

T. MARK MONTOYA, PhD

EDUCATION

PhD, Political Science with Distinction, Northern Arizona University (NAU), 2009
Dissertation: *“Borderdom”: Citizenship in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands*

MA, Government, New Mexico State University (NMSU), 2000
Thesis: *The Cultural Politics of Santería in Revolutionary Cuba*

BA, History, NMSU, 1997

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Administrative

Associate Dean, Curriculum & Student Affairs, College of Social & Behavioral Sciences, NAU, Jul 2022-date
Provost’s Leadership Fellow, NAU, Aug 2022-May 2023
Director, Ethnic Studies Program, NAU, Jul 2021-Jul 2022

Academic

Associate Professor with Tenure, Ethnic Studies, NAU, Jul 2019-date
Assistant Professor, Ethnic Studies, NAU, Aug 2015-Jun 2019
Senior Lecturer, Ethnic Studies, NAU, Aug 2015
Lecturer, Ethnic Studies, NAU, Aug 2012-Aug 2015
Instructor, Ethnic Studies, NAU, Jan 2011-Aug 2012
Part-Time Instructor, Ethnic Studies, NAU, Aug 2009-Dec 2010
Part-Time Instructor, Politics & International Affairs, NAU, Aug 2009-Dec 2010
Adjunct Faculty, Ethnic Studies, NAU, Jan 2006-Aug 2009

TEACHING FIELDS & RESEARCH INTERESTS

U.S.-Mexico Borderlands, Borderlands Pedagogy, Citizenship, Ethnic Studies, Chicanx/Latinx Studies, Race & Film, First-generation Students, DACA, Hip Hop

TEACHING ACTIVITIES

Courses Taught (number of sessions taught)

ES 100: Introduction to Ethnic Studies, NAU (28)
ES 160: Introduction to Chican@/Latin@ Studies, NAU (48)
ES 200: Race, Identity, & Film, NAU (23)
ES 204: Chican@ Cinema, NAU (2)
ES 391: Special Topics–The Roots of Hip Hop, NAU (1)
ES 391: Special Topics–Race, Immigration, & Citizenship, NAU (1)
ES 391: Special Topics–The Chican@/Latin@ Experience, NAU (1)
ES 470/470H/570: Politicizing Hip Hop (6)
ES 497: Independent Study–Research Methods, NAU (3)
ES 499/599: Contemporary Developments–Politicizing Hip Hop (1)
ES 685: Graduate Research, NAU (1)

ES 697: Independent Study–Research Methods, NAU (2)
HON 497: Honors Independent Study–Capstone (2)
POS 120: World Politics, NAU (11)
POS 201: Introduction to Politics, NAU (4)
POS 220: Federal & Arizona Constitution, NAU (2)
POS/ES 356/356H: Race, Power, & Politics, NAU (2)
POS 366: Studies in Latin American Politics, NAU (3)
POS 497: Independent Study–International Political Economy, NAU (1)
POS 697: Independent Study–Political Development, NAU (1)
GOVT 160: International Political Issues, NMSU (1)

Student Committees & Supervision

PhD Dissertation Committee, J. Chamberlain, Curriculum & Instruction, Apr 2022–date
PhD Dissertation Committee, J. Sanchez, Educational Leadership, NAU, Nov 2020–date
MA Thesis Committee, A. Camacho, Psychological Sciences, NAU, Aug 2019–date
EdD Dissertation Committee, E. Rosenkranz, Educational Leadership, NAU, Apr 2022–Apr 2023
Internship Supervisor, E.A. Martinez, Interns-to-Scholars, NAU, Aug 2019–May 2021
MA Thesis Committee, J. Brookins, Sociology, NAU, Jan–Jun 2020
MA Thesis Committee, T. Wilkinson, Communication, NAU, Jan–May 2020
MA Thesis Committee, C. Mumphrey, Communication, NAU, Dec 2018–May 2019
PhD Exam Committee, D. Purdy, Politics & International Affairs, NAU, Jan–Dec 2018
MA Thesis Committee, I. May, Sustainable Communities, NAU, Sep 2013–Jul 2015
MA Thesis Committee, E. Davalos, Sustainable Communities, NAU, Jul 2013–May 2015

PUBLICATIONS, RESEARCH, & CREATIVE ACTIVITIES

Refereed Book Chapters & Journal Articles

Montoya, T.M. (Forthcoming). Reclaiming the Borderlands: *Testimonio* and Counter-Narratives as Borderlands Pedagogy. In A. Bissonnette and E. Vallet (Eds.), *Walled: The US-Mexico Border Walls at and beyond the Border*. University of Arizona Press.

Montoya, T.M. (Forthcoming). Academic Border-Crossings: Ladders for First-Generation Student Success. In L. Windsor and K.F. Crawford (Eds.), *Chutes and Ladders: The Hidden Curriculum that Makes or Breaks Academic Careers*.

Montoya, T.M. (Forthcoming). First-gen to Policy Wonk: The Case Study of an Educator. In S. Rinfret (Ed.), *The Voices of Public Service: Untold Case Studies in Public Administration* (pp. 133-146). Routledge.

Montoya, T.M. (2023). T. Mark Montoya, PhD, Associate Professor of Ethnic Studies. In A.J. Rodríguez (Ed.), *Know That You Are Worthy: Stories from First-Generation College Graduates* (pp. 109-113). Roman & Littlefield.

Benson, T. & Montoya, T.M. (2022). Concerns for First-Gen Graduate Students: Navigating Political Science Boundaries. In K.G. Lorentz II, D.J. Mallinson, J. Marin Hellwege, D. Phoenix, & J.C. Strachan (Eds.), *Strategies for Navigating Graduate School and Beyond* (pp. 405-410). American Political Science Association.

Montoya, T.M. (2022). Custodians of Student Success: Campus Citizenship in the Borderlands. In G. Guzmán, S. Youngblood, & L. Rease Miles (Eds.), *Campus Service Workers Supporting First-Generation Students: Informal Mentorship and Culturally Relevant Support as Key to Student Retention and Success* (pp. 23-31). Routledge.

Montoya, T.M. & Martinez, E.A.* (2021). Interns-to-Scholars: First-generation Success Beyond the Classroom. *Journal of First-generation Student Success*, 1(3), 224-235. DOI: 10.1080/26906015.2021.1960119 [*undergraduate student]

Montoya, T.M. (2021). Navigating Institutional Borderlands: An Inside Perspective from the Outside. In J. Sablan & J.A. Van Galen (Eds.), *Amplified Voices, Intersecting Identities, Volume 2: First-Generation PhDs Navigating Institutional Power in Early Academic Careers* (pp. 48-55). Brill Sense.

Montoya, T.M. (2020). Unlearning Racism: The Classroom as a Space for Social Transformation through Borderlands Pedagogy. *Contemporary Justice Review*, 23(2), 148-157. DOI: 10.1080/10282580.2020.1755844.

Luna, Y.M. & Montoya, T.M. (2019). “I Need This Chance to...Help My Family”: A Qualitative Analysis of the Aspirations of DACA Applicants. *Social Sciences*, 8(9), 265. DOI: 10.3390/socsci8090265.

Gooding, Jr., F.W. & Montoya, T.M. (2019). It Takes a Nation of Millions: How to Freestyle a Hip Hop Curriculum. In L. Jewett, F. Calderon-Berumen & M. Espinosa-Dulanto (Eds.), *Critical Intersections in Contemporary Curriculum and Pedagogy* (pp. 161-174). Information Age.

Montoya, T.M. (2016). But It’s a Dry Hate: Illegal-Americans, Other-Americans, and the Citizenship Regime. In D.M. Sandoval, A.J. Ratcliff, T.L. Buenavista, & J.R. Marin (Eds.), *White Washing American Education: The New Culture Wars in Ethnic Studies, Volume 2: Higher Education* (pp. 19-40). Praeger.

Montoya, T.M. (2016). Bad Fences Make Bad Neighbors: Challenging the Citizenship Regime in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands. *Eurasia Border Review*, 7(1), 71-85. DOI: 10.14943/ebr.7.1.71.

Montoya, T.M. (2016). Rage, Courage, Encourage: Citizenship in the College Classroom. In S.D. Longerbeam & A.F. Chávez (Eds.), *Going Inward: The Role of Cultural Introspection in College Teaching* (pp. 162-169). Peter Lang.

Montoya, T.M. (2013). Emergent Indigenous Identities at the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands. In M. Harris, M. Nakata, & B. Carlson (Eds.), *The Politics of Identity: Emerging Indigeneity* (pp. 78-108). University of Technology Sydney/Sydney University.

Montoya, T.M. (2013). La Raza Cósmica. In C.E. Cortés (Ed.), *Multicultural America: A Multimedia Encyclopedia, Volume 4*, (pp. 1807-1809). Sage.

Montoya, T.M. (2013). Aztlán. In C.E. Cortés (Ed.), *Multicultural America: A Multimedia Encyclopedia, Volume 1*, (pp. 307-308). Sage.

Works in Preparation

Montoya, T. M. (In Progress). *Serna v. Portales Municipal Schools* (1974).

Montoya, T. M. (In Progress). Borderlands Studies over a Margarita, or Two.

Book Reviews

Scales of Resistance: Indigenous Women’s Transborder Activism. *Choice* 61(4), 1045, (2023).

Cuban Privilege: The Making of Immigrant Inequality in America. *Choice* 60(4), 1234, (2022).

Framing Immigrants: News Coverage, Public Opinion, & Policy. *The Social Science Journal* 55(4), 517-518, (2018).

Albert A. Peña Jr.: Dean of Chicano Politics. *Choice* 55(5), 1925, (2018).

Back to Basics: State Power in a Contemporary World. Choice 51(6), 3488, (2014).
Barack Obama, Post-Racialism, & the New Politics of Triangulation. Choice 50(5), 3542, (2013).
Mexico & Its Diaspora in the United States: Policies of Emigration since 1848. Choice 49:5, 2923, (2012).
New Faces, New Voices: The Hispanic Electorate in America. Choice 48:3, 1736, (2010).
Political Corruption in Mexico: The Impact of Democratization. Choice 47(5), 2822, (2010).
Minority Report: Evaluating Political Equality in America. Choice 46(5), 2940, (2009).
Gender on the Borderlands: The Frontiers Reader. The Americas 64(3), 448-449, (2008).
Officially Hispanic: Classification Policy & Identity. Choice 45(5), 2884, (2008).
The Impact of Norms in International Society: The Latin American Experience. Choice 43(11), 6818, (2006).
Fluid Borders: Latino Power, Identity, & Politics in Los Angeles. Choice 43(7), 4313, (2006).
Armed Actors: Organised Violence & State Failure in Latin America. Choice 43(6), 3637, (2006).
Latino Political Power. Choice 43(4), 2499, (2005).
Democracy in Immigrant America: Changing Demographics & Political Participation. Choice 43(2), 1243 (2005).
Latino Americans & Political Participation: A Reference Handbook. Choice 42(9), 5550, (2005).
Resurgent Voices in Latin America. Choice 42(8), 4879, (2005).
Muted Voices: Latinos & the 2000 Elections. Choice 42(6), 3704, (2005).
Mexican Americans & the Law: ¡El Pueblo Unido Jamás Será Vencido! Choice 42(5), 3093, (2005).
Globalization: People, Perspectives, & Progress. Choice 42(4), 2468, (2004).

Grants

Montoya, T.M. (2014). Ethnic Studies Summer Research Grant. NAU (\$5,000)

Brunn, W., Grisham, E., Gallagher, L., & Montoya, T.M. (2014). First-gen Student Initiatives, Suder Foundation Strategic Initiative (\$25,000)

Montoya, T.M. (2010). Professional Development. Office of the President, NAU (\$5,000)

Montoya, T.M., Desmond, K., & Rinfret, S. (2006). E-Learning Faculty Mentor Program, NAU (\$5,500)

Blogs, Newsletters, & Technical Reports

Montoya, T.M. (2022). Borderlands Pedagogy: Living and Navigating the Diverse Borderlands of Teaching and Learning. *La Frontera: Association for Borderlands Studies Newsletter*. 42:2, 1.

Montoya, T.M. (2021). Message from President-elect and 2022 Conference Chair. *La Frontera: Association for Borderlands Studies Newsletter*. 42:1, 1.

Montoya, T.M. (2019). Teaching Governance, Racism, and the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands...in Japan. *Medium*.

Montoya, T.M. (2018). Faculty Reflections: A First-generation College Student Experience. *NASPA Center for First-generation Student Success*.

Montoya, T.M. (2018). Beyond Barriers: Best Practices for First-generation Students. *NASPA Center for First-generation Student Success*.

Montoya, T.M. (2017). Best Practices for First-gen Students are Best Practices for All Students. *NAU Teaching Academy*.

Montoya, T.M. (2016). Success Found Here. *Medium* (for NAU Social).

Montoya, T.M., Cuellar, E.V., Despain, M., Krzyczkowski, A., & Rulon, M.J. (2016). First-gen Faculty Learning Community: Best Practices for First-gen Students are Best Practices for All Students. *NAU Faculty Development*.

Montoya, T.M. (2014). Association for Borderlands Studies Annual Conference Student Paper Awards. *La Frontera: Association for Borderlands Studies Newsletter*. 35:1, 12.

Published Reviews of Research

Chávez, A.F., Longerbeam, S.D., Montoya, C., Nakai, C., Lewis-Jose, P.C., Muniz, H., Rosette, J.Z., Belone, D., & Higgins, C. (2020). Storied Sketches: Making Meaning of Culture's Role in Teaching. *International Journal of Teaching & Learning in Higher Education*, 32(1), 125-137. ISSN: 1812-9129.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

National Association of Student Personnel Administrators (NASPA), 2015-date
Association for Ethnic Studies (AES), 2011-date
World Social Science Association (WSSA), 2004-date
Association for Borderlands Studies (ABS), 2003-date
American Political Science Association (APSA), 2002-date
Latin American Studies Association (LASA), 2000-date

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

Paper Presenter

“Reclaiming the Borderlands: *Testimonios* and Counter-Narratives as Borderlands Pedagogy.” ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 65th Conference, Tempe, AZ, Apr 12-15, 2023

“The Politics of (Not) Belonging: Pedagogy of & in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands.” ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 64th Conference, Denver, CO, Mar 30-Apr 2, 2022

“First-generation as Borderlands: Confronting the Academy.” NASPA 2020 Virtual Conferences on Student Success in Higher Education, Jun 29-Jul 1, 2020

“First-gen Journeys: Crossing Academic Borderlands.” ABS Annual Conference, Summer Virtual Seminars, Jun 3-5, 2020 & WSSA 62nd Conference, Virtual 2020

“My Goals & Dreams Deserve the Right to be Heard: Applicants' Expressions about the Value of DACA,” w/ Y. Luna (Presenter). Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Conference, New York, NY, Aug 9-11, 2019

“Dreams for DACA: Applicants' Perceived Value,” w/ Y. Luna. ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 61st Conference, San Diego, CA, Apr 24-27, 2019

“Conflicts & Metaphors & Euphemisms, Oh My!: Pay No Attention to that Racism behind the Curtain.” ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 60th Conference, San Antonio, TX, Apr 4-7, 2018

“Xicanx Studies in the era of Hispanic Heritage.” Arizona Education Association, Flagstaff, AZ, Oct 9, 2017

“The Politics of Taco Trucks, Bad Hombres, & Great Walls: When the United States became Arizona.” ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 59th Conference, San Francisco, CA, Apr 12-15, 2017

“The Study of Monsters: Arizona’s SB 1070 & HB 2281.” ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 58th Conference, Reno, NV, Apr 13-16, 2016

“It Takes a Nation of Millions: Teaching & Organizing Hip-Hop,” w/ F.W. Gooding, Jr. 44th Conference of the AES, Tucson, AZ, Mar 17-19, 2016

“Illegal- & Other-Americans: Negotiating the Hyphen in Arizona.” ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 57th Conference, Portland, OR, Apr 8-11, 2015

“But It’s a Dry Hate: Illegal-Americans, Other-Americans, & the Citizenship Regime.” Western Political Science Association 2015 Meeting, Las Vegas, NV, Apr 2-4, 2015

“Faculty Learning Community for First-generation College Student Experiences,” w/ W. Bruun. NASPA 2015 Conference, New Orleans, LA, Mar 21-25, 2015

“FACT—Mexican Americans are Less Likely to Graduate College: Teaching Chicana/o Studies through Borderlands Pedagogy.” ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 56th Conference, Albuquerque, NM, Apr 2-5, 2014

“*Indocumentado*: The Depoliticization of Migrant & Queer Bodies in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands,” w/ N. García. ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 55th Conference, Denver, CO, Apr 10-13, 2013

“The Abolition of the Citizenship Regime: The Problem of Citizenship in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands,” w/ N. García. Fanaticism & the Abolition-Democracy: Critical Theory in the Spirit of Joel Olson, Flagstaff, AZ, Jan 25-26, 2013

“When Injustice Becomes Law: Border Politics & the Banning of Ethnic Studies in Arizona.” ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 54th Conference, Houston, TX, Apr 11-14, 2012

“I Could Be Illegal: The Citizenship Regime & Other-Americans in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands.” 40th Conference of the AES, New Orleans, LA, Apr 5-7, 2012

“Breaking the Border: Emergent Identities in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands.” 2011 International Symposium on Emergent Identities, Nura Gili Indigenous Studies Centre, The University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia, Aug 6-9, 2011

“Headless Bodies & Brainless Politicians: The Citizenship Problem in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands.” ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 53rd Conference, Salt Lake City, UT, Apr 13-16, 2011

“But It’s a Dry Fascism: Arizona’s HR 2281 & the Banning Ethnic Studies,” w/ A. De La Garza. 39th Conference of the AES, Claremont, CA, Apr 7-9, 2011

“It Won’t Be Long ‘til We Belong: (Im)migrant Social Movements in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands.” 91st Meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Association, Las Vegas, NV, Mar 16-19, 2011

“Breaking the Border: Emergent Identities in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands.” 2010 International Symposium on Emergent Identities, Center for International Education, NAU, Flagstaff, AZ, Jun 28-29, 2010

“The Continuing Story of the Search for Citizenship: Chicana/o Studies in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands.” ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 52nd Conference, Reno, NV, Apr 14-17, 2010

“Alternative-Citizenships: Lessons from the U.S.-Mexico Border.” Coconino Community College & NAU Community Culture & the Environment Teaching & Learning Conference, Flagstaff, AZ, May 13-15, 2009

“Of Belonging: Hyphenated Identities & the Citizenship Regime.” ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 51st Conference, Albuquerque, NM, Apr 15-18, 2009

“Drawing a Line in the Sand: An Examination of the Citizenship Regime on the U.S.-Mexico Border.” ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 50th Conference, Denver, CO, Apr 23-26, 2008

“Neither Here nor There: Rethinking Citizenship on the U.S.-Mexico Border.” Peaks Graduate Student Conference, Flagstaff, AZ, Mar 6-8, 2008

“No Border is an Island: A Comparative Study of Pro-Immigration Groups in the U.S.” ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 48th Conference, Phoenix, AZ, Apr 19-22, 2006

“The State of the Border: Confronting Citizenship Regimes.” ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 47th Conference, Albuquerque, NM, Apr 13-16, 2005

“The Latinamericanization of the United States, the Americanization of Latin America, & their Discontents: The Case of the U.S.-Mexico Border.” LASA XXV International Congress, Las Vegas, NV, Oct 7-9, 2004

“R(e-M)apping the Political: The Cultural Politics of Rap.” LASA XXV International Congress, Las Vegas, NV, Oct 7-9, 2004

“Border Citizens: *Pochos*, *Pollos*, White Bread, & Hybrids.” ABS Annual Conference/WSSA 46th Conference, Salt Lake City, UT, Apr 21-24, 2004

“Redefining Border Discourse: Toward the Study of (Informal) Social Movements on the U.S.-Mexico Border.” LASA XXIV International Congress, Dallas, TX, Mar 27-29, 2003

“Redefining the Cuban Revolution: The Cultural Politics of Santería.” LASA XXIII International Congress, Washington, DC, Sep 6-8, 2001

Conference Keynote

“A Call to Action: Supporting First-gen Student Success” and “First-Gen Community Space & Hot Topic Round Table: Social Justice.” First-gen Champions Institute,” Texas Tech University, Nov 18, 2022

“Living in the Space Between.” First-gen Institute Annual Conference, University of Minnesota, MN, Nov 10, 2022

“Defying Border Walls: Living the Borderlands of Teaching & Learning.” Border Walls & Borderlands: International Conference, Raoul-Dandurand Chair, University of Quebec-Montreal, Quebec, Canada, Oct 20-21, 2022

“Championing First-gen Students Navigating Academic & Career Borderlands.” Arizona Statewide Career Services Conference 2021, Flagstaff, AZ, Jun 22-23, 2021

“Being First-gen.” Lumberjack Leadership Conference, First-generation Initiatives, NAU, Feb 6-7, 2015

Panelist

The Politics of Identity: Emerging Indigeneity. 2013 International Symposium on Emergent Identities, Center for International Education, NAU, Flagstaff, AZ, Jun 24-26, 2013

Critical Ethnic Studies in Arizona. Fanaticism & the Abolition-Democracy: Critical Theory in the Spirit of Joel Olson, Flagstaff, AZ, Jan 25-26, 2013

Surviving Arizona: Defending Ethnic Studies in a New Jim Crow Era? 39th Conference of the AES, Claremont, CA, Apr 7-9, 2011

Webinar Presenter

A Balancing Act: Faculty & First-gen, w/ S. Ardoin, C. Garcia-Louis, & D. Means. NASPA Center for First-generation Student Success Live Briefing, Oct 23, 2019

First-gen Journeys: Confronting, Challenging, & Crossing Academic Borderlands. NASPA Center for First-generation Student Success Live Briefing, Oct 10, 2018

Co-Organizer/Program Committee

2023 ABS Conference, Tempe, AZ, Apr 12-15, 2023

2023 ABS World Conference, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, Be'er Shiva, Eilat, & Jerusalem Israel, Feb 2023

Program Chair/Coordinator, 2022 ABS Annual Conference, Organizing Theme: *Borderlands Pedagogy: Living & Navigating the Diverse Borderlands of Teaching & Learning*, Denver, CO, Mar 30-Apr 2, 2022

2021 ABS Annual Conference, Virtual Global Seminars, Apr 15-17, 2021

First Generation Southwest Symposium: Advancing First-generation Student Success, Flagstaff, AZ, Oct 10-11, 2019

First Generation Southwest Symposium: Guiding First-generation Student Success, Flagstaff, AZ, Sep 27-29, 2018

2016 ABS Annual Conference, Reno, NV, Apr 13-16, 2016

SERVICE & ACTIVITIES

Departmental

Ethnic Studies Steering Committee, NAU, Jan 2006-date

Latin American Studies Minor Affiliate, NAU, Aug 2003-date

Ethnic Studies Faculty Status Committee Chair, NAU, Aug 2019-Dec 2020

Ethnic Studies Annual Review Committee, NAU, Aug 2013-Dec 2020

Ethnic Studies Events & Marketing Committee, NAU, Aug 2015-May 2020

Ethnic Studies Faculty Search Committee, NAU, Mar-Apr 2020
Ethnic Studies Director Search Committee Chair, NAU, Jan-Apr 2020
Social Work Faculty Status Committee, NAU, Aug 2019-Feb 2020
Ethnic Studies Faculty Search Committee, NAU, Jan-May 2019
Ethnic Studies STAR Program Coordinator, NAU, Jan 2012-Jun 2018
Ethnic Studies Faculty Search Committee Chair, NAU, Mar-Jun 2018
Cinema Studies Minor, NAU, Sep 2008-May 2018
Ethnic Studies Student Ambassadors Committee, NAU, May 2011-Dec 2015
Ethnic Studies Recruitment & Retention Committee, NAU, May 2011- Aug 2015
Ethnic Studies Curriculum Committee, NAU, Aug 2011-May 2015
Ethnic Studies Web-Delivery Development Committee, NAU, Mar 2011-Mar 2013
Ethnic Studies Faculty Search Committee, NAU, Feb-May 2014
Ethnic Studies Director Search Committee, NAU, Oct 2013-Feb 2014
Ethnic Studies Faculty Search Committee, NAU, Mar-May 2013

College

Honors College Affiliate, NAU, Jan 2009-May 2021
PhD in Critical & Sociocultural Studies Workgroup, College of Education, NAU, May 2019-Dec 2019
Teacher of the Year Selection Committee, Social & Behavioral Sciences, NAU, 2016-2021
Civic Service Institute Director Search Committee, Social & Behavioral Sciences, NAU, Fall 2020
W.A. Franke College of Business Dean Search Committee, NAU, AY 2016

Student Advising

Faculty Advisor, Omega Delta Phi Fraternity, NAU, Aug 2009-date
Faculty Mentor, E. Fike, Master of Public Administration Mentor Program, NAU, Oct 2022-May 2023
Faculty Advisor, Tri-Alpha Honor Society, NAU, Jul 2020-Jul 2022
Faculty Advisor, UNITY Dance Crew, NAU, Jan 2020-Aug 2021
Faculty Mentor, C. Valentin, Inclusion & Diversity Scholars, NAU, Sep 2019-May 2020
Faculty Advisor, MEChA de NAU, May 2006-Aug 2019
Faculty Advisor, Olson Scholars for Social Justice, NAU, May 2015-May 2016
Faculty Mentor, Rachel Dao, First Scholars, NAU, Aug 2015-May 2016
Faculty Advisor, Daleth He Aleph Cultural Tribe, NAU, Jun 2013-May 2015
Faculty Advisor, Repeal Coalition, NAU, May 2013-Aug 2014

Administrative

Associate Deans Council, NAU, Aug 2022-date
Academic Leadership Summit, NAU, Aug 2022-date
Academic Leadership Collaborative, NAU, Aug 2022-date
Student Success Committee, College of Social & Behavioral Sciences, NAU, Sep 2022-Jun 2023
Faculty Leadership Development Program, Social & Behavioral Sciences, NAU, Sep 2021-May 2022
Chairs & Directors, Social & Behavioral Sciences, NAU, Jul 2021-May 2022
Ethnic Studies Articulation Task Force, Arizona Transfer Credit Solutions, Sep 2021-Jul 2022
Chairs & Directors, Social & Behavioral Sciences, NAU, Jul 2021-May 2022
Academic Chairs Community, NAU, Dec 2021-May 2022
University Graduate Committee, Graduate College, NAU, Aug 2021-May 2022

University

Vice Provost for Online Search Committee, Office of the Provost, NAU, Jul 2023-date
Hispanic Serving Institute-Research & Teaching Consortium, NAU, Jan 2022-date

Justice, Equity, Diversity, & Inclusion Academy for DREAM Zone, NAU, Aug 2021-date
Institute for Public & Professional Ethics Faculty Affiliate, NAU, Aug 2021-date
National & International Scholarships & Fellowships Advisory Committee, NAU, Aug 2020-date
Indigenous Research & Teaching Circle, NAU, Feb 2020-date
Teaching Academy Associate, Faculty Development, NAU, Aug 2018-date
University Hearing Board, Office of Student Life, NAU, Sep 2016-date
Latinx Convocation Committee, NAU, Jan 2015-date
Co-facilitator, First-gen Student Experiences, Faculty Development, NAU, Aug 2014-date
NAU Ethnic Studies Facebook Administrator, May 2010-date
Latin American Studies Committee, NAU, Aug 2003-date
Commission on Ethnic Diversity, NAU, May 2001-date
Vice President for Inclusion Search Committee, Office of the President, NAU, Sep 2022-Feb 2023
Meaningful Engagement Network Program Selection Committee, Student Affairs, NAU, Nov 2022
Associate Vice President Search Committee, Student Affairs, NAU, Aug 2022-Sep 2022
First Year Learning Initiative Equity & Inclusion Advisory Board, NAU, Sep 2020-May 2022
First Scholars Steering Committee, First Scholars, NAU, Feb 2021-May 2022
Hispanic Serving Institution Task Force, NAU, Sep 2019-May 2022
Latinx Convocation Co-Emcee, NAU, May 5, 2022
Faculty Search Processes Task Force, Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs, NAU, Aug-Dec 2021
Civic Engagement Minor, NAU, Aug 2017-May 2021
Commission on Commissions, NAU, Mar-May 2021
Interim Co-chair, Commission on Ethnic Diversity, NAU, Mar-May 2021
Commission on Ethnic Diversity Bylaws Subcommittee, NAU, Feb-Apr 2021
Faculty Excellence in Global Learning Award Committee, NAU, Feb-Mar 2021
Liberal Studies Task Force, NAU, Sep 2019-Dec 2020
Global Learning Initiative Steering Committee, NAU, Dec 2017-May 2020
Co-organizer, Hip Hop Week, Ethnic Studies, NAU, Oct 2013-May 2020
First-gen Student Success Working Group, NAU, Oct 2019-May 2020
First Scholars Strategic Committee, First Scholars, NAU, Aug 2014-May 2020
STEM Belonging & Connections Focus Group, NAU, Aug-Dec 2019
Latinx Convocation Co-Emcee, NAU, May 9, 2019
Teaching Academy, Faculty Development, NAU, Aug 2015-Aug 2018
STAR Program Instructor, NAU, May 2008-Jun 2018
Honors Program Advisory Council, NAU, Nov 2012-May 2018
Campus Climate Assessment Committee, NAU, Jul 2014-Dec 2016
NAU Women's & Gender Studies Facebook Administrator, Oct 2010-Oct 2016
Hispanic Heritage Month Planning Committee, NAU, Aug 2008-May 2016
Diversity Symposium Committee, Commission on Ethnic Diversity, NAU, Jan 2015-May 2016
Olson Scholars Institute, NAU, Apr 2013-May 2016
General Counsel Search Committee, Office of the President, NAU, Apr-May 2016
Students of Color Retention Strategic Workgroup, Academic Affairs, NAU, Feb-May 2016
Borderlands Integrative Learning Project, NAU, Mar-Dec 2015
Co-chair, Non-Tenure Track, Temporary & Part-Time Faculty Research Team, NAU, AY 2014
Co-organizer, Non-Tenure Track, Temporary & Part-Time Faculty Working Group, NAU, AY 2014
Colleague Mentorship Program, w/ S. Hoefle, Faculty Development, NAU, AY 2014
Co-chair, Commission on Ethnic Diversity, NAU, May 2013-May 2015
Council on Equity & Inclusion, NAU, May 2013-May 2015
Cinema Studies Advisory Board, NAU, Aug 2010-May 2014
Inclusion & Multicultural Services Director Search Committee, NAU, Jan-May 2014

Inclusion & Multicultural Services Program Review Committee, NAU, AY 2012
Ethnic Studies/Anthropology Faculty Search Committee, NAU, Mar-May 2013
Faculty Development Director Search Committee, NAU, Oct-Dec 2012
Co-Organizer, Ethnic Studies/Women's & Gender Studies Brownbag, NAU, Aug-Dec 2012
Ethnic Studies/Women's & Gender Studies Task Force, NAU, Nov 2010-May 2011
African American Studies Search Committee, NAU, Aug-Dec 2008
Judge, 5th Annual Graduate Research & Creative Arts Symposium, NMSU, Apr 28, 2000

Professional

Immediate Past President, Association for Borderlands Studies, Apr 2023-date
CatalystFIRST Speaker, NASPA Center for First-generation Student Success, Feb 2020-date
President, Association for Borderlands Studies, Apr 2022-Apr 2023
President-elect, Association for Borderlands Studies, Apr 2021-Apr 2022
Vice-president, Association for Borderlands Studies, Apr 2020-Apr 2021
Borders & Bordering Scientific Advisory Board, Academy of Finland, Aug 2016-May 2020
Forum for Indigenous Research Excellence, Macquarie University, Jun 2013-May 2020
Latinx Advisory Council, Arizona Department of Education, Apr 2019-Mar 2020
Association for Borderlands Studies, Student Award Committee, Sep 2016-Apr 2018
Arizona Critical Ethnic Studies Working Group, Mar 2014-May 2017
Board of Directors, Association for Borderlands Studies, 2013-2016
Visioning Committee, Association for Borderlands Studies, Apr 2014-Apr 2016
Committee to Elect the Vice-president, Association for Borderlands Studies, Apr 2014-Dec 2015
First Scholars Professional Development Initiative Committee, Aug 2014-May 2015
Arizona Critical Ethnic Studies Working Group Vision & Mission Committee, Mar 2014-Jan 2015
Association for Borderlands Studies Student Paper Committee, Apr 2013-Apr 2014
Assistant Coordinator, *Asociación de Pedagogos Cubanos X Seminario*, Jul-Oct 2003

Referee & Editorial Work

Inaugural Editorial Board: *Journal of First-generation Student Success* (2020-2026)
External Evaluator, Promotion & Tenure, Penn State Altoona (2022)
Advisor: *Transforming the First-generation College Student Experience*, Education Advisory Board (2016)
Reviewer: *Review of Higher Education* (2022), *Borders in Globalization Review* (2022), *Social Sciences* (2021, 2022), *Education Sciences* (2021), *Journal of First-generation Student Success* (2020, 2021, 2022, 2023), *Academia Letters* (2020), *Contemporary Justice Review* (2019), *Sexuality & Culture* (2019), *Regional Science Policy & Practice* (2017), *Choice: Current Reviews for Academic Libraries* (2004-date)

Public Outreach

Interview, First Latino NAU President, KJZZ National Public Radio, Phoenix, AZ, Mar 10, 2021
Interview, Beyond the Pines Podcast, beyondFLG.com, Jul 18, 2020
Interview, Arizona House Bill 2120, *Chronicle of Higher Education*, Jan 18, 2017
Interview, *Waking Up From the American Dream* Documentary Film, KRTV.tv, Aug 6, 2012
Interview, "Tenured Profs on Way Out?" *Arizona Daily Sun*, Feb 7, 2010

Community

Beyond the Pines: Justice, Equity, Diversity, & Inclusion Team, Mar 2023-date
Chair, Northern Arizona Dream Fund, Inc, Jul 2019-date
Member, Northern Arizona Dream Fund, Inc, Sep 2013-Jun 2019
Volunteer, Murdoch Community Center, Flagstaff, AZ, Jan 2011-May 2018
Member, Coconino County Hispanic Advisory Council, May 2013-May 2016

Internship Supervisor, Genesis Orozco, Northern Arizona Dream Fund, Inc, Jan-May 2016
Volunteer, Northland Hospice & Palliative Care, Flagstaff, AZ, Jun 2000-Jun 2010

AWARDS & HONORS

Awards

President's Distinguished Teaching Fellow, NAU, 2022-2026
Government Department Star, The Stars of the College of Arts & Sciences, NMSU, 2020
Alfredo de los Santos Teaching/Service in Higher Education Award, The Victoria Foundation, 2019
Teacher of the Year, College of Social & Behavioral Sciences, NAU, 2015
Outstanding Advocate Award for First-gen College Students, Student Support Services, NAU, 2013
Exemplary Performer, Ethnic Studies, NAU, 2013
President's Award for Ethnic Diversity, NAU, 2012
Graduate Student Teaching Award, Politics & International Affairs, NAU, 2009 & 2007
1st Place, Excellence in Graduate Research, Association for Borderlands Studies, 2004
3rd Place, 6th Annual Graduate Student Research Expo, Graduate College, NAU, 2001

Honors

Honorary Member, Tri-Alpha Honor Society, NAU, Nov 2022-date
Teaching Academy, Faculty Development, NAU, 2015-2018
Outstanding Latina/o Faculty Nominee, The Victoria Foundation, 2018 & 2013
Community Partner, Politics & International Affairs (Northern Arizona Dream Fund), NAU, 2017
Faculty of Influence, EMSA Sophomore Survey, NAU, 2011-2016, 2007 & 2005
President's Award for Ethnic Diversity (Northern Arizona Dream Fund), NAU, 2016
Nominee w/ F.W. Gooding Jr., Most Significant Artistic/Creative Work, NAU, 2016
Educator of Influence, G. Chavez, Gold Axe Award Winner, NAU, Spring 2015
Educator of Influence, M. Teasdale, Gold Axe Award Winner, NAU, Spring 2015
Outstanding Educator, Men's Basketball, NAU Athletics, NAU, Spring 2015
Outstanding Educator, P. Bock, Volleyball, NAU Athletics, NAU, Fall 2014
NAU Homepage Featured Story, nau.edu/News/Articles/2014/10/Mutual-Inspiration, Fall 2014
Ally Spotlight, LGBTQA Resources & Support, NAU, Mar 2013
Outstanding Educator, A. Gonzalez, Soccer, NAU Athletics, NAU, Spring 2013
Outstanding Educator, T. Braly, Soccer, NAU Athletics, NAU, Spring 2013
Educator of Influence, N. García, Gold Axe Award Winner, NAU, Fall 2012

Keynote Address

Explore Honors Days, NAU, Jan 28 & Feb 4, 2022
Social & Behavioral Sciences/University College Spring Commencement, NAU, May 14, 2016
Welcome Address, 2014 STAR Program, NAU, Jul 12, 2014
Class of 2012 STAR Recognition Ceremony, NAU, Apr 25, 2012
17th Annual Hispanic Convocation, NAU, May 6, 2010
Farwell Address, 2008 STAR Banquet, NAU, Jun 26, 2008

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Workshops, Trainings, & Certifications

Hispanic/Latine Leadership Program, Leadership & Engagement, NAU, Sep 22, 2023
Demystifying Book Publishing for First-gen Scholars, University of California Press, Jan 21, 2023
Teaching w/ Fire, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 12, 2023

Teaching w/ Fire, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 6, 2022
New Academic Leader Orientation, Faculty Affairs, NAU, Aug 2-6, 2021
Coursedog Training, Registrar, NAU, Jul 12, 2021
NASPA 2021 First-generation Student Success Conference, Virtual, Jun 26-Jun 30, 2021
Inclusive Practices for Course Administration, Teaching Academy, NAU, Apr 2, 2021
Creating a Community of Belonging & Support for Men of Color, Frontier Set/AASCU, Mar 25-26, 2021
Inclusive Learning Environments, Teaching Academy, NAU, Mar 5, 2021
Inclusive Course Design & Teaching Practices, Teaching Academy, NAU, Feb 5, 2021
Teaching w/ Fire, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 7, 2021
Helping First-gen Students Succeed, Faculty Development, NAU, Nov 4, 2020
NAUFlex Course Design, Online & Innovative Educational Initiatives, NAU, Jul 27-30, 2020
Supporting First-gen Students through a National Crisis, NASPA, Mar 31, 2020
Teaching w/ Fire, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 9, 2020
Accommodating Disabilities, Everfi, Nov 15, 2019
Harassment & Discrimination Prevention, Everfi, Nov 14, 2019
Siteimprove Training, Information Technology Services, NAU, Apr 30, 2019
Teaching Online @ NAU Certificate of Completion, Faculty Development, NAU, Apr 22, 2019
Teaching w/ Fire, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 10, 2019
Diversity Knowledge Practices, Diversity Symposium, NAU, Nov 9, 2018
Global Learning Initiative Spring Forum, NAU, Feb 22, 2018
Teaching w/ Fire, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 11, 2018
WordPress Training, ITS Learning & Professional Development, NAU, Dec 7, 2017
So, you want to Write a Book, Faculty Development, NAU, Nov 15, 2017
WordPress Essential Training, Lynda.com, Nov 8, 2017
Managing Bias, Everfi, Oct 3, 2017
Diversity: Inclusion in the Modern Workplace, Everfi, Oct 3, 2017
Students of Color Retention, Enrollment Management & Student Affairs, NAU, Sep 20, 2017
Intersections: Preventing Harassment & Sexual Violence, LawRoom, Mar 6, 2017
Why we Teach what we Teach, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 12, 2017
Uncovering, Contributing to & Using Sightlines, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 12, 2017
Teaching w/ Fire, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 12, 2017
Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative, NAU, Nov 5, 2013-2016
University Hearing Board Training, Office of Student Life, NAU, Sep 9, 2016
Troubling a Body Politic, New Directions in Diversity, NAU, Apr 8, 2016
Campus Security Authority Training, NAU, Feb 29, 2016
Helping our Students Make it Stick w/ Intersectionality, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 14, 2016
Teaching w/ Fire, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 14, 2016
Women of Color in the Academy, New Directions in Diversity, NAU, Oct 2, 2015
Cultivating First-gen Student Success Certification, Faculty Development, NAU, Mar 6, 2015
Teaching w/ Fire, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 8, 2015
Addressing the Unique Needs of Undocumented Students, IMS, NAU, Dec 10, 2014
NAU Faculty Learning Community: What our Stories Teach Us, NAU, AY 2013-AY 2014
How to Support First-gen College Students, Student Support Services, NAU, Apr 9, 2014
SafeZone Training 101 & 102, LGBTQA Resources & Support, NAU, Feb 14, 2014
Contributions of Non-Tenure Track Faculty, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 9, 2014
Challenges Facing Faculty of Color, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 9, 2014
Teaching w/ Fire, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 9, 2014
Social Movements w/ C. Crass, Women's & Gender Studies, NAU, Nov 8, 2013
DREAMzone Ally Certification Program, Arizona State University, Nov 1, 2013

Culture & Learning, Faculty Development, University of New Mexico, May 13-14, 2013
Race & the Collegium w/ S. Anderson, Faculty Development, NAU, Apr 5, 2013
NAU Faculty Learning Community: Intersections of Culture & Learning, AY 2012
Living Compassion Conference, NAU, Flagstaff, AZ, Oct 26-27, 2012
Sentipensante discussion w/ L. Rendón, Faculty Development, NAU, Oct 26, 2012
Culture & Learning, Faculty Development, NAU, Aug 9-10, 2012
Inclusivity in Online Curriculum & Pedagogy, Faculty Development, NAU, Mar 23, 2012
Web CMS Publisher Training, Information Technology Center, NAU, Feb 15, 2012
Discussion of Readings from Cornel West, Faculty Development, NAU, Jan 30, 2012
Balancing Excellence in Teaching & Scholarship, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 12, 2012
Excellence & Interdisciplinarity, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 12, 2012
Discussions of Best Teaching Practices, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 12, 2012
Retooling Syllabi, Faculty Development, NAU, Jan 9, 2012
Employee Development Day, Human Resources, NAU, May 25, 2011
Cayuse Grant Submission Training, Grant & Contract Services, NAU, Mar 10, 2011
Insights from Community-Engaged Projects, Faculty Development, NAU, Mar 4, 2011
College Success w/ Latino First-gen Students, Support Services, NAU, Feb 16, 2011
Intellectual Intersections: A Multidisciplinary Graduate Student Conference, Flagstaff, AZ, Feb 4, 2011
SBS Faculty Discussion Group on Teaching, NAU, Aug-Dec 2010
Recruitment & Retention of Students of Color, Support Services, NAU, Nov 10, 2010
One Community-Many Voices, Student Life, NAU, Aug 30, 2010
Grade Performance Status Training, Student Success, NAU, May 26, 2009
National & International Borderlands Studies, Faculty Development, NAU, Apr 10, 2009
Diversity within the Hispanic Community, Faculty Development, NAU, Sep 19, 2008
Race & Racism in College Classrooms, Faculty Development, NAU, Mar 12, 2008
Matching Ideas to Grant Resources, Faculty Development, NAU, Feb 1, 2007
Conversational Spanish, Coconino Community College, Sep-Oct 2006
Test Center Administrator Certification, Educational Testing Service, Jun 2004-Jul 2006
WebCT-Vista Training, E-Learning Center, NAU, Feb 3, 2006
Publish & Flourish, Faculty Development, NAU, Nov 4, 2005
Enhancing Learning w/ Technology, Social & Behavioral Sciences, NAU, Nov 2, 2005
Customer Service, Enrollment Services, NAU, Mar 11, 2005
Culturally Responsive Teaching, Faculty Development, NAU, Mar 7, 2005
Dimensions of “Race” in the Classroom, Faculty Development, NAU, Feb 28, 2005
Grant Writing, Western Social Science Association, Apr 24, 2004
Academic Job Search & Life in the Academy, Western Social Science Association, Apr 23, 2004
Creating Engaged Learning Environments, National Resource Center, Mar 25, 2004
Job Hunting & Teaching in the Community College, Graduate College, NAU, Mar 10, 2004
Southwest Women’s History Colloquium, Flagstaff, AZ, Sep 19-20, 2003
MS Front-Page, Client Computing & Telecommunications, NAU, Jun 5-6, 2002
Phone Interviewer Training, Social Research Laboratory, NAU, May 13, 2002
WebCT Development, Information Technology Center, NAU, Sep 30, 2001
Professional Development Seminar, Politics & International Affairs, NAU, Spring 2001
Giving Oral Presentations to a Lay Audience, Graduate College, NAU, Feb 21, 2001
Juggling It All & Structuring Your Early Career, Graduate College, NAU, Aug 23, 2000
Identities, Borders & Orders, NMSU Feb 22-24, 1999 & Mar 23-25, 1998

Leadership Development

Academic Impressions, Sep 2021-date

Leadership for Diversity & Inclusion, American Association of Colleges & Universities, Jun 1, 2022

Funded Guest Speaker

The Borderlands of First-generation Student Success, College of the Atlantic, Mar 31, 2021
Welcome Address, Lumberjack Scholars, NAU, 2014-2020
Strategies for Success, New Student Orientation, NAU, 2012-2019
Ethnicity, Migration, & Governance on the U.S.-Mexico Border, Hokkaido University, Jul 2-5, 2018
The Boundaries of Belonging, *Celebraciones de la Gente*, Museum of Northern Arizona, Oct 22, 2017
Saving Our Stories, *Celebraciones de la Gente*, Museum of Northern Arizona, Oct 21, 2017

Guest University-wide Lectures

Imposter Syndrome, NAU Leadership & Engagement, Feb 15, 2023
Latinx Tambien Escriben, Cline Library Author Series/First-gen Programs/Office of Inclusion, Oct 1, 2021
Unlearning Racism, Ethnic Studies Brown Bag Series, NAU, Oct 22, 2020
Una Noche de Descifrar y Discutir, Office of Inclusion, NAU, Sep 24, 2020
Dia de los Muertos, Diversity & Inclusion Scholars/Allen Residence Hall, NAU, Nov 3, 2019
Migration & Borders Brownbag, Government, NMSU, Oct 4, 2019
Intersecting Identities: First-gen & Latinx, Office of Inclusion, NAU, Sep 18, 2019
Dia de los Muertos, MEChA de NAU, 2012-2017
Strategies for Success, Transfer & Commuter Connections, NAU, Jan 12, 2016
Cesar Chavez March, MEChA de NAU, 2015, 2014, 2012, 2011, 2008
But It's a Dry Hate, Ethnic Studies Brown Bag Series, NAU, Nov 24, 2014
Aztlán & Chican@ Identities, MEChA de NAU, Sep 12, 2012
Breaking the Border, Politics & International Affairs Scholars Series, NAU, Oct 5, 2009
Mestizaje in our Music, Hispanic Heritage Month, NAU, Sep 29, 2008

Guest Classroom Lectures

Ethnic Studies, EDF 301W: School and Society (2 sections), NAU, Oct 14, 2021
Borderlands Studies, ES 600: Critical Approaches to Ethnic Studies, NAU, Feb 11, 2020
Borderlands Studies, Govt 570: Seminar in Comparative Politics, NMSU, Oct 3, 2019
Chicanx Studies, MEChA de South Mountain High School (Phoenix, AZ), Feb 27, 2019
Ethnic Studies, Pan American Charter School (Phoenix, AZ), Feb 4, 2019
Politics & Hip Hop, ANT 305: Folklore of the World, NAU, Nov 6, 2018
Diversity & Advocacy, SW 423: Social Work Generalist Practice III, NAU, Sep 4 & 6, 2018
Chicanx Studies, ES 100: Intro to Ethnic Studies, NAU, Jun 14, 2018
Borderlands Studies, ES 600: Critical Approaches to Ethnic Studies, NAU, Feb 6, 2018
Chican@ Studies, ES 100: Intro to Ethnic Studies, NAU, Jun 15, 2017
Hip Hop: Roots & Theory, ES 391: Hip Hop & Corporate America, NAU, Feb 13-27, 2017
Hip Hop: Roots & Theory, ES 270: The Genius of Hip Hop, NAU, Feb 13-27, 2017
Borderlands Studies, ES 600: Critical Approaches to Ethnic Studies, NAU, Feb 7, 2017
Border Politics, Posc/Econ 350: Sustainable Public Policy, Hartwick College, Jan 10, 2017
Chican@ Studies, ES 100: Intro to Ethnic Studies, NAU, Jun 16, 2016
Intersectionality & Civic Engagement, Honors 394: Civic Engagement, NAU, Feb 25, 2016
R(e-M)apping the Political, Explore Honors Day, Honors, NAU, Feb 12 & 19, 2016
Borderlands Studies, ES 600: Critical Approaches to Ethnic Studies, NAU, Feb 10, 2016
Understanding Narrative Inquiry, BME 545: Multicultural Narrative Inquiry, NAU, Oct 27, 2015
Chican@ Studies, ES 100: Intro to Ethnic Studies, NAU, Jun 10, 2015
Chican@ Studies, ES 100: Intro to Ethnic Studies, NAU, Mar 30, 2015
Borderlands Studies, ES 600: Critical Approaches to Ethnic Studies, NAU, Feb 20, 2015

Radical Hip Hop, WGS 191: Women, Gender Identity & Ethnicity, NAU, Feb 5, 2015
Border Politics, Posc/Econ 350: Sustainable Public Policy, Hartwick College, Jan 16, 2015
Latin@ Athletes, ES 391: Special Topics–Race & Sports, NAU, Oct 30, 2014
Critical Ethnic Studies & Social Justice, Olson Scholars Institute, NAU, Aug 6-7, 2014
Latin@s in Mainstream Movies, ES 200: Race, Identity, & Film, NAU, Oct 29, 2013
Race & Racism, EPS 690: Multicultural Counseling, NAU, Sep 23, 2013
Critical Ethnic Studies, Olson Scholars Institute, NAU, Aug 6, 2013
Diversity at the University, POS 643: Theories of Organization, NAU, Apr 16, 2013
Border Politics, Posc/Econ 350: Sustainable Public Policy, Hartwick College, Jan 18, 2013
The House on Mango Street, FYLI 131: Gender, Race, & the Land, NAU, Oct 25-30, 2012
Latin@s in the US, ES 100: Intro to Ethnic Studies, NAU, Apr 17, 2012
Race in the Classroom, POS 691: Professional Development, NAU, Mar 20, 2012
Chican@ Studies, ES 600: Critical Approaches to Ethnic Studies, NAU, Apr 5, 2011
Immigration & Border Policy, Soc 160: Globalization, Feather River College, Apr 13, 2010
Chican@ Studies, ES 498: Capstone Seminar in Ethnic Studies, NAU, Apr 2, 2009
Latin@s in the U.S., POS 357: Politics of U.S. Ethnic Groups, NAU, Mar 26, 2008
Latin@ Music, ES 160: Intro to Chican@ Studies, NAU, Mar 10 & 12, 2008
Latin@ Music, ES 160: Intro to Chican@ Studies, NAU, Oct 23 & 25, 2007
Immigration & Citizenship on the Border, Senior Summer School, Sep 13, 2007
Political Ideologies, POS 201: Introduction to Politics, NAU, Jan 27, 2005
Latin America, POS 360: Comparative Politics, NAU, Nov 9, 2004
Mexico & Brazil, POS 360: Comparative Politics, NAU, Nov 3, 2003
Ché Guevara, POS 201: Political Ideologies, Coconino Community College, Feb 20, 2003
Transnationalism, POS 120: World Politics, NAU, Feb 28, 2002
Mexico & Brazil, POS 360: Comparative Politics, NAU, Nov 1, 2001
International Relations, GOVT 110: Introduction to Political Science, NMSU, Dec 2, 1999
Cultural Politics, GOVT 570: Comparative Politics, NMSU, Oct 10, 1999
The Cuban Revolution, GOVT 160: International Political Issues, NMSU, Apr 14, 1999
The Presidency, GOVT 100: American Government, NMSU, Mar 25, 1999
The Presidency, GOVT 100: American Government, NMSU, Oct 26, 1998

Training Facilitator

NAU Faculty Learning Community: First-gen College Student Experiences, Aug 2012-date
Understanding Terminologies in a HSI, NAU Student Affairs Professional Development Day, Mar 24, 2023
Instructor, First-gen Success Online Workshop, NAU, Aug 2018-May 2022
Co-facilitator, First-gen Student Success Certification, NAU, Jan 2015-May 2020
Latinx Heritage & Cultural Norms, Health Promotion, NAU, Nov 22, 2019
First-gen & First-Year Students, True Blue Ambassadors Training, NAU, May 14, 2019
First-gen Students in the Classroom & Beyond, Housing & Residence Life, NAU, Mar 6, 2019
Race, Identity, & First-gen, Undergraduate Admissions & Orientation, NAU, Jan 30, 2019
The “New Majority” Learners, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 10, 2019
Small Teaching w/ First-gen College Students, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 11, 2018
Topics in Diversity, First-gen Students, Faculty Development, NAU, Sep 15, 2017
Ethnic Studies, Rocky Mountain Association for College Admission Counseling, Jun 13, 2017
Working w/ Latinx Students, STAR Program Training, NAU, May 26, 2017
Belonging/Existing, Inclusion & Multicultural Services Peer Mentors, NAU, Mar 2, 2017
First-gen Students in the Classroom, Faculty Development, NAU, Feb 24, 2016
Working w/ Latin@ Students, STAR Program Training, NAU, May 22, 2015
Strategies for Success, True Blue Ambassadors Training, NAU, May 19, 2015

Teaching from an Intersectional Framework, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 8, 2015
 Latin@ Identities & Inclusive Communities, Housing & Residence Life, NAU, Jul 28, 2014
 Strategies for Success, True Blue Ambassadors Training, NAU, May 15, 2014
 When Race Happens, English Teaching Assistants, NAU, Nov 15, 2013
 Strategies for Success, New Student Orientation Leader Training, NAU, May 15, 2013
 Strategies for Success, New Student Orientation Leader Training, NAU, May 23, 2012
 The Academic Experience, STAR Program Training, NAU, May 26, 2011
 Teaching at NAU, New Faculty Orientation, Faculty Development, NAU, Aug 24, 2010
 Validating Identity, STAR Program Training, NAU, May 26, 2010
 Racial Stereotypes/Systemic Racism, Mountain View Diversity Month, NAU, Oct 26, 2009
 Insights from Borderlands Studies, Faculty Development, NAU, Mar 28, 2008
 Insights from Latin@/Chican@ Studies, Faculty Development, NAU, Sep 14, 2007

Panelist/Co-presenter

Language/Culture: Differences Terminology, *Encuentro*, NAU, Apr 5, 2023
 First-gen College Student Book Chapter Talk, *Know That You Are Worthy*, May 23, 2023
 Supporting First-gen Hispanic Students, Faculty Development, NAU, Feb 21, 2023
 HSI & Terminology, Hispanic Serving Institute Research & Teaching Consortium, NAU, Dec 1, 2022
 Counselor Fly-In Faculty Panel, Admissions, NAU, Nov 7, 2022
 Supporting First-gen Students through Mentoring, Faculty Development, NAU, Mar 22, 2022
 Hispanic Serving Institutions & Ethnic Studies, NAU Ten Program, Sep 24, 2021
Real Women Have Curves (film), Arts & Letters/Social & Behavioral Sciences Film Series, Sep 21, 2021
 Focus on Students: First-gen Student Success, Faculty Development, NAU, Mar 5, 2020
 Politics of the late-90s, 2019 Homecoming Reception, Government, NMSU, Oct 3, 2019
 First in the Family: First-gen Panel, First-generation Programs, NAU, Aug 22, 2019
 Ethnic Studies, Diversity Knowledge Practices, Diversity Symposium, NAU, Nov 9, 2018
Dia de los Muertos, Hermanas United for Change, NAU, Nov 3, 2018
 First-generation Learning Community, Faculty Development Showcase, NAU, Apr 18, 2018
 Ethnic Studies: Existing/Resisting, Teach In: The Power of No, NAU, Apr 21, 2017
 First-generation Learning Community, Faculty Development Showcase, NAU, Apr 19, 2017
 Stories of Immigration in Flagstaff, Community & University Public Inquiry, NAU, Apr 18, 2017
 Microaggressions, Doctoral Student Organization, College of Education, NAU, Mar 23, 2017
 Social Justice Faculty Forum, Social Justice Scholars, NAU, Mar 22, 2017
 First-gen Experiences in the Classroom & Beyond, Faculty Development, NAU, Nov 9, 2016
 NAU Campus Climate Assessment, Various Campus Departments, NAU, 2015-2016
La Historia de Mi Gente, 2016 Cesar Chavez Week, MEChA de NAU, Apr 3, 2016
 Chuck D & Public Enemy, Hip Hop Week 3, Ethnic Studies, NAU, Mar 31, 2016
 MEChA 101, 2016 Cesar Chavez Week, MEChA de NAU, Mar 31, 2016
 Undergraduate Research, Empower College Prep, Apr 24, 2015
 Building your own Personal Network, Olson Scholars Institute, NAU, Aug 12, 2014
 Undergraduate Research, Empower College Prep, Apr 25, 2014
 First-gen College Students, Olson Scholars Institute, NAU, Aug 13, 2013
 Hip Hop on College Campuses, Inclusion & Multicultural Services, NAU, Apr 8, 2013
 First-gen Student Workshop, Student Support Services, NAU, Jan 29, 2013
 Diverse Cultures in the Classroom, New Graduate Student Orientation, NAU, Aug 21, 2012
 Inclusivity in Online Curriculum & Pedagogy, Faculty Development, NAU, Mar 23, 2012
 TUSD Ethnic Studies Ban: Education is a Human Right, Repeal Coalition, Feb 17, 2012
 Be a Leader, Carl Hayden High School/Multicultural Student Center, NAU, Feb 15, 2011
 Teaching in Social & Behavioral Sciences, SBS-STAR Cohort, NAU, Jun 10, 2010

Diversity within the Hispanic Community, Faculty Development, NAU, Sep 19, 2008
Borderlands Studies, Faculty Development, NAU, Mar 28, 2008

Co-Facilitator

“New Majority” Learners, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 10, 2019
Small Teaching w/ First Generation College Students, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 11, 2018
Walking the Fine Line: Diversity, Inclusion, & Access, New Directions in Diversity, NAU, Apr 8, 2016
Helping our Students Make it Stick w/ Intersectionality, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 14, 2016
Crossing Arizona (Film), Borderlands Integrative Learning Project, NAU, Nov 16, 2015
Mosquita y Mari (Film), Women’s & Gender Studies, NAU, Feb 26, 2015
Teaching from an Intersectional Framework, Teaching Academy, NAU, Jan 8, 2015
Non-Tenure Track, Temporary & Part-Time Faculty Working Session 2, NAU, Jan 6, 2015
Non-Tenure Track, Temporary & Part-Time Faculty Working Session 1, NAU, Dec 16, 2014
U.S.-Mexico Border Trip, Olson Scholars for Social Justice, NAU, Oct 9-12, 2014
Fruitvale Station (Film), Ethnic Studies, NAU, Sep 23, 2014
Romántico (Film), International Film Series, NAU, Apr 16, 2014
One Community-Many Voices, Student Life, NAU, Sep 11, 2013
Higher Learning (Film), Inclusion & Multicultural Services, NAU, Oct 29, 2012
One Community-Many Voices, Student Life, NAU, Sep 6, 2012
Arizona Ethnic Studies & Banned Books Debate, Ethnic Studies, NAU, Mar 29, 2012
Arizona Banned Books Read-In, Ethnic Studies, NAU, Feb 29, 2012
Proposition 8 & Gay Marriage, Philosophy in the Public Interest, NAU, Feb 15, 2012
One Community-Many Voices, Student Life, NAU, Sep 6, 2011
Freedom Summer Camp to Fight for Ethnic Studies, Repeal Coalition, Jul-Aug 2011
Civil Dialogue & Right to Bear Arms, Women’s & Gender Studies, NAU, Feb 9, 2011
Free Speech or Hate Speech, Women’s & Gender Studies, NAU, Oct 28, 2010
(Im)migrant Social Movements, Latin@ Heritage Month, NAU, Sep 23, 2010