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**Curriculum Vitae**

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**Education**

Post-Doctorate in Sociology (1989-1990), Stanford University  
Ph.D. in Sociology (1985), University of California, San Diego  
M.A. in Sociology (1979), University of California, San Diego  
M.A. in Education (1971), University of California, Los Angeles  
B.S. in Education (1966), University of Texas, Austin

**Employment**

Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Texas at San Antonio (UTSA), 2008 – present  
Director of UTSA Mexico Center, 2006 – present  
Director of Child and Adolescent Policy Research Institute (CAPRI), 2005 – present  
Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, UTSA, 2003 – 2008  
Division of Bicultural Bilingual Studies, UTSA, 1999 – 2002  
Associate Professor, Department of Curriculum and Instruction, University of Texas at Austin (UT) (Courtesy Appointment in Sociology), 1996 – 1999  
Adjunct Professor, LBJ School of Public Affairs, UT (On request of Dr. Richard Schott, LBJ School of Public Affairs; Arranged through inter-university exchange from Texas State University), 1994 – 1996  
Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, Texas State University, 1996  
Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Texas State University, 1990 – 1995  
Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Sociology, Stanford University, 1989 – 1990  
Research Scientist, Center for Mexican American Studies, UT, 1986 – 1990  
Project Coordinator, Inter-University Program for Latino Research/Social Science Research Council Committee on Hispanic Public Policy, UT, 1985 – 1990  
Lecturer, Department of Sociology, UT, 1985 – 1989  
Social Science Researcher, Undocumented Worker Project, US Department of Labor, UT Population Research Center, 1981 – 1982  
Lecturer, School of Professional Studies, San Diego State University, 1976 – 1977  
ESL Title I Math Specialist Teacher, Lennox District, Los Angeles County Schools, CA, 1968 – 1974  
Teacher, Los Angeles City School, Inner City, 1967 – 1968  
Teacher, American-Nicaraguan School, Managua, Nicaragua, 1966 – 1967

**University Teaching Experience**

Graduate Level

Language and Society  
Qualitative Research Methods  
Border Studies  
Sociology of Childhood  
Education and the Reproduction of Inequality  
Multicultural Groups  
Culture, Literacy and Language  
Seminar on Latino Biculturalism  
Internship in Sociology  
Independent Study

Undergraduate Level

Sociology of Education  
Senior Seminar  
Education in American Society  
Linguistic and Cultural Diversity in a Pluralistic Society  
Racial and Ethnic Relations  
Qualitative Research Methods  
The Mexican American Family  
Migration Studies  
Children and Society

**Research and Teaching Interests**

Children and Youth, Immigration, Education, Race and Ethnic Relations, Qualitative Research.

**Publications in Peer-Reviewed Journals (students are in bold)**

- 2016 **Itzel Corona**, Harriett Romo, Jill Fleuriet, “IIRIRA and Mothering in Detention Centers: Precarity, Temporality and Coping,” *Journal on Migration and Human Security*, submitted November 9, 2016
- 2014 Special Edition *International Journal of Qualitative Research in Education, Mexico*. Maricela Oliva, Harriett Romo, and Victor Zuniga, co-editors.
- 2014 **González, Jorge C.** and Harriett Romo. “Four-Year College Graduation: The Importance of Student Organizations.” *Sociological Imagination* 50(2):53-79.
- 2014 Blanco, Mónica, Harriett Romo, and Jesús Cruz Álvarez. “Competencias Globales de los Administradores Trabajando en un Ambiente de Negocios Multicultural.” *Revista Innovar* (forthcoming).
- 2014 Blanco, Mónica, Harriett Romo, and Jesús Cruz Álvarez. “Exploring Global Competence of American and Mexican Managers Working in a Multicultural Environment.” *Journal of International Management Studies* (forthcoming).
- 2013 Kennedy, Kim and Harriett Romo. “All Colors and Hues: An Auto-Ethnography of Multi-Ethnic Family’s Strategies for Bilingualism and Multiculturalism.” *Family Relations* 62(1):109-124. (doi:10.1111/j.1741-3729.2012.00742.x)
- 2011 **García-Sierra, Adrian, Maritza Rivera-Gaxiola, Cherie R. Percaccio, Barbara T. Conboy**, Harriett Romo, Lindsay Klarman, Sophia Ortiz, and Patricia K. Kuhl. “Bilingual language learning: An ERP study relating early brain responses to speech, language input and later word production.” *Journal of Phonetics* 39(4):546-557. (doi:10.1016/j.wocn.2011.02.002)
- 2011 **Perez, Beatrix** and Harriett Romo. “‘Couch surfing’ of Latino foster care alumni: Reliance on peers as social capital.” *Journal of Adolescence* 34(2):239-248. (doi:10.1016/j.adolescence.2010.05.007)
- 2011 **Perez, Beatrix** and Harriett Romo, “School Mobility, Social Capital, and Educational Experiences of Latino Foster Care Youth.” *Sociological Studies of Children and Youth* 14:27-49 D. A. Kinney and Loretta E. Bass, eds. United Kingdom: Emerald Group Publishing Limited.
- 2010 **Ogland, Curtis**. “Using Promotoras to Deliver Financial Education in Low-Income Communities.” *Journal for Consumer Education* 27:30-44. (Paper prepared under United Way Project with H. Romo as PI)
- 2005 Romo, Harriett and **Claire Andres**. “Making and Missing Meanings: Lessons in Early Childhood Literacy Development” *International Journal of Learning* 11, International Literacy Conference Proceedings, Havana, Cuba. Common Ground Publishers, Pp. 529-537.
- 1986 Romo, Harriett. “Inequality in Bilingual Education: Organizational Factors,” *La Raza Law Review*, (Volume 1, Fall 1986): Pp. 227-294. University of California, Berkeley, Boalt Law School.
- 1984 Romo, Harriett. “The Mexican Origin Population’s Differing Perceptions of Their Children’s Schooling.” *Social Science Quarterly*, Special Edition, June, Pp. 635-650.

**Refereed Books**

- 2016 Romo, Harriett and Olivia Mogollon-Lopez, eds. *Mexico-U.S. Migration: Perspectives from Both Sides of the Border*. Austin, TX: University of Texas Press. **Nominated by UT Press for the ASA Global and Transnational Sociology Best Scholarly Book Award 2017.**
- 2012 Romo, Harriett, Olivia Lopez, and Carlos Garrido, eds. *A Bilateral Perspective on Mexico U.S. Migration*, Veracruz, Mexico: University of Veracruz Press.
- 2008 Marquez, Raquel and Harriett Romo, eds. *Transformations of La Familia on the U.S.-Mexico Border*. Notre Dame, IN: University of Notre Dame Press.
- 2005 McLemore, S. Dale and Harriett Romo. *Racial and Ethnic Relations in America*. 7<sup>th</sup> ed. Boston, MA: Allyn and Bacon.
- 2001 McLemore, S. Dale, Harriett Romo, and Susan Gonzalez Baker. *Racial and Ethnic Relations in America*, 6<sup>th</sup> ed. Boston, MA: Allyn and Bacon. [Reviewed in *Teaching Sociology*, v. 29, 2001 (July) p.369.]
- 2001 Romo, Harriett. *Instructor’s Guide for Racial and Ethnic Relations in America*. 6<sup>th</sup> ed. Boston, MA: Allyn & Bacon.

- 1999 Romo, Harriett. *Reaching Out: Best Practices for Educating Mexican-Origin Children and Youth*. ERIC Clearinghouse of Rural Education & Small Schools. Charleston, WV.
- 1998 McLemore, S. Dale and Harriett Romo. *Racial and Ethnic Relations in America*. 5<sup>th</sup> ed. Boston, MA: Allyn and Bacon.
- 1998 Romo, Harriett. *Instructor's Guide for Racial and Ethnic Relations in America*. 5<sup>th</sup> ed. Boston, MA: Allyn and Bacon.
- 1996 Romo, Harriett and Toni Falbo. *Latino High School Graduation: Defying the Odds*. Austin, TX: University of Texas Press. (FINALIST FOR C. WRIGHT MILLS PRIZE) [Featured in ASA Author Meets Critics]

### Chapters in Edited Books

- 2017 Romo, Harriett and Raquel Marquez. "Embracing the 'Other': Dreamers Navigating Higher Education." Pp. 68—98 in *Mobilizing Public Sociology: Scholars, Activists, and Latin@ Migrants Converse on Common Ground*, edited by Victoria Carty and Rafael Luévano, The Netherlands: Brill.
- 2016 Aguilar, Carlos, Raquel Marquez, and Harriett Romo, "From Dreamers to Dacademics: A la escuela sin pasaporte" in *Seen But Not Heard: Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Child Migrants and Refugees*, Lexington Books, Rowman & LittleField. Submitted November 2, 2016.
- 2016 Romo, Harriett and Olivia Mogollon-Lopez, "The Role of Elite Mexican Women Immigrants in Maintaining Language and Mexican Identity." Pp. 184-211 in *Mexican Migration to the United States: Perspectives from Both Sides of the Border*, edited by Harriett D. Romo and Olivia Mogollon-Lopez, University of Texas Press.
- 2016 Romo, Harriett, "Conclusion: Is Mexican Migration to the United States Different from Other Migrations?" Pp. 275-293 in *Mexican Migration to the United States: Perspectives from Both Sides of the Border*, edited by Harriett D. Romo and Olivia Mogollon-Lopez, University of Texas Press.
- 2016 Romo Harriett, Janeth Martínez, and Christina López-Mobilia, "Children of Immigrants in the United States." Pp. 45-64 in *Continuidades y cambios en las migraciones de México a Estados Unidos: Tendencias en la circulación, experiencias y resignificaciones de la migración y el retorno en el Estado de México*, Coords. Jorge Olvera García y Norma Baca Tavira, Universidad Autónoma del Estado de México.
- 2013 Romo, Harriett. "Formal and Informal Institutions in the Construction of Transnational Lives: A Study of Mexican and Mexican American Experiences in San Antonio, Texas—A Mexican Majority U.S. City." Pp. 45-85 in *Immigration and Border: Politics in the New Latino Century*, edited by D. Leal and J. Limon. Notre Dame, IN: University of Notre Dame Press.
- 2012 Romo, Harriett and Ricardo Romo. "Four Decades of Collecting." Pp. 13-22 in *Estampas de La Raza: Contemporary Prints from the Romo Collection*, Lyle W. Williams, ed, The McNay Contemporary Art Museum, San Antonio, TX: University of Texas Press.
- 2010 Romo, Harriett and Raquel Marquez. "Identity Construction in Transnational Lives: Characteristics and Complexities." Pp. 217-234 in *Boundaries in Depth and in Motion*, edited by I. W. Zartman. Athens, GA: University of Georgia Press.
- 2009 Romo, Harriett and Carlos Romo. "Legal Barriers in the Educational Experiences of Mexican Origin Students in the United States." Pp. 273-301 in *Japanese Family Law in Comparative Perspective, Studies in Comparative Legal History*, edited by H. N. Scheiber and L. Mayali. Berkeley, California: Robbins Collection Publications, School of Law (Boalt Hall), University of California at Berkeley.
- 2008 Romo, Harriett D. and Raquel Marquez. "Introduction." Pp. 1-27 in *Transformations of La Familia on the U.S.-Mexico Border*, edited by R. R. Marquez and H. D. Romo. Notre Dame, IN: University of Notre Dame Press.
- 2008 Romo, Harriett. "The Extended Border: A Case Study of San Antonio as a Transnational City," Pp. 77-104 in *Transformations of La Familia on the U.S. Mexico Border*, University of Notre Dame Press.
- 2006 Romo, Harriett and **Maria Rodriguez**. "Dual Nationalities: Mexican Americans and Mexican Immigrants Explore Issues of Citizenship." Pp. 151-188 in *Migración A Los Estados Unidos: Más Allá de los Números*, edited by M. M. Adalid. Mexico City: UNAM, UTSA, FUNSALUD January.
- 2003 **De La Piedra, Maria** and Harriett Romo. "Collaborative Literacy in a Mexican Immigrant Household: The Role of Sibling Mediators in the Socialization of Pre-School Learners." Pp. 44-61 in *Language Socialization in Bi- and Multilingual Societies*, edited by R. Bayley and S. R. Schecter. Multilingual Matters.

- 2003 **Sanchez, Joanne** and Harriett Romo. "Successful Transitions of Latino Students from High School to College: Addressing the Needs of Latino Students." Pp. 107-130 in *Latinos in Higher Education*, edited by D. J. Leon. Elsevier Science Ltd.
- 1996 Romo, Harriett. "The Newest 'Outsiders': Educating Mexican Immigrant and Migrant Youth." Pp. 61-91 in *Children de la Frontera*, edited by J. L. Flores. Charleston, WV: ERIC/CRESS.
- 1987 Romo, Harriett and Ricardo Romo. "The Training of Mexican Americans in Mental Health Areas," *Mental Health Issues of the Mexican Origin Population in Texas*. R.L. Sutherland Seminar in Mental Health. The University of Texas at Austin: Hogg Foundation for Mental Health, Pp. 197-230.
- 1985 Romo, Harriett. "The Mexican Origin Population's Differing Perceptions of Their Children's Schooling," Pp. 377-392 in *The Mexican American Experience: An Interdisciplinary Anthology*, edited by R. de la Garza et al. Austin, TX: University of Texas Press.
- 1985 Romo, Harriett and Ricardo Romo. "The Social and Cultural Context of the Mexican American Experience in the United States: An Introductory Overview." Pp. 317-332 in *The Mexican American Experience: An Interdisciplinary Anthology*. R. de la Garza et al., eds. Austin, TX: University of Texas Press.
- 1984 Romo, Harriett. "Senora Mercedes: A Mexican Immigrant," *Working Papers in Sociolinguistics*, Numbers 81-87, edited by R. Bauman and J. Sherzer. Austin, TX: Southwest Regional Lab.

### Peer Reviewed Conference Proceedings/Encyclopedia Articles/Reports

- 2014 Romo, Harriett and **Sabina Augustsson**. *Early Childhood. The Blackwell Encyclopedia of Sociology*. 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. G. Ritzer, ed., Oxford, UK: Blackwell Publishing Ltd.
- 2011 *The National Latino/a Education Research and Policy Project – Charting: A New Course: Understanding the Sociocultural, Political, Economic, and Historical Context of Latino/a Education in the United States*, edited by S. Nieto, M. Rivera, and S. Quiños (with Julio Camarota, Chiara Canella, Emmanuel Garcia, Maria Gonzalez, Jason Irizarry, Luis Moll, Sonia Nieto, Beatrix Perez, Harriett Romo, and Angela Valenzuela). City University of New York: Centro for Puerto Rican Studies.
- 2009 United Way Report Publication and Presentation with students: Financial Capacity Builders Initiative Evaluation (with Student Editors Mary L. Hansen and Beatrix Perez, Executive Editors and Peggy Buford Chavez, Juan Livas, Shelia McElroy, Curtis Ogland, Joel Tabar, Carlos Valenzuela, and Jennifer Wickham, assistant student editors), Pp. 1-51. Submitted to United Way Issues Council, June 2009.
- 2009 "I would have been all caught up, but they put me in those classes": Structural Barriers to Latino Achievement. In *Charting a New Course: Understanding the Sociocultural, Political, Economic and Historical Context of Latino/a Education in the United States*, edited by S. Nieto and M. Rivera. National Latino Education Research Agenda project.
- 2005 "Latino Immigrant Children and the New Second Generation" *Encyclopedia of Latinos and Latinas in the United States*, edited by D. Gonzalez and S. Oboler. Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press.
- 2005 Romo, Harriett. *Early Childhood. The Blackwell Encyclopedia of Sociology*, edited by G. Ritzer. Oxford, UK: Blackwell Publishing Ltd.
- 2004 "Teacher Motivations: Meeting Quality Improvement Requirements for Head Start." Pp. 748-749 in *Conference Proceedings, Promoting Positive Development In Young Children: Designing Strategies That Work*. U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Head Start Bureau in collaboration with Columbia University (with Martha Crawford).
- 2000 "Improving Ethnic and Racial Relations in the Schools," *The ERIC Review*, 7(1), Spring, Pp. 25-26
- 1999 "Maintaining Spanish: A Challenge for Mexican Origin and Mexican American Youth." Pp. 201-212 in *Simposio Internacional de La Lengua Española: Pasado, Presente y Futuro Actas*, edited by J. H. Matluck and C. A. Solé. Department of Spanish and Portuguese, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX.
- 1998 "Latina High School Leaving: Some Practical Solutions," ERIC Brief, Clearinghouse on Rural Education and Small Schools." EDO-RC-97-98.
- 1995 "Improving Ethnic and Racial Relations in the Schools," ERIC Brief, Clearinghouse on Rural Education and Small Schools. EDO-RC-97-95.
- 1993 "Mexican Immigrants in High Schools: Meeting Their Needs." ERIC Brief. March, EDO-RC-92-98.
- 1980 *Living in Two Cultures: The Everyday World of Migrant Workers*, (with Aaron Cicourel), UNESCO, Paris.
- 1978 "Language Assessment and Diagnostic Practice," *National Origin Desegregation: Issues in Language Proficiency Assessment*, Institute for Cultural Pluralism School of Education San Diego State University.

### Creative Exhibitions

- 2017 Museum Exhibition of “The Other Side of Eagle Ford Shale: Affordable Housing,” Photo Ethnography and Interview Comments from HUD funded research project, Institute of Texan Cultures, May-August, 2017.

### **Book Reviews**

- 2014 Invited review in *Social Forces* of *Kids in the Middle: How Children of Immigrants Negotiate Community Interactions for Their Families*, 2014
- 2010 Invited review in *Teaching Sociology* of *At Home on the Street: People, Poverty, and a Hidden Culture of Homelessness* by Jason Adam Wasserman and Jeffrey Michael Clair, 2010, Lynne Rienner Publishers.
- 2010 Invited review in *Social Forces* of *Divided by Borders: Mexican Migrants and their Children*, 2010, by Joanna Dreby, University of California Press.
- 2009 Invited review essay, “Immigrants, Guest Workers, and Policy Issues: Perspectives on Mexican Transnationalism,” *Latin American Politics and Society*, v.51, no. 1, Spring 2009, pp 149-163.
- 2002 Review of *Centaur and Doves: Guatemala’s Peace Process* by Susanne Jonas, *Contemporary Sociology*, Vol. 31(1) Pp. 73-74, American Sociological Association.
- 1999 Review of *Educational Opportunity in an Urban American High School: A Cultural Analysis* by Patrick James McQuillan, *Contemporary Sociology*, January. American Sociological Association.
- 1997 Review of *Colors on Desert Walls: The Murals of El Paso*, by Miguel Juárez, Winter, *Texas Books*.
- 1992 Review of *The Mexican American Family: Tradition and Change*. By Norma Williams. *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*, January.
- 1991 Review of *Central American Refugees and US High Schools: A Psychosocial Study of Motivation and Achievement* by Marcelo M. Suarez-Orozco. *International Migration Review*, Vol. 25: Spring.
- 1991 Review of *Forked Tongue: The Politics of Bilingual Education* by Rosalie Pedalino Porter. *Social Science Quarterly*. 72(3) September.

### **Policy and Official Reports**

- 2017 End of Year Report Mellon Foundation grant, August, 2017
- 2017 End of Year Report, U.S. Department of Education, June 2017
- 2017 Quarterly Reports to U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, February, May, August, Final Report November.
- 2016 Quarterly Reports to U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, February, May, August, November
- 2015 End of Grant Report, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families, Planning Grants to Develop a Model Intervention for Youth/Young Adults with Child Welfare Involvement At-Risk of Homelessness, September 2016 HHS-2013-ACF-ACYF-CA-0636
- 2014 End of Grant Report, City of San Antonio (COSA), Summer Institute for Early Educators.
- 2013 End of Grant Report, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Transition of Foster Youth to College.
- 2013 End of Grant Report, Charity Ball Association San Antonio, Improving the Quality of Early Childhood Program at Inman Christian Center.
- 2013 End of Year Report, City of San Antonio (COSA), Summer Institute for Early Educators.
- 2010 End of Year Report, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Head Start Higher Education Partnership grant, Head Start Summer Institute.
- 2010 End of Year Report, U.S. Small Business Administration.
- 2010 End of Grant Report, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Hispanic Institutions Assisting Communities grant.
- 2009 End of Year Report, HUD Hispanic Serving Institutions Assisting Communities grant, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.
- 2009 End of Year Report, Head Start Higher Education Partnership grant, U.S. Department of Health & Human Services.
- 2009 U.S. Small Business Administration earmark grant, End of Year Report, UTSA Mexico Center.
- 2007 End of Year Report, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Summer Institute.
- 2007 Mid-Year Report, HUD.
- 2006 End of Grant Report, Early Reading First, U.S. Department of Education.
- 2006 End of Grant Report, HUD.
- 2006 End of Year Report, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.
- 2005 End of Year Report, Early Reading First Grant, U.S. Department of Education.

- 2005 End of Grant Report, HUD.
- 2005 End of Grant Report, U. S. Department of Health and Human Services.
- 2005 End of Year Report, Rockefeller Foundation.
- 2005 End of Year Report, Early Reading First Grant, U.S. Department of Education.
- 2004 End of Year Report, Head Start Summer Institute, U.S. Department of health & Human Services.
- 2003 End of Year Report, Head Start Summer Institute, U.S. Department of Health & Human Services.
- 2002 End of Year Report, Head Start Summer Institute, U.S. Department of Health & Human Services.
- 1999 Second Year Evaluation Report, Even Start Family Literacy Program, Community Action, Inc. Hays, Caldwell, and Blanco counties, Submitted to Texas Education Agency.
- 1998 *First year Evaluation Report, Even Start Program*, Community Action, Inc. of Hays, Caldwell, and Blanco counties. Submitted to Texas Education Agency.
- 1997 *Final Evaluation Report. State Funded Even Start Program*. Submitted to the Texas Education Agency.
- 1997 *Yo Primero: A Curriculum for "At Risk" Hispanic Teens* (San Antonio, TX: Mexican American Unity Council). With Ann Marie Ellis and Mary Lou Bell.
- 1993 Escuela Prevention Program, Project Evaluation, with Ann Marie Ellis and Mary Lou Bell.
- 1993 *Language Development and Assessment*, Escuelita Prevention Program Process Evaluation
- 1989 *Improving Minority Student Achievement*, Washington, DC: Mid-Atlantic Center for Race Equity, School of Education, American University.
- 1987 "Developing a Plan for Compliance with the Civil Rights Act Title VI LAU," (with Alberto Ochoa), Institute for Cultural Pluralism, School of Education, San Diego, State University.
- 1987 *Latinos and Blacks in the Profession of Public Service: A Report to the Ford Foundation*, (with Ernest Wilson and Lenneal Henderson).
- 1986 "Overview of the LAU Center Technical Assistance Process and the Office for Civil Rights Task Force Remedies," (with M. Reyes Mazon and Alberto Ochoa), Institute for Cultural Pluralism, School of Education, San Diego State University.
- 1983 "Spanish Speaking Parent Participation in the Schools: Abstract of Research Project 960.13" *External Research in AISD: Knowledge for Building*, Office of Research and Evaluation Austin Independent School District.

### **Funded Research/Projects**

- Alvarez Research Fellowships, UTSA Mexico Center, 2017, \$16,000 (funded)
- Mellon Foundation. Humanities Research Training Program. Latinos in a Changing World. 2016-2019, \$500,000 (funded)
- Institute of Education Science, UTSA Educational Research Training Program: P-20 Pipeline Issues. US Department of Education, September 2016-2021, \$961,866 (funded)
- San Antonio Mexico Foundation for Education (SAMFE), \$25,000 for UTSA undergraduate and graduate student scholarships for students from Mexico 2016 (funded)
- Alvarez Research Fellowships, UTSA Mexico Center 2016, \$16,000 (funded)
- Alvarez Research Fellowships, UTSA Mexico Center 2015, \$16,000 (funded)
- U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). Research grant to study affordable housing in Eagle Ford Shale area, \$350,000, 2015-2017 (funded)
- InterUniversity Program for Latino Research, Transnational Families Working Group Research Initiative, \$5,000 (funded)
- UTSA Office of Research, Transnational Working Group Research Initiative, \$10,000 (funded).
- Alvarez Research Fellowships, UTSA Mexico Center 2014, \$16,000 (funded)
- Baptist Child and Family Services (BCFS), Subcontract grant from U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services, \$90,759, 2014-2015 (funded)
- City of San Antonio, Second year, Access to College for Early Childhood Educators, \$77,514, 2013-2014 (funded)
- Baptist Child and Family Services (BCFS), Subcontract grant from U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services, \$82,371, 2013-2014 (funded)
- Optima Scholarship, UTSA Mexico Center, \$5,000 (funded)
- San Antonio Mexico Foundation for Educators (SAMFE), \$10,000 two year grant to fund student from Mexico, 2013 (funded)
- Alvarez Research Fellowships, UTSA Mexico Center, \$10,000, 2013 (funded)
- San Antonio Mexico Foundation for Education (SAMFE) \$10,000 two year grant to UTSA Mexico Center to fund student from Mexico, 2012 (funded)

Alvarez Research Fellowships, UTSA Mexico Center, \$10,000, 2012 (funded)

Texas Humanities, Border Culture Conference, \$5,000, 2012 (funded)

San Antonio Conservation Society for Publication on Border Culture Conference, \$5,000, 2012 (funded)

City of San Antonio, Access to College for Early Childhood Educators, \$81, 595, 2012 (funded)

US Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), Assisting Foster Care Youth in College Access, \$600,000, Hispanic Serving Institutions Assisting Communities, 2010 – 2013 (funded)

US Small Business Association Congressional Earmark Program, \$98,257, 2010 – 2012 (funded)

Ewing Halsell Foundation, Support for the UTSA Mexico Center, \$137,000 [\$44,000 a year for 3 years], Principle Investigator, 2011 (funded)

Scanlan Family Foundation, Support for the UTSA Mexico Center, \$137,000 [\$44,000 a year for 3 years], Principle Investigator, 2011 (funded)

Charity Ball Association of San Antonio, The Child Outcomes of University Mentoring in Preschool Classrooms – Inman Center preschool teachers, \$80,163, Principle Investigator, 2011-2013 (funded)

Alvarez Research Fellowships, UTSA Mexico Center, \$10,000, 2011 (funded)

San Antonio Children’s Shelter, \$7,500. Grant was declined by Co-PIs Harriett Romo & Mike Tapia because it was impossible to modify proposal for this amount, 2011(funded & declined)

UT Health Science Center National Child Study, Developing Language Assessment Instruments, \$990,551, Co-principle Investigator with Dr. Suzanne Winter, 2010 (funded, later agency withdrew funds)

Alvarez Research Fellowships, UTSA Mexico Center, \$10,000, 2010, (funded)

US Small Business Association Congressional Earmark Program, \$282,200, 2009 (funded)

Alvarez Research Fellowships, UTSA Mexico Center, \$10,000, 2009 (funded)

United Way Family Financial Security Initiative, \$23,250, 2009 (funded)

United Way Parental Involvement in a Collaboration with Five Schools, \$20,000, 2008 (funded)

KLRN Early Literacy Curriculum Evaluation, with Iliana Alanis, \$15,000, 2008 (funded)

City of San Antonio, The School Readiness Research, \$250,000, Co-principle Investigator with Dr. Suzanne Winter, 2006 – 2008 (funded)

Conference on Remittances, \$5,000, City Bank, 2007 (funded)

HUD, Hispanic Serving Institutions Assisting Communities, Edgewood School District, \$599,898, 2006 – 2009 (funded)

National Science Foundation, Collaboration subcontract with University of Washington, Seattle, Bilingual Baby Project, \$120,000 [\$60,000 per year for two years], 2006 – 2008 (funded)

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Head Start Higher Education Partnership Grant, \$750,000 [\$130,000 a year for five years], 2005 – 2010 (funded)

Gift from Bank of America to fund Child and Adolescent Policy Research Institute and continue work initiated with HUD grant at Navarro Child Development Center, \$1,000,000 [\$250,000 a year endowment], 2005 – 2008 (funded)

Learning in Informal and Formal Environments (LIFE) Bilingual Baby Project, \$138,094, Subcontract from University of Washington, Seattle National Science Foundation project, 2005 – 2006 (funded)

US Department of Education, Early Reading First, \$70,000, Evaluation Subcontract with Community Action, Inc., 2005 – 2006 (funded)

Early College-Study of Community Resources as Seen by High School Students in Low Income Communities, \$4,000, 2004 – 2006 (funded)

US Department of Education, Early Reading First, \$150,000, Evaluation Subcontract with Community Action, Inc., 2003 – 2006 (funded)

Community Action, Inc. Early Reading First, \$150,000, U.S. Department of Education, Project Evaluator, 2003 – 2006 (funded)

HUD Hispanic Serving Institutions Assisting Communities, UTSA to partner with San Antonio School District to build a child development center/research laboratory and a community resource center, student stipends for community research, small business development seminars, and student internships in the community, \$584,972, 2003 – 2005 (funded)

Rockefeller Foundation, San Antonio as a Transnational Community: Language, Literacy and Culture in a Transnational Context, \$100,000, 2003 – 2004 (funded)

Rockefeller Foundation, San Antonio as a Transnational Community: Language, Literacy and Culture in a Transnational Context, \$150,000, 2002 – 2003 (funded)

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration on Children Youth and Families, Head Start Higher Education Partnership Grant, \$520,000, 2001 – 2005 (funded)

Community Action, Inc., Evaluation of Kindergarten Transition project, \$5,000, 1999 (funded)

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration on Children and Families, Fellowship award to sponsor Joy Phillips for doctoral research on collaboration in Head Start projects, \$30,000, 1997 – 1999 (funded)

Hogg Foundation for Mental Health, Fathers and Families: A Study of Working-Class Mexican Origin Fathers' Parenting Strategies, \$6,990, Year of the Child Initiative, 1997 (funded)

Faculty Research Enhancement Grant to conduct interviews with students and parents in multi-ethnic schools, \$6,000, Southwest Texas State University, 1995 (funded)

Social Science Research Council, Undergraduate Research Assistantship Grant to fund five students to work on the project "Literacy: Relationships to Employability and Self-Sufficiency among Hispanic Head Start Families," \$20,000, 1993 – 1994 (funded)

Community Action, Inc., Workforce Instructional Network (WIN), Literacy and Employability Training for the Parents of Head Start Children: Implementation of a Family Service Center, Co-Principal Investigator and Project Evaluator, \$125,000, Department of Health and Human Services, 1992 – 1996 (funded)

Continuation Grant from the Hogg Foundation for Mental Health, Successful Family Strategies for Coping with High Risk of School Failure among Hispanics, \$6,000, 1990 – 1991 (funded)

Hogg Foundation for Mental Health, The Antecedents of Hispanic School Retention: Successful Family Strategies for Coping with High Risk of School Failure, \$75,000, 1988 – 1991 (funded)

IUP/SSRC Ford Foundation Grant to the Center for Mexican American Studies, \$1,200,000, 1985 – 1990 (funded)

Hogg Foundation for Mental Health, Toward A Competent Mexican Origin Community: Using Discourse Analysis to Explore Language and Power Relationships in Parent -School Interactions. Research included ethnographic work with recent Mexican immigrant and Chicano families, \$12,000, 1981 – 1982 (funded)

## Presentations

IUPLR Sixth Biennial Siglo XXI Conference Mapping Latino Research, "Latino Families and Youth: The State of Research", San Antonio, Texas, May 19, 2017.

IUPLR Sixth Biennial Siglo XXI Conference Mapping Latino Research, "Why Mexican Migration to the United States Is Different", San Antonio, Texas, May 19, 2017.

Eagle Ford Consortium, "The Other Side of the Eagle Ford Shale-A New Look at Housing, Presentation summarizing U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development project. June 7, 2017.

Council of Chief State School Officers, English Learners State Collaboration on Assessment and Student Standards, "National Research Council Report: Applications, Conclusions, and Recommendations to State Plans and Outreach," with Kenji Hakuta, Austin, Texas June 26-27, 2017.

American Educational Research Association, "Promoting the Educational Success of Children and Youth Learning English: Promising Futures—An Academies Report", April 30, 2017, San Antonio, Texas.

American Educational Research Association, UTSA Mexico Center featured as a Presidential Session, Off-Site Visit, April 28, 2017, San Antonio, Texas.

American Educational Research Association, "Extended Borderlands and Urban Diversity in a Changing World: Education in San Antonio, A Multicultural City." April 28, 2017, San Antonio, Texas.

American Educational Research Association, Strengths and Challenges for Families and Communities, Roundtable, "Supportive Housing Contexts and Educational Opportunities for Foster Youth Transitioning Out of Care," Harriett Romo, Sophia Ortiz, Marissa Mendoza, April 27, 2017, San Antonio, Texas.

Society for Research in Child Development, "Fostering School Success for Dual Language Learners", Conversation Roundtable, April 6, 2017 Austin, Texas.

Society for Research in Child Development, Keynote Presentation, "Supporting Young Children and their Parents: A Preconference on Two Recent NAS Reports," April 5, 2017, Austin Texas.

National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, Medicine. Board on Children, Youth and Families. Sponsor Briefing and Release of publication of *Promoting the Educational Success of Children and Youth Learning English: Promising Futures*, Keck Center, Washington, DC, February 27, 2017.

CIESAS, Guadalajara, Mexico. Invited Book Presentation, "Mexican Migration to the United States: Perspectives from Both Sides of the Border," [with Dan Gelo, Jill Fleuriet, Pablo Mateo, Olivia Mogollon], June 16, 2016.

Colegio de Mexico, Mexico City. Invited Book Presentation, "Mexican Migration to the United States: Perspectives from Both Sides of the Border," [with Silvia Elena Giorguli Saucedo, Jorge Durand, Francisco Alba, Liliana Meza] June 20, 2016.



University of Las Americas, Puebla, Mexico. Invited Book Panel Presentation, “Mexican Migration to the United States: Perspectives from Both Sides of the Border,” [with Victor Zuniga, U. of Monterrey], Puebla, Mexico October 18, 2016.

Institute for Texan Cultures, Book Panel Presentation “Mexican Migration to the United States: Perspectives from Both Sides of the Border,” [with Agustin Escobar, CIESAS; Pia Orrenius, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas; Jill Fleuriet, UTSA], San Antonio, Texas, September 23, 2016.

American Sociological Association, “The Inequitable Effects of Oil and Gas Exploration on Affordable Housing in Rural Impacted Communities,” (with **Marissa Mendoza, Christina Lopez-Mobilia, Gregorio Ortiz, Matthew Martinez**). Seattle, Washington, August 22, 2016.

Latino Art Now! IUPLR Fifth Biennial Latino Art Now Conference: Re-Imaging Global Intersections, “The Art of Collecting” (with Ricardo Romo), Chicago, Ill. April 8, 2016.

Southern Rural Sociological Association (SRSA). 47<sup>th</sup> annual meeting, “Eagle Ford Shale: Impacts on Accessible and Affordable Housing for Vulnerable Populations in Small Rural Communities, (with **Christina Lopez-Mobilia, and Shanice Mzava**, February 7, 2016, San Antonio, Texas.

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. Webinar on Eagle Ford Affordable Housing. Washington, D.C. March 16, 2016.

Texas Rural Challenge Conference: Small Town, Big Ideas. “Housing Best Practices,” June 9-10, Waco, Texas

Southwestern Social Science Association. “Effects of Oil and Gas Exploration on Affordable Housing in Rural Communities,” (with **Alexandra Romero, Christina Lopez-Mobilia**) Las Vegas, March 24, 2016.

Southwestern Social Science Association. Addressing the Gaps in Service Delivery to Foster Youth in the Texas Foster Care System, (with **Jorge Gonzalez, Edith Estrada, Sophia Ortiz**) Las Vegas, March 25, 2016

Center for Public Leadership, Dubin and Johnson Fellows Harvard Kennedy School, Research Presentation at UTSA for 2014-2015 Fellows March 19, 2015.

UTSA Mexico Center Symposia on Central American Young Migrants and the Border Crisis: Causes and Responses. “Undocumented Young Migrants Are Not New”. San Antonio, TX. August 26, 2014

University of Coahuila School of Law. “Los Dreamers”: Participación Cívica y El Programa de Protección contra la Deportación de Jóvenes Inmigrantes (DACA), Saltillo, Mexico, May, 2014.

American Sociological Association, “Improving the Quality of Early Childhood Education for Low Income Latino Children,” August, San Francisco, CA, 2014.

XVIII ISA World Congress of Sociology. “Globalizing the Classroom: Innovative Approach to National and International Learning.” (with Patricia Bell, Rodney Coates, Enzo Colombo, Corey Dolgon, Matias E. Margulis, Sarah Hernandez, Adey Nyamathi, Carol Pavlish, Harriett Romo. Yokohama, Japan, July 13-19, 2014.

Center for Mexican American Studies (CMAS), Book talk, “Formal and Informal Institutions in the Construction of Transnational Lives: A Study of Mexican and Mexican American Experiences in San Antonio, Texas – A Mexican-Majority U.S. City,” The University of Texas at Austin, December 4, 2013.

World Education Research Association (WERA), “Quality Assurance and Publication: Unpacking Peer Review across Cultures,” (with Maricela Olivia, Victor Zuñiga, and Olivia López), Guanajuato, Mexico, November 21, 2013.

The Inter-University Program for Latino Research, Latino Art Now! Expanding Perspectives in American Art, “The Impact of a Passion and a Gift: Estampas de la Raza,” (with Ricardo Romo), Washington, D.C., November 8, 2013.

Inclusion and Community Engagement Center, “Gala Latina, Latino Heritage Month,” invited speaker, University of Texas at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX, October 4, 2013.

XVIII CONGRESO INTERNACIONAL DE CONTRADURÍA, ADMINISTRACIÓN E INFORMÁTICA, “Explorando Las Competencias Globales De Los Administradores Estadounidenses Y Mexicanos Trabajando En Un Ambiente Multicultural,” (with Mónica Blanco Jiménez and Jesús Cruz Alvares), Ciudad Universitaria, Mexico, October 2-4, 2013.

Association for the Sociology of Religion, “Religion as a Coping Resource among Resilient Foster Care Alumni,” (with Sarah Shah and Christopher Ellison), New York, NY, August 11, 2013.

American Sociological Association, International Migration Section, “Dreamers Navigating Higher Education Without Legal Documentation,” (with Raquel Marquez), New York, NY, August 10, 2013.

American Sociological Association, “Housing and Access to Higher Education for Former Foster Care Youth,” (with Courtney Barrie and Carlos Casanova), New York, NY, August 10, 2013.

American Sociological Association, Children and Youth Section, "Foster Care Alumni with Children: Exiting Care, Entering College," (with Sarah Shah), New York, NY, August 11, 2013.

Southern Sociological Society, "Exploring the Parenting Skills of Foster Care Alumni," (with Sarah Shah), Atlanta, GA, April 27, 2013.

Texas Early Learning Innovation Summit: Creating a Scalable Citywide Approach to Early Childhood Development, "The Importance of Early Childhood Education," University of Texas at San Antonio, April 5, 2013.

Texas Association of Bilingual Education, "Language Acquisition in Bilingual Homes," San Antonio, TX, October 24, 2012.

Organized International Early Childhood Education Forum, "Chinese, Mexican, and U.S. Perspectives and Initiatives," UTSA Mexico Center, University of Texas at San Antonio, October 23, 2012.

Organized international conference on U.S. - Mexico Border. "Bridging Cultures: An Interdisciplinary Conference Reflecting on the Border Culture of South Texas," November 8-9, 2012 (with Bill Dupont).

Border Ethics Panel, UTSA Institute of Texas Cultures, San Antonio, TX, October 2012.

InterUniversity Program for Latino Research. "Dream Act Students' Civic Engagement," Organized Panel, IUPLR Research Conference, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York, NY, February, 2012.

Invited Speaker at UNAM Seminario Internacional, Historia Comparada de las Mujeres en las Américas, "Las nuevas migrantes mexicanas de clase alta en San Antonio," September 26-28, 2011, Mexico City, Mexico.

Keynote Speaker, 3rd Annual Teen Parent Summit Conference Program, San Antonio, TX, May 13, 2011.

Discussions on education led by Dr. Duron, San Antonio Independent School District Superintendent and Dr. Harriett Romo, UTSA, International Hispanic Network, San Antonio, TX, April 11, 2011.

Organized conference on "Bilateral Perspectives on U.S.-Mexico Migration," Including prominent scholars from U.S. and Mexican institutions held at UTSA March 3 & 4, 2011.

Speaker for Great Conversation! at University of Texas at San Antonio, "Should Student Test Scores Be Used to Evaluate Teachers?" Benefits the UTSA Honors College, February 22, 2011.

Student Learning Outcomes Institute: Connecting Institutional Effectiveness and Student Learning at Minority Serving Institutions, San Antonio, TX, January 21, 2011.

Institute of Texas Cultures, University of Texas San Antonio, Lecture Series, "Racial and Ethnic Identities of Mexican Immigrants and Mexican Americans," San Antonio, TX, April 8, 2010.

University of Texas San Antonio, Trans-Atlantic-Perspectives Conference, "Maintaining Family Cultural Traditions and Values across Borders: Implications for the Mexican American Community," San Antonio, TX, March 4, 2010.

Association for Applied and Clinical Sociology, Plenary Session, "Migration in the Texas/Mexico Borderlands: The Contexts of Family Strategies," San Antonio, TX, October 10, 2009.

Invited paper at Simposio Río Bravo/Río Grande, Los Retos Del Desarrollo Socioeconómico de la Región Ante la Crisis, "Historia y Desarrollo en la Frontera Norte: 'Elites' Mexicanas en San Antonio, Texas: del Pasado al Presente," Monterrey, N.L., México, October 8, 2009.

Association of Applied and Clinical Sociology, "The Value of Learning Qualitative Methods Doing Field-based Work: A Professor Perspective," San Antonio, TX, October 2009.

Siglo XXI: The State of Latino Studies, Third Biennial Conference of the Inter-University Program for Latino Research (IUPLR), "The Extended Border: A Case Study of San Antonio as a Transnational City," University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL, September 25, 2009.

American Educational Research Association Meeting, "Couch Surfing and Residential Mobility of Foster Care Alumni: Reliance on Peer Networks and Relations," (with Beatrix Perez), San Francisco, CA, August 7-11, 2009.

American Educational Research Association Meeting, "A Resource Parental Involvement and the Partnership Creates: 'I Love You Being There,'" (with Mary Hansen, Ann Hurley, and Ashley Loving), San Diego, CA, April 16, 2009.

American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, "A Critical Examination of the Sociocultural, Political, Economic, and Historical Context of Latino/a Education in the United States: Institutional Barriers to Educational Achievement," (with Beatrix Perez), San Diego, CA, April 14, 2009.

Southern Sociological Association Annual Meeting, "The Impact of Mobility on Foster Care Youth: It's Time to Get Up and Move Because that's What the System Teaches You," (with Beatrix Perez) New Orleans, LA, April 2-4, 2009.

Southern Sociological Association Annual Meeting, "Transitions of Foster Care: Trajectories of Social Capital," (with Beatrix Perez), New Orleans, LA, April 2-4, 2009.

Southwest Sociological Association, "Where am I going to go: The Impact of Housing on Foster Care Alumni," (with Beatrix Perez). Denver, CO, April 2009.

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Head Start Bureau. Annual Grantee Conference, Overcoming the Math Barrier for Head Start Teachers, Washington, D.C., March 25, 2009.

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Hispanic Serving Institutions Assisting Communities 10th Anniversary Conference, featured presentation, "Community Partnerships that Motivate Students," San Juan, Puerto Rico, December 5, 2008.

National Association for Early Childhood Education, "Online Professional Development for Providers: 15 Latinas share experiences and reflections," (with Iliana Alanis) Annual meeting, November 7, 2008.

Science of Learning Centers Annual Meeting, "Socio-cultural support for early bilingual language learning: A collaboration combining ethnography and neuroscience," with Barbara Conboy, Adrian Garcia-Sierra, and Patricia Kuhl (LIFE). National Science Foundation, Hilton Crystal City Hotel, Washington, D.C., October 16-17, 2008.

Invited presentation, National Council of La Raza/Texas Migrant Council Latino Infant and Toddler Roundtable, "Issues Facing Latino Children Today," Austin City Council Chambers, Austin, TX, October 8, 2008.

Invited presentation, "Who Speaks Two Languages?" University of Limpopo, Republic of South Africa, August 6, 2008.

Invited paper presentation "Legal Barriers in the Educational Experiences of Mexican Origin Students in the United States," Sho Sato Program in Japanese and U.S. Law, Institute for Legal Research, University of California, Berkeley, March 6-8, 2008.

Invited presentation, "Diversity in Bilingual Homes," National Science Foundation, LIFE Center Workshop, Diversity as a Construct in Research: Conceptual and Methodological Challenges and Opportunities, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, January 11-13, 2008.

American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, "Raising a Multicultural Bilingual Child," (with Kim Cuero), New York, NY, August 11-14, 2007.

American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, "Mentoring as a Means of Implementing Change in Early Childhood Programs," (with Allison Elmer and Tamara Casso) New York, New York, August 11-14, 2007.

Siglo XXI Economies of Class, Economies of Culture, "Stereotypes from Both Sides of the Border," Austin, TX, April 12-14, 2007.

National Science Foundation Science of Learning Centers Satellite Symposium, Society for Neuroscience Annual Meeting, "Infant Head-Start Learners: Brain and Behavioral Measures and Family Assessments," LIFE, October 13, 2006.

LIFE Center, University of Washington, "Home and Community Contexts of Bilingualism and their Influence in Spanish Language Maintenance," Seattle, WA, July 2006.

National Head Start Research Conference, "Mentoring as a Strategy for Implementing Change in Early Literacy Instruction," June 26-28, 2006.

National Head Start Research Conference, "Enhancing the Quality of Teaching in Head Start: Collaborations to Help Teachers Earn Degrees," June 26-28, 2006.

University of Guadalajara, Guadalajara, Mexico, Invited Paper, "Elite Transnationals: Mexicanos de clase media alta y Mexico-Americanos en San Antonio, Texas" La Universidad de Guadalajara y el Centro Universitario de Ciencias Económico Administrativas, April 27, 2006.

American Educational Research Association (AERA), "A Discourse Analysis of Interactions Between School Staff and Latino Parents, part of a panel on Latino Parental Involvement and Engagement in the Education of their Children," San Francisco, CA, April 7-11, 2006.

Latin American Studies Association (LASA) Conference, "Dual Nationalities: Mexican Americans and Mexican Immigrants Explore Issues of Citizenship," (with Maria Rodriguez, BBL graduate student) San Juan, Puerto Rico, March 12-15, 2006.

American Psychological Association Immigration Summit, "Bilingual Babies: Maintaining the Native Language," San Antonio, TX, February 2, 2006.

UNAM Conference "Dual Nationality: What Does It Mean To Be An American?" Mexican Migration to the United States, San Antonio, TX, October 28, 2005.

HACU Conference "Engaging Students in Community-Based Research and Service Learning," Co-Presenter with HUD grant specialist Madlyn Wohlman Rodriguez, Phoenix, Arizona, October 17, 2005.

Siglo XXI Latino Research into the 21st Century, "San Antonio: An Extended Border," Austin, TX, January 27-28, 2005.

University of Monterrey, Seminar on Migration and Education, "Identity Construction among First and Second Generation Mexican Immigrant and Mexican American High School Students," Monterrey, Mexico, December 4-6, 2004.

Discussant on Graduate Student Panel at American Studies Association conference, "Transnational Lives," University of Texas at San Antonio, Papers were from graduate student work on the Rockefeller Research Grant Project, San Antonio as a Transnational City, San Antonio, TX, November 29, 2004.

Association of Latin American Studies Annual Conference, Invited Paper, "First Class: Transnational Lives of the Elite," Las Vegas, NV, October 8, 2004.

UNAM Seminar on Migration in the U.S., Invited Participant, "Mexicans, Mexican Americans, Regular Americans, Mexicanos, and Hispanics: Identity Construction in a Transnational City," University of Texas at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX, September 30, 2004.

11th International Literacy and Education Research Network Conference on Learning, "Making and Missing Meanings: Lessons in Early Childhood Literacy," Havana, Cuba, June 27-30, 2004.

National Head Start Research Conference, "Teacher Motivations: Meeting Quality Improvement Requirements for Head Start," Washington, D.C., June 28, 2004.

American Educational Research Association Annual Conference, Paper Presented, "Perceptions of Transnational Students among Teachers," (with Ellen Clark and Belinda Flores) New Orleans, LA, April 2004.

HUD Conference for Hispanic Serving Institutions Assisting Communities, Invited Participant, "Incorporating Field-based Learning in Sociology Classes," Universal City, CA, November 14-15, 2003.

Conference on Latino Dropouts in the U.S. "Successful Schools for Latino Students." Southwest, Arizona State University, November 3-4, 2003.

American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, "San Antonio: A Transnational Community," Atlanta, GA, August, 16-19, 2003.

Rockefeller Conference Center, Invited Participant and Paper Presentation, "Diversity in Higher Education: A Global Perspective," Bellagio, Italy, March 2003.

AERA 2002 Annual Meeting, Symposium Presentation, "Working across legislation, policy, intervention and research to reduce Hispanic dropout rates," New Orleans, LA, April 2002.

Organizer and Commentator, Symposium on "Preparing Teachers to Meet the Needs of the Emerging Latino Majority: The Role of Colleges and Universities," American Educational Research Association annual meeting, New Orleans, LA, April 2002.

Head Start's Sixth National Research Conference, Poster Session. "Enhancing Life Chances of Low Income Families: The Role of Early Head Start in Extending Social Capital." Washington, D.C. June 28-July 1, 2001. (Accepted for presentation, not able to attend conference)

Head Start's Sixth National Research Conference, Poster Session. "Outcome Measures for Early Head Start: Issues in Developmental Assessment," with Maria Teresa de la Piedra. Washington, D.C. June 28-July 1, 2000.

Head Start's Sixth National Research Conference, Poster Session. "Exploring Social and Cultural Continuities and Discontinuities in Early Head Start Centers and Households," with Maria Teresa de la Piedra. Washington, D.C. June 28-July 1, 2000.

Society for Research on Adolescents Semi-Annual Meeting, Paper Presentation, "Factors that Make Latino Adolescent Youth Successful in High School," Chicago, IL, March 10, 2000.

ERIC On-line discussion with authors. Discussion of *Reaching Out: Best Practices for Educating Mexican-Origin Children and Youth*. November 15-19, 1999.

Invited Participant to a conference "Multidisciplinary Research on Stereotypes, Prejudice, Tolerance, and Rights: Educating Children for Living in Diverse Cultures," <http://www/aerl.org/eric/chat/htm>. National Science Foundation. Washington, D.C., November 4-6, 1999.

American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Roundtable Presentation, "Teaching about Racial and Ethnic Relations: The Use of Interactive Activities," Montreal, Canada, April 19-23, 1999.

Author Meets Critic, ASA Invited Session. A Review of Latino High School Graduation, UT Press. American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, August 20-24, 1998.

Fourth National Head Start Research Conference, "Fathers and Families: A Study of Working Class Mexican Origin Fathers," Washington, D.C., July 8-12, 1998.

American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, Roundtable Presentation, "Latino High School Graduation," San Diego, CA, April 13-17, 1998.

American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, "Mexican American Educators: A History of Voices," Organized & Chaired Symposium, San Diego, CA, April 13-17, 1998.

The Spencer Foundation, Conference on Immigration and Education: Issues and Research, Invited Panel Presentation, "New Trends in Research on Schooling and Educational Practice," October 1997.

Annual meeting of American Sociological Association, Paper Presentation & Leader of Roundtable Discussion, "Moving Low Income Hispanic Mothers into the Workforce: Does Literacy and Job Training Work?" New York, NY, August 16-20, 1996.

Poster, Head Start 3rd National Research Conference, "National Evaluation: Missing the Mark on Head Start Successes," Washington, D.C., June 19-23, 1996.

Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings, "Escuelita: A Successful Family Centered Pre-School Intervention Program for At-Risk Children," (with Ann Marie Ellis) Houston, TX, March 1996.

103rd Annual Convention of American Psychological Association, "Multicultural Barriers to Achievement in Public Education," Regular Session, New York, NY, August 11-15, 1995.

103rd Annual Convention of American Psychological Association, Poster Session, "School Failure and Teen Motherhood," (with Toni Falbo), New York, NY, August 11-15, 1995.

Annual Meeting American Sociological Association, Roundtable, "Using Ethnography to Evaluate a Preschool Intervention Program for High Risk Children," Los Angeles, CA, August 1994.

Annual meeting of Southwestern Social Science Association, 1) Roundtable: Evaluation Research; 2) Sociological Practice II: The Sociologist as Evaluation Consultant; 3) Organizer: Regular Session, Education and Minorities, Houston, TX, March 1994.

La Raza Law Journal and the Chicano/Latino Policy Project, Invited Paper, "Demography and Distrust: The Latino Challenge to Civil Rights and Immigration Policy in the 1990's and Beyond," University of California, Berkeley, Boalt Hall School of Law, Berkeley, CA, March 18-19, 1994.

Annual meeting of American Sociological Association, Roundtable Paper Presentation, "'Why Me?' Caught in the Web of School Policies," Miami, FL, August 13-17, 1993.

Annual Meeting of American Educational Research Association (AERA), Panel Presentation, "Determinants of Student Persistence Leading to High School Graduation," Atlanta, GA, April 1993.

American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Paper Presentation, "Gang Involvement and Educational Attainment among Mexican Origin Youth," (with Toni Falbo) Pittsburgh, PA, August 1992.

American Psychological Association Annual Convention, Poster Session, "Gang Involvement and Educational Attainment among Mexican Origin Youth," (with Toni Falbo) Washington, D.C., August 1992.

Department of Health and Human Services. Conference Discussant, "New Directions in Child and Family Research," Sponsored by Administration for Children and Families, Washington, D.C., June 1991.

Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Poster Session, "Effective Coping Strategies among 'At Risk' Hispanic Youth," Boston, MA, August 1990.

American Psychological Association, Poster Session, "A Scheme for Conceptualizing School Retention among Hispanic Adolescents," Boston, MA, August 1990.

Paper presented at Town Meeting on Latin America/Children of Latin America. "Children and the Immigration Process." Case Studies of Undocumented Mexican Immigrant Families. Institute of Latin American Studies, The University of Texas, Austin, TX, December 1988.

Paper presented at a symposium. "Diversity in Texas: Changes in Family Structure." Images of Texas, Mexican Culture Center, San Antonio, TX, September 1988.

Paper presented at lecture series on Women's Roles: A Cross-Cultural Approach. "Issues Facing Mexican American Women; Job, Marriage, and Children." Women's Studies and School of Social Work, The University of Texas, Austin, TX, April 1988.

Paper presented at Southwestern Sociological Meetings. "The Social Construction of Ethnic Identity," Houston, TX, March 1987.

Paper presented at Conference on Comparative Perspective in Labor Migration. "The Relationship of the Mexican Community at Austin, Texas with the Community of Origin in Mexico," University of California, Berkeley, CA, May 1986.

Invited Discussant at symposium on Education and Cultural Identity: Hispanic American and Canada, Canadian Studies Program, Berkeley, CA, March 1985.

Paper presented at a symposium, "Bilingual Education: Public Policy and Legal Considerations." Sponsored by *La Raza Law Journal*, U.C. Berkeley, CA, Boalt Law School, March 1983.

Paper presented at the National Association for Chicano Studies Conference. "The Texas Undocumented Worker Project," with Nestor Rodriguez and Rogelio Nunez. University of Houston, TX, February 1983.

Paper presented at Immigration Conference sponsored by UT Population Research Center and Mexican American Studies. "Research Concerning Chicano and Recent Immigrant Families: Methodological Issues," University of Texas, Austin, TX, October 1982.

Participant in a Panel Discussion with Dr. James Deslonde, Stanford Research Institute; Mr. Edward Fletcher, Assistant Superintendent, San Diego City Schools; and Dr. Thomas Pettigrew, Harvard University, California Task Force for Integrated Education, League of Women Voters, NCAACP. "School Integration and Bilingual Education," San Diego Urban League, San Diego, Ca, October 1982.

Reporter Conference on Demographic Research in Latin America: Linking Individual, Household and Societal Variables. Social Research Council. Ixtapan de la Sal, Mexico, August 1982.

Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southwest Social Science Association. "Undocumented Mexican Immigrant and Chicano Families' Perceptions of the Schooling of Their Children," Houston, TX, March 1982

Paper presented at Immigration and the Southwest Conference. "Undocumented Mexican Immigrant Families: Their Transition to the US," Our Lady of the Lake University and US Council of Mayors, San Antonio, TX, March 1982.

Paper presented at Bilingual Multicultural Education Conference. "Bilingual Education and the Mexican Immigrant Child," Sponsored by UT Austin and the Bilingual Resource Center, Austin, TX, February 1982.

Colorado State Department of Education and Center for Cross Cultural Education Workshop. "Issues in Language Proficiency Assessment," Denver, CO, June 1979.

Joint Annual Conference. "Programmatic Implementation of Lau, AB 1329 an AB 65 of the District Lau Master Plan." Association of California School Administrators and California School Boards Association, Los Angeles, CA, December 1978.

Office of Los Angeles County Superintendent of Schools Bilingual Bicultural Education Workshop, "The Integration of Lau Supreme Court decision and the California Bilingual Legislation," October 1978.

Mexican American School Boards Association. "Progress Since the Lau v. Nichols Supreme Court Decision." Panel participant with Dr. Guillermo Lopez, Administrator of Bilingual Bicultural Education, California State Department of Education; and Phil Montez, U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, October 1977.

#### **Awards, Honors, and Public Recognition**

American Educational Research Association, National Conference Off-Site Visitation to recognize Outstanding Educational Research at UTSA Child and Adolescent Policy Research Institute, , May 2017

Association of Women in Communications-San Antonio, Education Award, June, 2017

InterUniversity Program for Latino Research, Recognition Award for Outstanding Leadership, May 2017

Appointed to the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, Medicine, Board on Children, Youth and Families, Committee on Fostering School Success for English Learners: Toward New Directions in Policy, Practice, and Research, 2015-2017.

Nominated for a Carnegie Research Fellowship by UTSA Provost's Office, November 2016

Recognition as McNair Scholars Faculty Mentor, 2016

Recognized as Pivot Faculty Mentor, First Generation College Students, 2016

Faculty Service to Undergraduate Research & Creative Inquiry Award 2015

Hispanic Chamber, Innovator Award, November 2014

Women's Chamber, North Star Award, November 2014

Elected to Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society; May 2013

Chairman's Award, AVANCE Mother of the Year; 2011

Recognized as one of Top 15 Women in San Antonio by Empresarios, publication No. 2; February-April, 2011

Invited Participant in Global Forum on Migration and Development Civil Society Days, Puerto Vallarta, Mexico; November 2010

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development featured the previous two HUD projects under my HUD grants at the National Conference, San Antonio, Texas April 19-22, 2010. Participants from all over the U.S., Canada, and Puerto Rico visited the project sites; 2010

Recognized as Top 15 Distinguished Women in San Antonio, Asociacion Empresarios Mexicanos; 2010

Nominated for UTSA President's Distinguished Achievement Awards; February 2010

La Prensa honoree in 14th Annual Salute to Outstanding Women in Action; May 2010

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Planning Exceptional Leveraged Development HUD Funding Award; 2009

Avenida Guadalupe Association Annual 16 de Septiembre Community Award; 2009

Ethel T. Drought Founders Award for Outstanding Contributions to the Arts, San Antonio Art League; 2009

West San Antonio Chamber of Commerce Doctoral Achievement Award; September 30, 2008  
LULAC National Educational Service Centers, Ind., San Antonio, Education Award; August 2007  
Chair of SA Mayor Hardberger's Advisory Committee on Education and the Workforce; 2007  
Recognized in San Antonio Business Journal as "Woman of Influence;" November 2006  
Leadership in Learning Award, Washington, D.C. Nominated by U. S. Representative Charlie Gonzalez, one of 12 winners in nationwide competition, received award in Washington, D.C.; June 2006  
City Year, Lifetime Idealism Award; March 2006  
Who's Who Among U.S. Teachers; 2005  
Who's Who Among U.S. Teachers; 2003  
Athena Award, San Antonio North Chamber of Commerce; October 2005  
San Antonio Women's Hall of Fame; March 2005  
Grand Marshall in San Antonio Fiesta Battle of Flowers Parade (with Ricardo Romo); April 2003  
Nominated for Athena Award, San Antonio Northwest Chamber of Commerce; 2001  
Featured in American Sociological Association Author Meets Critic Symposia; 1998  
Distinguished Speaker, University of the Incarnate Word; 1998  
Latino High School Graduation (with Toni Falbo) Finalist for the C. Wright Mills Award, Society for the Study of Social Problems; 1997  
Merrick Instructional Improvement Award to develop classroom materials from a minority perspective, Southwest Texas State University; 1990  
Chancellor's Council Grant, The University of Texas System, Award for research of value to the community; 1989

### **Public Service**

Supervised McNair Undergraduate Scholar, Summer 2017  
Supervisor CAPRI Center. Supervised fourteen students working on grants at CAPRI/Mexico Center 2016  
McNay Contemporary Art Museum, Board Member, Committee Member 2010 –Present  
World Affairs Council, San Antonio, Board Member, Committee Member, 2010-Present  
Asociacion Empresarios Mexicanos, Honorary Board Member 2008-Present  
Supervisor CAPRI Center. Supervised fourteen students working on grants at CAPRI/Mexico Center, 2011  
Supervisor, CAPRI Center. Supervised two students paid on Charity Ball grant to work in classrooms at Inman Christian Center --low-income child development center, 2011-2012  
Mayor's Brain Power Committee Member, 2011, Mayor Castro's appointment  
San Antonio Public Library Strategic Plan Leadership Advisory Committee Member, 2011, Mayor Castro's appointment  
City of San Antonio Education Taskforce Committee Member, 2011, City Manager Sheryl Sculley's appointment  
Interviewed for San Antonio Express News' Conexión article "Parents get bilingual help for kids" by Melissa Rentería regarding UTSA's Child and Adolescent Policy Research Institute's Bilingual Baby Project, September 2011  
Present  
Board Member, Blue Star Contemporary Art Complex, 2006 – 2010  
San Antonio Cultural Arts Task Force Committee Member, 2006 – 2010, Mayor Harberger's appointment  
Board Member, San Antonio Youth Literacy, San Antonio, Texas, 1999 – 2012  
Judge for 85th Battle of Flowers Association Oratorical Contest, February 26, 2010  
Co-Chair of Bexar County P-16 Plus Council, Early Childhood Committee, 2008 – 2010  
Patient Navigator Research Program Community Advisory Board, University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, Donald Dudley, M.D. Principal Investigator, 2006 – 2010  
Member of American Educational Research Association, 2009 – Present  
Chair of Education Sub-Committee, County Cultural Performing Arts Committee, 2007  
Member Mayor Harberger's K-16 Council Formation Committee, 2007  
Chair, San Antonio Task Force on Education and Employment, 2006, Mayor Harberger's appointment  
San Antonio Library Board, 2005 – 2006, Mayor Harberger's appointment  
San Antonio Cultural Arts Task Force, 2006 – 2009, Mayor Harberger's appointment  
Board Member, Executive Board; Southwest School of Arts and Crafts, San Antonio, 2000 – 2006  
Board Member, Guadalupe Cultural Arts Center, San Antonio, 2000 – 2006  
Board Member, San Antonio Public Library Foundation, San Antonio, TX, 2000 – 2005, Appointed by Mayor Ed Garza  
Chair, American Heart Association Gala, 2004 – 2005

Academic Advisory Committee-State Center for Early Childhood Development, Early Childhood Resource Panel, University of Texas-Houston, Health Science Center, 2003 – 2004  
Chair, Early Childhood Subcommittee, Citizens Bond Oversight Committee, San Antonio Independent School District; Co-Chair Citizens Bond Oversight Committee, 2001 – 2004  
Board Member, Witte Museum, San Antonio, TX, 1999 – 2004

**UT: University/College Service**

University of Texas, Austin Libraries Advisory Board Member, 2010 - Present [Invited to serve as a member of the state-wide advisory board] 2016-Present  
Co-chaired Master's Thesis, UT Austin, Long Latin American Studies Institute, 2013  
University of Texas at Austin, Member of Institutional Review Board, Protection of Human Subjects, 1997 – 1999. [Met monthly, reviewed all proposals involving children, subjects protected, serious risks]  
University of Texas at Austin, Faculty Senate (elected), Representative of the College of Education, 1998-99. [Elected by peers, represented College of Education at Faculty Senate meetings, disseminated information and materials to faculty members]  
University of Texas at Austin, Chair, Graduate Council, Department of Curriculum and Instruction, 1997 – 1999 [Chaired meetings, organized review and revision of PhD processes and student evaluations]

**UTSA: University/College Service**

Selection Committee for the 2017 UTSA President's Distinguished Achievement Award for Advancing Globalization, March 2017(attended meetings, reviewed proposals, and wrote summary)  
Served as a faculty mentor for the PIVOT First Generation grant, 2016, 2017  
Co-Chair Great Conversation Scholarship Event for Honors College 2000-Present, event raised \$171,000 for student scholarships in 2014, \$277,000 in 2015, \$196,000 in 2016, 2017.  
Faculty Advisor of Hispanic Student Association (Students won award for best all-around student organization 2016), 2017-2018)  
Worked with McNair Scholars writing letters of recommendation and reviewing research proposals, 2016  
Supervised two McNair Undergraduate Research Scholars, Summer 2015  
Moderator for Research Paper Session, COLFA Research Conference, May 2013  
Chair, Departmental 10 Year Review Committee, 2012. Wrote report to reviewers, response to reviewers.  
Director of UTSA Mexico Center and Member of Advisory Committee, 2006 – Present  
Director of Child and Adolescent Development Policy Research Institute, 2005 – Present  
Provost's Task Force on Grants Administration Member, January 2011 [Made recommendations on allocation of grant indirect costs, institute memberships, other grant related issues]  
Organizer and Co-Chair of Great Conversation, Fund Raiser for UTSA Honors College, 2000 – Present [Organize and implement the Great Conversation fund raising event for scholarships in the UTSA Honors College, Raised \$124,500 for scholarships in 2006, \$100,000 in 2007; \$130,000 in 2008; \$230,000 in 2009, \$148,000 in 2010; \$168,000 in 2012]  
Provost's Task Force on Grants Administration Committee Member, January 2011 [Made recommendations on allocation of grant indirect costs, institute memberships, other grant related issues]  
College of Liberal and Fine Arts, College Faculty Review Committee CFRAC, 2002 – 2010 [Reviewed files for assistant professor promotions to tenure, wrote letters to Dean for candidates]  
Council Sub-Committee on Early Childhood Education, 2009 [Chaired monthly meetings, organized presentations, reported to P-16 Council]  
Member of UTSA College Faculty Review Advisory Committee CFRAC, 2009 [Reviewed 18 files for tenure and promotion to full professor; wrote letter to COLFA Dean summarizing discussion of a candidate]  
Chair of Women's Walk for Athletics, Scholarship Event for UTSA Women's Athletics, 1999 – 2006  
University Standing Committee on Human Research–Institutional Review Board (IRB) appointed by UTSA Provost. Active Member 2003 – 2006, Alternate 2006 – 2007 [Committee meets monthly to review Protection of Human Subjects policies and procedures and reviews faculty and student proposals; reviewed proposals not requiring total committee review]  
Interdepartmental Committee to Develop Ph.D. Proposal in Child and Adolescent Development. Major responsibility for meeting with administration & faculty, drafting proposal, 2004 – 2007  
University Policy & Curriculum Committee, 2004 – 2006 [Drafted and reviewed core curriculum changes, reviewed catalogue changes across disciplines and departments for 2006 – 2008 in draft and proof stages]



Committee to Review External Funding Optimization. Fall 2005. Advised Vice President for Research on Grants process and procedures. Met to compile recommendations for improving grants process

Educational Leadership, Faculty Search Committee, Affirmative Action Advocate, 2003 – 2004 [Reviewed files, attended candidate presentations, participated in candidate reviews, hosted candidates]

Division of Bilingual Bicultural Studies, Member Graduate Studies Committee for PhD, 2002 – 2004. [Helped develop policy for graduate program, reviewed student applications for PhD program, selected candidates, reviewed student progress]

University Teacher Education/Certification Committee, 2002 – 2003 [Met regularly to review course requirements for secondary teaching credential and make recommendations for changes]

### **UTSA: Departmental Service**

UTSA Sociology Departmental Periodic Performance Appraisal Committee, Reviewed files, wrote summary reviews, participated in committee meetings, 2015, 2016

Ph.D. Proposal Committee 2013-2016 [prepared the faculty bio section for Ph.D. proposal]

Merit Guidelines Committee, 2016 [summarized and presented suggestions for review of guidelines, met with committee]

UTSA Sociology Department Periodic Performance Appraisal committee. Reviewed files, participated in committee meetings, and wrote draft letters for committee, 2011-2012, 2013-2014, 2014-2015

Chair, External Review Committee, 2012-2013

Faculty Advisory Committee, 2012

PPE Committee, 2012-2015

CFRAC Committee College of Public Policy. Reviewed promotion files and contributed to letter to Dean. UTSA, Sociology Department, Periodic Performance Evaluation Committee Member, 2011

Sociology Chair of Departmental 10 Year Review Committee, 2011 [Chaired the committee to prepare for and implement the Dept. of Sociology 10 Year Review by outside review committee. Determined potential reviewers, organized colleagues to prepare documents, coordinated with Department Chair]

Sociology Department DFRAC Committee Member, 2010 – present [Reviewed tenure and promotion files and wrote letters for candidates for the Department Faculty Advisory Committee]

Sociology Department Chair of AdHoc Committee, 2010

Sociology Department, Committee for Departmental Review, Chair, 2007 – 2008, 2010

Faculty Search Committee 2007 – 2009 [Reviewed files, hosted candidates, attended talks, ASA]

Sociology Committee Member, 2009 [Committee assigned to review and revise merit and annual review criteria]

Sociology Chair of Department Faculty Review Advisory Committee, 2008 – 2009 [Reviewed files, wrote letter for promotion to full professor candidate]

Sociology Department Academic Policy and Curriculum Committee, 2007-2008 [Reviewed and edited course descriptions for catalogue]

Sociology Member of Research Committee, 2006 – 2007 [Assisted in drafting announcement, reviewed files, hosted candidates]

Sociology Departmental Faculty Review Committee (DFRAC), member, 2001-2002, Chair, 2004 – 2007 [Reviewed files of two associate professor tenure promotions, reviewed third year review files, wrote letters to chair regarding committee decisions]

Sociology, Chair of AdHoc Committee to develop Sociology PhD Program, 2002 – 2007 [Met with UTSA Health Science Center for collaboration, wrote draft of proposal, collected faculty vitae and revised format, gathered job descriptions, worked with committee to develop PhD proposal]

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Sociology Department Special Committee to Review Student Grievance, 2006

Sociology Department Ad. Hoc Committee to Revise Curriculum, Fall 2006

Sociology, Faculty Search Committee, 2007 – 2008 [Helped draft announcement, interviewed candidates at ASA; reviewed files] 2006 – 2007 [Assisted in drafting announcement, reviewed files, hosted candidates; 2004 – 2005.] [Wrote announcement, interviewed 13 candidates at ASA meeting, reviewed files, hosted candidates, participated in committee reviews, selected candidates]

Department of Sociology, Acting Chair, May 2004 – August 2004 [Organized summer and fall teaching schedule, prepared junior faculty materials for review, submitted evaluation report for department student outcomes, worked with graduate advisor to review advising assignments, worked on departmental PhD proposal]

Sociology, Faculty Search Committee, 2003 – 2004 [Reviewed files, hosted candidates, participated in committee review and decisions]  
Sociology Academic Policy and Curriculum Committee Chair, 2001 – 2004 [Revised undergraduate catalogue for 2002-2004, reviewed catalogue changes at draft and copy proof stages]  
Sociology Academic Policy and Curriculum Committee Chair, 2001 – 2003  
Division of Bicultural Bilingual Studies, Faculty Search Committee, 2000-2001 [Reviewed files of candidates, attended presentations, hosted candidates, selected faculty]

#### **Ad Hoc Professional Journal Review**

Social Problems 2017  
AERA Conference Keynote Publication 2017  
Sociological Inquiry 2016  
Social Problems 2016  
Urban Education 2016  
Urban Affairs Review, 2015  
Social Problems, 2015  
Sociological Inquiry, 2015  
Sociological Quarterly, 2015  
Children's Geographies 2013  
Michigan Sociological Review, June 2013  
Urban Education, February 2013  
International Journal of Qualitative Studies in Education, May 2013  
International Journal of Qualitative Studies in Education, May 2011  
Urban Education, March 2011  
Diaspora, Indigenous, and Minority Education, March 2011  
Diaspora, Indigenous, and Minority Education, December 2010  
Urban Education, December 2010  
Urban Education, April, 2010  
Youth and Society, May, 2010  
Educational Evaluation and Policy Analysis, September 2009  
Sociology of Education, May, 2006  
Sociology of Education, August, 2005  
Journal of Latin American Anthropology, March 2004  
Sociology of Education, August 2003  
ERIC Rural and Small Schools Press, August 2003  
Journal of Latin American Anthropology, March, 2002

#### **Publisher Review**

Oxford University Press, Reviewed manuscript for anthology on immigration, 2016  
University of Arizona Press, Reviewed book for publication, April 2011  
Suny Press, State University of New York Press, Reviewed book manuscript for publication, July 2006  
Thompson Wadsworth, Reviewed Race and Ethnic Relations Reader Race and Ethnicity in Society for publication, 2005  
McGraw-Hill Publishers, Reviewed Race & Ethnic Relations Reader Rethinking the Color Line for publication, October 2004  
Corwin Press, Reviewed Race & Ethnic Relations Reader for publication, October, 2004  
University of Texas Press, Reviewed book manuscript for publication, October 2002  
Corwin Press, Reviewed book manuscript for publication, 2000  
Oxford University Press, Reviewed book manuscript for publication, 2000  
University of Texas Press, Reviewed Book Manuscripts, Served as Member of Faculty Advisory Board, 1998-1999

#### **Ad Hoc Proposal Review**

Office of University Partnerships – U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development, Review doctoral dissertation grant applications for the Office of University Partnerships (OUP) Peer Review, 2012  
Office of University Partnerships – U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development, Review doctoral dissertation grant applications for the Office of University Partnerships (OUP) Peer Review, 2011

National Science Foundation, Reviewed a research grant proposal, 2011  
University of Utah of Reviewer of Faculty Member, 2011  
National Research Award Committee Member of the American Educational Research Association, Served as one of four committee members of the Research Award Committee of the American Educational Research Association (AERA) to review research publications for 2010 for the AERA national research award, March 2011  
American Sociological Association Member of Migration Section, Sociology of Childhood Section, Race and Ethnic Relations Section, 2011  
Southwestern Sociological Association Member, 2011  
Reviewer of Dissertation Proposals for U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Reviewed dissertation grant proposals for HUD national grant competition, 2010  
Reviewed Doctoral Fellowship Proposals for U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development August 2009  
Reviewer of Dissertation Fellowship Proposals for U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, July 2003, July 2007, August 2010  
Southwestern Sociological Association annual meeting, Chair and Organizer of three Sociology of Education Sessions, December 2005  
National Head Start Research, reviewed conference proposals, September 2005  
Consultant to Head Start Bureau regarding national evaluation of professional development initiatives of Head Start Bureau, February 2005  
Chair of American Heart Association Gala, 2004-2005  
International Learning Conference, reviewed papers for international conference, January, February 2004  
American Educational Research Association, reviewed conference proposals, August 2004  
National Head Start Research Conference, reviewed conference proposals, September 2003  
Member of Committee on Sociological Practice, American Sociological Association, 1993-1995  
Consultant for UNIVISION, Advisory Board for Educational Outreach Program, 1998-2000  
Member of National Board of Latino Educational Research Agenda Project, The purpose of this project is to gather knowledge from Latino researchers around the U.S. to formulate goals, principles, and an agenda for Latino research in Early Childhood- Secondary education  
Member of Editorial Board of the ERIC Clearinghouse on Rural Education and Small Schools  
American Sociological Association, Chair and Organizer of Sessions  
Southwestern Sociological Association, Chair and Organizer of Sessions  
Society for the Study of Social Problems, Chair and Organizer of Sessions  
American Educational Research Association, Chair and Organizer of Sessions

#### **External Promotions Review**

John Jay College of Criminal Justice, City University of New York, 2016  
Oakland University School of Medicine 2015  
Oregon State University, 2013  
Utah State University, 2011  
University of New Mexico, 2006

#### **Membership in Professional Association**

Southern Sociological Association  
Research Review Committee for the American Educational Research Association [I am a member of the American Educational Research Association (AERA) committee for review of research awards. This committee reviews research proposals and presentations for AERA annual research awards (2010-2013)]  
American Sociological Association [Member of Migration Section, Sociology of Childhood Section, Race and Ethnic Relations Section] 1990-Present  
Southwestern Sociological Association  
Director of the UTSA Mexico Center, 2009-2011 [Member Inter-University Program for Latino Research]  
American Educational Research Association, 2009-Present

#### **Professional Consultation**

Project Evaluator, United Way Parent Collaboration, 2008  
Project Evaluator, KLRN Early Literacy Training Curriculum, 2006-2007  
Project Evaluator, Early Reading First, Community Action, Inc. U.S. of Education, grant, 2003-2006

Project Evaluator, Early Reading First, Community Action, Inc., San Marcos, TX, 2003-2006  
 Consultant to Family Services, Inc. San Antonio, TX, 2001-2002  
 Consultant to UNIVISION Educational Outreach Initiative, 1999-2001  
 Project Evaluator, Early Head Start Program, Community Action, Inc., San Marcos, TX, 1995-2001  
 Project Evaluator for the Mexican American Unity Council, San Antonio TX, 1992-1996  
 Project Evaluator for Even Start Program, Community Action Inc. San Marcos, TX, 1992-1995  
 Editor for The Ford Foundation at the Inter-University Program for Latino Public Policy, Center for Mexican American Studies, UT Austin, 1987-1990  
 Contract Consultant, California State Department of Education, 1977-1979  
 Educational Research Project Consultant, Institute for Cultural Pluralism, San Diego State University, 1975-1979

**Director of MS Internship UTSA**

Majed Alharbi 2014		
Jonathan Rivera 2014		
Eugene Tebuteb 2013	Art Mendoza 2007	Raymond Robinson 2006
Richard Rodriguez 2013	Julie Lindborg 2007	Jessica Stevens 2006
Francisco Lesso 2013	Yvette Sanchez 2007	Christopher Stock 2006
Amani Abuzahera 2012	Ricardo de la Cruz 2006	Aimee Gessel 2005
Sarah Shan 2012	Christy Granada 2005-2006	Sandra Doughton 2004
Shelia McElroy 2011	Susan Espinoza 2006	Martha Stiles 2003
Cristina Cigarroa 2011	Diamonte Maya 2006	Carina Hurtado 2003
Kathleen Clark 2010	Evilise Meza 2006	Shelly Blagg 2003
Anabel Guerra 2009-2010	Sophia Ortiz 2006	Amy Norlander 2000
Joel Tabar 2010	Cynthia Price 2006	Mitch Uthe 2007

**Director (Co-director)/ Committee Member of UTSA MS/Honors Thesis**

Carlos Aguilar 2016-2017	Mary Hansen 2010	Sandra Doughton 2006 Chair
Amador Salazar, 2016-2017	Carlos Valenzuela 2010	Vicki Longoria
Keila Taylor, 2016-2017 Chair	Juan Livas 2010	George Burwick 2006
Itzel Corona, 2016 Honors Thesis	Beatriz Perez 2010 Chair	Tamara Casso 2004
Tamara Leyva 2015	Mario Vela 2009	Miguel Millet-Ocasio
JoseLuis Morales 2015 Chair	Cheryl Blalock 2008 Chair	Sandy Montalvo
Kameron Cavazos 2015	Ricardo de la Cruz 2006 Chair	Casey Hail
Jorge Gonzalez, 2014	Laura Munoz 2005 UTHSC-SA	
Janeth Martinez 2015 Chair		
Sabina Augustsson 2014 Chair		
Haetham Abdul-Razaq 2013 Chair		
Tanya Spano 2013 Chair		
Robert Zubate 2013 Honors Thesis Chair		
Carolina Carazalez 2013 Honors Thesis		
Cristina Cigarroa 2013UT-LLAS CoChair		
Christine Moore 2012		
Gregory Mendez 2010		

**Southwest Texas State MA Theses and Senior Honors Theses 1990-1995**

Jessica R. Matthews	Toniya Parker	Mary Mays-Delamater
Cynthia Flores-Martinez	Lynette Judd	Elaine Claussen

**Southwest Texas State Internship**

Nathan Pino	Patricia Prado
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**Director (Co-director) of Ph.D. Dissertation**

Deb DeLeon 2006	Archie Wortham 2005	Merieta Johnson 1999
Elizabeth Anzek 2005	Min-Hsun Liao 2000	Cinthia Salinas 1999
Karen Hutchinson 2005	Jo Ann Salas 2000	Delores Pena 1998

**Member of Doctoral Committees, UT Austin**

Pricilla Hoke  
Cynthia Duda  
Mark Allen Cristal  
Nancy Eleni Pappamihel  
Joy Coursey Phillips

Sylvia Celedon  
Illiana Alanis  
Haydee Marie Bidot  
Donna LaGanga  
Hsiu-Ling Chen

Matthew Donald Davis  
Linda Munoz  
Futoshi Kobayashi  
Seo-Mee Kim

**Member of Doctoral Committees, UTSA**

Mauricio Rodriguez Abreu, UTSA Demography 2016  
Elizabeth Curnow, University of Houston Health Center, 2016  
Anna Cohen Miller, UTSA Interdisciplinary Studies 2014

**Media**

*The Other Side of Eagle Ford Shale: A New Look at Housing*, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development project , featured on KLRN Public Television ARTS program Thursday June 22, 2017 8 pm.

*The Other Side of Eagle Ford Shale: A New Look at Housing*, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development project , featured as exhibit at UTSA Institute for Texan Cultures, May 10- September 12, 2017.

<http://www.kens5.com/life/utsa-to-hold-great-conversation-event/395289084>

<http://www.utsa.edu/today/2016/10/mellongrant.html>

## SOCIAL MEDIA ACCOUNTS

[https://twitter.com/Mexico\\_Center](https://twitter.com/Mexico_Center)

<https://www.facebook.com/utsamexicocenter>

## SAMPLE PRESS

### **[Mexican Migration: Perspectives From Both Sides of the Border](#)**

Texas Public Radio, Sept. 26, 2016

[Audio file](#)

### **[Exploring Deferred Action for Immigrant Children and Parents in San Antonio](#)**

Rivard Report, Feb. 9, 2015

### **[Immigration Issues Spur New Age of Hispanic Student Activism](#)**

Diverse Issues in Higher Education, Oct. 1, 2014

### **[Wealthy, business-savvy Mexican immigrants transform Texas city](#)**

Los Angeles Times, March 24, 2013

## RECENT UTSA ARTICLES

### **UTSA humanities students to receive unique research and graduate studies opportunities through newly funded program**

(October 5, 2016) -- UTSA has received a three-year, \$500,000 grant from the prestigious Andrew W. Mellon Foundation to assist undergraduate students from underrepresented backgrounds in their research and in pursuing graduate degrees in the humanities. [Read more](#)

### **UTSA conference helps youth aging out of foster care plan for the future**

(July 26, 2016) -- The Bank of America Child and Adolescent Policy Research Institute at The University of Texas at San Antonio is hosting an event this week aimed to educate and inspire young people aging out of foster care. [Read more](#)

### **Milena Melo hopes to help undocumented immigrants receive health care**

(July 20, 2016) -- Meet **Milena Melo**. The UTSA doctoral student is eager to advocate for immigrants in the Rio Grande Valley, and she says the top-tier education she's getting at UTSA is bringing her closer to her goals. [Read more](#)

### **Book about Mexican migration created through UTSA Mexico Center collaborations**

(July 19, 2016) -- Scholars from Mexico and the United States share their analysis of immigration trends and policy in a new book, *Mexican Migration to the United States: Perspectives from Both Sides of the Border*. [Read more](#)

