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Curriculum Vitae

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- **EDUCATION**

Ph.D. Political Science	Texas A&M University	May 1994
B.A. Political Science	Pan American University	May 1989

- **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Research & Academic Experience

2013 – Present — Professor, Texas State University

2008 – 2013 — Associate Professor, Texas State University

2004 – 2008 — Associate Professor and Director, Center for Public Service, Texas Tech University

2001 – 2004 — Associate Professor, University of Kansas

1998 – 2001 — Assistant Professor/Associate Professor, University of Texas at El Paso

1994 – 1998 — Assistant Professor, University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee

Professional Consulting Experience

2004 – current — Management Training for Local Government Administrators

Over 50 all-day seminars on topics such as: managing for quality, process improvement, statistics and data analysis, information technology, leadership, and human resource management

- **PUBLICATIONS**

Books

Polinard, JP, RD Wrinkle, **T Longoria**, NE Binder. 1994. *Electoral Structure and Urban Policy: The Impact on Mexican American Communities*. Armonk, NY: M.E. Sharpe.

Referred Journal Articles

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Weaver, W, **T Longoria**. 2002. "Bureaucracy That Kills: Federal Sovereign Immunity and the Discretionary Function Exception." *American Political Science Review*, 96:351-366.

Longoria, T. 1999. "The Distribution of Public-Private Partnerships: Targeting of Voluntary Efforts to Improve Urban Education." *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*, 28:315-329.

Longoria, T. 1999. "The Impact of Office on Cross-Racial Voting: Evidence from the 1996 Milwaukee Mayoral Election." *Urban Affairs Review,* 34:596-603.

Velez, W, **T Longoria**. 1997. "Academic Performance and Ethnic Consciousness of Latino Students at a Midwestern University." *Latino Studies Journal*, 8:82-96.

Longoria, T. 1996. "White Attitudes Toward Minority Districts." *Social Science Quarterly*, 77:877-87.

Longoria, T. 1994. "Empirical Analysis of the *City Limits* Policy Typology." *Urban Affairs Quarterly*, 30:102-13.

Longoria, T. 1993. "Congressional Caucuses in Congressional Committees." *American Review of Politics*, 14:381-86.

Wrinkle, RW, **T Longoria**, JP Polinard, K Meier. 1992. "Mexican Americans and Municipal Employment: An Analysis of Status and Pay Levels." *State and Local Government Review*, 24:36-42.

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American Community: The Electoral Perspective." *Social Science Quarterly*, 72:608-614.

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- **BOOK CHAPTERS**

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Longoria, T. 1998. "Education Politics Houston Style: The Role of Business in Education Reform." In, *Changing Urban Education*. Clarence N. Stone, ed. University Press of Kansas.

- **TRAINING CERTIFICATIONS**

EPA Certified Lead Abatement Worker Training, Jan 2010

Joint EPA/HUD Lead Safe Work Practice Training Certificate, October 30, 2008, Austin, TX

- **RESEARCH SUPPORT AND FUNDED ACTIVITIES**

City of Austin. 2010. Austin Cemeteries: A Comprehensive Business Analysis. Total Award: **$20,222.**

Environmental Protection Agency (Sub-award from Texas Tech University) 2009. Lead (Pb) Poisoning Prevention and Reduction through Outreach and Training of Clinicians and Labor Specialists in Hispanic Communities. Total Award: **$30,423**.

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. 2008. Co-Principal Investigator. *Lead (Pb) Poisoning Prevention & Reduction through Outreach & Training of Clinicians & Labor Specialists in Hispanic Communities*. Total Award: **$226,250**.

US Department of Agriculture. 2007. Principal Investigator. *Increasing Organizational Capacity of Farm Labor Housing Organizations*. Total Award: **$128,000**.

City of Lubbock. 2007. Principal Investigator. *Preparing Lubbock Residents to Serve on Boards and Commissions*. Total Award: **$2,400**.

Ports-to-Plains Corridor Coalition. 2006-2007. Principal Investigator. *Survey of Trucking Firms*. 2006-2007. Grant Award: **$79,000**.

US Department of Housing and Urban Development. 2005-2006. Co-Principal Investigator. *Kansas City, Kansas—University of Kansas Partnership Center*. Grant Award: **$400,000**.

National Commission on Voluntarism/AmeriCorps. 2000-2001. Principal Investigator. *Paso del Norte Assets for Youth*. Grant Award: **$1,893,089**.

Latin American and Border Studies. 1999-2000. Co-Principal Investigator. *El Paso--Juarez Exit Poll of Voters*. Grant Award: **$1,700**.

UTEP Research Institute. 1999-2000. Principal Investigator. *Nonprofits on the Border: Comparing Intersectoral Linkages, Organizational Capacity, and Mission*. Grant Award: **$3,759**.

Wisconsin Humanities Council. 1998. Co-Principal Investigator. *Los Primeros: The Migration and Settlement of Four Latino Families to Milwaukee, WI*. Grant Award: **$34,608**.

Wisconsin Humanities Council. 1998. Project Director. *Latino Culture Bash*. Grant Award: **$2,000**.

US Department of Housing and Urban Development. 1997. Assistant Director. *Forging a Partnership for Neighborhood Revitalization: The Milwaukee Community Outreach Partnership Initiative*. Grant Award: **$500,000**.

US Environmental Protection Agency and Sixteenth Street Community Health Center. 1997. Project Researcher. "Assessing Community Health Risks Associated with Hazardous Waste." Grant Award: **$49,258**.