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EMPLOYMENT

2017 – Present Associate Professor, Department of History, Stony Brook University
2012 - 2017 Assistant Professor, Department of History, Stony Brook University
2011 - 2012 Consortium for Faculty Diversity Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of History, Bowdoin College

EDUCATION

2011 Ph.D. in United States History, Stanford University
2005 B.A. Cum Laude with Distinction in History, Yale University

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Starved for Respect: The Many Hungers of Latinx Food Workers (University of North Carolina Press, Latinx Histories Series, 2024)

The Academic's Handbook, revised and updated 4th ed, co-ed. Jocelyn Olcott (Duke University Press, 2020)

Grounds for Dreaming: Mexican Americans, Mexican Immigrants, and the California Farmworker Movement (Yale University Press, Lamar Series in Western History, 2016)

*Winner, Best First Book, *Immigration and Ethnic History Society*

*Winner, Best History Book, *International Latino Book Awards*

*Winner, Martin Ridge Award, *Historical Society of Southern California*

*Honorable Mention, Gita Chaudhuri Prize, *Western Association of Women Historians*

*Finalist, Weber-Clements Book Prize, *Western History Association*

Articles in Refereed Journals

“Wreathed in Worry, Pining for Protection: Latino Forestry Workers and Historical Traumas in Maine,”
Journal of American History (forthcoming)

“The Career of Chef Zarela Martinez and a Changing Mexican Foodscape in New York City, 1981-2011,”
Food, Culture, & Society (December 2021 online, August 2023 in print)

“The Future of Latino San Francisco As Seen Through Murals,” *BOOM: A Journal of California*, Vol. 6, No. 4 (Winter 2016), 16-27.

*Translated into German for the book *Technopolis*, translated by Katja Schwaller (Assoziation A, Berlin, 2019).

“Slow and Sudden Deaths: Reflecting on the Chualar Tragedy of 1963 and the Persisting Traumas of the Bracero Program,” *Diálogo* Vol. 19 No. 2 (Fall 2016), 79-85.

“A Town Full of Dead Mexicans: The Salinas Valley Bracero Tragedy of 1963, A Collision of Communities, and the End of the Bracero Program,” *Western Historical Quarterly* Vol. 44 No. 2 (Summer 2013), 124-143.

**Winner of the Judith Lee Ridge Prize of the Western Association of Women Historians*
**Adopted for high school students and ESL learners by the American Immigration Council*

“An Unladylike Strike Fashionably Clothed: Mexican American and Anglo Women Garment Workers Against Tex-Son, 1959-1963.” *Pacific Historical Review* Vol. 78 No. 3 (August 2009), 367-402.

**Winner of the Western History Association Jensen-Miller Prize*

**Winner of the Pacific Coast Branch-American Historical Association W. Turrentine Jackson Prize*

“A Community of Limits and the Limits of Community: MALDEF’s Chicana Rights Project, Empowering The ‘Typical Chicana’ and the Question of Civil Rights,” *Journal of American Ethnic History* Vol. 27 No. 3 (Spring 2008), 81-110.

Digital History Project

The Mexican Restaurants of New York City, created with Fernando Amador II and Ximena López Carrillo, <https://storymaps.arcgis.com/stories/5d130c3dc16b4a86a5066c36b3b72b16>.

Special Journal Issue

Co-Editor, *Workers and Obsolescence*, special issue of *International Labor and Working Class History* (Fall 2022).

Book Chapter

“Anything But Vacationland: Latino Egg, Blueberry, and Seafood Workers in Maine,” *Culinary Mestizaje: Racial Mixing, Migration, and Foodways in the U.S.* (University of Texas Press, 2022).

Essays in Edited Volumes

“The United Farm Workers Union and the Use of the Boycott Against American Agribusiness, 1965-1970” in *Boycotts Past and Present: From the American Revolution to the Campaign to Boycott Israel* (Palgrave, 2019).

Introduction, “The Future of Chicana Studies,” *Journal of Feminist Scholarship*, Issue 11 (Fall 2016), <http://www.jfsonline.org/issue11/pdfs/Flores.pdf>.

Encyclopedia Entry

“Latino Food Workers in the U.S., 1880-2020,” *The Oxford Research Encyclopedia for American History* (Fall 2020).

Book Reviews

Review, Eduardo Contreras, *Latinos and the Liberal City* for *Journal of American Studies* Vol. 55, No. 2 (2021), 508-509.

Review, Julie C. Keller, *Milking in the Shadows: Migrants and Mobility in America’s Dairyland* for *H-Environment*, July 2021, <https://www.h-net.org/reviews/showrev.php?id=56358>.

Review, Andrew K. Sandoval-Strausz, *Barrio America: How Latino Immigrants Saved the American City* for *Journal of Social History* Vol. 54 No. 4 (Summer 2021), 1276-1278.

Review, Ismael García-Colón, *Colonial Migrants at the Heart of Empire: Puerto Rican Workers on U.S. Farms* for *Journal of American Ethnic History* Vol. 40 No. 3 (Spring 2021), 116-118.

Review, Gabriela Gonzalez, *Redeeming La Raza: Transborder Modernity, Race, Respectability, and Rights* for *The English Historical Review* Vol. 136 Issue 579 (February 2021), 226-228.

Review, Jesse Hoffnung-Garskof, *Racial Migrations: New York City and the Revolutionary Politics of the Spanish*

- Caribbean for Labor: Studies in Working Class History* Vol. 18 No. 1 (February 2021), 117-119.
- Review, Susan L. Marquis, *I Am Not a Tractor! How Florida Farmworkers Took on the Fast Food Giants and Won* for *Labor: Studies in Working Class History* Vol. 16 No. 2 (Summer 2019), 156-157.
- Review, Jerry Garcia, ed. *We Are Aztlán! Chicanx Histories in the Northern Borderlands* for *Pacific Historical Review* Vol. 87 No. 4 (Fall 2018), 748-49.
- Review, Karen R. Roybal, *Archives of Dispossession: Recovering the Testimonios of Mexican American Herederos, 1848-1960* for *Journal of American History* Vol. 105 No. 2 (September 2018), 401-402.
- Review, Mireya Loza, *Defiant Braceros: How Migrant Workers Fought for Racial, Sexual, and Political Freedom* for *Southern California Quarterly* Vol. 99 No. 2 (Summer 2017), 240-42.
- Review, Edward Melillo, *Strangers on Familiar Soil: Rediscovering the Chile-California Connection* for *Agricultural History* Vol. 90 No. 3 (Summer 2016), 427-29.
- Review, Neil Foley, *Mexicans in the Making of America* for *The Journal of American History* Vol. 102 No. 3 (December 2015), 869.
- Review, Tomas Summers Sandoval, *Latinos at the Golden Gate: Creating Community and Identity in San Francisco* for *Pacific Historical Review* Vol. 83 No. 4 (August 2015), 372-74.
- Review, Lauren Araiza, *To March for Others: The Black Freedom Struggle and the United Farm Workers* for *Western Historical Quarterly* Vol. 45, No. 4 (Winter 2014), 483-84.
- Review, James J. Lorence, *Palomino: Clinton Jencks and Mexican-American Unionism in the American Southwest* for *Pacific Historical Review* Vol. 83, No. 4 (November 2014), 706-07.
- Review, Claudio Iván Remeseira, *Hispanic New York* for *Aztlán* Vol. 39 No. 1 (Spring 2014), 275-79.
- Review, Kathy Peiss, *Zoot Suit: The Enigmatic Career of an Extreme Style* for *Pacific Historical Review* Vol. 82 No. 4 (November 2013), 601-602.
- Review, Glenn Anthony May, *Sonny Montes and Mexican American Activism in Oregon* for *Pacific Historical Review* Vol. 81 No. 3 (August 2012), 490-492.
- Review, Katherine Benton-Cohen, *Borderline Americans: Racial Division and Labor War in the Arizona Borderlands* for *Latino Studies* Vol. 8 (2010), 289-291.
- Review, José M. Alamillo, *Making Lemonade Out of Lemons: Mexican American Labor and Leisure in a California Town, 1880-1960* for *Labor History* Vol. 51 No. 3 (August 2010), 482-484.
- Review, Emilio Zamora, *Claiming Rights and Righting Wrongs in Texas* for *Pacific Historical Review* Vol. 79 No. 2 (May 2010), 296-298.

Other Publications

- “The History of Mexican Food in New York,” The Gotham Center for New York City History blog, 1 July 2021, <https://www.gothamcenter.org/blog/the-history-of-mexican-food-in-new-york>.
- “Farmworkers Are Essential, But Their Rights Don’t Reflect That,” *Food52*, 17 April 2020, <https://food52.com/blog/25215-farmworkers-rights-during-coronavirus>.
- “How the United Farm Workers Can Regain Their Influence,” *The Washington Post*, 15 September 2018, <https://www.washingtonpost.com/amphhtml/outlook/2018/09/16/how-united-farm-workers-can-regain-their-influence/>.

- “Dutch Plan to Target Youth in Designer Clothes Dangerous Throwback to the Persecution of Zoot Suits,” *Public Seminar*, 1 February 2018, <http://www.publicseminar.org/2018/02/dutch-plan-to-target-youth-in-designer-clothes/>.
- “Our Thanksgiving Meals Are Eaten, But the Fight for Farm Workers’ Rights Is Still On the Table,” Immigration and Ethnic History Society blog, 1 December 2017, <https://iehs.org/lflores-thanksgiving-meals-eaten-fight-for-farm-workers-rights/>.
- “Writing a Book Proposal,” *Chronicle Vitae*, 24 January 2017, <https://chroniclevitae.com/news/1677-writing-a-book-proposal>.
- “Legal Loopholes Put Lives of Migrant Workers at Risk,” Op-Ed, *Detroit Free Press*, 15 November 2015, <http://www.freep.com/story/opinion/contributors/2015/11/14/migrant-farmworker-transportation-michigan/75754982/>.
- “Postmortem: Did ‘True Detective’ Do Justice to Latino California?” *PopMatters*, 1 September 2015, <http://www.popmatters.com/post/196624-postmortem-did-true-detective-do-justice-to-latino-california/>.
- “The Dissertation Finish Line,” *Inside Higher Ed*, 10 April 2015, <https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2015/04/10/essay-how-reach-phd-dissertation-finish-line>.

SELECTED INVITED TALKS

- Invited Panelist, Latinx History Symposium, Columbia University, 22 April 2022.
- Invited Speaker, California State University-Long Beach Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellows Program, 8 April 2022.
- Invited Panelist, “Embodied Research: Chronicling the Nation’s Consumptive Obsessions,” Stanford University, 12 March 2022.
- Invited Speaker, Memorial Sloan Kettering’s Immigrant Health and Cancer Disparities (IHCD) Health Equity Seminar, 9 March 2022.
- The Academic’s Handbook*, University of Texas-San Antonio, Mellon Humanities Pathways Program, 25 May 2021.
- “Writing Food Labor History,” Gastronomy Program at Boston University, 16 March 2021.
- “COVID-19’s Impact on Migrant Food Workers,” Hofstra University Labor Studies Program and Latin American & Caribbean Studies Program, 10 March 2021.
- Grounds for Dreaming* book talk, University of Pennsylvania Program in Latin American and Latino Studies, 4 February 2021.
- “Writing Strategies,” Senior History Seminar, The New School, 10 November 2020.
- Invited Speaker, NEH-sponsored seminar “Energizing Humanities in California’s San Joaquin Valley,” Bakersfield College, Bakersfield, California, 20-21 February 2020.
- “Hidden In the Blue: The Lesser Known Lives of Latinx Seafood Workers,” The Latinx Project Lecture Series, New York University, 19 November 2019.
- “Starved for Respect: The Many Hungers of Food Workers,” Carlos H. Cantu Endowed Latinx Lecture Series, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas, 14 November 2019.

“Laboring and Dying in the Understory: Latino Workers and Invisibility in the Forests of the Far Northeast,” American International College, Springfield, Massachusetts, 17 September 2019.

“The Multiple Mexicos of Manhattan: The Impact of Chef Zarela Martinez on the Latino Foodscape of New York City, 1983 to the Present,” Writing History Workshop, Columbia University, 12 April 2019.

“The Labors of Latinas” Roundtable, Council on Latin American History at the American Historical Association (CLAH-AHA) Meeting, Chicago, 4 January 2019.

Speaker, “Dreaming, Occupying, Enduring” Panel, Worker Writers School Assembly (sponsored by PEN America), New York City, 10 November 2018.

Invited Presenter, Agrarian Studies Colloquium, Yale University, 2 November 2018.

Invited Panelist, “Latino-Phobia: Perspectives on Anti-Latinx Discrimination in American Life,” Stanford University, Stanford, CA, April 2018.

“The History of Latinos in the U.S. Railroad Industry,” MTA/Long Island Railroad’s Hispanic Heritage Month, Queens, New York, October 2017.

“The Beauty of Respect: Mexican American Civil Rights Organizations and Their Beauty Pageants, 1950 to the Present,” Newberry Scholl Center Borderlands and Latino/a Studies Seminar, 12 May 2017.

Invited Lecture, “Bittersweet Harvest” Bracero Program Traveling Exhibit, Holocaust Museum Houston, Houston, TX, 16 February 2017.

“Beyond Migrant Workers: Mexicans in the U.S.,” Guest Lecture (for the NEH-sponsored *Conexiones* program), Reading Area Community College, Reading, Pennsylvania, January 2017.

Panelist, “The Hands That Feed: California Farmworkers, Past and Present,” Oakland Book Festival, Oakland, California, 22 May 2016.

Inaugural Speaker, Cesar Chavez Commemoration, Ohio State University, 31 March 2016.

“Latino Work and Migration in the Northeast, 1940 to the Present,” History Department Colloquium, University of British Columbia, 3 March 2016.

“Latinos and the U.S. Farmworker Rights Movement: The Traumas of Then and Now,” Center for Comparative Studies in Race and Ethnicity Colloquium, Stanford University, 24 February 2016.

“The Role of Women in the U.S. Farmworker Justice Movement,” Women’s History Month Lecture, St. John’s University, 9 February 2015.

“The Bracero Program,” Metropolitan Expeditionary Learning School, Queens, New York, 9 January 2015.

Invited Speaker, Si Se Puede! Panel on Immigrant and Farmworker Rights, Hofstra University, 8 October 2014.

Guest Presenter, Inaugural Bancroft Seminar on Latino Studies, University of California, Berkeley, 9 May 2014.

“Latino Immigration Since The Great Depression,” Guest lecture, Bridging Historias through Latino History and Culture: An NEH Bridging Cultures at Community Colleges Project, CUNY Graduate Center, 25 April 2014.

SELECTED CONFERENCES

- Roundtable Participant, “Into the Fields: Histories of Farmwork Across Generations,” Organization of American Historians Conference, Boston, MA, April 2022.
- Chair and Comment, “New Directions in Labor and Healthcare: Ethnic Mexican Struggles for Rights in the 20th Century,” American Historical Association Conference (virtual), February 2022.
- Moderator, “Latina Activisms and Latina Biographies,” Organization of American Historians Conference, (virtual), 17 April 2021.
- Chair, “Foodways in the American West” panel, Western History Association Conference (virtual), October 2020.
- Chair and Comment, “Hidden in the Fields: Untold Histories of Agricultural Labor in the West and Beyond,” Western History Association Conference, Las Vegas, Nevada, 19 October 2019.
- Presenter, “The ‘Hot Tamale’ Who Changed the Mexican Foodscape of Manhattan: The Transnational Life, Career, and Freedoms of Chef Zarela Martinez,” Organization of American Historians Conference, Philadelphia, PA, 5 April 2019.
- Presenter, “Latino Agricultural Labor and Activism in Maine, 1990 to 2005,” Western History Association Conference, San Antonio, TX, 19 October 2018.
- Presenter, “The Laboring and Activist Experiences of Latino Farmworkers and Maritime Workers in Maine,” European Social Science History Conference, Belfast, Ireland, April 2018.
- Presenter, “The Multiple Mexicos of Manhattan: The Impact of Chef Zarela Martinez on the Latino Foodscape of New York City, 1983 to the Present,” International Conference on Food Studies, Rome, Italy, October 2017.
- Chair and Comment, “Spaces of Work and Struggle in the Southwest,” Labor and Working Class History Association Conference, Seattle, WA, May 2017.
- Chair and Comment, “Finding Activists in Unexpected Places: New Directions in Farmworker History,” Western Association of Women Historians Meeting, San Diego, CA, May 2017.
- Roundtable Participant, “California Farm Labor History Beyond Cesar Chavez,” Organization of American Historians Meeting, New Orleans, LA, April 2017.
- Presenter, “Writing Emotions in Historical Scholarship,” Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association Meeting, Waikoloa, HI, 6 August 2016.
- Presenter, “Desired as Labor But Not as Neighbors: Mexican Bracero Guestworkers and Socio-Sexual Quarantine in California, 1942-1964,” Quarantine: History, Heritage, Place Conference, University of Sydney, Australia, 14-16 August 2014.
- Presenter, “A Blossoming of Red Flags: Cesar Chávez and the United Farm Workers’ Lettuce Boycott in California,” Boycotts: Past and Present Conference, Birkbeck College, University of London, London, England, 20 June 2013.

TEACHING

Undergraduate

The History of Latinos in the United States
Immigration in American History
The History of the US West
The History of the US Working Class
The US-Mexico Border
US History Since 1865
Food, Race, and Migration
Latino New York

Graduate

Global Borderlands
Readings in Latino/a History
Core Colloquium in History
US History Since the Civil War
Prospectus

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

2021-22 Member, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee
Fall 2021 Member, Search Committee, Global South (Africa-Asia-Middle East) position
2019-20 Chair, Departmental Climate Committee
Spring 2019 Co-organizer, Undergraduate Research Symposium (URECA)
2018-2021 Organizer, Second Book Writing Group
2013, 2016-19 Member, Graduate Committee
2016-18 Member, Diversity Action Committee
2016-2017 Member, Search Committee, Gardiner Chair in American History
2012, 2016, 2017 Invited Speaker, “Navigating the Academic Job Market”

Dissertation Committee Member for:

Gregory Lella (chair/advisor), “Their Job is to Deport Me: Policing Latinx and Indigenous People in the Arizona-Mexico Borderlands, 1964 to the Present”

Yalile Suriel, “Campus Eyes: University Surveillance and the Policing of Black and Brown Student Activism in the Age of Mass Incarceration, 1960-1990”

Ximena López-Carrillo, “Creating a Latino Psychology: A History of Scientific Activism, Identity Formation, and Mental Health, 1968-1985”

Zinnia Capo-Valdivia, “Education to Deter Vice: From the Classroom to Public Opinion, Mexico 1889-1934”

Liliana Mutu-Blackstone, “The Ambivalence of Modern Identity: Romanians in the Global Laboratory of Erudition, 1859-1918”

Matías Hermosilla, “Creating a Playlist for the Third World: Cosmopolitan Solidarity, The New Left, and the Global Protest Song Movement, 1955–1975”

Fernando Amador, “Children of the Land: Identity, Landscape & Migrations from Rural Mexico”

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Fall 2021 Invited Speaker to the Emeriti Faculty
Fall 2021 Panel Moderator, Dos Mundos: (Re)Constructing Narratives artist panel, Paul W. Zuccaire Gallery
Fall 2021 Panelist, “Teaching About Race: Breaking Through the Misconceptions About Critical Race Theory, Inclusion, and Diversity in the Classroom,” Humanities

	Institute
May 2021	Speaker, Anti-Asian Violence Panel, Department of Asian and Asian American Studies
2016-Present	Member, Latin American & Caribbean Studies (LACS) Advisory Board
2019-2021	Member, Turner Fellowship Committee
2016-2020	Co-organizer, Initiative for the Historical Social Sciences (IHSS) Workshop Series
2021, 2019, 2015	Member, Sanchez Undergraduate Scholarship Committee
Fall 2019	Commentator, <i>Detain and Deport</i> Book Talk by Prof. Nancy Hiemstra, Department of Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies
Fall 2019	Commentator, "Archival Truths" Conference, Department of Hispanic Languages & Literatures
2015 - 2019	Steering Committee Member, Center for the Study of Inequality, Social Justice, and Policy
Spring 2018	Judge, Three-Minute Thesis Competition
Fall 2017	Speaker, University Teach-In: DACA
Spring 2017	Keynote Speaker, Latinas En Acción 2017 SEPA Mujer Conference
Spring 2017	Member, Postdoctoral Program Subcommittee for the University Strategic Plan
Spring 2017	Speaker, University Teach-In: Immigration, Labor, and the New Deportation
Spring 2017	Speaker, University Teach-In: The Refugee Ban
Fall 2016	Keynote Speaker, Hispanic Heritage Month
Fall 2016	Speaker, Faculty Panel for Stony Brook University Scholars
Fall 2016	Faculty Expert Panelist, "Immigration and the 2016 Election" Event
Fall 2016	Member, FAHSS Research Grant Committee
Summer 2016	Guest Lecturer, Stony Brook Pre-College Institute
2016, 2015	Member, LACC Tinker Grant Committee
Fall 2013	Speaker, University Orientation for New Teaching Assistants in the Arts and Humanities

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

2021 -	Co-Editor, University of North Carolina Press <i>Latinx Histories</i> Book Series
2021	Curriculum Content Reviewer, Humanities Texas (NEH)
2019 -	Editorial Board Member, <i>Journal of American History</i>
2019 -	Editorial Board Member, <i>International Labor and Working Class History</i>
2018 -	Editorial Board Member, <i>Reviews in American History</i>
2018-20	Program Committee Co-Chair, Western History Association (WHA) Conference
2017-2020	Steering Committee Member, Coalition for Western Women's History
2016-2019	Member, Ida B. Wells Dissertation Award Committee, Coordinating Council for

	Women in History (Chair 2018-19)
2017	NEH Panel Reviewer
2018, 2016	Program Committee Member, Working Class Studies Association Conference
2014-2017	Member, Judith Lee Ridge Article Prize Committee, Western Association of Women Historians (Chair 2016-17)
2013-2016	Member, Nupur Chaudhuri First Article Award Committee, Coordinating Council for Women in History (Chair 2015-16)
2013-2014	Program Committee Member, 2014 Western History Association Conference
2011 - Present	Manuscript reviewer for the University of North Carolina Press, Johns Hopkins University Press, University of Pennsylvania Press, Stanford University Press, University of Arizona Press, <i>Journal of American History</i> , <i>Pacific Historical Review</i> , <i>Americas</i> , <i>Women's History Review</i> , <i>Western Historical Quarterly</i> , <i>Labor</i> , the <i>Oxford Research Encyclopedia of American History</i> , <i>Law & Social Inquiry</i> , and <i>BOOM</i>

SELECT MEDIA

- Interviewee for Feature Piece, Julie Lurie, “‘Everyone Is Tired of Always Staying Silent’: Inside a Worker Rebellion in the Central Valley,” *Mother Jones* (January/February 2021).
- Subject of Feature Piece, “The Big ‘spicy’ Apple: What if New York were a taco?” by Beatriz Garcia, *Al Día*, 21 September 2020.
- Subject of Feature Piece, Luke Fortney, “Historians Map the Glorious Rise of Mexican Food in New York City,” *Eater NY*, 9 September 2020.
- Guest, *Meant to Be Eaten* podcast, Heritage Radio Network, May 2020.
- Interviewee for Feature Piece, Catherine E. Shoichet, “Oprah’s New Book Club Pick [American Dirt] Is Fueling a Debate,” CNN, 24 January 2020.
- Interviewee for Feature Piece, Gustavo Arellano, “When the US Government Tried to Replace Migrant Farmworkers with High Schoolers,” NPR, 23 August 2018.
- Host, *New Books in Latino Studies* podcast, New Books Network, 2015-2018.
- C-SPAN Segment, “Chicano Authors Discuss Their Books,” 26 February 2016.
- Guest, radio show, “The Farm Report,” Heritage Radio Network, 14 January 2016.

HONORS/AWARDS

2020-21	Visiting Scholar-in-Residence, Russell Sage Foundation
2020	Smithsonian Institution Senior Fellowship, National Museum of American History (cancelled due to COVID-19)
2020	Stony Brook University Mid-Career Faculty Diversity Award
2019	Stony Brook Humanities Institute Faculty Fellowship (declined due to Russell Sage)
2019	Academic Writing Fellow, Rockefeller Foundation Bellagio Center, Italy
2019, 2013	FAHSS Research Grant, Stony Brook University
2019, 2013	Sam Fishman Travel Grant Award, Walter P. Reuther Library, Wayne State University
2018	Stony Brook Faculty Excellence in Outreach Award

2018 Distinguished Travel Award, Stony Brook University
2018 Winner, Martin Ridge Book Award, Historical Society of Southern California
2017 Faculty Recognition Award, Hispanic Heritage Month, Stony Brook University
2017 Inaugural Writer-in-Residence, Glynwood Farm, Cold Spring, New York
2017 Finalist, Weber-Clements Book Prize, Western History Association
2017 Winner, Best First Book, Immigration and Ethnic History Society
2017 Faculty Award for Excellence, Center for Inclusive Education, Stony Brook University
2016 Winner, Best History Book, International Latino Book Awards
2016 Honorable Mention, Gita Chaudhuri Book Prize
2016 Recipient, Stony Brook Graduate Fellowship and Faculty Research Program
2014 Andrew W. Mellon Short-Term Fellowship, Huntington Library
2014 Archibald Hanna Fellowship, Beinecke Library, Yale University
2014 Judith Lee Ridge Article Prize, Western Association of Women Historians
2012-2015 Faculty Diversity Program Fellowship, State University of New York
2012 Faculty Class Development Award, Bowdoin College
2011 Faculty Research Development Award, Bowdoin College
2010-2011 Geballe Dissertation Prize Fellow, Stanford University Humanities Center
2010 Jensen-Miller Article Prize, Western History Association
2010 Centennial Teaching Award, Stanford University
2009 W. Turrentine Jackson Article Prize from the *Pacific Historical Review*
2009 Haynes Foundation Fellowship, Huntington Library
2005-2008 Ford Foundation Diversity Predoctoral Fellowship