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Curriculum Vitae

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Education

Degrees

- Present Ph.D., Chicana and Chicano Studies, The University of New Mexico
Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- 2023 B.A., Chicana and Chicano Studies, Minor Women's Studies, The University
of New Mexico Albuquerque, New Mexico, GPA 4.21

Summer Research Programs

- 2021 Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship Writing and Research Training
Program, University of California Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California.
Virtual seminar.
- 2022 Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship Research, University of New
Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico. Independent study.

Research Interests

Chicanx cultural studies, religious studies, Chicanx spiritualities, Chicanx feminism, American Evangelicalism, gender and religion, intersectionality, Latinx representations in US film.

Publications

- 2023 "Humanizing Undergraduate Fellowship Experiences: Critical Reflections on
Femtorship in the Adobe Tower," with Myrriah Gómez and Monserat
Rodríguez-Rico (accepted).

Presentations

Refereed Conference Presentations

- 2024 “‘Beyond Instruction’: The Practice of Femtorship in Academia.” Chicana and Chicano Studies in the 21st Century: The Continuities and Ruptures within the Field. National Association for Chicana and Chicano Studies Annual Meeting. San Francisco, California.
- 2024 “Colegas de Apoyo: The Importance of Community through Horizontal Peer Mentorship.” Chicana and Chicano Studies in the 21st Century: The Continuities and Ruptures within the Field. National Association for Chicana and Chicano Studies Annual Meeting. San Francisco, California.
- 2024 “Teaching and Learning in Times of Terror: A Community Dialogue on Radical Inclusion in Higher Education.” SWS 2024 Winter Meeting, Queering SWS: Seeking Radical Inclusion in a Complex World. Santa Ana Pueblo, New Mexico.
- 2023 “Communion as a Form of Disruption: Critical Reflections on Femtorship in the Adobe Tower.” SWS Virtual Student and Junior Community Scholar Symposium. Albuquerque, New Mexico. Virtual Presentation.
- 2023 “Brown Girl, White Church: Chicana Voices and Silence in the White Evangelical Church.” Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship Spring Presentations. The University of New Mexico, Albuquerque.
- 2022 “The spirit of fire spurs her to fight for her own skin”: Loss of Identity Among Chicana Evangelicals.” El Mundo Zurdo: An International Conference on Anzaldúan Thought and Art and Performance. The University of Texas at San Antonio. San Antonio, Texas.
- 2022 “A ground from which to view the world”: Chicana Experiences in the Anglo Evangelical Church.” Mellon Mays Western Regional Conference Healing, Resilience, and Transformation: MMUF and the Urgent Needs of the Academy. The University of California Berkeley, Berkeley, California.
- 2022 “Pathways to Professorship: Humanizing Undergraduate Experiences.” Mujeres Activas en Letras y Cambio Social Summer Institute. Colorado State University, Fort Collins, Colorado.

- 2022 “To Fear Our Tears or to Suppress Our Anger”: How the American Evangelical Church Contributes to Loss of Identity in Chicanas. Western Regional Honors Council Conference. The University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- 2022 “Chicanas in Relation to the Evangelical Church.” Undergraduate Research Opportunity Conference. The University of New Mexico Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- 2021 “To Fear Our Tears or to Suppress Our Anger”: How the American Evangelical Church Contributes to Loss of Identity in Chicanas. Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship Western Regional Conference. The University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California. Virtual presentation.
- 2021 “How the American Evangelical Church Contributes to Loss of Identity in Chicanas.” Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship Writing and Research Training Program Research Slam. Albuquerque, New Mexico. Virtual Presentation.
- 2019 “The ‘Benedict Option’ in Medicine? Christian Contemplative Practices as a Healing Balm for Clinician Burnout. Conference on Medicine & Religion. Duke University, Durham, North Carolina.

Invited Conference Presentations

- 2022 “Research and Mentorship Through the Mellon Mays Undergraduate Research Fellowship. Researching the Spanish-Speaking Southwest: Undergraduate and Graduate Research Grants and Projects.” The University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Awards & Honors

Fellowships & Scholarships

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| 2023-Present | Chicana and Chicano Studies Graduate Assistant |
| 2023 Fall | HED Scholarship (\$7200) |
| 2022 Spring | New Mexico Opportunity Scholarship (\$6000) |
| 2022 Spring | College of Arts & Sciences Dean’s List |
| 2021 Spring | Honors College |

2021 Spring	College of Arts & Sciences Dean's List
2021 Fall	Tallant Cooper Scholarship (\$1000)
2021 Summer	Mellon Mays Undergraduate Research Fellowship
2020 Fall	College of Arts & Sciences Dean's List
2020 Fall	University of New Mexico Amigo Transfer Scholarship (\$6000)

Service

Academic

2024 Summer	Graduate Assistant for Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship “Cultivating Community and Culture: Summer Experiential Research Program”
2023-Present	Graduate Project Assistant for Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship
2023-Present	Chicana and Chicano Studies Graduate and Professional Student Association
2022 Spring	University of New Mexico Honors College Diversity Committee, Committee Member.

Community

2023-2024	The Center for Action and Contemplation Living School, BIPOC mentor.
2022 Fall	Concerned Citizens for Nuclear Safety, Intern.
2022-Present	National Association for Chicana and Chicano Studies
2022-Present	Mujeres Activas en Letras y Cambio Social