m., February 14, 2014.

Officially enrolled into the Teaching Online and Blended Courses on Blackboard: January 27, 2014.

I attended the Fall Assessment Coordinators’ meeting at Smittcamp Alumni House, Board/Whitten Conference Room: 8:30 a.m.-10:00 a.m., November 8, 2013.

I attended the 2014-2015 Program Review Orientation meeting at Henry Madden Library 2108: 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m., October 28, 2013.

Completed Equal Employment Opportunity Designee Training Workshop at Fresno State University, 3212 Madden Library, 3:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m.: September 5, 2013.

Community Service:

I and Dr. Cristina Herrera represented the CLAS Department at a table (9:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.) at the *Feria de Educación* on Saturday, October 5, 2019.

Met with Professor Von Torres, English and Reading Department of Clovis Community College, Clovis, CA and assisted him in preparation for a Chicana/o/x Literature course he was to teach for the first time: October 24, 2017.

League of California Cities Latino Caucus Scholarship Fund: I reviewed and evaluated applications for the League of California Cities Latino Caucus scholarships.

Professional Awards

CLAS Department's Outstanding Faculty Publication for the 21st Annual Outstanding Faculty Publications 2018, article: "Álvar Núñez Cabeza de Vaca's Struggle for a Discourse Validator Which Confirms His True Cristiano Status as *esclavo/cautivo* in His 1542 *La Relación*," *Revista de Indias*, LXXVIII/274 (Madrid, 2018): 659-686 (March 8, 2019, 5:30 p.m.-7:00 p.m., the Henry Madden Library).

The College of Social Science of CSU, Fresno, awarded me a *Certificate of Achievement* in recognition of my contribution as the Chicano and Latin American Studies Department Assessment Coordinator (November 13, 2013).

Professional Affiliation:

National Association of Hispanic and Latino Studies member since 2009