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EMPLOYMENT

- Jan 2018-present THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY  
Director of Latina/o Studies and Associate Professor of History
- Aug 2008-Dec 2017 UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO  
Associate Professor of History
- Aug 2001-Jul 2008 UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO  
Assistant Professor of History

EDUCATION

- Mar 1997-Dec 2002 UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO  
Ph.D. in History
- Oct 1994-Feb 1997 UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO  
M.A. in History
- Sep 1988-May 1992 COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY  
B.A. in History

BOOKS

- 2019 *Barrio America: How Latino Immigrants Saved the American City*  
Featured in the *New York Times*, *Washington Post*, *Slate*,  
*Commonweal* and on the radio at *Marketplace* and KERA's *Think*;  
starred review from *Booklist*; published by Basic Books
- 2018 *Making Cities Global: The Transnational Turn in Urban History*  
A collection of essays coedited with Nancy H. Kwak and with a foreword  
by Thomas J. Sugrue; published by the University of Pennsylvania Press
- 2007 *Hotel: An American History*  
Reviewed in the *New York Times Book Review*, *The Economist*, the  
*Philadelphia Enquirer*, the *Chicago Tribune*, the *Glasgow Herald*  
(Scotland), *The Age* (Australia), and on Phoenix TV (China);  
published by Yale University Press

AWARDS

- 2021 INTERNATIONAL LATINO BOOK AWARDS  
Best Academic Book for *Barrio America: How Latino Immigrants  
Saved the American City*
- 2020 DENVER PUBLIC LIBRARY  
Caroline Bancroft History Prize for *Barrio America*
- 2015 URBAN HISTORY ASSOCIATION  
Arnold Hirsch Award for Best Article for "Latino Landscapes: Postwar  
Cities and the Transnational Origins of a New Urban America"
- 2015 SOCIETY OF ARCHITECTURAL HISTORIANS, SOUTHEAST CHAPTER  
Best Article Prize for "Latino Landscapes"
- 2014-2015 SOCIETY FOR AMERICAN CITY AND REGIONAL PLANNING HISTORY  
Catherine Bauer Wurster Prize for Best Article for "Latino Landscapes"
- 2013 NATIONAL TRUST FOR HISTORIC PRESERVATION  
Historian of the Year, Historic Hotels of America Program
- 2008 AMERICAN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION, PACIFIC COAST BRANCH  
Best Book Award for *Hotel: An American History*
- 2007 *LIBRARY JOURNAL*  
Best Books of the Year for *Hotel: An American History*
- 2001 POZEN CENTER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS  
Ignacio Martín-Baró Essay Prize for "Travelers, Strangers, & Jim Crow:  
Law, Public Accommodations, and Civil Rights in America"

## FELLOWSHIPS

|                  |                                                                                                                              |
|------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2015-2016        | Princeton University-Andrew W. Mellon Foundation Initiative in Architecture, Urbanism, & the Humanities Distinguished Fellow |
| 2015-2016        | Stanford University, Bill Lane Center for the West Fellowship (declined)                                                     |
| 2015-2016        | National Endowment for the Humanities Public Scholar                                                                         |
| 2013-2016        | Distinguished Lecturer, Organization of American Historians                                                                  |
| 2010-2011        | National Endowment for the Humanities Faculty Research Award                                                                 |
| 2009-2010        | Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars Fellowship (declined)                                                       |
| 2007-2008        | Snead-Wertheim Endowed Lectureship in History and Anthropology, UNM                                                          |
| 2002, 2003, 2006 | University of New Mexico Research Allocations Committee Grants                                                               |
| 2004-2005        | Mellon Postdoctoral Fellowship, American Antiquarian Society (declined)                                                      |
| 2000             | Von Holst Prize Lectureship, University of Chicago                                                                           |
| 1999-2000        | University of Chicago William Rainey Harper Dissertation Fellowship                                                          |
| 1999-2000        | Andrew W. Mellon Foundation Dissertation Fellowship (declined)                                                               |
| 1999-2000        | Huntington Library Research Fellowship                                                                                       |
| 1999-2000        | Massachusetts Historical Society Research Fellowship                                                                         |
| 1999-2000        | New-York Historical Society Rosenwald Research Fellowship                                                                    |
| 1999-2000        | Library Company of Philadelphia Research Fellowship                                                                          |
| 1998-1999        | Harvard University Alfred D. Chandler, Jr. Traveling Fellowship                                                              |
| 1994-1998        | University of Chicago Century Fellowship                                                                                     |
| 1988-1992        | New York State Regents Scholarship                                                                                           |

## SCHOLARLY ARTICLES

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|------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2021 | “ <i>Latinidad</i> and the Creation of a New Public in Pennsylvania,” <i>Harvard Design Magazine</i> 49                                                                                                                                   |
| 2017 | “ <i>Migrantes, Negocios, and Infraestructura</i> : Transnational Urban Revitalization in Chicago,” in Thomas J. Sugrue and Domenic Vitiello, eds., <i>Immigration and Metropolitan Revitalization</i> (University of Pennsylvania Press) |
| 2014 | “Latino Landscapes: Postwar Cities and the Transnational Origins of a New Urban America,” <i>Journal of American History</i> 101                                                                                                          |
| 2013 | “Latino Vernaculars and the Emerging National Landscape,” <i>Buildings &amp; Landscapes: The Journal of the Vernacular Architecture Forum</i> 20                                                                                          |
| 2010 | “Imperial Cityscapes: Urban History and Empire in the United States” (roundtable with Thomas Bender and Michael Adas), <i>NeoAmericanist</i> 5                                                                                            |
| 2010 | “A Historiographic Introduction to Certain Architectures of Capitalism,” <i>Winterthur Portfolio</i> 44                                                                                                                                   |
| 2007 | “Homes for a World of Strangers: Hospitality and the Origins of Multiple Dwellings in America,” <i>Journal of Urban History</i> 33                                                                                                        |
| 2005 | “Travelers, Strangers, and Jim Crow: Law, Public Accommodations, and Civil Rights in America,” <i>Law and History Review</i> 23                                                                                                           |
| 2005 | “Princes and Maids of the City Hotel: The Cultural Politics of Commercial Hospitality in America” (coauthored with Daniel Levinson Wilk), <i>Journal of Decorative and Propaganda Arts</i> 25                                             |
| 2003 | “A Public House for a New Republic: The Architecture of Accommodation and the American State, 1789-1809,” <i>Perspectives in Vernacular Architecture</i> IX                                                                               |

- 1999 “Why the Hotel? Liberal Visions, Merchant Capital, Public Space, and the Creation of an American Institution,” *Business & Economic History* 28
- 1998 “The Next Social History? Practicing Space, Time, and Place,” in *American Historical Association Perspectives* 36
- 1987 “A Quantitative Structure Activity Relationship Study of Acute Toxicity in Goldfish” (with R.L. Lipnick and K.R. Watson), *Xenobiotica* 17
- OTHER  
SCHOLARLY  
PUBLICATIONS
- 2018 “Latino Urbanism (8,500 words), in *The Oxford Reference Encyclopedia in American History*, ed. Jon Butler (New York: Oxford University Press)
- 2010 “Architecture” (2,000 words), in *The Encyclopedia of American Environmental History*, ed. Kathleen A. Brosnan (New York: Facts on File)
- 2008 “Civil Rights Acts” (1,500 words), in *The Encyclopedia of the Supreme Court of the United States*, ed. David S. Tanenhaus (New York: Macmillan)
- 2008 “Civil Rights Act of 1866” (1,000 words), in *The Encyclopedia of the Supreme Court of the United States*, ed. David S. Tanenhaus (New York: Macmillan)
- 2008 “*Heart of Atlanta Motel v. United States*” (500 words), in *The Encyclopedia of the Supreme Court of the United States*, ed. David S. Tanenhaus (New York: Macmillan)
- 2008 “New York Hotels: Icons at the Crossroads,” *New York History* 10:2
- 2007 “Clin d’Oeil: Hotels and Hospitality” (750 words), in *Entreprises et Histoire* 47
- 2006 “Hotels” (1,100 words), in *The Encyclopedia of American Urban History*, ed. David R. Goldfield (New York: Sage Publications)
- 2004 “Colombian-Americans” (500 words), in *The Encyclopedia of Chicago History*, ed. James R. Grossman et al. (Chicago: University of Chicago Press)
- 2002 “Hotels and the Hotel Industry” (2,250 words), in *The Dictionary of American History*, Third Edition, ed. Stanley I. Kutler (Washington, D.C.: Scribners)
- BOOK REVIEWS
- 2021 *Boyle Heights: How a Los Angeles Neighborhood Became the Future of American Democracy* by George J. Sánchez, *Journal of Social History*
- 2020 *Charros: How Mexican Cowboys Are Remapping Race and American Identity* by Laura R. Barraclough, *Journal of American Ethnic History*
- 2015 *Mexicans in the Making of America* by Neil Foley, *New Mexico Historical Review* 88
- 2015 *Rethinking the American City: An International Dialogue* by Miles Orvell and Klaus Benesch, eds., *Journal of American History* 103
- 2014 *Postcards from the Río Bravo Border: Picturing the Place, Placing the Picture, 1900s–1950s* by Daniel Arreola, *Pacific Historical Review* 83
- 2013 *Naked City: The Death and Life of Authentic Urban Places*, by Sharon Zukin, and *Culture Works: Space, Value, and Mobility Across the Neoliberal Americas*, by Arlene Dávila, *Planning Perspectives* 28
- 2012 *Hotel Dreams: Luxury, Technology, and Urban Ambition in America, 1829–1929*, by Molly Berger, *Journal of American History* 99
- 2011 *Ethnoburb: The New Ethnic Community in Urban America*, by Wei Li, *Geographical Review* 101

- 2009 *Are We There Yet? The Golden Age of American Family Vacations*, by Susan Sessions Rugh, *Journal of American History* 96
- 2006 *Recasting American Liberty: Gender, Race, Law and the Railroad Revolution, 1865–1920*, by Barbara Young Welke, *Law & History Review* 24
- CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS
- Apr 2021 ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN HISTORIANS  
Moderator, “New Directions in Midwest Latinx Histories” Roundtable
- Jan 2020 AMERICAN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION  
Moderator, “Global Cities of the North and South: Transnational Connections and Urban Development in the Americas
- Nov 2019 SOCIETY FOR AMERICAN CITY AND REGIONAL PLANNING HISTORY  
“Historical Perspectives on Contemporary Gentrification Debates”
- Oct 2019 WESTERN HISTORY ASSOCIATION  
Fighting for the Survival of Latinx Barrios in the Midwest and West
- Oct 2018 URBAN HISTORY ASSOCIATION, NINTH BIENNIAL CONFERENCE  
*Arreglando Casas: Mexican Migrants Rehabilitating Housing in Chicago and Dallas since 1965*
- Apr 2016 ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN HISTORIANS  
Panelist on roundtable entitled “Urban History: State of the Field”
- Apr 2016 ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN HISTORIANS  
Panelist on roundtable entitled “Transnationalizing Urban History”
- Nov 2014 SOCIAL SCIENCE HISTORY ASSOCIATION  
Panelist on roundtable entitled “Transnational Inequalities”
- Oct 2014 URBAN HISTORY ASSOCIATION, SEVENTH BIENNIAL CONFERENCE  
Panelist on roundtable entitled “The Transnational Turn in Urban History”
- Oct 2014 URBAN HISTORY ASSOCIATION, SEVENTH BIENNIAL CONFERENCE  
Panelist on roundtable entitled “Postwar Latino Urban History”
- Oct 2013 WESTERN HISTORY ASSOCIATION  
“The Political Geography of the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986: Time for Another Look?”
- Oct 2012 URBAN HISTORY ASSOCIATION, SIXTH BIENNIAL CONFERENCE  
Comment on panel entitled “Reimagining the Twentieth-Century City: International Expertise and the Built Environment”
- Jun 2012 VERNACULAR ARCHITECTURE FORUM  
Chair and comment on panel entitled “Vernaculars of Business and Commerce”
- Apr 2012 ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN HISTORIANS  
“Using Local Microgeography to Understand Transnational Macrogeography”
- Jan 2012 AMERICAN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION  
“Latino Landscapes: Transnational Urbanism in Dallas and the Next Urban History”
- Oct 2010 URBAN HISTORY ASSOCIATION, FIFTH BIENNIAL CONFERENCE  
“Latino Landscapes and Urban Historiography, 1950-2000”
- Oct 2010 URBAN HISTORY ASSOCIATION, FIFTH BIENNIAL CONFERENCE  
Panelist on roundtable entitled “Has Urban History Transcended Regionalism? Or Does South/West/North Really Matter?”

Apr 2010 ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN HISTORIANS  
 “Uniting the Many Histories of People on the Move: A Grand Unified Theory of Human Mobility?”

Jun 2009 VERNACULAR ARCHITECTURE FORUM  
 “Latino Landscapes: Immigration and Urbanism, 1945-2000”

May 2008 VERNACULAR ARCHITECTURE FORUM  
 Chair and comment on panel entitled “Architecture and Identity Politics in the Early American Republic”

Apr 2008 BUSINESS HISTORY CONFERENCE  
 Chair and comment on panel entitled “Pioneers of ‘Fashion’ Businesses: Comparing the Origins of Haute Couture and Management Consulting”

Apr 2008 WESTERN SOCIAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION  
 “Cosmopolitanism and Hospitality: Historical Grounding for a Multidisciplinary Debate”

May 2007 BUSINESS HISTORY CONFERENCE  
 “Financing the ‘Palaces of the Public:’ Hotel Entrepreneurs, Commercial Capital, and Internal Improvements in Jacksonian America”

Mar 2007 ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN HISTORIANS  
 Chair and comment on panel entitled “Strangers and Visitors: The Architecture and Culture of Hospitality in Nineteenth-Century America”

Jan 2007 AMERICAN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION  
 “Beyond Reading the Paper: Exploring New Presentation Formats for the AHA Annual Meeting”

Apr 2005 VERNACULAR ARCHITECTURE FORUM  
 Chair and comment on panel entitled “Native and Colonial Urbanisms”

Oct 2004 URBAN HISTORY ASSOCIATION, SECOND BIENNIAL CONFERENCE  
 “Shelter and Serve: Commerce, Politics, and a New Spatiality”

May 2004 VERNACULAR ARCHITECTURE FORUM  
 “Revisiting ‘The Stranger’s Path’: Transience and Hospitality Shape the American Landscape”

Nov 2002 AMERICAN STUDIES ASSOCIATION  
 “Nationalism, Aesthetics, Commerce, and the Origins of the American Hotel”

Sep 2002 URBAN HISTORY ASSOCIATION, FIRST BIENNIAL CONFERENCE  
 “Princes and Maids of the City Hotel: The Cultural Politics of Commercial Hospitality in Nineteenth-Century America”

Feb 2001 CHICAGO URBAN HISTORY SEMINAR  
 “Building a House of Strangers: The Hotel and the Dawn of American Metropolitanism, 1789-1845”

Oct 2000 AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR LEGAL HISTORY  
 “Bed, Board, & Hearth: The Common Law of Innkeepers and the Legal Construction of Space in Nineteenth-Century America”

Apr 2000 ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN HISTORIANS  
 “The Control of His House and of Those Who Enter It: Keepers, Patrons, Prostitutes, Peddlers and Thieves in the Nineteenth-Century Hotel”

Sep 1999 MCNEIL CENTER FOR EARLY AMERICAN STUDIES  
 “Fling Open the Gates So Wide: Commerce, Politics, and the Built Environment, 1780-1800,” as part of the “Speaking in Signs” conference

- May 1999 VERNACULAR ARCHITECTURE FORUM  
 “A Public House for a New Republic: Nationalism, Architecture, and the Origins of the American Hotel”
- Mar 1999 BUSINESS HISTORY CONFERENCE  
 “Commercial Virtue, National Identity, and Mercantile Vision in the Making of the American Hotel”
- Apr 1998 FRANKE INSTITUTE FOR THE HUMANITIES, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO  
 “The Entrepreneurial Redefinition of Space: Hotels and Railroads in Antebellum America,” with John P. Hankey, as part of a conference entitled “The Next Social History?”
- CONFERENCE ORGANIZING
- 10-12 Dec 2021 METROPOLATINX: RETHINKING THE HISTORY OF AMERICAN CITIES  
 A conference with precirculated papers from Llana Barber, Geraldo Cadava, Mauricio Castro, Eduardo Contreras, Sandra Enríquez, Michael Innis-Jiménez, Max Krochmal, Johana Londoño, Becky Nicolaidis, Pedro Regalado, and Yami Rodríguez, with proceedings expected to be published by the University of Chicago Press
- 27-30 Mar 2014 TRANSNATIONAL CITIES: PAST INTO PRESENT / SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE AND PLANNING & DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO  
 A conference with precirculated papers from Erica Allen-Kim, Daniel Arreola, Leandro Benmergui, Matthew García, Richard Harris, Carola Hein, Nancy Haekyung Kwak, Carl Nightingale, Amy Offner, Margaret O’Mara, Muchan Park, A. K. Sandoval-Strausz, Arijit Sen, and Lucien Wilson, and with commentary from Roger Rouse and Thomas J. Sugrue.
- 17-18 Apr 1998 THE NEXT SOCIAL HISTORY? / FRANKE INSTITUTE FOR THE HUMANITIES, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO  
 A conference with papers and presentations from Edward Ayers, Andrew Cohen, Prasenjit Duara, Jenny Franchot, John Hankey, Theresa Hernández, Martha Hodes, Geoffrey Klingsporn, Gregory Maddox, S. Elizabeth Penry, A. K. Sandoval-Strausz, Julie Saville, Jessica Sewell, David Scobey and Mark R. Wilson and with commentary from George Chauncey, Lizabeth Cohen, James R. Grossman, Moishe Postone, and Harvard I. Sitkoff.
- INVITED TALKS
- Apr 2021 PRINCETON UNIVERSITY  
 Center for Migration and Development  
 “If All the World Were Hazleton: Latina/o Migrants and the Origins of Political Xenophobia in Deindustrializing Pennsylvania”
- Apr 2021 UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS-ARLINGTON  
 Open City Symposium, College of Architecture, Planning, and Public Affairs  
 “Latino Urbanism in Dallas and the Transnationalization of Urban Design”
- Mar 2021 TRINIDAD GONZÁLEZ EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL  
 Mr. Daniel Estevao’s two Mexican American Studies courses  
 “Latino Landscapes in Dallas and the Revitalization of American Cities”
- Mar 2021 TALLER PUERTORRIQUEÑO PHILADELPHIA  
 Meet the Author  
 “Barrio America: How Latino Immigrants Saved the American City”

Mar 2021 DARTMOUTH COLLEGE  
Department of Government and Department of History  
“The Future of Latinx Politics” Roundtable

Jan 2021 PRINCETON UNIVERSITY  
Wintersession  
“Understanding the Barrio: A Virtual Urban Walking Tour of Oak Cliff”

Nov 2020 DUMBARTON OAKS  
Landscape Studies Lecture Series  
“Barrio America: How Latino Immigrants Saved the American City”

Oct 2020 THE SKYSCRAPER MUSEUM  
Fall Webinar Series  
“The Tall (Not) Office Building: Hotels”

Oct 2020 COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF BUSINESS  
Reading Across Disciplines, Paul Milstein Center for Real Estate  
“Latino Immigration as a Form of Large-Scale Reinvestment in Urban America”

Sept 2020 CHICAGO PUBLIC LIBRARY & ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN HISTORIANS  
Beyond Borders Series/OAH Distinguished Lecture  
“Barrio Chicago: Immigration and Urban Revitalization in the Windy City”

Mar 2020 SORBONNE UNIVERSITÉ  
Séminaire de HDEA  
“Latino Chicago: Racial Conspiracy, City Planning, and the Immigrant-Driven Rejuvenation of an American City” (cancelled due to the global pandemic)

Mar 2020 UNIVERSITÉ PARIS NANTERRE  
Actualités de la Recherche  
“Barrio America: Latin Americans Revitalize the Urban North” (rescheduled for 2021 due to the global pandemic)

Feb 2020 MANHATTAN COLLEGE  
Urban Studies Annual Lecture  
“How Latino Immigrants Saved the American City”

Feb 2020 THE SKYSCRAPER MUSEUM  
Public Lecture Series  
“Barrio America: How Latino Immigrants Saved the American City”

Jan 2020 UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF HOWARD, PENNSYLVANIA  
Sunday After-Church Lecture  
“Understanding Immigration: Confronting Misconceptions”

Dec 2019 UNITED FORT WORTH COMMUNITY JUSTICE CENTER  
Evening Lecture  
“Latino Landscapes: Immigration and the Creation of a New Urban Texas”

Dec 2019 OAK CLIFF CULTURAL CENTER/CITY OF DALLAS OFFICE OF ARTS & CULTURE  
Public Lecture  
“Barrio America: How Latino Immigrants Saved the American City”

Nov 2019 PRINCETON UNIVERSITY  
Princeton-Mellon Initiative in Architecture, Urbanism, and the Humanities  
“Barrio America: How Latino Immigrants Saved the American City”

- Nov 2019 COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY  
An Urban World: The Changing Landscape of Suburbs and Cities  
“The Scholarly Legacy of Kenneth T. Jackson and the Transnational Approach to the Study of Cities”
- Nov 2019 NEW YORK UNIVERSITY  
The Latinx Project  
“Barrio America: How Latino Immigrants Saved the American City”
- Nov 2019 NEWBERRY LIBRARY  
Book Launch/Meet the Author Public Lecture  
“Barrio America: How Latino Immigrants Saved the American City”
- Oct 2019 UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA  
Lecture for the Departments of City and Regional Planning and History  
“*Migrantes, Negocios, and Infraestructura*: Transnational Processes of Urban Revitalization in the Americas”
- Sept 2016 EL COLEGIO DE MÉXICO  
Centro de Investigaciones Históricas y Centro de Investigaciones Internacionales  
“Crónica de una muerte anunciada varias veces?: La disputa por el voto hispano a partir de la década de 1960”
- Nov 2015 UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO  
Center for the Study of Race, Politics, and Culture  
“Race and Capitalism”
- Oct 2015 DELAWARE HUMANITIES FORUM & ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN HISTORIANS  
The Joseph P. del Tufo Annual Lecture  
“Latino Immigrants and the Transformation of American Cities, 1950-2010”
- Apr 2015 PRINCETON UNIVERSITY  
The City Lost and Found Symposium, Princeton University Art Museum  
“Transnational Architecture & Visual Culture in the Americas, 1960-1980”
- Apr 2015 UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO  
Social History Workshop  
“*Migrantes, Negocios, and Infraestructura*: Transnational Urban Revitalization in Chicago since 1945”
- Feb 2015 COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY  
Lehman Center Seminar on the City  
“Latino Landscapes: Postwar Cities and the Transnational Origins of a New Urban America”
- Sep 2014 UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS-AMHERST  
Feinberg Family Biennial Lecture Series: Immigration and Migration in the Western Hemisphere  
“Latin American Migrants and the Creation of a Hemispheric Urban System”
- May 2014 UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA  
Social Science & Policy Forum: Immigration and Metropolitan Revitalization  
“*Migrantes, Negocios, and Infraestructura*: Transnational Processes of Urban Revitalization in the Americas”
- May 2013 RUTGERS UNIVERSITY  
Sawyer Seminar: Cities, Towns, and Suburbs  
“Transnational Neighborhoods in Chicago and Dallas and the Next Urban History”



- Jan 2013 NEWBERRY LIBRARY  
Seminar in Borderlands & Latino Studies  
“Latino Landscapes in Chicago: Transnational History, Architecture, and the  
Origins of a New Urban America”
- Apr 2009 PALM BEACH PRESERVATION FOUNDATION, PALM BEACH, FLORIDA  
“Palm Beach Hotels and the Architecture of Hospitality”
- Mar 2008 UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON  
Tenneco Lecture Series, Department of History  
“A History of American Hospitality: The Importance of Accommodating  
Strangers”
- Nov 2004 CONRAD N. HILTON COLLEGE OF HOTEL MGMT, UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON  
“For the Accommodation of Strangers: Inventing the American Hotel”
- Sep 2000 GOLDEN BALL TAVERN MUSEUM, WESTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
“Home to a World of Strangers: The Transformation of American Public  
Houses, 1790-1845”
- OTHER TALKS
- Mar 2013 UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO SCHOOL OF LAW  
“The Long-Delayed Declaration of the Right to Travel”
- Jan 2012 ALBUQUERQUE SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE  
“Martin Luther King and the Idea of Equality”
- Dec 2010 KEYNOTE SPEAKERS, INC. FOR CHARTRES LODGING GROUP  
“For the Accommodation of Strangers: Hotels, Hospitality, and the Making of  
Modern America”
- Jun 2009 MEETINGS PROFESSIONALS INTERNATIONAL, NEW MEXICO CHAPTER  
“Hospitality in America: From George Washington to the Civil Rights Act”
- Sept 2008 OSHER LIFELONG LEARNING INSTITUTE, ARIZONA CHAPTER  
“A History of Hospitality in America”
- Aug 2008 OASIS INSTITUTE, ALBUQUERQUE CHAPTER  
“The History of Hotels in America”
- May 2008 ALBUQUERQUE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION  
“Hotels: American Origins and Global Competition”
- BROADCAST  
MEDIA
- Jan 2021 TEXAS PUBLIC RADIO/FRONTERAS  
Two-part, 45-minute interview with Norma Martínez on *Barrio America*
- Oct 2020 LAWYERS, GUNS, AND MONEY PODCAST  
A 40-minute interview with Erik Loomis on *Barrio America*
- Feb 2020 NEW BOOKS IN LATINO STUDIES PODCAST  
One-hour interview with Tiffany González on *Barrio America*
- Jan 2020 TEXAS PUBLIC RADIO/THINK! ON KERA-DALLAS  
One-hour interview with Kris Boyd on *Barrio America*
- Dec 2019 MARKETPLACE/PUBLIC RADIO INTERNATIONAL  
A nationally broadcast radio segment with Amy Scott on *Barrio America*
- Dec 2019 NEW ENGLAND PUBLIC RADIO  
A 50-minute interview with Shannon Dooling on *Barrio America*

Nov 2014 CNBC TELEVISION  
Interview on “Street Signs” regarding the likely economic effects of President Obama’s executive order on immigration

Jun 2014 SIDEWALK RADIO, ATLANTA, GEORGIA  
Interview with Gene Kansas on the history of hotels

May 2012 PHOENIX TELEVISION NETWORK, HONG KONG AND SHANGHAI, CHINA  
Fifteen-minute discussion in Mandarin Chinese on *Hotel: An American History* (a presentation of the book by the show’s host, not an author appearance)

Mar 2010 FOX BUSINESS NEWS  
“Varney & Company” with Stuart Varney: segment on New Orleans hotelkeeper’s offer to host Mississippi high-school prom that had been cancelled because a student asked to attend the event with another girl

Jun 2008 NEW MEXICO PUBLIC RADIO/KUNM ALBUQUERQUE  
“University Showcase” with Megan Kamerick: one-hour interview on *Hotel: An American History*

Jan 2008 ILLINOIS PUBLIC RADIO/WILL URBANA-CHAMPAIGN  
“This Afternoon” with Celeste Quinn: 45-minute interview and call-in show on the history of hotels and the civil rights movement

Dec 2007 NATIONAL PUBLIC RADIO/WBUR BOSTON  
“On Point” with Jayne Clayson: one-hour interview entitled “Hotel America”

Apr 2006 KAGM-FM ALBUQUERQUE  
“The Drive” with Lee Logan: half-hour show on the provisions and politics of the McCain-Kennedy Comprehensive Immigration Reform Bill of 2005

TEXT  
MEDIA

Feb 2021 THE WASHINGTON POST  
“A Path to Citizenship for 11 Million Immigrants is a No-Brainer,” a 1,500-word opinion piece for Made By History that was read by 60,000 people

Aug 2021 THE WASHINGTON POST BOOK WORLD  
“In Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez, Many Have Found a Voice,” an 875-word book review of *AOC: The Fearless Rise and Powerful Resonance of Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez* by Lynda López

June 2020 THE WASHINGTON POST  
“Donald Trump’s Message is Falling Flat Because it is Outdated,” a 1,200-word opinion piece for Made By History

Nov 2019 THE WASHINGTON POST  
“How Latinos Saved American Cities,” the front-page opinion piece in the November 8 edition of the print newspaper

Jan 2008 HEMISPHERES, THE MAGAZINE OF UNITED AIRLINES  
“Accommodating History,” a five-page illustrated article on the history, current condition, and future prospects of the hotel industry

Nov 2007 SLATE.COM  
“How America Invented the Hotel,” a 1,700-word essay and online slide show

Oct 1993 BUSINESS WEEK MAGAZINE  
“Reinventing America,” a special section on the BusinessWeek CEO Symposium

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

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|-------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| May 2021-present  | VERNACULAR ARCHITECTURE FORUM<br>First Vice-President                                                                |
| Apr 2019-present  | ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN HISTORIANS<br>Chair, Nominations Committee                                                  |
| May 2019-present  | URBAN HISTORY<br>Editorial Board                                                                                     |
| May 2018-May 2019 | URBAN HISTORY ASSOCIATION<br>Chair, Selection Committee for the Arnold R. Hirsch Best Article Prize                  |
| May 2015-Apr 2019 | ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN HISTORIANS<br>International Committee                                                       |
| May 2014-May 2015 | VERNACULAR ARCHITECTURE FORUM<br>Papers Committee Chair, 2015 Annual Conference                                      |
| Jan 2009-Jan 2015 | <i>BUILDINGS &amp; LANDSCAPES</i><br>Book Review Editor of the official journal of the Vernacular Architecture Forum |
| May 2013-May 2016 | VERNACULAR ARCHITECTURE FORUM<br>Board of Directors                                                                  |
| Jan 2013-Oct 2014 | URBAN HISTORY ASSOCIATION<br>Program Committee Co-Chair, Sixth Biennial Conference, 2014                             |
| May 2013-May 2014 | VERNACULAR ARCHITECTURE FORUM<br>Papers Committee, 2014 Annual Conference                                            |
| Apr 2011-Apr 2014 | ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN HISTORIANS<br>Award Committee, John Higham Travel Grants                                    |
| Mar 2008-Mar 2013 | <i>JOURNAL OF URBAN HISTORY</i><br>Editorial Board Member                                                            |
| Oct 2009-Oct 2012 | URBAN HISTORY ASSOCIATION<br>Board of Directors                                                                      |
| Apr 2008-Apr 2011 | BUSINESS HISTORY CONFERENCE<br>Chair, Liaison Committee to the American Historical Association                       |
| Aug 2003-Apr 2009 | ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN HISTORIANS<br>Membership Committee Chair, New Mexico                                        |
| Apr 2006-May 2009 | VERNACULAR ARCHITECTURE FORUM<br>Board of Directors                                                                  |
| 2005              | URBAN HISTORY ASSOCIATION<br>Prize committee, Best Book Award                                                        |
| 2003              | URBAN HISTORY ASSOCIATION<br>Prize committee, Best Dissertation Award                                                |

## UNIVERSITY SERVICE

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| January 2021-present | PENN STATE UNIVERSITY ONLINE LATINA/O STUDIES MINOR COMMITTEE<br>Primary organizer for a new undergraduate minor to be available to students at all Commonwealth Campuses.                                                    |
| January 2019-present | PENN STATE UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION ON RACIAL AND ETHNIC DIVERSITY<br>Co-chair a committee that provides President Barron with plans for improving diversity, equity, and inclusion at all of Penn State's campuses. |

- January 2018-present PENN STATE UNIVERSITY HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH ORGANIZING COMMITTEE  
Every year we organize a series of speakers, student service, banquet, and other events for the federally-recognized holiday
- January 2018-present PENN STATE UNIVERSITY LATINO CAUCUS  
Co-advise Penn State's leading undergraduate organization for Latinx students.
- Oct 2013-Sept 2015 UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO / AMERICAN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION, "CAREER DIVERSITY AND THE HISTORY PH.D." INITIATIVE  
Co-wrote UNM's section of the AHA's proposal to the Mellon Foundation for \$1.6 million to expand career opportunities for doctorates in history. The other three universities in the initiative are the University of Chicago, UCLA, and Columbia.
- Aug 2002-May 2008 UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO HISPANIC HONOR SOCIETY  
Faculty advisor providing advice and oversight to undergraduate student organization.
- Aug 2003-May 2007 UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO / CARNEGIE INITIATIVE ON THE DOCTORATE  
Served on the Department of History committee that worked in conjunction with the Carnegie Foundation to redefine the goals, methods, and requirements of our graduate history program.
- Aug 2003-May 2007 UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO FRESHMAN LEARNING COMMUNITIES, COURSE SELECTION SUBCOMMITTEE  
Served as chair of the committee that selected which of the submitted course proposals would be taught in the FLC program; the program was later reviewed and was found to significantly increase student retention.
- Oct 2003-Jan 2007 UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO FRESHMAN LEARNING COMMUNITIES DIVERSITY COORDINATOR  
Charged with recruiting faculty to teach in the FLC program and increasing demographic representativity among those teachers.
- Oct 2003-May 2004 UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY GRADUATE DIVERSITY RECRUITMENT COMMITTEE  
Chaired committee responsible for increasing the diversity of graduate students.

## ACADEMIC ADVISING

### Doctoral

- Darren Raspa, PhD awarded May 2015 for dissertation entitled "The Bloody Bay: Grassroots Policeways, Community Control, and Power in San Francisco and its Hinterlands, 1846-1915" (Chair). Dr. Raspa is Chief Historian and Director of the History Center and Archives at Kirtland Air Force Base in Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- Adam Gregory Blahut, PhD awarded December 2013 for dissertation entitled "Raising the Bar: Gender, Consumption, and the Birth of a New Public Drinking Establishment" (Chair). Dr. Blahut began a three-year term as Visiting Assistant Professor at the University of New Mexico-Gallup in August 2014.
- B. Erin Cole, PhD awarded May 2014 for dissertation entitled "Race, Sexuality, and Single-Family Zoning in Denver's Park Hill and Capitol Hill Neighborhoods, 1956-1989" (Committee Member). Dr. Cole is Assistant to the State Historian at History Colorado and the recent winner of an American Alliance of Museums Award for Excellence in Label Writing.

- Laurie Hinck, PhD awarded May 2009 for dissertation entitled “The Rockefeller Family and Conservation Philanthropy in the National Parks” (Committee Member). Dr. Hinck is an owner of the Silvertip Mountain Center.
- Erik Loomis, PhD awarded May 2008 for dissertation entitled “The Battle for the Body: Work and Environment in the Pacific Northwest Lumber Industry, 1800-1940” (Committee Member). Dr. Loomis is Associate Professor of History at the University of Rhode Island.
- Masters James Martin, PhD awarded May 2008 for dissertation entitled “The United Fruit Company and the Politics of Tourism in the Americas” (Committee Member). Dr. Martin is Assistant Professor of Spanish at Montana State University.
- Matthew D. Bernstein, MA awarded December 2007 for thesis entitled “Progress is Painful: Race Relations and Education in Chicago Before the Great Migration” (Chair)
- Heather Hawkins, MA awarded May 2007 for thesis entitled “Medical Malpractice Law in Nineteenth-Century America” (Chair)
- Jacobo D. Baca, MA awarded December 2006 for thesis entitled “The Dixon Case, 1947-1951: The End of the Catholic Era in New Mexico Public Education” (Chair)
- Hannah R. Wolberg, MA awarded May 2011 for thesis entitled “An Evolving Main Street: The Impact of Urban Renewal on Downtown Las Cruces, New Mexico, 1966-1974” (Committee Member)
- Kristen Reynolds, MA awarded December 2010 for thesis entitled “Well Built in Albuquerque: The Architecture of the Health Seeker Era, 1900-1940 (Committee Member)
- Undergraduate Honors Jade Rowland, BA with Honors, Schreyer Honors College, awarded May 2020 for thesis entitled “The Employment-Based Oral History Project,” which won a Best Thesis award from the Department of History (Chair)
- Gregory Montoya-Mora, BA with History Honors awarded May 2014 for thesis entitled “A Crisis of Identity: Albuquerque’s Postwar Urban Development and the Rise of Hispano Political Power” (Chair)
- Estefanita Rosalia Crespin, BA with History Honors awarded August 2013 for thesis entitled “The Changing Law of Charitable Organizations in New Mexico” (Chair)
- Danielle Repella, BA with History Honors awarded May 2012 for thesis entitled “San Francisco’s Barbary Coast: A Study in Geography and Alterity” (Chair)
- Mary Carmody, BA with History Honors awarded May 2012 for thesis entitled “A Re-examination of the 1965 Hart-Celler Immigration and Nationality Act and the 1986 Simpson-Mazzoli Immigration Reform and Control Act” (Chair)
- Heather Hawkins, BA with History Honors awarded December 2004 for thesis entitled “Doctors and Patients in the U.S. Legal System” (Chair)
- Kendall Sykes, BA with History Honors awarded May 2003 for thesis entitled “Vehicular Search and Seizure in New Mexico, 1888-2001” (Chair)

**COURSES  
TAUGHT**

Penn State  
University

Latina/o Studies 100, "Introduction to Latina/o Studies"  
History 158, "American Immigration History"  
Latina/o Studies 571, "Foundations of the Field"  
History 596, "Graduate Seminar on Latinx and the City"

University of  
New Mexico

History 161, "American History to 1877"  
History 162, "United States History Since 1877"  
History 432, "Social Life & Leisure in United States History"  
History 436, "The City in America before 1893"  
History 437, "The City in America since 1893"  
History 438, "American Legal History to 1900"  
History 439, "American Legal History since 1900"  
History 491, "Historiography"  
History 666, "Graduate Seminar: American Landscape History"  
History 678, "Graduate Seminar: Urban History since 1940"  
History 678, "Graduate Seminar: Markets, Capitalism, & Consumer Culture"  
History 680, "Graduate Seminar: Why Space Matters to History"  
History 680, "Graduate Seminar: American Legal History"  
History 680, "Graduate Seminar: Transnationalizing Urban History"

**OTHER WORK  
EXPERIENCE**

Sep 1996-May 1997

LA UNIVERSIDAD POPULAR DE CHICAGO  
Teacher of English as a Second Language

Sep 1993-Apr 1994

YASUMURA/CYB DESIGN, MADISON AVENUE, NEW YORK CITY  
Assistant to Group Director

Sep 1992-Jul 1993

INTERFAX NEWS AND INFORMATION AGENCY, MOSCOW, RUSSIAN FEDERATION  
Translator, Political and Economic Divisions

Sep 1992-Mar 1993

UNITED STATES EMBASSY CHAPLAINCY REFUGEE TASK FORCE, MOSCOW,  
RUSSIAN FEDERATION  
Organizer and Press Coordinator

Jun 1987-Dec 1988

VIKING PENGUIN PUBLISHERS  
Manuscript Reviewer and Editorial Intern

Mar 1986-Apr 1986

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
Computer Lab Intern, Office of Toxic Substances