

Fawn-Amber Montoya
Associate Dean of Honors/ Professor of History

Administrative Experience University

James Madison University, Harrisonburg, Virginia 2019-Present
Associate Dean, Honors College

Oversaw recruitment and admissions of incoming freshman, current students and transfer students in a 1200 student college. Redesigned admissions processes to focus on an holistic student. Revised Honors Interdisciplinary minor curriculum with a focus on diversity and experiential education. Oversaw social media, website development and marketing initiatives. Designed, implemented and facilitated the Honors Dean's Diversity Council. Designed the 2021-2024 strategic plan with a focus on anti-racism. Designed marketing for annual Giving Day. Managed scholarship awarding of incoming and current Honors students. Scheduled courses, supervised affiliate faculty and collaborated with college liaisons. Facilitated an 11.4% increase in the student diversity profile for the 2020 incoming honors freshman class.

President's Task Force for Racial Equity, Sub Committee Student Assessment 2020-2022
Co-Chair

Facilitated bi-monthly meetings with faculty, staff, and students. Collaborated with fifteen committee members to develop recommendations for the University Wide Task Force on Racial Equity. Worked one on one with faculty, staff, and students to guarantee that their perspectives and thoughts were captured in the recommendations.

College Level

Latinx Center Working Group Co-Chair 2023

Led a group of faculty in a series of discussions regarding the future of a Latinx center at JMU. Discussions focused on curriculum, support of Latino/a/x faculty, and student engagement. Wrote a report regarding findings that was presented to the Dean of the College of Arts and Letters.

Colorado State University–Pueblo Pueblo, Colorado 2007-2019
University

Director, University Honors Program 2017- 2019

Mentored over 70 undergraduate students on academic and professional success. Oversaw undergraduate Honors' theses, facilitated service learning courses, and guided group projects. Coordinated Honors courses across disciplines and collaborated with all departments across campus. Advised faculty on Honors approved courses and student theses development. Organized annual Honors Symposium.

Smithsonian Internship Coordinator 2016- 2019

Facilitated the placement of 4-6 interns per summer from CSU-Pueblo at the Smithsonian Institution. Lead faculty application committee. Communicated with the Smithsonian to arrange placement of students. Reserved flights and housing for students. Facilitated workshops on professional

development for students and monitored student blogs. Coordinated annual Give Day event that included donor outreach and maintaining donor relationships.

#Vision 2028

2018-2019

Steering Committee member, President's Office

Assisted in the design of a new vision, mission, and guiding principles for CSU-Pueblo. Gathered survey data, led campus-wide focus groups, presented to colleges and departments regarding the process and how faculty could be involved.

Presidential Fellow

2017/2018

Designed a program for study abroad opportunities at the CSU Todos Santos campus in Baja California Sur, Mexico. Developed and implemented a 3 day faculty retreat to design a 3 week summer general education program with a focus on Latinx history and culture.

College Level

Coordinator of Chicano Studies

2007-2017

Supervised and hired full-time and part-time faculty in an interdisciplinary program, collaborated across campus and with the community for events and speakers on campus, scheduled courses in multiple disciplines. Focused courses on the university's Hispanic Serving Institution status. Chaired and collaborated on search committees. Created annual assessment reports. Developed new curriculum for general education courses.

Women's Studies Coordinator

2009-2012

Collaborated with the university-wide Women's Studies Coordinating Committee in the creation of new curriculum with a focus on field experience and service learning. Supervised full-time and parttime faculty in an interdisciplinary program that included faculty outside of the Humanities and Social Sciences. Collaborated across campus and with the community for events and speakers on campus, scheduled courses in multiple disciplines. Created annual assessment reports and developed a Diversity Studies Certificate.

National Associations

National Collegiate Honors Council, Board Member

2023-2026

NCHC promotes and supports undergraduate education Honors education. Board duties include oversight of the Executive director, fiduciary responsibilities with Honors colleges and programs throughout the United States. Collaborates with other board members and members of the organization.

National Association for Chicano and Chicana Studies Co-Chair, Chicana Caucus,

2012-2014

Facilitated annual caucus meetings, maintained the email list serve, invited speakers for the Chicana Plenary, and moderated the plenary for the 2014 NACCS Conference.

Community

Scholars Latino Initiative, Chair Board of Directors

2023

Non-profit organization supports Latino/a/x high school students with college access through rigorous academic challenge, leadership development, scholarships, and supportive mentorships.

Oversaw managing director and director of development. Led fundraising and approved grant project reports. Led monthly board meetings.

East Side Child Care Center, President Board of Directors 2016-2019
Non-profit organization that provides child care for low-income children. Oversaw grants, approved budgets, led fundraising and approved grant project reports. Led monthly board meetings, designed an annual director retreat, and mentored new board members. Developed a transition plan and a succession plan for the outgoing executive director.

Co-Chair, Ludlow Massacre Centennial Commission 2013-2014
Governor appointed commission to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the Ludlow Massacre. Led 12 scholars from throughout the state of Colorado in drafting by-laws, and coordinating a speaker series for 3-5 locations within Colorado. Worked with over 35 non-profits to develop a master calendar supporting programming throughout Colorado's front range. Organized an academic symposium over a three-day time frame. Facilitated monthly meetings, wrote and submitted the final report to the Governor's Office

Education

University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ	Doctor of Philosophy	May 2007
Major Fields- US History, 20 th Century, Southwest		
Minor Field- Comparative Women and Gender		
Dissertation Title: "Mines, Massacres, and Memories: Colorado Fuel and Iron's Creation of a Community in Southern Colorado, 1880-1919." Chairs: Sarah Deutsch and Juan Garcia		
University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ	Master of Arts	December 2001
Brigham Young University, Provo, UT	Bachelor of Arts	December 1998

Academic Appointments

<i>James Madison University</i>	<i>Harrisonburg, VA</i>
Professor of History	2019-Present
Affiliate Faculty, African, African American and Diaspora Studies	
Affiliate Faculty, Latin American, Latinx, and Caribbean Studies	

<i>Colorado State University–Pueblo</i>	<i>Pueblo, Colorado</i>
Professor of History	2018-2019
Associate Professor of History	2013-2018
Assistant Professor in History	2007- 2013

<i>Colorado State University</i>	<i>Fort Collins, Colorado</i>
Affiliate Faculty, Ethnic Studies	Spring 2016

<i>Texas Tech University</i>	<i>Lubbock, Texas</i>
ABD Fellow	2005-2007

<i>University of Arizona</i>	<i>Tucson, Arizona</i>
Adjunct Instructor	2003-2004
Graduate Teaching Assistant	2000-2005
Academic Tutor	2000-2005

<i>Pima Community College</i>	<i>Tucson, Arizona</i>
Adjunct Instructor	2003

Academic Fellowships/ Scholar

<i>Colorado State University–Pueblo</i>	<i>Pueblo, Colorado</i>	2017-2019
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Faculty Fellow Center for Teaching and Learning

Collaborated with the Center for Teaching and Learning on curriculum development, guest speakers, and revisions to general education course offerings.

Experiential Education Roundtable Scholar	Spring 2015
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Designed experiential education curriculum in conjunction with El Pueblo History Museum. Revised syllabi and workshopped with other faculty to design experiential education curriculum.

<i>Steelworks Center for the West</i>	<i>Pueblo, Colorado</i>	
Scholar in Residence		2012-2014

<i>Texas Tech University</i>	<i>Lubbock, Texas</i>	
Pre-Doctoral Fellow		2005- 2007

Publications Books

Ghosts of the Past. Manuscript completed.

Co-Editor with Karin Larkin. *Communities of Ludlow: Collaborative Stewardship and the Ludlow Centennial Commemoration Commission.* Boulder: University Press of Colorado. 2022

Allen, Beverly and Fawn-Amber Montoya. *Practicing Oral History to Connect University to Community.* Routledge Press: 2018.

Editor of *Making an American Workforce: The Colorado Fuel and Iron Company's Construction of a Workforce during the Rockefeller Years.* Boulder: University Press of Colorado. 2014.

Articles/ Book Chapters/ Reports

“Melodies and Memories: Places for Remembrances of Ludlow” Chapter from *Communities of Ludlow.* Boulder: University Press of Colorado. 2022.

“Commemorating the Ludlow Massacre the Power of Collaborative Scholarship and Stewardship” co-author Karin Larkin. Chapter from *Communities of Ludlow.* Boulder: University Press of Colorado. 2022

- “The ‘Toyas’ in *Geographies of Staying: Home and It’s Place in the Academy*. Eds. Patricia Marina Trujillo and Tobe Bott-Lyons. Albuquerque: University of New Mexico Press. Forthcoming
- “Reconciling Personal and Professional Goals” in *Silencing Gender, Age, Ethnicity and Cultural Biases in Leadership* ed. Camilla Montoya. Hamilton Books, An imprint of Rowman & Littlefield: Lanham, MD. 2018.
- “Religion and Marijuana” Co-Authored with Maria Trujillo, Carol Langer for Colorado State University-Pueblo’s Social Impact Study, August 2017.
- “Report to the Governor of the State of Colorado concerning the Ludlow Massacre Centennial Commission” Submitted to Governor John Hickenlooper August 1, 2016.
- “Identifying Search Committee Expectations of Token Hires during the Interview Process” Co-author Jared Montoya. *Beginning a Career in Academia: A Guide for Graduate Students of Color* Edited by Dwayne A. Mack, Elwood D. Watson, Michelle M. Camacho. Routledge: Kentucky. 2015.
- “Field Days, YMCA, and Baseball: Effect of CF&I’s Industrial Representation Plan of 1914 on Gender Relations in Southern Colorado Coal Mining Camps,” Chapter from *Making an American Workforce: The Colorado Fuel and Iron Company’s Construction of a Workforce during the Rockefeller Years*. Boulder: University Press of Colorado. 2014.
- “Remembering Ludlow” Co-authored with Dawn DiPrince, *Colorado Heritage*, History Colorado. Spring 2014.
- “Model Schools and Field Days: Colorado Fuel and Iron’s Construction of Education and Recreation for Children, 1901-1918,” in *Children and Youth during the Gilded Age and Progressive Era*, James Marten Ed. New York University Press: 2014.
- “Yo Soy Colorado: Three Collaborative Hispanic Cultural Initiatives,” in *Collaborative Librarianship* Allen, Beverly; Echohawk, Dana; Gonzalez, Rhonda; Montoya, Fawn-Amber; Somerville Mary. 4(2):39-52. 2012.
- “Rethinking the Idea of Curanderos as Saints: Jesusita Aragon’s Medical Practice,” *In the Image of the Hero II Proceedings*. Society for the Interdisciplinary Study of Social Imagery. Ed. Will Wright and Steven Kaplan. Colorado State University- Pueblo 2010.
- “From Mexicans to Citizens: Colorado Fuel and Iron’s Representation of Nuevo Mexicans 1901-1919” in *Journal of the West*, (Santa Barbara, California: ABC-CLIO, Fall 2006).
- Museum Exhibits/ Documentary Consultations and Planning Committees
[The Five States of Colorado – A Film By HaveyPro Cinema \(fivestatesfilm.com\)](http://fivestatesfilm.com) Advisory Board, 2021-2023

Borderlands: History Colorado: Symposium Planning Committte, Consultant on Trinidad History

Museum, 2017-2019

WOW: Women Ordnance Workers, 1942-1945, Rawlings Library, Pueblo, CO, Director, March 2018

Salt Creek Memory, El Pueblo History Museum, Pueblo, CO, Co-Director, Fall 2016

El Movimiento in Colorado and Pueblo, El Pueblo History Museum, Planning Committee, Pueblo, CO 2016

The Children of Ludlow, El Pueblo History Museum Pueblo, CO Consultant, 2013-2014

Diversity Training

Facilitator

National Collegiate Honors Council (NCHC) Virtual Roundtable: Creating Space for LGBTQ+ Students, August 18, 2022.

We are JMU, First Year Orientation, James Madison University, Center for Multicultural Student Services, August 2022

National Collegiate Honors Council (NCHC) Virtual Institute: Strengthening Diversity and Inclusion in Honors (Intermediate) June 6-8, 2022

National Collegiate Honors Council (NCHC) Virtual Institute: Strengthening Diversity and Inclusion in Honors (Beginner) (May 23-25 , 2022)

“Reconceptualizing Diverse Students in the Classroom and Strategies to Improve Their Learning Experience,” James Madison University, College of Health and Behavioral Sciences, September 2021

National Collegiate Honors Council (NCHC) “2021 Anti-Racism workshop.” June 2021

Presentations- Abbreviated

Invited

“La Mestiza” La Universidad Iberoamericana (*UNIBE*), Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic March 2023

“Scholars Latino Initiative” Virginia Latino Advisory Board, Winchester, VA 2023

“La Llorona: Community Stories ” History Colorado , October 2021

“La Llorona: Myth, Memory, and Meaning” Santa Fe Public Library, October 2021

“ Complicated Identities of the Borderlands of Colorado” National Endowment for Humanities

Summer Workshop History Colorado, Virtual. June 2021

“La Llorona: Myth, Memory, and Imagination” Borderlands Lecture Series, History Colorado
October 2020

“Telling your Story” James Madison University, Centennial Scholars January 2020

“Ghosts of the Past” Colorado College, Women in the West, April 2019.

Borderlands Symposium, El Pueblo History Museum, Pueblo, Colorado “What it Means to Live in
the Colorado Borderlands,” April 2017.

Charles Redd Center for Western Studies, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah.
“Salt Creek Memory Project” September 2016.

History Colorado Center, Denver, Colorado, “Remembering Ludlow Today, RoundTable
Discussion,” April 2014.

University of Northern Colorado, Greeley, Colorado "Latino Americans and Mining in Colorado,"
April 2016

Otero Junior College, La Junta, Colorado, “Latino Americans,” September 2015

History Colorado Center, Denver, Colorado, “Memories of Ludlow,” March 2014

Charles Redd Center for Western Studies, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah. “Latinas in the
West,” March 2008

Online/ Documentary/ Audio

KGNU, “Hemispheres”, July 2022 <http://www.kgnu.org/hemispheres/7/5/2022>

Where There’s Smoke Podcast, September 2020

<https://wheretheressmokek.libsyn.com/ep5-part-2-chatting-with-dr-fawn-amber-montoya>

“Cultures Clash In Pueblo Over Columbus Statue”_Contributor, August 2020.

<https://www.cpr.org/2020/08/05/cultures-clash-in-pueblo-over-columbus-statue/>

Colorado Public Radio, Interview for the Borderlands of Southern Colorado Exhibit, Summer 2018,
<http://krcc.org/post/treaty-guadalupe-hidalgo-has-lasting-effects-southern-colorado>

PBS News Hour, Interview about garden at East Side Child Care Center, Fall 2017

<https://www.pbs.org/newshour/show/these-colorado-preschoolers-learn-hands-on-farming-to-prevent-childhood-obesity>

CSPAN- 3 Ludlow Massacre lecture, Fall 2017 <https://www.c-span.org/video/?425236-1/ludlow-coal-miners-strike-massacre>

CSPAN- 3 Book TV “”Making an American Workforce,” Fall 2016 <https://www.c-span.org/video/?416195-1/making-american-workforce>,

Charles Redd Center for Western Studies, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah.
“Salt Creek Memory Project,” September 2016
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=04zMYj1AI0k>

Pueblo Border Wars, Colorado Experience, Rocky Mountain PBS.
<http://www.rmpbs.org/coloradoexperience/conflict/pueblo-border-wars/>

Forging the West, Steelworks Center of the American West, Fall 2016
<http://forgingthewestfilm.com/>

Colorado Public Radio, April 2015 <http://www.cpr.org/news/story/story-what-happened-after-ludlow-massacre-colorado>

“Mice en Place: Squash” for KRCC 95.1 NPR Public radio for Southern Colorado and New Mexico,
Program Commentator- November 6, 2009
<https://www.cpr.org/2009/11/06/mise-en-place-squash/>

Scholarly

National Collegiate Honors Council Conference, Orlando, Florida. *Best Honors Administrative Practices*, Presenter. “Ghosts of the Past: Moving Beyond the Disciplines in Honors.” October 2021

National Collegiate Honors Council Conference, Orlando, Florida. “Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion Anti-Racism Summer Workshop Follow-Up” Moderator, October 2021

National Collegiate Honors Council Conference, Orlando, Florida. “Diversity, Equity and Inclusion in Honors Programs and Colleges: Approaches to Anti-Racism in Honors, an Open Discussion,” Moderator, October 2021

National Society for Minorities in Honors, Muncie, IN, “Creating Spaces for Anti-Racist Scholarship for Diverse Faculty and Staff,” October 2021

JMU 2021 Diversity Conference, Harrisonburg, VA (*virtual conference*) *Roundtable* Participant
“Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Leaders Roundtable,” March 2021

National Collegiate Honors Council Conference, Dallas, Texas (*virtual conference*) Panelist
“#Honorssowhite? Representing Diverse Student Voices,” November 2020

National Society for Minorities in Honors, Oakland, Michigan, Panelist “Honors Study Abroad at An Hispanic Serving Institution,” October 2020

Western History Association, Albuquerque, New Mexico, Panelist, “Insider/Outsider: Giving Voice and Opening Spaces to Ethnic Communities in the Heartland,” October 2020

Saving Places Conference, Denver, Colorado, Panelist “She’s a WOW” Creating Museum Exhibits with University Students and Public Library Partnerships,” February 2019

Western History Association, San Antonio, Texas “Borderlands of Southern Colorado: Public and Academic Historians Craft a Multi-Museum Exhibit,” October 2018

Western History Association, San Diego, California, “Ghosts of the Past: Personal Reflections on the Ludlow Massacre Centennial Commemoration,” November 2017

Recovering the U.S. Hispanic Literary Heritage Project Conference. 25th Anniversary Conference Writing/Righting History, Houston, “Creating the Connections between Archive, Community and Students,” February 2017

National Women’s Studies Association, Montreal, Canada, Panelist, “Study Abroad at Home: Building Local Knowledge to Access Global Ideas,” November 2016

Western History Association, Portland, Oregon. “Patterns of Migration: Mexicanos in the American West, 1910-1920,” October 2015

National Women’s Studies Association, San Juan, Puerto Rico “Making the View from the Bottom the View from the Top: The Ludlow Centennial Commission and Grassroots Organizing,” November 2014

National Association of Chican@ Studies Conference, Salt Lake City Utah, Roundtable Discussion Participant “Healing Chicana and Indigenous Women’s Landscapes: Innovating Sites for Self-Care and Institutional Self-Care in Chicana/o and Indigenous Studies,” April 2014

Historias de Nuevo Mexico- Histories of New Mexico, El Rito, New Mexico, “Mentoring a Non-Chicano Student on a Chicano Topic,” October 2012

National Association of Chican@ Studies Conference,” Chicago, Illinois “Activism, Preservation, and Pedagogy: Linking the Colorado Chicano Movement to the Classroom,” March 2012

Oral History Association Conference, Denver, Colorado, “Latinos at War: Connecting Oral Histories to the Classroom,” October 2011

REFORMA Conference, Denver, Colorado, “Yo Soy Colorado: Two Symbiotic Hispanic Cultural Heritage Initiatives,” September 2011

National Association of Chican@ Studies Conference,” Pasadena, California, “Connecting the University with the Public Education System: Pueblo School of Arts and Sciences Dia De Los Muertos,” March 2011

Community

ROCA Rural Opportunities for College Access. Panelist, New Mexico Highlands University, Las Vegas, New Mexico, June 2022.

COCEAL Colorado Coalition for the Educational Advancement of Latinx, Pueblo, Colorado
Colorado as the Borderlands” and “Mentoring Latinx Students for Careers in History, Arts, Culture,” June 2018

El Pueblo History Museum, Pueblo, Colorado “Salt Creek Memory Project,” March 2017

LULAC State Conference, Colorado Springs, “Latinos in Colorado,” June 2016

United Mine Workers 100th Anniversary Ludlow Massacre Memorial, Ludlow, CO May 2014

El Pueblo Museum, Pueblo, Colorado, “The Children of Ludlow,” February 2014

Western Museum of Mining and Industry. Colorado Springs, CO, “Americanization at the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company,” February 2014

PODER conference, “Creating a Path,” El Pueblo Museum, August 2012

98th Anniversary Commemoration of the Ludlow Massacre, “Importance of the Teaching the Ludlow Massacre,” July 2012

Keynote Speaker, 125th Anniversary of Bessemer Neighborhood, Pueblo, Colorado, July 2011

University Spokesperson regarding Arizona SB 1070 KRDO, KOAA, 2011

Presenter, Soy Unica, Soy Latina Conference Pueblo, CO 2008

“Hispanics in Southern Colorado” Hispanic Heritage Month Dinner, CSU-Pueblo October 2007

Service/ Professional Activities

National

National Collegiate Honors Council, Finance Committee	2022-Present
National Collegiate Honors Council Diversity Committee	2019-Present
National Collegiate Honors Council, Scholarship Committee	2019-2022
Graduate Student Prize Committee, Western History Association Chair 2021-2022	2020-2022
Portz Scholar Committee, National Collegiate Honors Council	2020-2022
Portz Grants Committee, National Collegiate Honors Council	2020-2022
Co-Chair, Chicana Caucus, National Association for Chicano and Chicana Studies	2012-2014
Review Board, Milestone Documents	2012-2019
National Park Service Reviewer for La Vega and San Luis People’s Ditch	2011
Grader, ETS testing, Advanced Placement History Exam	2008,2018

State

Board Member, History Colorado: Colorado Historical Society	2014-2015
Co-Chair, Ludlow Massacre Centennial Commission	2013-2014

James Madison University

Associate Dean Working Group	2022-Present
Dia De Los Muertos Planning Team	2021-Present
Committee on Commencement	2020-Present
Truman Award Interview Committee	2019-Present
Fulbright Award Interview Committee	2019-Present
Phi Kappa Phi, Secretary	2022-Present

Phi Sigma Pi, Faculty Advisor	2022-Present
Talent Search Grant Working Group	2019-2021
General Education Council Representative (representing the Honors College)	2020-2022
University Studies C&I committee member (representing the Honors College)	2020-Present
Provost Award Committee for Teaching and Service in Honors, Chair	2020-2022
University Wide Diversity Council	2019-Present
Covid 19 Classroom Configuration and Scheduling Working Group	2020-2022
Honors College Covid 19 Planning Task Force, Chair	2020-2022
Provost's Diversity Council	2019-2021
<u>Colorado State University-Pueblo</u>	
Colorado Chicano Movement Archives Advisory Board- University Library	2008-2019
MAES: Latinos in Engineering and Sciences, Advisor	2016-2019
Upward Bound, Instructor	2015-2017, 2020-2021
“Know your Heritage Hispanic College Quiz.” Central City Prod.Chicago, IL. Coach	2010 & 2017
Senior to Sophomore Program Advisor, History	2009-2015
Ethnic and Gender Studies, College of Humanities and Social Sciences Committee Co-Chair	2009-2014
Movimiento Estudiantil Chicano De Aztlan (MEChA) Advisor	2011-2014
Faculty Senate, CHASS Representative	2008-2010
Academic Policy and Standards Board	2008-2010
Student Academic Appeals Board	2008-2010
Voices of Empowerment –Student Organization Faculty Advisor	2009-2011
Ludlow Memorial Labor Fest Planning Committee	2007- 2019

Southeastern Region Colorado History Day, Organizing Committee and Judge	2008-2016
Multi-Cultural Event Planning Committee	2007- 2019
Dia de Los Muertos Planning Committee	2008-2017
Participant, Department of Education's Packard Grant,	2008
<u>Harrisonburg Community</u> Scholars Latino Initiative, Board of Directors,	2021-Present
<u>Pueblo Community</u> East Side Child Care Center, Board of Directors,	2016-2019
Bridging Borders: Empowering the Future by Understanding the Past, AAUW Instructor and Facilitator	2014
"Song of Pueblo: An Oratorio" Organizing Committee, Pueblo, Colorado	2008 –2019
Pueblo Performing Arts Guild (PPAG) Board of Directors, Pueblo, Colorado	2010-2013
"2010 Dia de Los Muertos Community Celebration," Colorado Humanities Grant for Pueblo School of Arts and Sciences, Consultant	2010
Bessemer Historical Society, Archives Board Member, Pueblo, Colorado	2007/2008
Organizations	
Phi Kappa Phi	2022- Present
National Collegiate Honors Council	2019-Present
Western Historical Association	2003-Present
National Association of Chicano/ Chicana Studies	2001, 2007-Present
History Colorado	2014-2016
Grants	
Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP) Internal Proposal " Racial Equity" August 14, 2020 Co-authored with Noorie Brantmeier, Emily O. Gravett, Ph.D., Amy Lewis, Ph.D., Carson Lonett, MA; Fawn-Amber Montoya, Ph.D., Jordan Todd, M.A.,	
Duran Youth Initiative Grant, Fray Angelico Chavez Chapter of Genealogy Society of Hispanic	

Americans, 2015

American Association of University Women- Bridging Borders: Empowering the Future by Understanding the Past, 2014

SEED Grant, Colorado State University-Pueblo, 2014

Colorado State University- Pueblo, Faculty Development Grant, 2007/2008, 2009/2010, 2014, 2015, 2016

Colorado State University-Pueblo, Summer Undergraduate Research Project, 2012/2014/2016/2017

FIPSE Grant, University of Colorado at Colorado Springs, 2012

Awards

Colorado State University-Pueblo, Students' Choice, Associated Students' Government, 2017

Rawlings Public Library, Outstanding Women of Pueblo Award, 2015

Colorado State University-Pueblo, University Wide Award, Excellence in Advising and Mentoring, 2014

Colorado State University-Pueblo, University Wide Award, Excellence in Service Award, 2011

Colorado State University-Pueblo, Student Activities, Diversity Initiatives Grant 2009/2010/2011

Colorado State University-Pueblo, Student Leadership and Involvement Awards, Outstanding Student Organization Leader, 2010

Colorado State University-Pueblo, Student Leadership and Involvement Awards, Student Organization Outstanding Performance- Vagina Monologues 2009, 2010

Colorado State University-Pueblo, Shining Stars Faculty-Staff Recognition Luncheon, Finalist for Students' Choice Award, April 2010