TEXAS STATE VITA
Last updated – July 2026

I. Academic/Professional Background

A. Name: **Dr. Gloria R. Velásquez** Title: **Professor of Instruction**

B. Educational Background

Degree	Year	University	Major	Thesis/Dissertation
PhD	2024	Texas State University	Adult, Professional, and Community Education	Trauma, Healing, and Hope: Narratives of Undocumented Mexican Immigrants
MA	2005	Texas State University	Spanish	None
MPA	2003	Texas State University-	Master of Public Administration	Factors Influencing WIC Participants' Decision to Breast-Feed
BA	2001	Texas State University	Political Science and Spanish	None
AAD	1995	Wharton County Junior College	Office Technology	None

C. University Experience

Position	University	Dates
Professor of Instruction	Texas State University	08/2024-Present
Senior Spanish Lecture	Texas State University	08/2009- 08/2024
Spanish Lecturer	Texas State University	07/2006-08/2009
Spanish Instructor	Texas State University	01/2004-08/2005
Adjunct Spanish Instructor	Texas Lutheran University	08/2005-12/2007
Spanish TA	Texas State University	08/2001-12/2003

D. Relevant Professional Experience

Position	Entity	Dates
Adjunct Spanish Instructor	Austin Community College	01/2009-12/2022
Medical Interpreter	LNG Consulting, Interpretation, and Translation Services	11/2015-present
LOTE (English Other Than English) Scorer	ETS	05/2009-5/2011
TOPT (Texas Oral Proficiency Test) Table leader	Oak Hill Technology, Inc. and ETS	11/2006-5/2010
Spanish Translator eDigo AT&T phone app	eDioma, Inc.	01/2007- 04/2008
High School Advanced Placement grader	ETS	05/2005-05/2007
Official Court Interpreter/Probation Officer	Guadalupe County Juvenile Probation Office	03/2006-07/2006
Spanish Instructor	Guadalupe County Juvenile Probation Office	01/2006-03/2006

E. Other Professional Credentials (licensure, certification, etc.)

Developed, submitted, and approved a course timeline as part of the development of a Spanish I course (July)
CITI (Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative), Texas State University, (June 2022)
Citizen Police Academy 13-week certificate of completion, University Police Department. (April 2016).

II. TEACHING

A. Teaching Honors and Awards:

2021: Acknowledged. Liberal Arts College for 15 years of service as a Spanish Instructor
2020: Teaching Award of Honor (Spring)
2019: Recipient: Liberal Arts Excellence in Teaching Award
2019: Nominee: Presidential Excellence in Teaching Award
2018: Nominee: Austin Community College Adjunct Faculty Teaching Excellence Award.
2018: Evaluation: Observed by a Tenured Professor and received 63 out of 65 points in teaching performance. (Fall)
2017: Acknowledgment: Student Course project assignment. *Community Learning Project*. (Spring)
2017: Recipient: Thank you email, cards, letters, Students, and the Director of Retention
2017: Nominated: Austin Community College Adjunct Faculty Teaching Excellence Award.
2017: Recipient: Foundation of Excellence 2017 Faculty Award
2016: Recipient: Professor of the Semester Award, Zeta Tau Alpha-Theta Psi. (Fall)
2016: Nominee: Austin Community College Adjunct Faculty Teaching Excellence Award.
2015: Recipient: Professor of the Semester Award, Non-Traditional Student Organization. (Fall)
2015: Evaluation: I was observed by the second-year Spanish coordinator and received 65 out of 5 points in teaching performance. (Fall)
2015: Acknowledged during the College of Liberal Arts Fall Faculty Meeting. (Fall)
2015: Nominee: 2015 Faculty Excellence in Diversity Award.
2015: Nominee: Presidential Excellence Awards, College of Liberal Arts. (Spring)
2014: Article: Former Student dedicated her published article to me as inspiration, May 2014
2014: Received a three-page handwritten thank-you letter from a former student. (Fall)
2014: Award, Years of Service Luncheon. Austin Community College. (Fall)
2014: I received letters from the assistant dean of the university college with comments from my graduating students. Receive thank-you e-mails and cards from students.
2013: Evaluation: The First-Year Spanish coordinator observed my performance and earned 58 out of 60 points in teaching performance. (Fall)
2013: Recipient: Alpha Delta Pi Favorite Professor Acknowledgment Banquet
2010: Recipient: Alpha Delta Pi Favorite Professor Acknowledgment Banquet
2010: Recipient: Texas State Pan-Hellenic 4th Annual Professor Appreciation Night Award. (Fall)

COMMUNITY

City of Kyle website. 2025.
A 1-hour video of the dialog, "Collective, Heritage: Honing the past, inspiring the Future," organized by the City of Kyle for the 2025 Heritage Hispanic Month. I served as moderator during this event.
Kyle Public Library website. 2025.

Mentioned as a participant of the Fiesta de las Flores in the Kyle Public Library event to celebrate 2025 Heritage Hispanic Month.

University Star. 2025.
Was interviewed for the article, Día de los Muertos: Community honors the dead through Día de los Muertos festivities.

Hays Free Press. 2025.
Mentioned as participant of the Fiesta de las Flores in the Kyle Public Library and my role as Moderator in the Dialog, Collective, Heritage: Honoring the past, inspiring the Future, organized by the City of Kyle. Both to celebrate 2025 Heritage Hispanic Month

B. Courses Taught:
Texas State University:

SPAN 1410 - BEGINNING SPAN I
SPAN 1420 - BEGINNING SPAN II
SPAN 2310 - INTERMED SPAN I
SPAN 2320 - INTERMED SPAN II

2025: Spring 1420,2310/Fall 1410, 2310	Summer I 2310/Summer II 2320
2024: Spring 1420, 2310/Fall 1410,2310	Summer I 2310/Summer II 2320
2024: Spring 1410, 1420, 2320/Fall 1410,1420,2310,2320	Summer I 2310/Summer II 2320
2023: Spring 1410, 1420/Fall 1410,1420	Summer I 2310, 2320/Summer II 1410, 2310
2022: Spring 1410/Fall 1410, 2320	Summer I 1420/Summer II 2310
2021: Spring 1410, 1420/Fall 1410, 2310	Summer I 1410/Summer II 1420, 2320
2020: Spring 1420, 2310/Fall 1410, 2310	Summer I 2310/Summer II 2320
2019: Spring 1410, 1420/Fall 1410, 1420, 2310, 2320	Summer I 2310/Summer II 2310, 2320
2018: Spring 1410, 1420/Fall 1410, 1420,2310	Summer I 1420,2310/Summer II 1420
2017: Spring 1410, 1420/Fall 1410, 2310	Summer I 1410/Summer II 1420
2016: Spring 2310, 2320/Fall 1410, 1420, 2310	Summer I 2310/Summer II 2320
2015: Spring 1420, 2310/Fall 1410, 1420, 2320	Summer I 2310/Summer II 2320
2014: Spring 1420, 2310/Fall 2310, 2320	Summer I 2310/Summer II 1420, 2320
2013: Spring 2310/Fall 1420 and 2310	Summer I 2310/Summer II 1420
2012: Spring 1420/Fall 1410 and 1420	Summer I 2310/Summer II 2320
2011: Spring 1420/ Fall1410 and 1420	Summer I 2310/Summer II 2320
2010: Spring/Fall 1420	Summer I 2310/Summer II 2320
2009: Spring 2310 and 1420/Fall 1420	Summer I 2310/Summer II 2320
2008: Spring/Fall 1420	Summer I 2310/Summer II 2320
2007: Spring 1410 and 1420/Fall 1420	Summer I 2310/Summer II 2320
2006: Fall 1420	Summer II 2320
2005: Spring 1420	Summer I 1410/Summer II 1420
2004: Spring1410, 1420/Fall 1410,1420	Summer I 2310/Summer II 2320
2003: Spring 1410/Fall 1420	Summer I 1410/Summer II 1420
2002: Spring 1410/Fall 1410 and 1420	
2001: Fall 1410	Summer I 1420/Summer II 1420

Austin Community College:

1411 and 1412 Dual Credit (Hays CISD)
1411, 1412, and 2311 - DIL Spanish
1411 - Spanish

Texas Lutheran University:

Spanish 301
Spanish 302

Other:

Teaching: Department of World Languages and Literatures. San Marcos, TX

Faculty Internship, Fulbright Scholar Recommendation. San Marcos, TX, United States. (April 2025).

Additional Comments: Completed the required recommendation for a Fulbright Scholar in Mexico.

Teaching, Department of World Languages and Literatures. San Marcos, TX. (October 2025 - December 2025).

Additional Comments: Developed Spanish 2310 Review and Exam for the students enrolled in Spanish 2320.

Revised Canvas Week 3 Module assignments used for the required fourth hour for Spanish 1410 (July 2022)

Additional Comments: Every semester, I teach for one or more days for faculty on leave or attending conferences.

C. Theses/Dissertations or Exit Committees

2019 **Supervisor**. Internship for a World Languages and Literatures graduating student at El Centro Cultural Hispano de San Marcos

2010-2011 **Committee Member**. Angelika M Fuller. Honors Program Thesis. *A Geographic Analysis of Immigrant Detention in the USA: The Distribution and Environmental Context of Detention Centers*. Honors College.

D. Courses Prepared and Curriculum Development:

Spanish 2320, Curriculum Development, Texas State University. Taught: July 2006 - Present.
Spanish 2310, Curriculum Development, Texas State University. Taught: June 2006 - Present.
Spanish 1420, Curriculum Development, Texas State University. Taught: August 2002 - Present.
Spanish 1410, Curriculum Development, Texas State University. Taught: January 2001 -Present.

Additional Comments: I prepared and uploaded all the learning tools for students to utilize for in-class and out-of-class practice to Canvas, TRACS, and Blackboard.

III. SCHOLARLY/CREATIVE

A. Works in Print

1.

Doctoral Dissertation

Velasquez, G. R. (2024). *Trauma, Healing, and Hope: Narratives of Undocumented Mexican Immigrants*. Texas State University, San Marcos, TX.

Article

Velasquez, G. R. (2024). *Harvest of hope: Migrant agriculture workers' quest for*

visibility and access to adult education. Research Grate

Article
Velasquez, G. R. (2024). The journey to find the feminist in me: A testimonio. Research Grate

Applied Research Project (thesis)
Velasquez, G. R. (2003). *Breastfeeding: Factors influencing WIC participants' decision to breastfeed: A follow-up*. Texas State University, San Marcos, TX.

2. Poems

Velásquez, G. (2026). *Cinco Minutos*. San Marcos: Sigma Delta Pi Chapter Epsilon Beta
Velásquez, G. (2025). *Soy yo, papá.* San Marcos: Sigma Delta Pi Chapter Epsilon Beta
Velásquez, G. (2024). Mi Espacio. San Marcos: Sigma Delta Pi Chapter Epsilon Beta
Velásquez, G. (2020). Mis tres retoños. San Marcos: Sigma Delta Pi Chapter Epsilon Beta
Velásquez, G. (2016). No Olvides (2016th ed.). San Marcos: Sigma Delta Pi Chapter Epsilon Beta.
Additional Comments: I wrote this poem to honor my father, who suffers from Alzheimer's.
Velásquez, G. (2011). Port Ti (2016th ed.) San Marcos: Sigma Delta Pi Chapter Epsilon Beta.
Additional Comments: I wrote this poem for my oldest daughter.
Velásquez, G. (2011). Mi Linda Nena (2016th ed.). San Marcos: Sigma Delta Pi Chapter Epsilon Beta.
Additional Comments: I wrote this poem for my youngest daughter.
Velásquez, G. (2011). Amor de otoño (XXIX, pp. 29). San Marcos: Sigma Delta Pi Chapter Epsilon Beta.
Additional Comments: I wrote this poem for my oldest daughter.
Velásquez, G. (2004). Mi Tesoro (vol. XXV.). San Marcos: Sigma Delta Pi Chapter Epsilon Beta.
Additional Comments: I wrote this poem for a class assignment and for my son.

3. Short Stories:

Velásquez, G. (2016). El Cuerno (Vivencias y Leyendas de mi Padre) (2015th ed., vol. XXXI, p. 56). San Marcos: Al Principio. Sigma Delta Pi Chapter Epsilon Beta.
Velásquez, G. *Flores en tiempo de Covid* (2021st ed., vol. XXXVI, p. 16). San Marcos: Al Principio. Sigma Delta Pi Chapter Epsilon Beta.
Velásquez, G. *Flores en tiempo de Covid* (images) and *Amor en tiempo de COVID* (painting) (2021st ed., vol. XXXVI, p. 45). San Marcos: Al Principio. Sigma Delta Pi Chapter Epsilon Beta.

4. Abstracts:

Velásquez, G. ***Chicanos, Then, Now, and Forging Ahead***. ¡Fandango! A TXST Interdisciplinary Dialogue on the (August 2023)

Velásquez, G., Shaker, Z., Brandon-Walker, U. ***Chicanos, Then, Now, and Forging Ahead***. TACHE 46th Annual State Conference. La Lucha Sigue: Continuing the Fight for Dignity, Education, and the Chicano Identity. (May 2021).

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A. ***Marianismo, Virgen de Guadalupe, and Juan Luis Vives.*** Eleventh International Conference on Religion and Spirituality in Society. Traditions from the margins: non-canonical writings in religious systems. University of Córdoba, Córdoba, Spain (September 2020)

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A. ***Health and Wellness Seen as Human Rights by the Minimum Vital in 1930.*** Eleventh International Conference on Health, Wellness, and Society. Advancing Health and Equity: Best Practices in an International Perspective. Université de la Sorbonne Nouvelle, Paris, France (September 2021)

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A. ***Health and Wellness Seen as Human Rights by the Minimum Vital in 1930.*** Tenth International Conference on Health, Wellness, and Society. Advancing health and equity: best practices from an international perspective. Université de la Sorbonne Nouvelle, Paris, France (March 2020)

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A. ***Language as the Backbone of Our Cultural Heritage.*** Fifteenth International Interdisciplinary Social Science Conference. ***Reflecting on Community Building: Ways of Creating and Transmitting Heritage.*** Athens, Greece (October 2019)

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A. ***Intercambio de Idiomas de Inglés y español.*** III Encuentro Internacional de la Red Iberoamericana de Estudios Interculturales e Interdisciplinarios: ***Educación e interculturalidad, Espacio de Posibilidades e Intercambio de Saberes.*** Costa Rica (April 2019).

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A. ***Violence and Torture in Religion and Human Rights in México and El Salvador.*** Ninth International Conference on Religion and Spirituality in Society Universal Religious Symbols: Mutual Influences and Specific Relationships. Vienna, Austria (October 2018)

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A ***Violence and Torture in Religion and Human Rights in México and El Salvador.*** Ninth International Conference on Religion and Spirituality in Society Universal Religious Symbols: Mutual Influences and Specific Relationships. Granada, Spain (October 2018)

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A. **The Otherness: Implications in the Civil Political Discourse.** Civil Discourse Series. Texas State University. San Marcos, TX. (March 2017)

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A. ***The Dilemma of Aging in the United States or Elsewhere.*** International Conference of Aging and Culture

(Berkeley, CA. July 2017)

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A ***Patriarchy and Feminism, when Zeus and***

Lilith Collide. Interdisciplinary Social Sciences Conference. Granada, Spain (June 2017)

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A. ***Iinglés, requisito indispensable para penetrar el mercado en los Estados Unidos. Congreso de estudiantes de mercadotecnia.*** University of El Salvador. (May 2017)

Velásquez, G., Melga, A***. From Soldaderas to Guerrilleras.*** *Century of Conflict: Dialogues on Women and Gender, Internationality and Militarism*. Texas State University (March, 2017)

Velásquez, G., Melga, A. ***Spanish, requisito indispensable para penetrar el mercado latino en Estados Unidos.*** International Conference Hispanic/Latino Media and Marketing (Fullerton, CA. February 2017)

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A. (In press). ***Babel's Legacy to Modern Success: Being Bilingual the Best Possibility for Success.***

B. Works not in Print:

1. Invited Talks, Lectures, and Presentations:

2025: **Moderato**r, dialogue, "Collective, Heritage: Honing the past, inspiring the Future," organized by the City of Kyle for the 2025 Heritage Hispanic Month. (October)

2025: Guest Poem reader. Fiesta de las Flores: Celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month!, "Soy yo, papá; Mi espacio; No olvides,," Kyle Public Library, Kyle Public Library, Kyle, TX, United States. (October).

2024: Guest Poem reader. Fiesta de las Flores: Celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month!, "Mis tres retoños; Mi espacio; No olvides,," Kyle Public Library, Kyle Public Library, Kyle, TX, United States. (October).

2023: **Presenter**, TechBits, ***My Classroom at Home: An approach to technology for online teaching for diverse learning styles*****.** December. Recorded and available presentation: https://itac.txst.edu/support/training/tech-bits.html

2023: **Guest Speaker,** Latinas Unidas. *El Día de los Muertos is not Halloween*. November

2022: **Guest Speaker**: *Maybe you "do not" know these facts about México*, Hispanic Student Association (HSA), Texas State University (October).

2022: **Presenter**, Día de los Muertos Celebration presentation, Language Mixer: Intercambio. (October)

2021, 2022: **Presenter** Delivered graduation message in Spanish for the Latino/ Minor graduating students. (May)

2021: **Interview**, American-Statesman article (March)

2015-2019: **Speaker**, Multicultural Graduation Ceremony. Additional Comments: Delivered the Welcome in Spanish during the Fall and Spring Multicultural Graduation Ceremony.

2018 **Co-presenter**, New Faculty Orientation. Non-Tenure Line Faculty Committee. Texas State University. (August)

2018: **Co-presenter**, "Understanding your Position as a Non-Tenure Line Faculty." Not-Tenure Line Faculty Committee. (March)

2017: **Keynote Speaker**, *"Land of Immigrants,"* Texas State Democrats First Meeting, San Marcos. (January).

2017: **Guest Lecturer,** *"El Día de los Muertos: It is not Halloween,"* Honors College English Course Origins of Civilization, San Marcos, TX, United States. (November).

2017: **Panelist**, *Lies into Laws. A Panel Discussion on Current Political Topics. Rising Texas*. (2017)

2016: **Panelist**, HPN, and Admissions ***Bobcat Day***.

2016: **Panelist**, Knowledge without Borders: A Panel Discussion on Immigration and Diversity, *"Undocumented Immigration Myths and Facts*," Kappa Delta Chi Sorority Inc., San Marcos. (October).

2016: **Participant**, *Ancestry Estimation of Biracial Individuals Using Dental Morphological Traits*. (October).

2016: **Participant**, *Professor Pulse***.** (October).

2016: **Presenter**, TexSplore, "El Día de los Muertos is Not Holloween," Political Science Department, San Marcos, TX, United States. (March)

2016: **Speaker**, *Bridges Through Experiences: The Immigrant Story, "My life as an Undocumented Immigrant*," Dean of Students Office and Leadership Institute, San Marcos. (March)

2015: **Speaker**, Texas State Dean of Students Office **Leadership Institute Film Series**. (Fall)

2015: **Presenter.** *Latino Star in the Constellation of the Rising Star of Texas***.** Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (Fall).

2015: **Presenter**. *Chicano or Mexican American? A Common Experience*. Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (Fall).

2015: **Panelist**. Alpha Omicron Chapter of Phi Iota Alpha Inc., *The Dream is Now* Documentary and Panel event. (Spring 2015).

2015: **Speaker**, Spring Hispanic Welcome. (January).

2015: **Keynote Speaker,** Non-Traditional Student Graduation Celebration. (Fall)

2015: **Co-Presenter**. *Español: Requisito Indispensable para Conquistar Exitosamente el Mercado Latino.* Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL. (February).

2015: **Speaker,** Voces de Braceros del Valle del Rio Grande, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (Fall)

2014: **Presenter,** TexSplore, *"El Día de los Muertos is Not Halloween,"* Political Science Department, San Marcos, TX, (March).

2014: **Presenter**, Successful *First-Generation College Students*. (Fall)

2014: **Panelist**, Film viewing, and Panel discussion. *AbUSed: the Postville Raid.* (Spring)

2012: **Speaker,** Hermandad de Sigma Iota Alpha, and AY Chapter *Día de los Muertos* event, " *Día de los Muertos Around the World and Canciones de Despedida."* San Marcos, TX. (November).

2012-2020: **Presenter,** Spring, and Fall Noche de Cine.

C. Other Works not in Print:

Works "in progress":

1. Conference Proceedings:

Velásquez, G. ***Narratives of Undocumented Mexican Immigrants: Was the Journey Worth their Sacrifice***? Poster presentation. Texas State University, Graduate Student Research Conference. (April 2023)

Velásquez, G. ***Chicanos, Then, Now, and Forging Ahead***. ¡Fandango! A TXST Interdisciplinary Dialogue on the (August 2023)

Velásquez, G., Shaker, Z. ***Chicanos, Then, Now, and Forging Ahead***. TACHE 46th Annual State Conference. La Lucha Sigue: Continuing the Fight for Dignity, Education, and the Chicano Identity. (May 2021).

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A. ***Health and Wellness Seen as Human Rights by the Minimum Vital in 1930.*** Eleventh International Conference on Health, Wellness, and Society. Advancing Health and Equity: Best Practices in an International Perspective. Université de la Sorbonne Nouvelle, Paris, France (September 2021)

Velásquez, G., Shaker, Z. ***Chicanos, Then, Now, and Forging Ahead***. TACHE 46th Annual State Conference. La Lucha Sigue: Continuing the Fight for Dignity, Education, and the Chicano Identity. (May 2021).

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A. E. **Español: requisito indispensable para conquistar exitosamente el Mercado Latino**. *The Center for Hispanic Marketing Communication at Florida State University.* Will present at the 6th International Conference on Hispanic/Latino Media and Marketing 2015, Fullerton, California, February 16-19, 2016.

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A. Español: requisito indispensable para conquistar exitosamente el Mercado Latino. *The Center for Hispanic Marketing Communication at Florida State University.* Paper presented at 5th International Conference on Hispanic/Latino Media and Marketing 2015, Tallahassee, United States, February 18-20. Florida State University.

2. Creative Works Cited in Conference Papers / Presentations:

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A. E., Bridging Through Stories: Families, Work and Gender Migration Across the Global Village 2016 Symposium, "Patriarchy and Women Migration Around the World," Women and Gender Research Collaborative, LBJ Student Center, San Marcos, TX. (March 25, 2016).

3. Reading of Creative Works / Performances:

Velásquez, G., Festival de las Flores: Celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month. Kyle Public Library, Kyle, TX. (October 2024).

Velásquez, G., Festival de las Flores: Celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month. Kyle Public Library, Kyle, TX. (October 2023).

Velásquez, G., Festival de Poesía y Música por la Paz, Sigma Delta Pi and the Department of Modern Languages, San Marcos, TX. (October 2016, 2017, and 2018).

D. Scholarly / Creative Grants and Contracts:

1. Funded Internal Grants and Contracts:

Velásquez, Gloria R***. Trauma, Healing, and Hope: Narratives of undocumented Mexican immigrants.*** Adult, Professional, and Community Education Ph.D. Program, $1,689. (2024) Accelerated dissertation stipend.

GADiA (Gloria and Alba, Diversity in Action) is a new organization and the Sponsorship funding is given for events organized.

Velásquez, G., Melgar, A. ***"Language as the Backbone of Our Cultural Heritage."*** Fifteenth International Interdisciplinary Social Science Conference. Austin Community College, $1000. Athens, Greece (July 2020).

Velásquez, Gloria R, Melgar, Alba Elizabeth. ***2016 Día de Los Muertos Celebration: Representations of Death Through Art Around the World***, Department of Modern Languages, Office of Student Diversity and Inclusion, Dean of Students and Graduate College, Texas State University, $1,400.00. Sponsored Research.

Velásquez, Gloria R, Melgar, Alba Elizabeth. ***Open the Door Your Child is Knocking: Embracing and Sharing an LGBTQ Identity***., Multicultural!

Programs Committee Counseling Center, Department of Psychology, Center for Diversity and Gender Studies and Office of Student Diversity and Inclusion, Texas State University, $1,300.00. Sponsored Research.

Velásquez, Gloria R, Melgar, Alba Elizabeth. ***Success Has No Borders,*** Multicultural Programs Committee, Center for Diversity and Gender Studies, and Office of Student Diversity and Inclusion, Texas State University, $1,500.00. Sponsored Research

Velásquez, Gloria R, Melgar, Alba Elizabeth***. A Night of Real-Life Stories! They Sacrificed Everything for their Country. Did our Country Pay Them Back*** Multicultural Programs Committee, Center for Diversity and Gender Studies, an Office of Student Diversity and Inclusion, Texas State University, $1,500.00. Sponsored Research.

Velásquez, Gloria R, Melgar, Alba Elizabeth. ***Testimonials of War: The Effects of the U.S. Foreign Policy in Latin America***, Common Experience, Center for Diversity and Gender Studies and Office of Student Diversity and Inclusion, Texas State University, $1,500.00. Sponsored Research.

Velásquez, Gloria (Co-PI). ***En Colaboración: Reaching Latino Culture and History through Film, Music and Literature***, Equity and Access. Total Award Amount: $5000. Award Period: Fall 2015

Velásquez, Gloria (Co-Principal), Percent Contribution: 20%. ***En Colaboración: Reaching Latino Culture and History through Film, Music and Literature, Equity and Access, Institutional (Higher Ed),*** $5,000.00. (Submitted: July 1, 2015, Funded: September 2, 2015 - December 12, 2015). Grant.

2. Submitted, but not Funded, Internal Grants and Contracts:

Velásquez, Gloria (Co-Principal), Percent Contribution: 50%, Melgar, Alba Elizabeth (Co-Principal), Percent Contribution: 50%. ***A Tribute to Children Soldiers Around the World,*** Equity and Access, Institutional (Higher Ed), $2,500.00. (Submitted: September 2016). Grant.

Velásquez, Gloria (Co-Principal), Percent Contribution: 50%, Melgar, Alba Elizabeth (Co-Principal), Percent Contribution: 50%. ***Malala's Legacy: The Price of Education,*** Equity and Access, Institutional (Higher Ed), $2,500.00. (Submitted: September 2016). Grant.

Velásquez, Gloria (Co-Principal), Percent Contribution: 50%. 2015-2016 Common Experience: Bridged Through Stories: Shared Heritage of the United States and México, and Dr. Tomás Rivera, Institutional (Higher Ed) Homage, $500.00. (Submitted: July 1, 2015, Funded: August 24, 2015 - December 13, 2015). Grant.

Velásquez, Gloria (Co-PI) 2015-2016 Common Experience: Bridged Through Stories: Shared Heritage of the United States and México, and Homage of Dr. Tomás Rivera, Requested Amount: $500. Not Awarded: Summer 2015

IV. SERVICE

A. University:

2024	**Committee member, First Gen Proud Committee**, Texas State University (August-present)
2024:	**Committee member, First-Gen Proud Scholarship.** First-Gen Proud. Texas State University (November)
2024:	**Attendee**, **Non-Tenured Line Faculty Appreciation Reception.** Non-Tenured Line Faculty Committee. Texas State University. (October)
2024:	**Attendee, Student Leader Welcome Dinner**. BobCat Organization Hub. Texas State University. (September)
2024:	**Volunteer, First-Gen Proud Graduation Ceremony**. Texas State University (August)
2024:	**Evaluator/Recommender, The Fullbright U.S. Scholar Program.** Texas State University. (July)
2024:	**First-Gen Proud Graduation Ceremony**. Texas State University (May)
2024:	**Doctoral Study Participant, Understanding the Experiences of Underrepresented Women Pursuing Doctoral Degrees.** School Improvements (SI), College of Education, Texas State University. (February)
2023:	**Law School Admissions Council.** Letter of recommendation for former student membership. (December)
2023:	***Participant***, Non-Tenure Line Faculty Appreciation Reception. Texas State University. (October)
2023:	**Co-organizer**, *2023 Día de Los Muertos Celebration: Celebrando Ausencias.* (November). Texas State University. (November)
2023:	**Research Participant**, ALERRT Center, Texas State University. (January)
2022:	**Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated**. Letter of recommendation for former student membership. (October)
2021:	**Committee member,** Life A New Restorative Justice,
2021:	**Guest Lecture**, ED 7324: Problems and Strategies in Program Planning Seminar, Texas State University. (July)
2020	**Presenter**: NLFC Member representing the World Languages and Literatures Non-tenure Line Faculty at the NTLF Orientation.

2016-present: **NLFC Liaison** representing the World Languages and Literatures Non-tenure Line Faculty.

2020: **Co-organizer**, *Young Voices of Hope: Student Movements Change History.* (April)

2019: **Co-organizer**, *2019 Día de Los Muertos Celebration: Representation of Death in Literature Around the World.* (November)

2018: **Interpreter**, *Equality University* Student Diversity and Inclusion Conference. (November).

2018: **Collaborator**, 2nd Annual Nontenure Line Faculty Appreciation Reception. (September)

2018: **Collaborator**, Latinos, and the Future of America: Reflections on The Color of Educational Opportunities. Texas State Latino/a Studies. (October)

2018: **Co-organizer**, *2018 Día de Los Muertos Celebration: Burial Ceremonies Around the World.*

2012-Present: **Advisor.** Grupo Folklórico Ocotochtlí.

2018: **Collaborator**, Planning Spring 2018 Hispanic Policy Network Symposium: ***Innovative Spirit of Our Cultures.***

2016-2018: **HPN Advisory Board member**, Hispanic Policy Network.

2017: **Collaborator**, Hispanic Policy Network Fall event. *Celebremos Unidos…United We Celebrate*.

2017: **Collaborator**, Indigenous Healing Project. Office of Student Diversity and Inclusion.

2017: **Volunteer**, Welcome Tents by the Retention Management and Planning Office. (February).

2017: **Co-organizer**, *2017 Día de los Muertos Celebration**:** Thanatos The Eternal Movie Super Star.*

2016-2019: **Collaborator,** Office of Student Diversity and Inclusion.
Additional Comments: Coordinate speakers who deliver. Welcome to various languages during the spring and fall multicultural graduation ceremony.

2016-Present: **Co-Chair**, GADíA (Gloria and Alba Diversity in Action).

2010-2019: **Chair**, Feria del Mariachi.

2010-2020: **Translato**r, Latin Music Studies. Texas State University.

2016-2018: **CPA Board member**, CPA Alumni Association.

2016: **Volunteer**, Welcome Tents by the Retention Management and Planning Office. (January).

2015-2017: **Member**, 2015-2016 and 2016-2017 Common Experience Planning Committee.

2015-2017: **Co-organizer**, *Naturalization Celebration Ceremony of Citizenship*.
Additional Comments: GADíA co-organizes with the Hispanic Policy Network this yearly ceremony.

2015-Present: **Support Faculty Member**, SCOPE.

2012-Present: **Advisor**, Grupo Folklorico Ocotochlti.

2015: **Volunteer**, International Education Week Luncheon. Texas State University. (November).

2010-2016: **Advisor**, Sigma Iota Alpha.

2016: **Participant**, *HPN Pan Dulce for the Soul: Fostering Support and Safe Spaces.* (December)

2017: **Co-organizer**, *2017 Día de los Muertos Celebration: Thanatos the Eternal Movie Super Star. What is his "role" across Cultures?*

2017: **Co-organizer**, *A Tribute to the Student Soldiers.*

2016: **Co-organizer**, Success Has no Borders.

2016: **Co-organizer**, *2016 Día de los Muertos Celebration: Representation of Art Through Art Around the World.*

2015-Present: **Mento**r, Career options.
Additional Comments: I met with students who requested to meet with me to discuss career options after I met them at an event, and former students after they learned that I have been at Texas State for over 20 years, both as a student and professor.

2016: **Co-organizer**, *Open the Closet Door, Your Child is Knocking: Embracing and Sharing an LGBTQ Identity*.

2016: **Collaborator**, *Equality University* Student Diversity and Inclusion Conference. (November).

2016: **Collaborator**, University Police Department *Coffee with Cops* event. (October).

2016: **Co-organizer**, *A Night of Real Stories! They Sacrificed Everything for our Country. Did our Country Pay Them Back?*

2016: **Collaborator**, *Abrazando el Espíritu! Bracero Families Confront the U.S.-Mexico Border.* (February).

2016: **Collaborator**, Student Diversity and Inclusion, ***Mama's Kitchen: Black History Month Celebration***. (February).

2016: **Volunteer**, Spring Semester Welcome Tents Retention Management and Planning Office. (January)

2016: **Co-organizer**, *Latino Stars Shine on the Constellation of the Rising Star.*

2015: **Member**, 16th Annual Feria del Mariachi Planning Committee.
Additional Comments: A team member will write the advertising.
material for the event. I am including the invitation letter to the Mexican Consulate.

2015: Co-organizer, ***Latino Stars Shine on the Constellation of the Rising Star***.

2015: Volunteer: TexSplore. (April).
Additional Comments: I helped with checking and assigning tables to participating organizations.

2015: Translator, Hispanic Policy Network Spring 2015 Symposium. (April).

2015: **Co-organizer**, *Celebration of the People Powwow: The Intersectionality of Native American and Latino Culture*.

2015: **Chair**, 5th International Conference on Hispanic/Latino Media and Marketing. (February).

2015: **Participant**, Research Study*: Faculty Development Processes in Teaching International Students: An International Comparative Study of Faculty Narratives in a Global Era.* (May)

2015: **Editor,** Grupo Folklorico Ocotochlti.
Additional Comments: Assisted with the TRACS page and edited documents in both English and Spanish.

2015: **Mentor/Tutor**, Former Student Leticia Aguilar. (January 15, 2015 - May 1, 2015).
Additional Comments: I met with my former student, who sought my help while taking upper-division Spanish classes.

2015: **Co-organizer**, *Chicano or Mexican American? A Common Experience* Event.

2015: **Co-organizer**, *2015 Día de los Muertos Celebration: Death's Portrait, Iconography of Death Around the World.*

2014: **Co-organizer,** *2014 Día de los Muertos Celebration: Dancing with Death, Interpreting the Eternal Message of Funeral Ritual Dances Around the World.*

2014: **Chair** Session: *Puntos de Vista Spanish International Documentary Festival* at the Florida State University**.** (Tallahassee, FL. Spring 2014)

2013: **Chair**, *Hands-On* cinema workshop: *Puntos de Vista Spanish International Documentary Festival*. (Fall)

2013: **Co-organizer**, *Babel's Legacy to Modern Success: Being Bilingual the Best Possibility for Success.* A Modern Language
Panel and Network Event. Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (Spring)

2013: **Co-organizer**, *2013 Día de los Muertos Celebration: Dining with Death. The Menu will include Tasty Samples of Culinary Delicacies Traditionally Served at Funeral Rituals Around the World.*

2012: **Co-Organizer**, *Homophobia or Misogyny: A Transracial/Cultural Discussion on Homophobia and Misogyny.* Texas State University. San Marcos, TX.

2012: Co-organizer, *2012 Día de los Muertos Celebration: Dressed for Eternity, how to Dress for the Final Trip*

2012: **Co-organizer** and **presenter**, *Success Has No Border.*
Additional Comments: This event focused on man-made borders, emphasizing that "we" humans set our borders/barriers, and it is up to each of us to overcome them if we are determined enough. Students from different countries participated.

2012: **Co-organizer**, *2011 Día de los Muertos Celebration: Funeral Rituals, Shapers of Cultural Identity.*

2011: **Co-organizer,** *Success Has no Borders.*

2010: **Co-organizer** and presenter, *Utopia or Illusion.*
Additional Comments: To celebrate the Bicentennial of Latin American independence, attendees enjoyed authentic food from three Latin American countries and the music of the Texas State Mariachi.

2010: **Co-organizer** and presenter, *From Hombres de Maiz to King Corn.*
Additional Comments: The event showed how much corn and literature are linked—Keynote Speaker, University of Texas professor and writer, Dr. Arturo Arias.

2010: **Co-organizer**, *The Forgotten Americans, Convenient Ignorance?*
Additional Comments: Guest speaker Dr. Jaime Chahin and documentary screening, *The Forgotten Americas.*

2009: **Committee member**, Student Appeal disputing "F." (Fall)
2009: **Volunteer**, Majors Fair.

B. College:

2025: Co-Organizer, **CoLA First-Gen Proud Information, and Networking Fair.** Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (November)

2024: Co-Organizer, **CoLA First-Gen Proud Information, and Networking Fair.** Department of English and Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (November)

2016: **Collaborator**, Canyon High School *Embajadores.* (March)

2015: **Participant**, Research Project: *Undocumented Students in Higher Education,* Texas State University. (February).

C. Department/School:

2025: **Co-organizer**, ***2025 Día de los Muertos Celebration. Between Worlds: Myths, Ancestors, and Cosmic Order.*** Sigma Delta Pi, GADiA, and the Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (November)

2025: **L*anguage Facilitator***, Intercambio. Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (spring and fall)

2025: **L*anguage Facilitator***, Language Mixer. Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (spring and fall)

2025: **Collaborator, Sigma Delta Pi Initiation.** Sigma Delta Pi and the Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (spring and fall)

2025: **Modulo Preliminar**, Created Spanish 2310 Review and Exam for Spanish 2320 students. Department of Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (October-December)

2024 **Professor of Instruction, PC Committee member**. Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (November-Present)

2024: **Co-organizer**, ***2024 Día de los Muertos Celebration: Las Plañideras (Las lloronas) in Modern Times.*** Sigma Delta Pi, GADiA, and the Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (November)

2024: **Presenter and film discussion facilitator**. ***Cuando me toque a mí***. Noche de Cine: Cine ecuatoriano del siglo XXI. Dr. Limage, Sigma Delta Pi, and the Department of World Languages, Texas State University. (October)

2024: **L*anguage Facilitator***, Intercambio: Language Mixer. Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (November)

2024: ***Collaborator and Language Facilitator***, Intercambio: Spanish Language Mixer. Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (September, November)

2024: **Collaborator. Fall Sigma Delta Pi Initiation.** Sigma Delta Pi and the Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (October)

2024: **Attendee**, **Between Fame and Infamy International Film Symposium**. Department of World Languages, Texas State University. (March)

2024: **Co-presenter and film discussion facilitator**. ***The Bling Ring***. Between Fame and Infamy International Festival. Department of World Languages, Texas State University. (March)

2024: **Language Facilitator**, Intercambio: Spanish Language Mixer. Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (February)

2024: **Collaborator. Spring Sigma Delta Pi Initiation.** Sigma Delta Pi and the Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (February)

2024: **Class Observer.** Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (February)

2024: **Attended** Spring and Summer Graduation Ceremony. Texas State University. (May and August)

2023: **Attended**, Friday's and Saturday's Graduation Ceremony. Texas State University. (December)

2023: **Tutor**, organized tutoring sessions for former students struggling in Spanish 2310. Texas State University. (November-December)

2023: ***Participant***, Sigma Delta Pi Fall Initiation Ceremony. Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (October)

2023: ***Language Facilitator***, Intercambio: Language Mixer. Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (October)

2023: **Mentor/Tutor** tutored a student to build confidence to take the Spanish CLEP to graduate in fall 2023. She passed all four levels. Texas State University. (September)

2023: ***Language Facilitator***, Intercambio: Virtual Language Mixer. Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (April)

2023: **Taught** classes for a colleague while she attended a conference. (March and October)

2023: ***Language Facilitator***, Intercambio: Virtual Language Mixer. Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (February)

2022: **Taught** classes for a colleague while she attended a conference. (March and November)

2021: **Taught** ten classes for a colleague while recuperating from surgery. (Fall)

2021: **Presenter**, Comidas Mexicanas. Intercambio: Virtual Language Mixer titled: *Las comidas favoritas*. (April)

2021: **Presenter**, *Postres Mexicanos*. Intercambio: Virtual Language Mixer titled: Los Postres favoritos. (March)

2020 Co-organized the 2nd mini cycle for the movie screening for ***Noche de Cine*** titled ***Movimientos Estudiantes de Protesta*** (Spring).

2020:	Attended and collaborated during the February ***Intercambio Language Mixer***.
2020:	**Taugh**t Dr. Daniela Radpay's 1420 class the first week of the semester. (Spring)
2019:	**Co-organizer,** 2nd cycle of movie screening for ***Noche de Cine*** titled ***Hispanic Literature in Film*** (Spring).
2018:	**Volunteer,** International Quad Day. Modern Languages Department. Texas State. (November)
2016- Present:	**Liaison** Modern Language Department, Non-Tenure Line Faculty (NLFC).
2015:	**Member**, SB 11 Open Carry Committee.
2013-2019:	**Participant**, Festival de Poesía y Música por la Paz. Additional Comments: Read poems during the festival.
2016:	**Tutor,** Former Student. Additional Comments: Tutored and assisted students with essay writing and revisions, former students who decided to take 3000 and 4000 Spanish courses to pursue a Spanish major or minor. In addition, I met with a couple of former students who wanted to continue practicing Spanish.
2013-2016:	**Contact Person**, Department of Modern Languages. Additional Comments: I was the go-to person to assist with any questions/issues associated with Pearson MySpanish Lab used in Spanish 2310 and 2320.
2015:	**Co-organizer**, Fall ***Noche de Cine*** Spanish movie series.
2015:	**Mentor**, Spanish 2310/2320 Coordination. Additional Comments: I help students with MSL issues solve problems to complete their assigned class work. I also help faculty members who need guidance with the online program's functionality.
2015-2016:	**Co-organizer**, Spanish M.A. *Reception for Alumni*, Current and Prospective Students.
2014:	**Volunteer**, *Lazos Latinos*. (Spring)
2012-2013:	**Volunteer**, BobCat Day.
2013:	**Co-organizer**, 2nd cycle of *Noche de Cine* titled *Movilizaciones Estudiantiles de Lucha en el Cine*. (Fall)
2012:	**Co-organizer**, Invitation, and participation of guest speaker, Dr. Charles Tuggle. University of South Carolina Chapel-Hill for *Noche de Cine***.** (Fall)
2012:	**Co-prepared** with Alba Melgar for the final exam for 1420. (Spring)
2011:	**Co-designed** flyer and program for the opening night of *The Journeys Through Films: A Tournees International Cinema Festival.* (Spring)
2011:	**Co-organized** the opening night of the *Journeys Through Films: A Tournees International Cinema Festival* with Alba Melgar and Dr. Carole Martin (Spring)
2010:	**Co-created** semester departmental calendar for Spanish 1420. Fall
2010:	**Co-developed** semester departmental final exam for Spanish 1420. (Fall)
2010:	**Co-organizer**, *2010 Día de los Muertos Celebration: Enigmas, Death Likes a Good Party.*

2009-2010: **Visited Spanish** 1410 and 1420 lecturer classes twice during the semester as assigned by the first-year Spanish Coordinator. Fall 2009 and Spring 2010

2009-2010: **Wrote and submitted reports** to the first-year Spanish coordinator. after visiting lecturers' classes. Fall 2009 and Spring 2010

2009-2010: **Met with instructors after visiting their classes** as a first-year Spanish coordinator assigned them. Fall 2009 and Spring 2010

2009: **Participant:** 90th Anniversary of Sigma Delta Pi. Fall 2009

D. Community:

2021 **Volunteer**, Translator. 2021 Job Readiness Orientation. Inspire4Life, Austin, Texas. (March)

2018: **Translation,** E^3 Alliance Education Equals Economics. Pre-K enrollment flyer. Austin, TX. (June)

2017-2018: Volunteer coordinates entertainment for the ***5 de Mayo Celebration***. Hays Nursing and Rehabilitation. San Marcos, Texas. (May)

2013-Present: **Volunteer Interpreter**, Hays County Dispute Resolution Center.

2013-Present: **Volunteer Interpreter,** Austin Regional Intelligence Center (ARIC).

2017: **Volunteer tutor**. (August-December).
Additional Comments: Tutored a student attending Austin Community College, taking Spanish III online, scheduled. to graduate in May 2019 from Texas State University.

2017: **Volunteer tutor**. (June-August).
Additional Comments: Tutored a student attending Boston University during the summer to pass the Spanish SAT and graduate in fall 2018.

2014-2018 **Evaluating Committee member** for the Puntos de Vista International Documentary Festival at Florida State University. (Spring)

2014: **Guest**, Texas State Fine Arts Cinco the Mayo Banquet. (Spring)

2012-2014: **Volunteer**, Mendez Elementary ***Reading Mania Day.*** Read Spanish Stories in Bilingual classrooms. (Fall)

2012-2014: **Volunteer Translator**, ***Cinco de Mayo,*** and ***Diabetes Awareness*** event in Austin, TX.

2012: **Volunteer,** set Altar for the Día de los Muertos at El Centro Cultural Hispano de San Marcos. (Fall)

2012: **Co-organizer.** *Land of Dreamers*. This event was presented at the San Marcos High School. (Fall)

2012: **Co-organizer** "***Deferred Action for Child Arrival***" and was presented at the Centro Cultural de San Marcos. (Fall)

2012: **Organizer** *"Dream Act and Deferred Action for Childhood Arrival."* This event was presented at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, Bay City, TX. (Fall)

2012: **Volunteer** during the *2nd Anniversary and 16 de Septiembre Celebration* at the Centro Cultural Hispano de San Marcos. (September)

2012: **Volunteer** to teach beginning Spanish to community members at the Centro Cultural Hispano de San Marcos. (Fall)

2012-2013: **Volunteer** during the 2012 ***Sacred Springs Powwow***. (Fall)
2011: **Co-organizer**: informational meeting for limited English speakers in the Community and the American Civil Liberties Union of Texas (ACLU).
2010-2011: **Attended:** Proclamation, Mayor of San Marcos. **Feria de Mariachi Week.** I announced in Spanish. (Spring)
2009: **Volunteer,** Mendez Middle School ***Cinco de Mayo Celebration.***
2010-2011: **Volunteer,** Translator and Interpreter, Mendez Middle School.

E. Teaching Professional Development Activities Attended

2024: ***Supporting Students in Need: A Student Success Services Panel.*** Office of Dean of Students, Texas State University. (October)
2023: ***Once a First Gen, always a First Gen***. Graduate College, Texas State University. (November)
2023: ***How Humans Learn: Effective and Compassionate Teaching and Learning***. Faculty Development and Nontenured Line Faculty, Texas State University. (November)
2023: ***The Benefits of Service-Learning Excellence on Campus and Abroad***. Thornton International House, Texas State University. (November)
2023: ***Intergenerational Systems for Advancing Education at All Levels.*** Education Institute-College of Education, Texas State University. (October)
2023: Let's Do Lunch "Academic Hospitality." Workshop: ***how can we show hospitality to our students by preparing a place at the table for them through our curriculum?*** Presenter Dr. Niiyokamigaabaw Deondre Smiles shared strategies he uses to decolonize the curriculum and the classroom through the lens of Indigenous ways of knowing and thinking. Faculty Development Texas State University. (February)
2023: Let's Do Lunch "Academic Hospitality." Workshop: ***how do we support and show hospitality to students who are part of the LGBTQIA+ community?*** Presenters include Dr. Jennifer Greene-Rooks and Dr. Erika Nielson from the LGBTQIA+ Alliance Board. Faculty Development Texas State University. (February)
2023: ***Motivation to Study Abroad Effects on Intercultural Adaptation: A Case Study with International Students in Italy***. College of Education, Texas State University. (January)
2021: **Feminist and Critical Thought in Education**. School Improvements, School of Education. Texas State University. (August-December)
2021: **Dr. Nicole Taylor**. ***A Filtered Life: Social Media on a College Campus***. The College of Liberal Arts Salon Series. (November)
2021: **Advanced Studies in Adult Learning**. Adult, Professional, and Community Education, School of Education, Texas State University. (June-July)
2021: ***Navigating CRT in Contentious Times***. The University of Oklahoma. (September)
2021: ***Gather***, film screening and discussion. (April)
2021: ***Virtual Learning 101: Thriving in the online classroom***. Office of Distance and Extended Learning, Texas State University. (January)
2020: **John Quiñones.** LBJ Distinguished Lecture Series. (November)

2020: **Sigma Delta Pi 101st** Birthday and National Chapter Month. (November)
2020: **Breaking Barriers with JJ Soria**. (November)
2020: **Dr. Mario Garza.** *From Indigenous Identity to Hispanic "Mis-Label"* (October)
2020: **Dr. Mario Garza. Activating Your Indigenous Life**. (October)
2020: **Virtual Southwest Conference on Asian Studies** (SWCAS). (October)
2020: **Intercambio**: Virtual Spanish-Language Mixer. (October)
2020: **Toward Social Justice Webinar**, UCI School of Social Ecology. (October)
2020: **Dr. Arlette Villa**: Dynamics of international migration in the presence of violence and economic oppression: Immigrant women and mental health. (September).
2020: **The Power Hour with Dr. Anthony Fauci** webinar hosted by the Texas Association of Mexican American Chambers of Commerce (TAMACC). (September)
2020: **Intercambio:** Virtual Spanish-Language Mixer. (July)
2020: **Intercambio:** Virtual Spanish-Language Mixer. (May)
Robert "Dr. Cintli" Rodriguez. Dialogues for Activism Multicultural and Justice. Multicultural Events. (February)
2020: **Intercambio** Spanish-Language Mixer. (February)
2018: **First Asian and Middle Eastern Studies Student Research Symposium**. (December)
2017: **UPD Coffee with Cops**, Texas State University. San Marcos, TX (April)
2017: **Intercambio**: Spanish Language Mixer. Mochas and Javas. San Marcos, TX. (March)
2017: **HLMMIC, 6th Hispanic/Latino Media & Marketing International Conference**. California State University-Fullerton, Fullerton, CA. (February)
2017: **42nd Annual TACHE Conference**, Texas Association of Chicanos in Higher Education. (February).
2016: **Workshop, "Professional Development Health & Wellness Lunch and Learn Serie**s," Texas State University, San Marcos, TX, United States. (September).
2016: **Ceremony**, "Sigma Delta Pi Ceremonia de Iniciación," Texas State University: Department of Modern Languages, San Marcos, TX. (April)
2016: **Workshop, "EEO and Title IX-Line Course,"** Texas State University, San Marcos, TX (March).
2016: Workshop, "**Creating Safe Learning Environment: The Impact of Title IX,"** Academic Development and Assessment, San Marcos, TX. (October).
2016: Workshop, **"Faculty Showcase-Difficult Student Behaviors in an Online Course**," Texas State University Instructional Technologies Projects, San Marcos, TX. (April).
2016: Workshop, "**Undocumented Students, College Access and the 2016 Election** (Webinar)," National Forum on Higher Education for the Public Good. (April).

F. Scholarly / Creative Professional Development Activities Attended:

2024: ***Sixth-Grade Middle School Mainstream Science Teachers: Addressing Challenges and Strategies for Teaching Emergent Bilinguals in Science Classes with English-Speaking Peers.*** Doctoral Dissertation Defense Proposal. School Improvements (SI), College of Education, Texas State University. (February)

2024: ***Sistas Vibin': A Critical Embodied Perspective of Educational Leadership Through the Lens of Black Women Music Educators.*** Doctoral Dissertation Defense Proposal. School Improvements (SI), College of Education, Texas State University. (February)

2023: ***Same Paradox, Two Immigrant Groups: The Experiences and Challenges of second and third-generation Hispanic and Muslim students in the U.S. higher education system***. Doctoral Dissertation Defense Proposal. School Improvements (SI), College of Education, Texas State University. (October)

2023: ***Border Bodies Book Talk: Sexual and Racialized Sexuality on the U.S. Mexico Borderlands***. The Center for the Study of the Southwest, Texas State University. (October)

2023: ¡***Fandango! A TXST Interdisciplinary Dialogue on the Southwest***. The Center for the Study of the Southwest, Texas State University. (September)

2023: Liberal Arts Student Research Spotlight. College of Liberal Arts, Texas State University. (September)

2023: ***Narratives of Older Male Latino Migrant Workers from a Texas Border Town: Stories of Struggles and Success***. Final Doctoral Dissertation Defense. Adult, Professional, and Community Education (APCE), College of Education, Texas State University. (April)

2023: ***Minority/Minoritized Languages and Cultures***. College of Liberal Arts, Texas State University. (February)

2022: ***El Jardin for Latina Scholars: Cultivating, Nurturing, and Sustaining Pedagogical Spaces for Identity Formation and Community Building***. Final Doctoral Dissertation Defense. School Improvements (SI), College of Education, Texas State University. (June)

2022: ***Workplace Injustice: A Phenomenological Study into the Perspectives of African American Women Faculty***. Final Doctoral Dissertation Defense. Adult, Professional, and Community Education (APCE), College of Education, Texas State University. (February)

2021: Let's do lunch! ***How it started/How it's going: Stories of resilience in teaching during COVID-19***. (April 9)

2021: Hispanic Policy Network 2021 Symposium. ***Más que un momento: Our Movement***. (April)

2021: Let's do lunch! *The Spark of Learning: Energizing the College Classroom with the Science of Emotion.* ***Q & A with Dr. Sarah Rose Cavanagh***. (April)

2021 Lecture, Maylei Blackwell. ***Chicana Power! Contested Histories in the Chicano Movement***. University of California, Los Angeles. (March)

2021 Dr. Patrizia Sambuco Lecture, "**Narrating Significant Moments of Women's History and Subjectivities Through Taste and Alimentary Imagination**." Dr. DiMauro-Jackson Italian guest

lecture series, Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (March)

2021: Let's do lunch! Dr. Stella Silva, Assistant Vice President, Institutional Inclusive Excellence, Faculty & Staff Initiatives, and Interim Chief Diversity Officer. **Talking to Your Students About Race and Ethnicity**. (March)

2021: Dr. Green, University of Maryland. ***The Promise of Access: Technology, inequality, and the political economy of hope***. Common Ground Imagining Future Speaker Series. (March 5)

2021: Let's do lunch! **Creating Peer Support Among Your Students**. (February)

2021: Let's do lunch! "**Sharing Creative Assessment Strategies**." With presenters Laura Jones and Lisa Apostolo from ITAC. (January)

2021: ***Dream Together: The 37th Annual Martin Luther King Jr.*** **Commemoration Celebration**. (January)

2018: ***A conversation on Purposeful Diversity and Inclusion in the Workplace.*** Faculty Development. Texas State University. (September)

2018: Grupo Folklorico Acotochtli event, ***Orgullo: A Diversity Showcase***. (March).

2018: ***Fostering a Campus Culture of Inclusion and Respect***. Faculty Development. Texas State University. (March)

2018: **Con Dolores y Cesa: Sí, Se Puede.** Lunch and Panel. Office of Student Diversity and Inclusion. Texas State University. (March)

2018: Sigma Delta Pi **Ceremonia de Iniciación**. Texas State University. (September)

2018: Reception (Annie Garcia), **Texas State's Employee of the Month**. (June)

2018 **Intercambio**: Spanish Language Mixer. Modern Language Department. (April)

2017: **A Century of Resistance: Examining American Dissent Since WWI**, Honors College. (January).

2017: Hispanic Policy Network Spring 2017 Symposium. ***Latinx Women in Command: Empowering and Encouraging the Visibility of Latinas in Leadership,*** Hispanic Policy Network, San Marcos, TX, (April 2017).

2017: **Non-Tenure Line Faculty Appreciation Reception**, Texas State University University Non-Tenure Faculty Committee. (September).

2016: Conference, "**A Mexican Celebration: Culture Society and Music**," Discourse in Democracy, San Marcos, TX. (October)

2016: Conference, "**Remembering, Discovery and Volition Tomás Rivera Mexican American Children's Book Award Conference**," Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (September.)

2016: Photography Exhibit Reception, **"Voces de Braceros del Valle del Rio Grande,"** Center for the Study of the Southwest, San Marcos, TX. (September).

2016: Conference, **"Puro Tejano 2015 Presidential Seminar What is a Tejano? Evolving Hispanic Identity in Texas,"** Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (March).

2016: Conference, ***"The Train to Crystal City,"*** Texas State University Center for the Study of the Southwest and The Wittliff Collections, San Marcos, TX. (March).

2016: Exhibit and Film screening, ***"In His Own Words: The Life and Work of César Chávez,"*** Centro Cultural Hispano de San Marcos, San Marcos, TX. (March).

2016: Conference, ***"Racial Desegregation: Success or Failure?"*** Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (February).

2016: Conference, ***"Desegregating Education in Texas 1890-1971,"*** Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (March).

2016: Conference, ***The Critical Connections of Interfaith Communities on College Campuses: Islamophobia on College Campuses and Dispelling Myths to Break Down Barriers***. (Summer)

2016: Conversation on Campus Carry: Intellectual and Ethical Issues, ***"Deeper***

2016: ***Causes of our Contemporary Sense of Crisis."*** (Spring)

2016 ***Domestic Violence Hurts*** Workshop**.** Centro Cultural Hispano and LULAC. San Marcos, TX. (Spring)

2016: ***College Knowledge Family*** Night (Miller Middle School), Texas State Community Relations, San Marcos, TX. (Spring)

2016: **Central Texas College/University Police Intelligence Taskforce** workshop. (Spring)

2016: **SCOPE, DACA Workshop**s, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (Spring and Fall)

2016: Conference, **The Caribbean in the 21st Century**, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (Spring)

2015: ***College Knowledge Family*** Night (Miller Middle School), Texas State Community Relations, San Marcos, TX. (Fall)

2015: EEO and Title IX-Line Course, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. Spring

2014: **Central Texas College/University Police Intelligence Taskforce** workshop. (Fall)

2014: **SASP Putting the Pieces Together: Creating a (W) Holistic Learning Cengage Learning sponsors environment Modern Language Lunch & Learn**. Spring

2013: ***How Learning Styles Affect Tutoring & Mentoring*** workshop. Fall

2013: Creating Access to Global Education Symposium**: *Supporting & Advocating for Undocumented Students***. Fall at the University of Austin. Fall

2013: ***Preparing Students for Socially Responsible Global Citizen*** two-day workshop. Summer

2013: ***Empowering Latinos: Fortaleciendo Nuestra Comunidad Latinas*** Symposium. (Spring)

2012: ***Transition from Combat to Classroom: Helping Student Veterans Succeed at Texas State***. Spring

2012: ***In Limbo: Dilemmas Faced by Undocumented Students.*** Spring

2012: **Campus Organizations Advisor Luncheon and Workshop**. Fall

2011: **ITS workshop to provide feedback on new classroom technology**. Fall

2011: ITS and Dr. Brock Brown ***Faculty Showcase-Virtual Worlds***. Fall

2009: ***Diversity in the Workplace*** workshop. Spring

2009: First Hispanic Marketing Symposium: Austin Hispanic Marketing Council, ***Key Strategies on How to Harness the Growing Impact of the Hispanic***. Austin, TX. Fall

2007: Workshop, **E*mbracing Diversity and Creating Inclusion: Working and Communicating*** *Effectively Across Culture*. Summer

2007: Instituto Mexicano de Español y Cultura (IMEC) **Study Abroad Dinner, *Fiesta Mexicana*.** San Antonio, TX. Fall

2007: Workshop, ***Sol y Viento: Beginning Spanish, Second Edition/A Film-based Program*** workshop. San Antonio, TX. (November)

2007: ***ACTFL*** Convention. San Antonio, TX. November 2007.

G. Service Professional Development Activities Attended:

2024: ***Día de los Muertos.*** Grupo Folklorico Ocotochtli, Student Involvement and Engagement, and Texas State Housing and Residential Life. Texas State University (November)

2024: **Sigma Delta Pi-Tertulia Literaria.** Sigma Delta Pi, Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (November)

2024: ***Borderlines Collective with Erina Duganne, Mark Menjívar, and Jason Reed.*** The Wittliff Collections and the Alkek Library, Texas State University. (November)

2024: ***Celebrating a Classic Chicano Film:...and the earth did not swallow him.*** The Wittliff Collections and the Alkek Library, Texas State University. (September)

2023: ***Dean's Townhall***. College of Liberal Arts, Texas State University. (October)

2023: ***Early Westerns: French Produced, Texas Made!*** Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (October)

2023: **Sigma Delta Pi-Tertulia Literaria.** Sigma Delta Pi, Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (September)

2023: Provost's Visit. Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (September)

2023: ***College of Liberal Arts Dean's Welcome, Award and Recognitions***. College of Liberal Arts, Texas State University. (August)

2023: ***French Outside of France***. Le Cercle Francois'. Department of World Languages and Literatures, Texas State University. (April)

2023: ***World Languages Student Awards Ceremony***. Department of World Languages and Literatures, College of Liberal Arts, Texas State University. (April)

2023: ***Asian Cultural Showcase***. Inclusive Excellence-Student Connections and Belonging to Texas State University. (April)

2018: ***In Remembrance of Kristallnacht***. (November)

2018: ***Dignity, identity, and human rights of indigenous women in Mexico in the 1st century***. A talk by Marisol Ceh Moo. The Modern Languages Department and the Center for the Study of the Southwest. Texas State University. (November)

2018: Equality University. ***Decolonizing Identities.*** Student Diversity and Inclusion. (November).

2018: ***Served Like a Girl***. SACA. Texas State University. (November)

2018: ***The Color Line and the Borderline: William Ellis, From Texas Slave to Mexican Millionaire.*** Centro Cultural Hispano de San Marcos. (October)

2018: Advisor Luncheon. The Student Organizations Council. (October)

2018: **Reception** to meet Dr. Ameerah McBride, Chief Diversity Officer. College of Liberal Arts. (June)

2018: **Community Forum on Senate Bill 4.** Centro Cultural Hispano de San Marcos. (June)

2018: **US-Mexico Summit**. Conference on 2018 Mexican National Elections and future of U.S. – Mexico relations. (April)

2018: **Diverse Faculty Meetup**. Faculty of Color at Texas State University. (March)

2016: **Meeting, "Excellence in Diversity Award,"** Texas State University, (November).

2017: **Creating Inclusive Learning Environments, Academic Development and Assessmen**t, San Marcos, TX, United States. (February).

2017: **LBGTQ Family Welcome**, Student Diversity, and Inclusion. (September).

2017: ***Con Dolores y Cesar Sí se Puede***, Student Diversity and Inclusion. (March).

2017: **Annual Collaborative Breakfast, Coalition of Black Faculty and Staff**, ALLIANCE LGBTQIA Faculty and Staff, and HPN. (April).

2017: **Advisor Appreciation Luncheon**, Texas State University-Student Involvement. (April).

2017: **Coffee with Cops**, UPD. (March).

2017: ***Greet and meet new and returning Hispanic and other Students*** Hispanic Welcome Reception, Texas State University (February and September

2016: Meeting, **"International Education Week 2015 Planning Meeting**," Texas State University, San Marcos. (November).

2016: Promotion Ceremony, "**Promotion of Several Law Enforcement 2016: Officers**," Texas State Police Department, San Marcos, TX. (October).

2016: **Greet and meet new and returning Hispanic and other Students**, "Hispanic Welcome Reception," Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (September)

2016: Participated in a Study, "***Hispanic/Mexican-Origin Student Success,***" Texas State University School of Family and Consumer Sciences, San Marcos, TX. (July).

2016: **Dr. Israel Najera Retirement Reception**, Texas State Counseling Center and Hispanic Policy Network, San Marcos. (July 2016).

2016-2019: **Graduation Ceremony**, "Spring Lavender Graduation Ceremony," Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (May).

2016: **Award Ceremony**, "Bobcat Bond Program End of the Year Awards Ceremony," Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (April).

2016: **Graduation Celebration**, "Spring Veterans Graduation Reception," Texas State University Student Diversity and Inclusion, (Spring)

2016: Workshop, **"College Knowledge Family Night,"** Texas State Community Relations, San Marcos, TX, United States. (April).

2016: Yearly Luncheon, **"Hispanic Policy Network Luncheon**," Hispanic Policy Network, San Marcos. (April).

2016: Celebration, **"Con Dolores y Cesár: ¡Sí se Puede!"** Texas State University Student Diversity and Inclusion, San Marcos, TX. (March).

2016: Conference, "***Social Justice Speaker Series Celebration of the People Powwow: The Intersectionality of Native Americans and Latino Culture,***" Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (March).

2016: Cultural Celebration, **"Noche de Fiesta**," Grupo Folklorico Ocotochlti, San Marcos, TX, United States. (March).

2016: **"Culture Fest,"** Student Association for Campus Activities, San Marcos, TX. (March).

2015: Luncheon, "**International Education Celebration Luncheon**," Texas State University Vice President for Student Affairs Office, San Marcos, TX. (November).

2016: Workshop, **"The Caribbean in the 21st Century,"** Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (March).

2015: **Immigration Workshop**," Student Community of Progressive Empowerment (SCOPE), San Marcos, TX. (Spring and Fall).
Additional Comments: Attend informational workshops organized twice each semester aimed at informing DACA and DAPA recipients about recent immigration laws that could affect Texas State and San Marcos community members.

2015: Ceremony, **"Annual Veterans Day Commemoration,"** Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (Spring).

2015: Luncheon, **"International Education Celebration Luncheon,"** Texas State University Vice President for Student Affairs Office, San Marcos, TX. (November).

2015-2019: **Celebration and Luncheon,** ***"Cinco de Mayo****,"* Centro Cultural Hispano de San Marcos, LULAC #654 and Sociedad Cuauhtémoc, San Marcos, TX. (May).

2015: **Film and Panel Event**, "***Domestic Violence Awareness Film and Pane****l*," Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (2015).

2015: ***In His Own Words: The Life and Work of César Chávez***, Centro Cultural Hispano de San Marcos, San Marcos, TX. (March)

2014: **Research presentations** by Dr. David Navarro and Dr. Carlos Abreu Mendoza. (Spring)

2013-2019: Spring and Fall Welcome and Reception, "**Hispanic Welcome/Bienvenida Meet and Greet,"** Student Diversity and Inclusion and Hispanic Policy Network, San Marcos, TX. (Jan)

2016: Workshop, **"Health and Wellness Lunch and Learn Series,"** Office of Professional Development, San Marcos, TX. (December 2016).

2016: Reception, "**2016 Excellence in Diversity Awards Reception**," Office of Equity and Access, San Marcos, TX. (October 2016).

2016: **Reception and Presentation**, "Dr. José Luis González, Vice-rector of U. Miguel Hernández de Elche," Department of Modern Languages, San Marcos. (October 2016).

2016: Workshop, **"Southwest Studies Mixers,"** The Center for the Study of the Southwest, San Marcos, TX. (October).

2016: Meeting, **"Annual Collaborative Meeting HPN and Coalition of Black Faculty and Staff,"** Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (August)

2016: Luncheon, **"Spring 2016 Appreciation Luncheon: Celebrating the Multiple Dimensions of Diversity,"** The Office of Disability Services, San Marcos. April.

2016: **The Story of an Empowering Leader in San Marcos**," The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi of Texas State University, San Marcos. February.

2016: Workshop, **"Disability Awareness Week: Foster Equality, Embrace Diversity,"** Texas State University Office of Disability Services,

San Marcos, TX. (February 2016).

2015: Graduation Celebration, **"Non-Traditional Student Graduation Celebration**," Texas State University, San Marcos, TX. (December 2015).

2015: Celebration and Reception, "**Diwali Celebration 2015,"** Texas State University Indian Student Association, San Marcos, TX. (November).

2015: Welcome, **"Spring 2015 International Student Welcome Social,"** Texas State University Vice President for Students Affairs Office, San Marcos, TX. (September).

2011: Appreciation Luncheon, **"Advisor Appreciation,"** Texas State University

2011: **Student Involvement at LBJSC**, San Marcos, TX. (April).
Additional Comments: Attend yearly Advisers' luncheon.

2010: **Conference**, Professor Gilberto Cárdenas, ***Sin Fronteras: Artistic Translation Complexities of Mexican Migration*.**"

2010: **Film viewing and presentation**, *The 800 Mile Wall*. Mr. John Carlos Fray.

H. Consultancies:

2023: **Reviewer**, HEB Excellence in Education Annual Awards. Texas State University. School of Education. (December)

2023: **Instructor,** FORVIS Hispanic Heritage Month. Four Spanish Lessons (September and October)

2023: **Editor**, Hispanic Heritage Day promotional flyer in Spanish. Hispanic Policy Network (HPN). Texas State University. (September)

2023: **Editor**, Research questionnaire in Spanish. People's Community Clinic, Inc. (April)

2023 **Editor**, Promotional flyer in Spanish. ***Cultivando Memorias***. El Centro Cultural Hispano de San Marcos. (January)

2020: **Editor**, Play in Spanish, **Everything with Grace** by Jon Lucquête

2018: **Coordinator, professors to proctor and grade Spanish** and German Teaching Certification and Re-certification exams. City of New Braunfels.

2017: Translation, ***Dichos y Refranes*** speech for Dr. Jaime Chahin.

2016-Present **Language consultant** for the Center for the Study of Latin Media & Markets (CSLMM) Texas State University. Florida State University.

2014-2019 **Interpreter/Translator**, Texas State University Police Department, San Marcos, TX, United States.

2013-2019: **Interpreter/Translator**, Hispanic Policy Network, San Marcos.

2012-Present: **Editor/Translator,** Grupo Folklorico Ocotochtli, San Marcos. Additional

2010-2019**:** **Translator/interpreter**, Texas State University School of Music Latin Music Studies.
Additional Comments: Serve as translator and interpreter as needed during the year and before/during/after the yearly Feria del Mariachi concert.

2014-2016: KTSW Radio, San Marcos, TX, United States.
(September 2014 - May 2016).
Additional Comments: The co-translator and editor of interviews recorded and posted on the Texas State Radio blog.

2016: Academic, Texas State University Department of Health and Human

Performance, San Marcos, United States. (March).
Additional Comments: Co-translated IRB materials.

2016-2019: Research Assistant for the Center for the Study of Latin Media & Markets (CSLMM) at Florida State University.

2015: Hays County Juvenile Probation Office made language recommendations for future Spanish sessions for law enforcement personnel.

2014-2019: Judge for the selections of videos to be part of the *Puntos de Vista* International Spanish Documentary Festival. Florida State University (Spring)

2010-2013: Language consultant during the planning of the Texas State *Puntos de Vista* International Documentary Festival.

2013: Chamber of Commerce/San Marcos Educations Partners (translation).

2012-2013: **Language consultant** for the Texas State University *First Generation Student Organization: Ten Years Later* video project.

2010-2013: **Judge for the selections of videos** to be part of the *Puntos de Vista* International Spanish Documentary Festival. Texas State University.

2019-2013 **Language consultant** for the Center for the Study of Latin Media & Markets (CSLMM) Texas State University

2008-2010: Edioma Inc., **Language consultant and translator for language software** for cellular phones.

2006-2008: Escuela Sol, **Spanish instructor**. **Spanish for medical professions**. San Marcos, Texas

I. Organization:

2024-Present: Kappa Delta Pi (KDP)
2022-Present TACHE
2017-Present: Faculty of Color at Texas State
2016-2023: Diversity Connections.
2016-2024: Transgender Task Force.
2016-Present: American Association of University Professors (AAUP).
2015-2023: Hispanic/Latino Media and Marketing Committee
2010-2024: Hispanic Policy Network.
2004-Present: Sigma Delta Pi.

Service Honors and Awards.

2021: **Interview**. American Stateman, Austin, Texas. (March)

2018: **Honor**, Video interview to be part of the HPN 25th Celebration in 2019. (December)

2018: **Honor**, Spring, and Fall Multicultural Graduation Ceremony Welcome in Spanish was recorded and available to the public Latinx Minor Website.

2018: **Honor, Interview**. The interview was part of training to become an ACTFL Oral Proficiency Rater. The rater was interviewing non-native English speakers.

2018 **Certificate** for my contribution to organizing the HPN Spring 2018 Symposium: *Innovative Spirit of Our Cultures*. (April)

2017: **Nominee**, President-Elect Hispanic Policy Network. (Fall)

2017: **Recipient**, 2017 Michael Wilkerson Service Award

2017: **Nominee**, 2017 Excellence in Diversity Award

2016: **Nominee**, 2016 Mariel M. Muir Excellence in Mentoring Awards. Texas State University

2016: **Honor**, College of Liberal Arts Acknowledgment. (January)

2016: **Honor**, Article Interview, University Star. (February)
Additional Comments: Was interviewed as part of the article, "Excellence in Diversity." After my colleague and I received the 2015 Excellence in Diversity Team Award.

2016: **Honor**, Article Interview, Community Impact. (March)

2016: **Honor**, Article Interview. Overcoming Obstacles, A Nation of Immigrants. A collection of features about people at Texas State who are first-generation Immigrants, San Marcos, United States. (March).
Additional Comments: Alba and I were interviewed, and an article was written on WordPress.com.

2015: **Honor**, College of Liberal Arts Acknowledgment. (December)

2015: **Honor**, Article Interview, University Star Article: From Oppression to Freedom, professors take a dangerous journey to the United States, San Marcos, United States. (November).
Additional Comments: Alba Melgar and I were interviewed, and an article was written in the Digital University Star newspaper.

2015: **Recipient**, 2015 Team Excellence in Diversity Award. Equity and Access. Fall Convocation. Texas State University. San Marcos, TX. (August)

2015: **Hono**r, Acknowledged, College of Liberal Arts Fall Faculty Meeting. Fall

2015: **Recipien**t, Congratulation card from the Texas State University Office of Sponsored Programs. (September)

2015: **Honor**, Article Interview, ***"Author's Legacy Provides Inspiration for Latin Americans."*** After I attended the Thomas Rivera yearly conference.

2015: **Honor**, Article Interview, Laura Carr. (October).
Additional Comments: Alba and I were interviewed as part of an assignment to learn more about the 2015 Día de los Muertos Celebration.

2015: **Nominee**, Presidential Excellence Award. College of Liberal Arts. (March)

2015: **Recipient**, 2015 Team Excellence in Diversity Award

2015: **Recipient**, Appreciation Advisor Award. (Spring)

2014: **Nominee**, 2014 Excellence in Diversity Award.

2014: **Recipient**, Appreciation Advisor Award. (Spring)

2013: **Honor**, Article Interview for Family Violence Week. San Marcos Daily Record. Reach the Spanish-speaking population. (Fall)

2012: **Recipient**, Advisors' Appreciation Day guest, and award recipient.

2012: **Certification**, *Ally of Texas State* course completion. (Spring)