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Education

University of California, Los Angeles Ph.D. Hispanic Languages and Literatures	Ongoing
Nevada State College Bachelor of Arts in English with Departmental Honors, Magna Cum Laude Minor in Social Justice Member of Sigma Tau Delta, English Honor Society	May 2019
Yale University Yale Bouchet Graduate School Bootcamp	August 2019
Michigan State University MUSE: Mentoring Underrepresented Scholars in English	November 2018
Phillips Academy Associate Fellow, Institute for Recruitment of Teachers (IRT).	April 2018
Nevada State College Nepantla Scholar, Nepantla Summer Bridge Program.	June 2015

Research Experience

Humanities Department, Nevada State College

Projects completed:

- “Narrative Crossings: Weaving Transnational Identity through Border Storytelling in *Caramelo* and *Señales Que Precederán al Fin Del Mundo*” (2018)
- “Creating the Other through the Displacement of Monstrosity: Shifting Power in *Frankenstein* and *A Tempest*” (2017)
 - A Hegelian examination of Mary Shelley’s *Frankenstein* and Aime Cesaire’s “A Tempest.”

Related Experience

Nevada State College 06/2017 – 05/2019

Course Assistant, English 100 and 102

- Support students academically as imbedded class tutor, group tutoring facilitator, and peer mentor as students navigate the college experience.
- Work alongside faculty professor to create and conduct in-class writing workshops.
- Create, conduct, and facilitate weekly writing and class related workshops for students.
- Participate in weekly trainings on writing pedagogies, mentoring strategies, and student learning.

Nevada State College

Office Manager/Coordinator, Writing Center 01/2017 – 08/2017

- Review, conduct, and check online writing sessions sent by students for feedback on essays, personal statements, resumes.

- In charge of arranging office space—such as general printing, checking inventory of supplies, and coordinating specialists and tutors.
- Facilitate and conduct weekly trainings on writing pedagogies for staff.

Nevada State College

Writing Specialist & Tutor, Writing Center

01/2016 – 08/2017

- Assisted students with in-person and email sessions related to writing feedback and tutoring pedagogies.
- Developed intensive research regarding writing center methodologies and strategies.
- Coordinated social media accounts and promotion of the writing center.

Presentations & Panels

- Speaker, Walking with Courage. Nevada State College. Henderson, NV. June 2019. Invited.
- Presentation, Rogers Report and Presentation. The Rogers Foundation. Las Vegas, NV. June 2019. Invited.
- Panelist, Let's Talk About the Q. University of Nevada, Las Vegas. March 2019. Invited.
- Presentation, Honors Thesis Defense. Nevada State College. Henderson, NV. December 2018.
- Presentation, "Tearing Down the Wall: Weaving Transnational Identity in *Caramelo* and *Señales Que Precederan al Fin Del Mundo*." Michigan State University. East Lansing, MI. November 2018.
- Panelist, First Place in Humanities, It's a Man's Man's Man's World: Female Objectification and Rebellion in *The Handmaid's Tale*. Nevada State College. Henderson, NV. April 2018.
- Panelist, First Place in Humanities, Comics & Conflict: Exploring Comics as Literary Canon. Nevada State College. Henderson, NV. April 2017.
- Panelist, Resistance Literature: Asserting Literary Agency. Nevada State College. Henderson, NV. April 2017.
- Panelist, The 4 E's: Enlighten, Explore, ESL, and Everyone. National Conference on Peer Tutoring in Writing. University of Puget Sound. Tacoma, WA. November 2016.
- Panelist, Napanla Leadership Series Discussion. Nevada State College. September 2016. Invited.

Professional Service

- Chair of Public Relations, M.E.Ch.A (Movimiento Estudiantil Chicano de Aztlan) de NSC. Henderson, NV. January 2019 – May 2019.
- Historian, Women's Project Club. Nevada State College. Henderson, NV. August 2018 – Present.
- Voting Committee, NSSA – Student Government. Nevada State College. Henderson, NV. April 2018.
- Napanla Peer Mentor, Napanla Program. Nevada State College. Henderson, NV. June 2016 – May 2017.
- Treasurer, DREAMERS Club. Nevada State College. Henderson, NV. December 2015 – May 2016.

Honors and Achievements

- Panelist, First Place in Humanities, It's a Man's Man's Man's World: Female Objectification and Rebellion in *The Handmaid's Tale*. Nevada State College. Henderson, NV. April 2018.
- Panelist, First Place in Humanities, Comics & Conflict: Exploring Comics as Literary Canon. Nevada State College. Henderson, NV. April 2017.
- NSC Math Scholarship, 2017.
- Napanla Peer Educator Scholarship, 2017.
- Instituto de los Mexicanos en el Exterior (Institute of Mexicans Abroad) Scholarship, 2016.

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- Nevada State College Matching Scholarship, 2015.
- Black and Gold Scholarship, Nevada State College, 2015.

Language Skills

Spanish Language – fluent speaking, reading, and writing ability.